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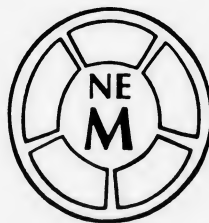
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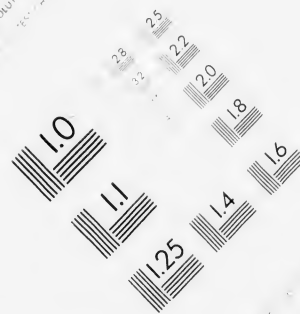


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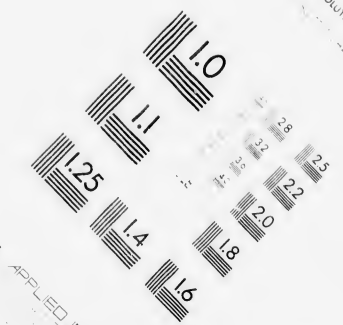
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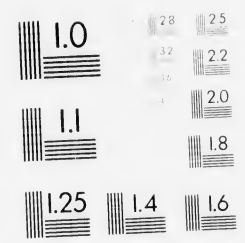


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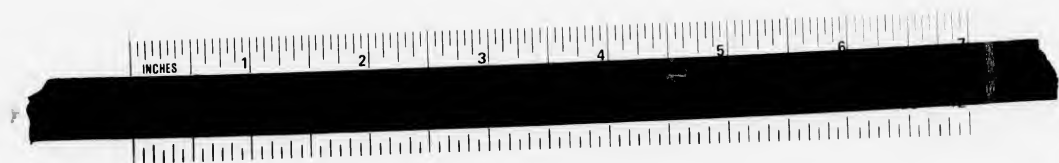
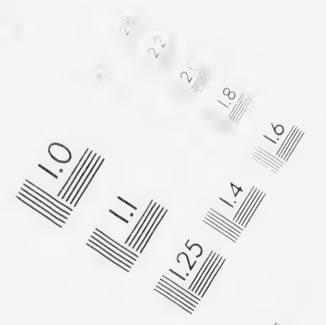
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Rising Cost Of City Employee Benefits Placing Larger Burden On Taxpayers

Phelan: 'State Of City Strong But A Financial Crisis Threatens'

John Quincy Adams Legacy

Patrick To Be Inaugurated With Historic Mendi Bible

Nearly 160 years after his death, the legacy of John Quincy Adams will play a role in the inauguration of the first black governor in the history of Massachusetts.

Deval Patrick of Milton will take the oath of office today (Thursday) on the historic Mendi Bible, on loan from the Adams National Historical Park.

The Bible was a gift to Adams from the Mendi people of West Africa after he secured freedom for the *Amistad* Africans before the U.S. Supreme Court.

"This Bible comes from an extraordinary moment in the history of the commonwealth, the nation and the world," said Beverly Morgan-Welch, co-chair of the Inaugural Committee.

"The *Amistad* case was a giant step forward for the abolitionist movement and recognized the basic humanity of enslaved people in America.

"It is now fitting and proper that we honor it now as part of this historic inaugural."

The inauguration will mark the first time the Mendi Bible has been used in an official ceremony. After the inaugural, it will be displayed at the State House.

The *Amistad* case took place in 1839 when a group of kidnapped Afri-



DEVAL PATRICK

cans from Mendeland revolted aboard a Spanish slaver and took over the ship.

They thought their captive navigator was sailing them back to Africa but in reality they were taken to New York where Spanish authorities demanded their return.

Thus began a protracted legal battle with overtones of political intrigue as lower

courts orders to free the 35 men and women were offset by pro-slavery politicians.

Eventually, it reached the Supreme Court where the 73-year old Adams argued passionately before the justices and secured their freedom.

In gratitude, the freed Africans presented Adams with the Bible inscribed with a letter from their leader, Cinque, and his colleagues.

"One hundred sixty six years after John Quincy Adams defended the Mendi people, the *Amistad* story continues to engage generations and compels us to look to the past as we engage in the present and formulate our vision for the future," said Marianne

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MENDI BIBLE is displayed by Peter Adams, a sixth generation direct descendant of John Quincy Adams, and Marianne Peak, superintendent of the Adams National Historical Park. Quincy Sun file photo/Robert Bosworth

By TOM HENSHAW

Mayor William Phelan, beginning his sixth year at the helm in Quincy, reported Tuesday that "the state of our city is strong and growing stronger."

But, he said in his mid-term address, "even in this rosy report of our fiscal condition there are troubling storm warnings on the horizon that cannot be ignored."

"... The fast growing cost of employee benefits and the abnormally large percentage of those costs being paid by the city of Quincy is placing a larger and larger undue burden on taxpayers."

He called it "a financial crisis that threatens our financial stability and all the progress we have made" and "a ticking time bomb that we must defuse as fairly and as



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN, delivering his third mid-term address Tuesday, declared the state of the city strong but warned of rising city employee benefits that, he said, threaten the city's financial stability. Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

quickly as possible."

"Let me say clearly," he added quickly, "I think Quincy has some of the fin-

est public employees anywhere. I wish we could give them the moon. But we cannot."

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Proposes 'Smart Zoning Changes'

Gutro: 'Will Work To Reduce Taxes'

By MIKAELA SLANEY

Council President Douglas Gutro was sworn into his second term with the same enthusiasm as his first, promising to "advance the causes that make Quincy a desirable place to live and work."

Gutro, who was nominated by Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly, and voted in unanimously, said he will work to keep taxes down.

He said he will work to reduce taxes and "trim fat from our budget" by reducing flexible expenses, such as the city's energy costs.

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WARD 5 Councillor Doug Gutro takes his second term oath as president of the City Council from City Clerk Joseph Shea.

Sheriff Bellotti Receives Judge Richardson Award

Norfolk County Sheriff Michael G. Bellotti was recently presented the Honorable Maurice H. Richardson Award for his "excellence in the community" and "outstanding contributions" to criminal justice.

Sheriff Bellotti received the award at Dedham District Court where Judge Richardson, now retired, was the presiding justice for 16 years.

"All the credit goes to my staff," Bellotti said. "This award belongs to you. Especially those of you on the 'street level' – the correction officers, the caseworkers, the teachers – you make it all happen."

Bellotti was joined by a standing-room-only crowd of nearly 100 friends, family and elected officials from across Norfolk County who gathered in Courtroom 1 in Dedham District Court.

Chief Justice Lynda M. Connolly, who hosted the ceremony, congratulated the



NORFOLK COUNTY SHERIFF Michael G. Bellotti (left) receives the Honorable Maurice H. Richardson (right) Award for his "excellence in the community" and "outstanding contributions" to criminal justice.

sheriff for his forward thinking and innovative programs. "He is blazing a trail," Judge Connolly said. "He has the best substance abuse program in the state."

In addition to comprehensive substance programming for inmates at the Norfolk County Correctional Center, Sheriff Bellotti runs an inmate classification system and repeat offender re-entry

program that have become models for local and state facilities.

Bellotti also operates community safety and education programs for youth and senior citizens across Norfolk County.

The Honorable Maurice H. Richardson Award was established in 1998, when Judge Richardson retired. Past recipients include U.S. Rep. William D. Delahunt (D-10th District), Rep. John H. Rogers (D-Norwood), and Norfolk County Commissioner Francis W. O'Brien.

City Selling 18 Surplus Vehicles To Highest Bidders

Looking for a used car, pickup or maybe a dump truck?

And at what could be a bargain price.

The city has 18 vehicles they are selling as surplus to the highest bidder.

Sealed bids will be opened Tuesday, Jan. 9 at 10:30 a.m. in the office of City Purchasing Agent Laurie Allen at City Hall.

Detailed specifications are on file now at that office to be seen between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

The vehicles:

Ford F150-Pickup, 1994, 89,622 miles.
Mercury Marquis, 1992, 108,632 miles.
Ford Crown Vic, 1995,

117,428 miles.

Chevy S10 Pickup, 1989, 156,571 miles.

Ford F350 Dump, 1994, 71,211 miles.

Ford F350 Dump, 1994, 87,345 miles.

Ford F350 Dump, 1994, 95,432 miles.

Ford F350 Dump, 1994, 89,623 miles.

Ford F250 Pickup, 1988, 121,801 miles.

Chevy Pickup, 1993, 183,005 miles.

GMC Pickup, 1989, 85,000 miles.

GMC Safari, 1994, 103,981 miles.

Dodge Ramvan, 1992, 140,986 miles.

Ford Van, 1986, 115,616 miles.

Ford Van, 1989, 120,077 miles.

Ford Van, 1986, 136,496 miles.

American Jeep, 1983, 139,676 miles.

Seventeen of the vehicles are available for viewing 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Public Works Department, Sea Street.

The American Jeep can be viewed from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Mechanic Shop at the Quincy Shipyard, 115 East Howard St., Quincy Point.

For viewing appointments contact the office of William Griffin, Manager of Operations, Public Works Department, at 617-839-1577.



THE QUINCY POLICE Crime Prevention Unit and the Quincy High School Student Police Academy recently worked together to provide Christmas dinners to families in the Quincy Point area. Assisting in the program at the Point Webster Middle School were (from left to right): Principal James McGuire, James Flahive, a Quincy High School teacher and director of the Student Police Academy; Barbara Driscoll, Point Webster Middle School teacher; Assistant Principal Stacey Buccini; and guidance counselors Leah MacPherson, and David Bogan.

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Delegation, McNamee File Anti-Graffiti Bill

The city's Beacon Hill delegation and Ward 6 Councilor Brian McNamee have together filed anti-graffiti legislation especially aimed at spray painting vandalism.

McNamee brought the issue to Senator Michael Morrissey, and Reps. Bruce Ayers, Stephen Tobin and Ronald Mariano for their support.

The legislation comes as a response to a rise in damage to personal and public property in Quincy, and would make it illegal for those under 17 to purchase or possess spray paint with the intent to create graffiti. The proposed legislation calls for jail terms and fines

for youthful offenders.

"Aerosol paint canisters are the focus of these new anti-graffiti measures because of their wide spread use amongst graffiti artists," McNamee said. "The artists or 'taggers' prefer cans of spray paint because they are easy to conceal and easy to carry."

In addition to penalizing offending minors, the legislation proposes to penalize those who sell aerosol paint cans to any person under the age of 17 with a \$500 fine.

"Fines and jail time for destruction and defacing of property are already in place," said Morrissey, "but it is also important that we

adequately address the sale of spray paint to minors as well. Legislation restricting certain products to minors is not always perfect, but this is a strong step in the right direction to make both the seller and the buyer aware and accountable."

"These efforts are intended to change the stakes of what has become an alarming property crime for young people involving not only vandalism and undetected trespass but recognition and notoriety for the graffiti artist," said Ayers.

The new legislative session begins Wednesday, and this legislation is expected to be assigned a hearing for early Spring.



NORTH QUINCY HIGH School's health and child development classes recently raised money to feed the hungry. Several bakes sales and prize drawings raised sufficient funds to feed 53 families this holiday season. Pantries benefiting from the students' efforts included the Germantown Neighborhood Center.

QMC Lecture Subject: 'Oh, My Aching Head'

Quincy Medical Center will host a free community health lecture entitled "Oh, My Aching Head: A Review of Migraines and Headaches," Tuesday, Jan. 23, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at 114 Whitwell St.

Dr. Patrick Madden, a QMC-affiliated neurologist, will lead the discussion of the difference between headaches and migraines as well as prevention and treatment strategies for both.

The free lecture is open to

the public. Advance registration is requested and available by calling the QMC Physician Referral Service at 1-877-479-2273.

Refreshments will be served.

Quincy 2000 Collaborative Meetings

Quincy 2000 Collaborative, the city's public/private development organization, will hold business partnership meetings for all businesses throughout the city during January.

The meetings will be held in the following places on the following dates:

North Quincy & Squantum/Marina Bay - Thursday, Jan. 11 from 8 to 9 a.m. in the North Quincy Public Library, 381 Hancock St.

South/West Quincy - Wednesday, Jan. 17, from 8

to 9 a.m. at Fallon Ambulance, 115 Brook Rd.

Wollaston - Thursday, January 18, from 8 to 9 a.m., at the United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St.

Quincy Center - Tuesday, Jan. 23, from 8 to 9 a.m., at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Quincy Point - Wednesday, Jan. 24, from 5 to 6 p.m., at the Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Jan. 7, 1785, Frenchman Jean-Pierre Blanchard and American John Jeffries travel from England to France in a gas balloon, becoming the first to cross the English Channel by air. The two nearly crashed into the Channel, as their balloon was weighed down by supplies, forcing them to throw nearly everything out of the balloon. Blanchard even threw his trousers over the side in a desperate, but apparently successful, attempt to lighten the ship.

• On Jan. 2, 1811, Senator Timothy Pickering, a Federalist from Massachusetts, becomes the first senator to be censured by the Senate. Pickering was accused of revealing to the public secret foreign-policy documents sent by the president to Congress.

• On Jan. 5, 1914, the Ford Motor Company rolls out a series of initiatives targeted at improving the lives of its workers. Along with boosting the company's minimum wage to \$5 per day, Ford also unveiled plans to trim its work day to eight hours.

• On Jan. 4, 1936, Bob Hope debuts on network

radio in the cast of "The Intimate Revue." Hope, born Leslie Townes Hope in London, made his film debut three years later in "The Big Broadcast of 1938," singing "Thanks for the Memory."

• On Jan. 1, 1953, country singer Hank Williams, 29, dies of a heart attack in the back of a limousine on the way to a show in Canton, Ohio. Media speculated that his death may have resulted from drug and alcohol abuse. His hits included "Your Cheatin' Heart" and "I'm So Lonesome I Could Cry."

• On Jan. 3, 1969, some 30,000 copies of the John Lennon-Yoko Ono album Two Virgins are confiscated by police at Newark Airport in New Jersey. The album's cover featured a nude picture of Lennon and Ono, which was deemed pornographic.

• On Jan. 6, 1973, a Mercedes-Benz 770K sedan, supposedly Adolf Hitler's parade car, is sold at auction for \$153,000, the most money ever paid for a car at auction at that time.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Mid-Term And The Speculation

Mayor William Phelan delivered his third mid-term address Tuesday and automatically ushered in Quincy's political New Year.

Speculation time, 2007!

Was a challenger among those sitting in the City Council chambers listening as he spoke?

If there was one, was he sitting at his city council seat?

Or, someone somewhere else in the audience? A possible surprise contender?

Or, will Phelan be unopposed for a fourth term?

If anyone is planning to challenge Phelan, January is the month to let it be known.

A mayoral candidate needs time to organize the troops and to build a war chest.

It would take somewhere in the neighborhood of \$150,000 to wage an effective campaign. That's a pretty expensive neighborhood.



FINN



RAYMONDI

Two councilors, Dan Raymond and Joseph Finn, have come close to challenging Phelan in the past, but decided not to. Both

are still interested in being mayor.

Interested, too, are Doug Gutro, elected to his second term as city council president Tuesday, John Keenan, Michael McFarland and Kevin Coughlin.

Gutro, Keenan, McFarland and Coughlin definitely aren't going to challenge Phelan. They prefer to wait for a opportune time after Phelan leaves office.

The only possibilities within the city council appear to be Finn and Raymond. But neither has sent out signals.

They too, may prefer to wait.

The speculation is that if Phelan does have a challenger it won't be a city councillor.

Instead, it could be a well known city figure who reportedly is "considering" a run.

But if he decides not to, and no councillor gets in, Phelan would coast to a fourth term unopposed.

Elected to his third term in 2005, he became only the fourth mayor in the city's history to get a re-election free ride although he had a token write-in opponent.

The other three mayors: Thomas Burgin, Frank McCauley and James Sheets who got three free rides.

Phelan would be tough for any challenger to unseat.

He has come a long way since stunning the local political scene with his 17-vote upset win over Sheets, a six-term mayor, in 2001.

Phelan was only in his second year as a school committeeman—a virtual unknown—when he defeated Sheets, one of Quincy's all-time political powers.

He was the first mayor in 79 years to get to that office without first taking the city council chambers route.

Officially, Phelan has not announced his candidacy for a fourth term this year. But he is definitely running.

He had a \$125 per head fundraiser in July at the Adams Inn. And one last week at the Quincy Neighborhood Club with suggested donations of \$125, \$250 and \$500. They were as good as an official announcement.

Phelan can raise money and has grown stronger in office since moving in. He's been a hands-on mayor with his own style—a style that gets things done, but ruffles some people.

He won't be an easy target for a challenger.

And just one more thing as we enter Election Year 2007:

We still haven't had a woman mayor in Quincy's 117-year history as a city. And we are now back to an all-male city council.

Ladies, where are you?

Doug Flutie Jr. Foundation Grant To Step One Intervention

The Doug Flutie Jr. Foundation for Autism is donating \$2,191 to Step One Early Intervention South Shore Medical Health in Quincy.

Overall, the foundation

will distribute a total of \$357,421 to 26 non-profit organizations in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, Rhode Island, New Jersey, New York, California, Missouri and Ontario.

Local organizations such as Step One Early Intervention, South Shore Medical Health, as well as national outlets such as Princeton Autism Technology, benefit from the foundation's annual grant funding.

Funds donated to Step One Early Intervention, South Shore Medical Health will support a pediatric outreach program, to increase the awareness of pediatricians serving families in the Quincy, Randolph and Milton communities of the importance of early screening and referral to early intervention and further development assessment of children with red flags for diagnosis on the autism spectrum.

The program will include two mailings and scheduled visits using the first signs presentation to 22 pediatric practices.

The Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation for Autism, Inc. was established in 1998 by former Patriots quarterback Doug

Flutie and his wife, Laurie, in honor of their son, Doug, Jr. who was diagnosed with autism at the age of three. Autism is a neurological disorder that impacts the normal development of the brain in the areas of social interaction and communication skills. It affects more than 1.5 million people in the United States.

"We started 'Dougies Team' to provide assistance to families caring for children with autism and to support those organizations researching a cure," said Flutie. "Providing this funding is even more crucial in times of federal and state budget cuts and because of the fact that the numbers of children being diagnosed with autism has increased significantly over the past 10 years. These worthy recipients provide families both support services for the present and hope for the future. We are very happy to provide such needed grants."

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MATTIE: 1 y.o. black and white. Shy.

MOLLY: 6 y.o. black and white.

PENNY: 7 y.o. tabby. Quiet home.

QUINN: 6 y.o. male tabby. FIV+.

SEBASTIAN: black longhaired 9 y.o. (owner passed away).

TABITHA: 2 y.o. gray and white tabby.

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, Jan. 8

Pizza, fresh fruit, fruit juice

Tuesday, Jan. 9

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, Jan. 10

Beef teriyaki strips, lightly buttered pasta, hot vegetable, dinner roll, fruit juice.

Thursday, Jan. 11

Canadian turkey ham with cheese on a croissant, potato puffs, fresh fruit or juice.

Friday, Jan. 12

Chicken nuggets, rice pilaf, sweet and sour sauce, hot vegetable, fruit juice, dinner roll.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, Jan. 8

Ultra grain stuffed crust pizza, fruit juice, fruit cup.

Tuesday, Jan. 9

School baked lasagna in tomato sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, juice. *Early release middle and high schools.*

Wednesday, Jan. 10

Baked potato with broccoli and cheese sauce, chicken tenders, dinner roll.

Thursday, Jan. 11

Grilled hot dog on a bun, baked beans, coleslaw.

Friday, Jan. 12

Chicken fajitas with Spanish rice, corn niblets, tortilla wrap, fruit cup.

Scenes From Yesterday

THIS POSTCARD was published in 1915 when granite quarrying was a very important Quincy industry. This view of Swingles Quarry at a depth of 225 feet shows how dangerous the work was particularly in bad weather. Note the precariously placed ladders. Swingles was open for over 100 years and was the last working quarry in Quincy when it shut down operations in 1963. By that time it had reached a depth of 350 feet, 200 feet of it below sea level. After years as a dangerous swimming hole the quarry has now been filled with dirt from the Ted Williams Tunnel. The beauty of Swingles famous "extra-dark" Quincy granite can be seen in the granite ball at city hall or in the two columns at the entrance to Citizens Bank on Quincy Avenue. These columns were removed from Jonathan Swingle's house on Hancock St. when it was demolished in the 1980s. But perhaps the best sample of the stone can be seen in the large monument on Swingles grave in Mount Wollaston Cemetery. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection
of Tom Galvin



Quincy's Yesterdays

McIntyre Predicts Substantial Tax Hike

By FRANK McCAULEY

Mayor James R. McIntyre gloomily predicted "another substantial" tax rate increase for Quincy this year.

In two major austerity moves to tighten the city's municipal belt and help head off a big tax hike, the mayor said he will:

Reject any general pay increase requests for city employees.

Cut department budgets "to the bone."

"There will be no general pay increases for city employees this year. We just cannot afford it," he said.

SHIPYARD SEEKS 2,000 WORKERS

The hiring of nearly 2,000 more tradesmen during the next few months will help make 1970 General Dynamics "busiest year at its Quincy Shipbuilding Division," it was predicted.

With current shipbuilding employment levels at 8,300, the drive for new employees will increase to more than 10,000, a \$12 million impact on General Dynamic's payroll is seen.

Welders led the way with 300 openings, followed by electricians, pipefitters and sheet workers.

266 UNIT SENIOR FACILITY 100% FILLED

The 266 unit south wing of Senior Citizen Housing at 1000 Southern Artery has been 100 percent leased and 275 names remain on the waiting list with more being added each day, according to a report from the center.

The non-sectarian, non-profit facility was built and is operated by Quincy Point Congregational Homes, Inc. for senior citizens age 62 and older.

QUINCY-ISMS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dondero were the proud parents of a daughter born at Quincy City Hospital... Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Mark Russell and Mrs. Alex Engelmann were co-chairs of the Christ Church's Mothers' Club potluck supper...

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Walker of Wollaston celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary at a Mass and reception at their house. The party was given by their five children...

Hugh E. Dawes, Grand Knight North Quincy Knights of Columbus, appointed Charles J. Graham deputy grand knight to serve as chairman of its 50th anniversary program to be held April 24, 1971...

Rev. Lloyd F. Martin assumed his new duties as minister of the Wollaston Congregational Church. He succeeded Rev. Harold G. Leland... Dr. Sumner D. Hirschberg received the Jewish War Veterans "Citizen of the Year Award" on behalf of the members of the Quincy Symphony Orchestra...

Wollaston Federal Savings and Loan Association announced new banking hours: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily and Thursday until 7:30 p.m. Former Mayors Thomas S. Burgin and David S. McIntosh attended the third inaugural of Mayor James R. McIntyre. Former Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa was too ill to attend...

Councillor at Large and State Representative Arthur H. Tobin was unanimously elected city council president when the Council organized for 1970. He succeeded Ward 6 Councillor J. Vincent Smyth who served as council president in 1968-1969...

School Committeeman James F. McCormick, Sr. beginning his 11th year on the committee, was elected committee vice-chairman for 1970-1971... Heslip E. Sutherland, president of the Quincy Cooperative Bank, announced the election of Charles G. Peterson as vice president of the bank...

James Lyons was installed as the president of the Ward 2 Civic Association. Other officers included James DeCristofaro, vice president, Maurice Horrigan, treasurer, Mrs. Elsie Fitzgerald, recording secretary and Mrs. James Lyons, corresponding secretary...

The North Quincy High School basketball team, defending Greater Boston League champions, was seeking its third straight win in an upcoming game against Medfield at the Boston Garden... Coach Bob Sylvia's Quincy High School's hockey team would be seeking its fifth straight win when the team plays Medford at the Boston Arena...

Rico Petrocelli, selected as the most valuable Red Sox player by the Boston Baseball writers, was honored at a dinner hosted by the Montclair Mens Club... James E. Davidson, 291 Billings St., North Quincy, won the Doorway Decorating contest sponsored by the Quincy South Shore Festival Committee. A Special Doorway Award was given to John and Anita Ricciuti, 31 Stone Brae Rd., Wollaston.

Crane Library Announces January Events

The Thomas Crane Library, 40 Washington St., announces upcoming events for January:

Mad Science: "Life in the Sea": (Two sessions, Saturday, Jan. 20, 10 a.m. for ages seven and older, 11:15 a.m. for ages four through six.) This workshop will teach children about ocean habitats through experimentation with sea water and its

properties. It will explain food webs and adaptations, and participants will make "Cartesian divers" to continue underwater explorations at home.

Registration is required and limited to Quincy residents. Registration is ongoing at the Children's Room, or by calling 617-376-2411.

Registration for Winter Storytimes: Registration

begins Jan. 12 starting at 9 a.m. Programs are offered to children ages four months to seven years. Details are available at all library locations and at www.thomascranelibrary.org. Registration is limited to Quincy residents, and are expected to fill quickly.

Saturday Fun for Little Ones: (Jan. 13 at 10:30 a.m., the large meeting room at the

main library.) Join the Dream Tale Puppets for story and puppet times. *Little Red Riding Hood* and *The Three Little Pigs* are two traditional puppet stories featured for young children. The program is intended for children up to four years old, to be accompanied by an adult.

Programs are sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

READERS FORUM

Cultural Center Long Overdue

The recent decision by the Mayor to support a central location for the performing and visual arts is long overdue.

There have been several sincere efforts in the past that never materialized. One of those occurred during the 1970s when the late Quincy

native actress Ruth Gordon created a large influence from her success on Broadway and the movies. Her close ties to Quincy were celebrated with an 80th birthday weekend in 1976 during my administration as Mayor.

A large turnout at the State Street complex on that weekend highlighted her popularity and influence on the arts.

During my administration a cultural center was included with a new city hall complex. Federal funds were anticipated but fell short of this becoming a reality.

We did build an Amphitheatre at Pageant Field and named it for Ruth Gordon. Her appearance there on Nov. 10, 1984 with her husband, Garson Kanin, highlighted the forthcoming summer concerts held there for the next 23 years to its current date.

Joseph J. LaRaia
Quincy

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Photography Workshop Jan. 25 At Houghs Neck

Houghs Neck Community Center, 1193 Sea St., will hold an "Introduction to Digital Photography" Jan. 25 from 6:30 to 8 p.m., fee is \$15.

Participants are urged to bring in their cameras with questions, and bring in photographs for critique and analysis of how to make them more effective and aesthetically pleasing.

Photographer Ron Goodman will teach the

workshop which will explain differences between film and digital photography, and related equipment. Featured equipment will include cameras, printers, computers and scanner.

The workshop will explain composition, lighting, color management, lens choices and exposure. The workshop will also feature the production of the final image, including how to

print, frame and transmit it.

Goodman is a professional Houghs Neck photographer and college instructor of photography. He has exhibited extensively and has received many awards for his photographic images, several of which will be used as part of the presentation.

For more information on the workshop call the center at 617-376-1395.

QAA Classes Registration Deadline Jan. 9

Quincy Art Association (QAA) will hold art classes in all mediums for children and adults, beginning the week of Jan. 21, registration deadline is Jan. 9.

Participants are advised to

register as soon as possible, in that classes fill up quickly.

For a class schedule, call the QAA at 617-770-2482, or download a schedule from www.QuincyArt.org.

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St.

The movie is provided by West Coast Video at no charge. Refreshments will be provided. Call Ann at 617-376-1506 to reserve a seat.

Opens Jan. 11

Quincy Artists Featured At Weymouth Art Treasure Gallery

Works by Quincy artists will be among the featured displays at the Art Treasure Gallery, the Dickinson Group's new art gallery at 1132 Main St., Weymouth which will open Thursday, Jan. 11.

Local artists featured include Marilyn Reisberg, Christopher H. Myers, Julianne Molloy-Bithoney, Anet Paglierani and Daniel Myers, III.

The gallery will feature the works of 20 local and national artists.

Other artists are William Beyer, Edwina Caci, Donald Dickinson, Maggie Lee Gosselin, Edward R. MacCormack, Flo Markowitz, Kaye F. O'Brien, Gini Wadsworth Pomeroy, Stanley Krupa, Nancy LaPorta, Laura Lee Zanghetti, Stephen H. Holland, P. Anthony Visco, Judy Bradley and Alice Appleton Donahue.

Reisberg, a gold-leaf artist, incorporates fragments of 18-23 karat gold leaf within her acrylic paintings. She is a member of the Quincy Art Association and a life member of the Copley Society of Boston.

Christopher Myers is a Quincy painter and illustrator. He specializes in pencil drawings and oil or acrylic painting and is often commissioned for family portraits or to capture celebrity figures in pencil, charcoal or oil paint.

Myers is a 2003 graduate of Hamilton College where he majored in studio art and is the recipient of an illustration certificate from the School of the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston.

Julianne Molloy-Bithoney is a multi-media artist. She is a member of the Quincy and Duxbury Art Associations and presently instructs children and young adults at Excalibur Studio in Frantic



WORK OF GOLD-LEAF artist Marilyn Reisberg of Quincy will be featured at the Art Treasure Gallery which opens Jan. 11 in Weymouth.



ARTWORK BY Quincy painter and illustrator Christopher H. Myers will be displayed at Art Treasure Gallery which opens Jan. 11 in Weymouth.

Framers, Quincy.

The all-media artist is well-known throughout the region for her commissioned paintings of wildlife, landscapes, figures and still life depictions, which are displayed in private collections from Nantucket to California.

Paglierani is one of the founders and directors of the Quincy Art Association. She is known for her landscape and floral depictions. A former designer with Rust Craft Greeting Cards, she has taught painting in studios and classrooms since 1965.

Her works are included in various collections and can be viewed locally at Quincy City Hall and Quincy Historical Society as well as at business and homes throughout the region.

Daniel Myers III produces art in three different

media: drawing, painting and sculpture, the latter being his artistic focus for the past 20 years.

A retired math and English teacher, Myers is a member of the Quincy Art Association and has won numerous awards for his drawings, paintings and sculptures. Myers' sculpture is represented in the Crump-McCole Gallery in Boston's World Trade Center.

The new gallery and adjoining studio encompass the third level of the three-story building at 1132 Main St., Weymouth. The gallery is housed within a recently completed constructed 10,000 square-foot building located on Route 18 in South Weymouth on the corner of the Naval Air Station.

For more information, call Gallery Director Gabriel Catbagan at 781-331-9841.

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Feast Of Lights Sunday At Sacred Heart

The Quincy Choral Society will lead music at the 31st annual "Feast of Lights" Epiphany Celebration, 7 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St.

This open-invitation worship will feature traditional carols sung during the candlelight service, including "O Come, All ye Faithful" and "Joy to the World." Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, pastor of Wollaston Congregational Church, will hold the service. Refreshments will be served.

The event is sponsored by the Interchurch Council of Wollaston and North Quincy and draws clergy of the Roman Catholic, Lutheran, Methodist, Episcopal, Congregational, Evangelical, Nazarene and Baptist traditions. The Council boasts the largest ecumenical service in the Commonwealth, drawing several hundred worshippers annually.

For more information on the Feast of Lights, call the office of Sacred Heart Church, 617-328-8666.

Postal Scams Topic For NARFE Chapter

The "City of Presidents", NARFE Chapter will meet on Jan. 8, 2007 at 1:30 p.m., at the Torre Dei Passeri Club, 252 Washington St.

Postal Inspector Thomas Higgins, will discuss different scams being perpetuated on postal customers, and

how to avoid being caught in the scam.

All active and retired federal employees are invited to attend the meeting. There is ample parking in the rear of the building. Refreshments will be served at the end of the meeting.

Parents' Council Meets Jan. 8 At Broad Meadows

The Quincy city-wide Parents' Council will meet Monday, Jan. 8 at 7 p.m. in the Broad Meadows Middle School, Calvin Road.

Richard O'Brien, director

Mr., Mrs. Keith Lazaron Parents Of Son

Keith and Kerri Lazaron of Weymouth are parents of Jake William Lazaron, born Sept. 23 at Brigham and Womens Hospital, Boston.

Grandparents are Greg and Nancy Ward of Quincy, Keith Lazaron of Foxboro and Debbie Pitts of Braintree.

of Information studies, will be guest speaker. All are welcome.

For more information call Marcia Garber at 617-472-5189.



STELLA DEL NORD Lodge #1436, Order Sons of Italy in America, recently celebrated its 80th anniversary at the Sons of Italy in Quincy. State Rep. Bruce Ayers presents President Donna Baker a State House citation recognizing the lodge's 80th anniversary and praised the members both past and present, for their dedication and commitment to helping others. "It's also a time for us to remember and honor our departed sisters whose dedication and efforts sustained our Lodge through good times and bad," said President Baker.

Mr., Mrs. Nicholas Levins Parents Of Daughter

Nicholas and Nichole Levins, both of Holbrook, formerly of Quincy, are parents of Maggie Elizabeth Levins, born Oct. 5 at South Shore Hospital.

Grandparents are Richard and Carol Walter of Quincy, Nick Levins of Hingham and Ann Levins of Quincy.

Girl Scouts Launch Cookie Sale Friday

Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail Council announces local Girl Scouts will begin selling their famous cookies Friday, Jan. 5 through March 18.

The Council also announces all varieties of Girl Scout cookies, which include Thin Mints, Caramel deLites, Peanut Butter Patties, Shortbread, Peanut Butter Sandwiches, Cartwheels, Thanks-A-Lot and the brand new Lemonades, are now "zero trans fat per serving," in compliance with FDA regulations.

Since 1917, the Girl Scout cookie activity has become a famous annual event that has helped girls develop important leadership skills they will use through-

out their lives.

The Girl Scout Cookie Program allows girls to set goals, learn money management, and develop marketing skills. The entire troop sets a goal and follows a plan leading toward that goal.

Girl Scout troops use funds from the cookie activity to fund a service project or to plan for an exciting trip. Many successful women have credited their business skills to the Girl Scout Cookie Program, making it the premier business and financial literacy program for girls in the United States.

Girl Scout cookies are \$4 a box. To find out where to purchase cookies locally, visit www.ptgirlscouts.org.

Parent Advisory Council To Meet Jan. 11 At QHS

Quincy High School's Parent Advisory Council will meet in the Pride Room at the school, Thursday, Jan. 11

at 7 p.m.

The public is invited to attend. For more information call 617-984-8643.

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Montclair Elementary School

If I Could Have One Wish Come True . . .

Due to a production error, Christmas wishes written by fifth graders at the Montclair Elementary School did not appear in the *Quincy Sun's* holiday issue.

The wishes, based on the question, "If I Could Have One Wish Come True" this holiday season, are listed below.

The Sun regrets the error.

It would be to just by fine with my family because they take care of me, make me food and help me with my homework.

Siriwaat Wiwaatyukhan
Montclair School

It would be to have people stop killing each other. The more people that are killed, the more loved ones we miss.

Wilmary Lopez
Montclair School

It would be to have a lot of presents. I also wish for peace

Mark DeLucaa
Montclair School

It would be to get my dog on Christmas day. I would want this on Christmas day because I was supposed to get it in April.

Matt Medeiros
Montclair School

It would be to buy toys for the kids that are poor.

Zhiying Lei
Montclair School

It would be to have peace on earth with no war and no tsunami, tornado, hurricane and floods.

Christine Li
Montclair School

It would be that everything would stop breaking. Every time my mom pays for something to get fixed another thing breaks.

Leah Prasinos
Montclair School

It would be that my mom and dad don't have to do hard work.

Amy Ly

Montclair School

It would be to spend time with my family because I love my family.

Sarah Tran
Montclair School

It would be to stop the war over Iraq because a lot of Americans are dying.

Agnes Setow
Montclair School

It would be to stop the war in Iraq. Also peace on earth.

Taylor Pecoraro
Montclair School

It would be to have world peace. I wish for the soldiers to come home and enjoy the rest of their lives.

Anthony Green
Montclair School

It would be giving toys, food, water, shelter, clothing for children and adults.

Taylor Daccache
Montclair School

It would be every child having time to spend with family and friends because a lot of children don't get family time.

Amellia Ho
Montclair School

It would be having peace with my family friends. Also I would want the soldiers fighting in Iraq to stop fighting and come home.

Wilson Chen
Montclair School

It would be having all the soldiers in Iraq to come home for the holidays.

Glen Peters
Montclair School

It would be to get my passport to visit relatives in Albania.

Inis Zefi
Montclair School

It would be for my cousin to be at my aunt's house when we arrive. He just moved to Cali-

fornia. He is so funny when he makes me laugh and I almost cry.

Tara A. Nealon
Montclair School

It would be a Nintendo DS because all of the Christmases in the past I've received mostly clothes.

Jazsala Laraacuent
Montclair School

It would be that all poor people would be living a regular life like other people.

Aaron Tran
Montclair School

It would be to get the Nintendo Wii. It's motion activated. It's not as expensive as other game consoles.

Patrick McGee
Montclair School

It would be to go and see my grandmother in Florida. I miss her and only get to see her once a year.

Natalie Bishop
Montclair School

It would be to get a Nintendo Gamecube for Christmas. My friend has one and when I go to his house I play with it.

Andi Zeny
Montclair School

It would be that my Grandma gets out of the hospital for Christmas. I want to spend it with her at home and around the Christmas tree.

Declan McGaffigan
Montclair School

It would be that my mom would get better.

Lisa M. Hall
Montclair School

It would be to have a PSP. You can take it in cars. It is popular, has good graphics, too.

Patrick McCaffrey
Montclair School

It would be for my Great grandmother to feel better. She is really nice to everyone.

Jillian O'Leary
Montclair School

It would be for my cousins to come over from Ireland.

Madelyn McCarthy
Montclair School

It would be to have a light brown puppy because then I could play with it when I am bored. I won't have to sit there being lazy and doing nothing.

Jamie Zou
Montclair School

It would be a puppy. They can be your little best friend, but a puppy is a big responsibility.

Nancy Huang
Montclair School

It would be to have world peace throughout the world.

Kali Cormican
Montclair School

It would be a dog for my grandmother. At first my grandma was just fostering a dog named Corky. But then she started to really like him. I hope she'll be able to keep him.

Erin Gaffney
Montclair School

It would be a bunny. It would be tan with white spots on it. I hope it will be able to have babies.

Tiffany Guan
Montclair School

It would be to be home with my mom. She's everything to me and I love her.

Flavio Alvarez
Montclair School

It would be that everyone who doesn't have a home would get a nice present.

Michelle Murphy
Montclair School

It would be that the less fortunate would have food, clothing, shelter and gifts.

Xylena Gabrielle Desquitado
Montclair School

It would be for everybody to get along in peace and harmony. Why can't everybody get along?

Nisreen Abo-Sido
Montclair School

It would be for homeless kids and adults to have shelter, water, and everything needed to live a normal life.

Efthim Butka
Montclair School

It would be that homeless people would not have to beg people for money. I hope that they will find shelter and have

food to eat.

Ricky Diep
Montclair School

It would be a puppy. Whenever I am at home sometimes I get bored and want to have fun.

Janet Zhou
Montclair School

It would be to get another dog, and I hope to get a Chihuahua.

Brenda
Montclair School

It would be for a Play Station 3. I would also like the games.

John Lx
Montclair School

It would be for everyone to be safe.

Kaitlin O'Sullivan
Montclair School

It would be all different kinds of Pokemon games.

Chuong Nguyen
Montclair School

It would be to get another dog. My dog is really lonely when I go to school.

Lucky Dang
Montclair School

It would be for everybody in the world to get a present.

Tristine Thong
Montclair School

It would be to give the best gift I can for my mother. (She) cares so much for my sister, my brother and I. I feel so lucky to have her.

Andrew Keezer
Montclair School

It would be that families who are less fortunate than me would get canned foods from our canned food drive program and little kids would get toys from Toys for Tots.

Annie Wong
Montclair School

It would be a computer and the internet. I can go to the biggest and smartest college in the whole America.

Teddy Li
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It would be to see my cousin/godfather because I never get to see him.

Feenish Mulkerrens
Montclair School



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bol of our nation's most precious and fundamental beliefs."

The Mendi Bible was away from the Adams National Historical Park once before.

It was one of four historic books stolen from the Stone Library next to the Adams Mansion on Adams Street in November, 1996.

It was recovered two months later in a Portsmouth, N.H., gym.

College Financing Seminar Jan. 8 At North Quincy High

A college financing seminar for parents who plan to send their kids to college will be held Monday, Jan. 8, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at North Quincy High School.

A representative from MEFA will be on hand to discuss the various aspects of financing a college education, including the financial aid process and searching for

scholarships.

Admission to the seminar is free. Further information may be obtained by calling Virginia Cushman at 617-984-8747.

QMC Lecture To Review Heart Health And Risks

Quincy Medical Center will host a free community health lecture entitled "Forever Young (at heart!)" Tuesday, Feb. 6 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at 114 Whitwell St., Quincy.

Dr. Mary Callahan, a QMC-affiliated cardiologist, and Ann McGroarty, a nurse and director of Cardiac Rehabilitation and Wellness Programs, will review risk

factors for heart disease and strategies to reduce them.

The free lecture is open to the public. Advance registration is requested and avail-

able by calling the QMC Physician Referral Service at 1-877-479-2273.

Refreshments will be served.

Tax Tips From the Experts. Residential Energy Credits

There are several energy credits to consider when filing 2006 returns. Generally you may claim a credit on your tax return equal to 10% of the amount paid for qualified energy efficient improvements installed in your principal residence and 100% of the amount for residential energy expenditures. Don't jump for joy yet...there are limits.

The maximum credit is \$500 for both the improvements and expenditures. Furthermore the \$500 limit is a lifetime limit not an annual limitation. And, there are individual lifetime limitations on certain types of expenditures as follows:

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Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617)376-6226

SHINE Counsel At Aging Office

A SHINE counselor will be available Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Quincy Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., Quincy, to assist the elderly and adults with disabilities with health information and benefits.

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Call 617-376-1247 to make an appointment or to speak with a SHINE counselor.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

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North Quincy HS Competes In Regional Academic Decathlon

The North Quincy High School Academic Decathlon team recently competed in the Southeast Massachusetts Regional Competition, where they were tested on their knowledge of Chinese art, music, language and literature, and social science, as well as math and climatology.

The Red Raiders placed third out of the field of 24 teams. It was the highest finish ever for the team, surpassing its highest sixth place finish in 2005.

History teacher Sarah Huber took the reigns from long-time coach Tom

Donnelly, who helped lead North Quincy to a third place finish in the State competition this past March. It was a fitting end to his 13-year tenure as coach.

The Decathletes were led by Captain Baotran Tranguyen, who received a gold medal in art and a silver medal in language and literature. Adding to the team's success were Lauren McGough who received with a silver in music; Jessica Johnson, silver in art; Mona Li with a bronze in language; and Donna May, a bronze in art.

Also starting the compe-

tion for North Quincy was Kim Dela Cruz, Rim Touil, John Romero, and Barbara Lagrotteria.

The teammates and Coach Huber attribute some of their success to the dedication of their teachers, Mrs. Brumleve, Mr. Eldridge, Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Carew, and Ms. Miller, who took time to help the team review for all the subjects they would be tested on. They could not have done it without them.

The team will compete in the state competition in March. They will try and improve on their third place finish in last year's states.

Literacy Volunteers Sought For Crane Library

Literacy Volunteers of Massachusetts, at the Crane Public Library, is seeking tutors to help an adult learn to read.

An orientation session will be Tuesday, Feb. 13 or Thursday, Feb. 22 from 6 - 8

p.m. at the Crane Library, 40 Washington St.

Volunteer tutors will give basic one-on-one instruction to adults in basic reading and writing. Although the program is based in Quincy, tu-

tors and students come from 16 communities in the South Shore.

To register for the orientation or to receive an information packet, call Literacy Volunteers at 617-376-1314.

'Download This' At Crane Library Jan. 9

Learn how to download music and other media at "Download This," a program 7 p.m. Jan. 9 at the Thomas Crane Library, 40 Washington St.

Amateurs and those with experience downloading media but want to learn about new sites are invited to participate. The program will showcase "freebies"

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quality of outside web sources. Participants will learn about MP3s, iTunes, sites like audible.com and more. Find out how media can be downloaded hassle-free. No registration is required.

All programs are sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library. For more information on this and other programs, call the library at 617-376-1301, or visit www.thomascranelibrary.org.

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QCAP's Beth Ann Strollo Named President Of State Association

Beth Ann Strollo, executive director of Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. (QCAP) was recently elected to serve a second term as president of The Massachusetts Association for Community Action (MASSCAP).

MASSCAP is a statewide association of the 24 Community Action Agencies (CAAs) operating in Massachusetts. Through the combined skills and vision of its members, MASSCAP works to enhance the ability of each

agency to better serve its clients.

Community Action Agencies (CAAs, also known as Community Action Programs or CAPs) are private, non-profit human service and advocacy organizations that were established by Congress and the President over 40 years ago to fight poverty by opening the doors to self-sufficiency.

Strollo has over 20 years of management experience at QCAP. She has been instrumental in QCAP's suc-

cess in the areas of affordable housing, early education and care, and adult education, while maintaining a range of safety net services that help the community's most vulnerable citizens.

As the president of MASSCAP, Strollo recently helped the association develop a three-year strategic plan that outlines a public policy agenda that will give low-income people the tools needed to achieve economic self-sufficiency including more affordable housing, quality early education and care services, and asset development opportunities.

Since 1965 QCAP has been improving the quality of life and providing low-income residents with opportunities for self-sufficiency. QCAP serves approximately 20,000 unduplicated people

annually in a service area that includes Quincy, Weymouth, Braintree, Milton, Hull and surrounding Norfolk County and South Shore Communities.

QCAP continuously seeks new resources and creative ways to deliver services that meet changing community needs. It focuses on advocating for the preservation and development of affordable housing, homeownership opportunities, quality early education and care, family support services, adult educational opportunities, income development services, and jobs that pay a living wage to insure that the people it serves can achieve self-sufficiency.

For more information call (617) 479-8181 x 100 or visit www.qcap.org.



WAL-MART DONATION - Lieutenant Dan Minton of the Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit recently receives a donation from Peggy Westgate, Customer Service Representative at Walmart of Quincy. The donation will be used for many of the department's community programs.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpilo will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person payable at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

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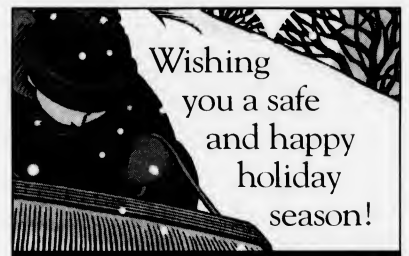
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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Dec. 22 - Dec. 29

Total Calls for Service: 1,030

Total Arrests: 24

Total Stolen Cars: 5

FRIDAY, DEC. 22

ARMED ROBBERY, 9:09 a.m., Citizens Bank, 371 Hancock St. Note passed. White male fled Holmes to Billings, 50's, wearing jeans, 160 pounds, wearing denim jacket, gray sweatshirt and jeans, no facial hair. Note stated party had a bomb. One in custody. Charged with armed robbery, breaking and entering daytime felonious intent, bomb scare, and armed assault.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 9:18 a.m., Point Webster Middle School, 60 Lancaster St. Past. States girl was assaulted at the school yesterday. Ongoing bullying problem. School to handle situation.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:35 a.m., 46 Lawn Ave. Past. Window broken.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:49 a.m., 109 Curtis Ave. Past.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:46 p.m., 9 School St. Past. Yellow 2002 Chevy Malibu, last seen 1 1/2 hours ago.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 4:09 p.m., Roche Brothers Market, 101 Falls Blvd. Locked in bath. Complaint sought for assault and battery on police officer, assault and battery paramedic, and assault and battery dangerous weapon (shod foot).

LARCENY, 8:16 p.m., Stop and Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Past. One under arrest larceny over.

LARCENY, 9:12 p.m., 2 City View Lane. Past. Laptop and cellphone stolen while caller was loading up car for a trip, no break.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:20 p.m., 43 Kent St. Window. Youth just threw rock through window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:59 p.m., 33 Bryant Ave. Statue on front lawn knocked over - no suspects.

SATURDAY, DEC. 23

LARCENY, 12:03 a.m., 20 Captains Walk. Two suspicious males. One has red jacket and one has blue. Ran to left of house. Suspects stole motorized razor scooter.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:05 a.m., 33 Summer St. Car damage. Suspect arrested at his residence for malicious damage over.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:33 a.m., Elm Ave. and Hancock St. Tires slashed. Both passenger side tires slashed **LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:33 a.m., 126 Faxon Rd.** Past. Black 2006 Mazda 3. Revere has the vehicle located at Crest and Cross Sts. Revere police went to the location, the vehicle was gone.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:07 a.m., 33 Summer St. To motor vehicles.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:25 p.m., 211 West St. Past. Laundry area.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:27 p.m., Kwincoys Bar Grille, 35 Cottage Ave. Broken window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:10 p.m., 20 Bicknell St. Dwelling.

SUNDAY, DEC. 24

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:31 a.m., 14 Beale St. Tires slashed.

LARCENY, 10:57 a.m., Roche Brothers Market, 101 Falls Blvd. Of wallet. Someone went into purse and took wallet. License, Social Security card, bank card, \$88 in cash. **LARCENY, 12:16 p.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St.** Pocketbook.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:46 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Slashed tire. One front tire slashed while parked in lot.

MONDAY, DEC. 25

LARCENY, 12:17 a.m., 111 Lancaster St. Gamecube from motor vehicle.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:15 a.m., Edgewater Place Condos, 133 Commander Shea Blvd. Already found. White Volvo S80.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:32 p.m., 28 Federal

Ave. Past. Malicious damage done to motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:54 p.m., 104 Lancaster St. To motor vehicle.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:33 p.m., 15 Merrymount Ave. Dwelling.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:56 p.m., 450 Newport Ave. Past. Went to pick up a female friend and two males were outside waiting - beat him up and made threats.

TUESDAY, DEC. 26

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:37 a.m., 10 Faxon Ave. Window smashed. Motor vehicle's moonroof was smashed in, also a dent put in on the hood of car.

LARCENY, 11:55 a.m., 22 Trafford St. By ATM card. **VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:18 p.m., 104 Lancaster St.** Past. Vehicle was damaged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:25 p.m., 44 Hillside Ave. Tires slashed over night.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:50 p.m., 43 Brooks Ave. Two tires - both right side tires slashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:43 p.m., Quilters Compass, 27 Cottage Ave. Front window. Two plate glass windows in front of store have cracks in them.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 4:50 p.m., Hannaford Brothers, 475 Hancock St. Shoplift to unarmed robbery. Holding female there who attempted to steal an elderly female's pocketbook. One under arrest.

LARCENY, 8:20 p.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Fraudulent return. Customer trying to return item without receipt.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:57 a.m., 43 Winthrop Ave. Vehicle keyed while parked at above address or at 297 Billings St.

LARCENY, 1:24 p.m., 225 Independence Ave. ATM/debit card was lost or stolen, used without authorization in Brockton and Dorchester.

THURSDAY, DEC. 28

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 2:12 a.m., 43 Young St. Past. Caller states he was assaulted by a known party earlier in the night at this address.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11 a.m., 22 Atherton St. Black 2006 Honda Motorcycle CBR100 stolen out of driveway at above address on Dec. 24. No plates on MC.

LARCENY, 11:38 a.m., CVS Pharmacy/24 Hour, 42 Beale St. By ATM card.

LARCENY, 5:33 p.m., Blue Cross, 100 Hancock St. Cellphone. Items stolen from her at work.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:13 p.m., Quincy Auto Auction, 196 Ricciuti Dr. Yellow 2002 Mazda Protege, no registration, stolen sometime since July 23. Keys inside, no plates. Car is now registered and insured as of July 23. Vehicle Identification Number was not run - if it had been this fact would have been noticed. Sent back to person who took call to follow up.

FRIDAY, DEC. 29

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:51 a.m., 87 Ruggles St. Windshield. Someone just drove by and smashed neighbor's windshield. Vehicle was parked in driveway.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3 a.m., Hancock St. Trash bins. Trash cans and recycling bins have been knocked over and strewn about Hancock St. from Beale St. to Merrymount Ave.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:33 a.m., 34 Charlesmount Ave. Smashed windshield.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is **dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton**.

A Job Well Done

On Monday, Dec. 18, at approximately 6 p.m., Officer Steven Kelly was dispatched to the Ocean State Job Lot Store on Newport Avenue to investigate "a party attempting to pass a bad check." As Officer Kelly pulled into the parking lot, he observed a female acting suspiciously, bent at the waist, peering into the store's sign covered front window.

Once the female spotted the officer, she spun around, sat on the curb and nervously blurted out, "I'm just standing here doing nothing." Officer Kelly believed this female was involved in the bad check case and was acting as a look-out.

As the officer entered the store and scanned the aisles, the store manager came up to him and identified the suspect. The suspect then walked hastily toward the entrance way. Officer Kelly ordered the suspect to stop but he kept walking. The officer then attempted to grab the suspect's arm, but he pulled his arm away and resisted.

Officer Kelly then wrestled the suspect into a wall. The suspect then kicked the officer's leg in a stomping motion. Officer Kelly wrestled the suspect to the floor, knocking down four racks of clothing. The suspect connected on numerous punches to the officer's midsection and face. Officer Kelly activated his "trouble button" on his portable radio as he returned punches to the suspect.

The store manager yelled to his employees to call "911." As Officer Kelly was able to get on top of the suspect, the store manager assisted in restraining the suspect so he could be handcuffed. Officer Terry Downing was first on scene and took the suspect to the station for booking, while other officers searched for the female who acted as a look-out.

Officer Kelly, although injured, interviewed the manager, who told him the suspect and an unknown female had entered the store today on three occasions attempting to use checks on an account that had been closed. The name of the check was the same as the suspect's.

On the first occasion, (2:30 p.m.), the suspects were told the check was not valid. On the second occasion, (4:45 p.m.) the suspects used the same check to purchase \$57 worth of merchandise. Employees realized afterward it was the same couple and same check.

On the third and final occasion, the couple entered the store and attempted to purchase \$171 worth of goods. The manager attempted to stall the suspect as he waited for the police to arrive. The female became enraged while waiting, then argued with the manager for failing to honor the check, calling him "stupid" as she walked out the door.

It was moments later that Officer Kelly observed the female outside the store. Although the officers checked the area, they could not locate the female suspect. Officer Kelly was able to search the Registry of Motor Vehicle's database by the male suspect's address and identify the female suspect by her driver's license photo.

Once at the station, Officer Kelly took the male suspect's sneakers as evidence (for the assault) and the checkbook with the bogus checks. The male suspect, a 42-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with "assault and battery with a dangerous weapon" (shod foot), "assault and battery of a police officer," "assault and battery" (store manager), "larceny by check," "attempted larceny by check," "resisting arrest" and two counts of "uttering."

A warrant is being sought against the 31-year-old Quincy female suspect for "uttering" and "larceny by check."

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Mary Harris Volunteers With Biologists In Brazil

Woodward School student Mary Harris from Quantum will spend two weeks in January on the Blanco and Negro Rivers in Brazil, working with field researchers and biologists, learning about the region's wild fisheries.

The project will also focus on educating the local populations to the dangers of over-fishing and the importance of having good policies on managing natural resources.

Harris decided to make

the trip after learning about "Project Priaba" and decided to help create a positive change in the world.

"If the fisheries aren't in good shape, the people have to find other ways to make money, and often they end up cutting down rainforests to develop grazing land for cattle," she said. "The planet can't afford to lose more rainforests."

The Tiger Woods Foundation and Target created the "Start Something" program to encourage children aged

eight through 17 to identify a personal goal and take the steps necessary to achieve it. Harris completed the program and was awarded a \$5,000 grant to fulfill her dream of doing community service in Brazil.

"If I hadn't been at Woodward I think I would have been too scared," she said. "The School has been so sup-

portive and it built me up to have confidence and prepared me for an experience like this."

To qualify for the grant, Harris had to complete a local community service

project. Woodward helped her to get involved with an event for children who spent Halloween in the hospital.

Harris will be spending her 18th birthday in Brazil, and her parents say they are

very proud of her achievements.

For more information about the "Start Something" program, visit www.target.com/startsomething.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

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To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

FOOT NOTES

by Joel Chariton, D.P.M.

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DO YOU HAVE COLD FEET?

Are you bothered by chronically cold feet? While they are more common in the winter, some people suffer from the condition year round. Circulatory issues are the most prevalent reason for cold feet; however, some people naturally have cold feet unrelated to their circulation. Certain medical conditions may lead to this problem, including multiple sclerosis, heart disease, peripheral neuropathy (a common condition associated with diabetes), and Raynaud's disease. Keeping feet dry can help them stay warm. Choose socks made from natural fibers like wool. Leather footwear has insulating properties and can keep feet warmer. If poor circulation is causing cold feet, regular foot care is essential. Inspect feet daily for cuts, scrapes, and discoloration.

People sometimes don't realize that their feet mirror their

body's health. Some of the first signs of circulatory diseases, for example, appear in the feet. That is why we recommend an annual podiatric exam for everyone over age 40, more frequently for those with an already diagnosed medical problem. If you suffer from cold feet, notice any unusual skin changes in your feet, or if you've endured foot pain for years believing it to be the norm, we would like to help you. You can reach our full-service footcare office at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING by calling 781-986-3668. Office hours also available at the Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building.

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Quincy At Mid-Term



FOUR OF THE five living former mayors attended the mid-term ceremony. Sitting behind Councillors Dan Raymondi, Jay Davis, Joseph Finn and John Keenan are former Mayors Walter Hannon, Joseph LaRaia and Arthur Tobin. Seated with them is Fr. John Ronagan of St. Ann's Church. Former Mayor Frank McCauley also attended but was seated in the audience.



MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL Committee attending the mid-term address were, from the left, Vice Chairman Elaine Dwyer, Linda Stice, Anne Mahoney, David McCarthy, Kevin Mulvey and, behind them, James Timmins.

Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Noble

Phelan: 'State Of City Strong But A Financial Crisis Threatens'

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Phelan delivered his third mid-term address before a packed house that included four of the five surviving former mayors in the City Council Chamber at City Hall.

The audience rose for a moment of silence for the late Gerald Ford, the 38th president, whose funeral was being held at the time in Washington.

Phelan listed his administration's goals for 2007, including the construction of a new Quincy High School, continued revitalization of Quincy Center and a cultural and performing arts center in downtown Quincy.

"These substantial undertakings are important to everyone," he said, "but the

primary focus of my administration for the coming year will remain on strengthening our city's great neighborhoods.

Phelan noted that, in response to his last inaugural address, more than 9,000 neighborhood surveys had been received and more than 40 "neighborhood first" community meetings had been held.

"This is 'grassroots' government at its purest level," he said. "Direct citizen input has been and will continue to be a vital component to our success in providing the services and programs our citizens want and deserve."

Among the neighborhood goals for 2007, he listed:

- An investment of more than \$3.5 million in upgrad-

ing the condition of city streets, including neighborhood streets that need attention.

- An investment of more than \$2.5 million to repair neighborhood sidewalks.

- Continued tree planting along neighborhood streets to improve aesthetics and the environment.

- Added amenities to neighborhood parks, playgrounds and beaches.

- More neighborhood traffic and overnight parking enforcement.

- Improved street-sweeping efforts and increased Mad-Vac machine patrols in business districts.

- More investment in neighborhood commercial districts like Brewer's Corner, Wollaston, Norfolk Downs and the Washington Street corridor.

- Improved services at all community centers and libraries, particular the addition of technical programs.

"None of our goals will be at the expense of our financial principles or policies or add to the burden of city taxpayers," Phelan promised.

"Through the use of existing resources, outside

funding sources, proper planning, cooperation and a little ingenuity we can realize our objectives and continue to move Quincy forward."

"Today," he added, "after five years, it is fitting that we all celebrate our accomplishments as we set forth goals for the upcoming year.

"And this year it comes at a time when a lot of hard work, perseverance and struggle is about to pay off on a number of important projects, some of which we've waited for decades to come to fruition.

"As everyone in this room knows, five years ago our city was in difficult financial straits. Since then we have worked tirelessly to turn around our city's finances.

"We have improved our financial health by budgeting conservatively and aggressively pursuing outstanding revenues.

"We took aggressive actions, not popular at the time, to collect outstanding revenues from Quincy College, parking ticket scofflaws, the MWRA, and back taxes from the Fore River Shipyard.

"That revenue collection has been the cornerstone of our financial success."

Through it all, Phelan said, his administration kept in mind "the regressive nature of the property tax and the unfair burden it places upon those on fixed incomes and least able to pay."

"We all remember how rising residential property values, a stagnant commercial market and dramatic, multi-million dollar reductions in state aid all combined to increase property taxes four years ago," he said.

"So we rolled up our sleeves and created a long-term plan for tax stabilization.

"And those plans have paid off: in the past three years we have limited residential tax increases to 1 per cent, 0 per cent and 2.86 per cent, or less than 4 percentage points over a three-year period.

"Equally important is that we are putting money into reserves to ensure long-term protection for our taxpayers."

All this, he said, is being

threatened by the skyrocketing costs of employees benefits.

"Our employees' benefits costs have increased more than 100 per cent in five years," he said. "We need to take a realistic approach to this problem.

"Quincy currently pays a larger benefit than almost every city and town government in the commonwealth. Compared to the private sector, our benefits package is almost unheard of.

"To be fair to taxpayers, we must bring employees benefits in line with what's happening in the rest of the world.

"This is a true 'budget-buster' and a ticking time bomb that we must defuse as fairly and as quickly as possible.

"If we fail to address this issue directly, we will be cheating our taxpayers and short changing our schools, our public safety and every other area of government services.

"I will make every effort to address this critical item in an objective, straight forward and fair manner."

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IT WAS A proud day for members of Mayor William Phelan's family. From the left are first lady Tracey Phelan, daughters Kerry and Brianne, and son William Arthur. Behind them are School Supt. Richard DeCristofaro, brother James Phelan, and mother-in-law Shirley Tobin. Daughter Rachel was ill and could not attend the ceremony.



JEANNE REARDON is sworn into her 27th consecutive one-year term as Clerk of City Council Committees by City Clerk Joseph Shea. Looking on at left is City Council President Doug Gutro. Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

Gutro: 'Will Work To Reduce Taxes'

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Gutro said the City Council can reduce unwelcomed neighborhood development through "smart zoning changes."

He also promised the continued upkeep of roads, traffic congestion, and the safety of schools and buildings for workers, students and residents.

Gutro said that 2007 will bring the long-anticipated ground-breaking for the new Quincy High School, and the location for a new track. He also said that the city will move forward with plans for a new Central and Sterling Middle School.

Gutro promised improvements for the Fire Department through the 2006 fire study, and promised continued efforts to improve open spaces and coastal resources that serve as a "welcome oasis in our urban environment."

Gutro said that he and other public officials should aspire to follow the footsteps of the late President Gerald Ford, who led the country with "decency, honesty and



FR. JOHN RONAGHAN of St. Ann's Church gave the invocation.



REV. William HARDING, Bethany Congregation Church, recently returned from Iraq where he served as an Army chaplain, gave the benediction.

bipartisanship, at a time when distrust in the government was unparalleled in American history."

Gutro noted 2006 investments of the city, including education, local roadways and public buildings. He also noted the protection of city neighborhoods, senior citizens, national treasures, and Quincy College.

He also said that the city is taking "bold steps" to bring about the rebirth of Quincy Center, and making efforts to unite the changing community.

Gutro praised the City Council for their efforts over the past year, individually

congratulating them on their notable achievements.

He congratulated Councillor John Keenan, chairman of the Finance Committee, for an "extraordinary job as our fiscal disciplinarian, ably serving as watchdog of our city's finances."

Councillor Joseph Finn, Chairman of the Public Works Committee, was credited with helping to "accelerate improvements of our aging roadways."

Gutro said that Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis "created a model for other communities across our com-

monwealth" with his West Quincy Teen Program, which combines recreational opportunities, community service and job training for teenagers.

Gutro credited Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond for persistently advocating flooding and drainage issues, which will help achieve flooding relief for Quincy neighborhoods.

Gutro said that Ward 1

Councillor Leo Kelly, Chairman of the Downtown Committee, "pushed our downtown revitalization forward while protecting scarce open-space in neighborhoods through his district."

He also credited Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee for "standing tall" on behalf of Squantum residents to fight an alleged Boston plan to relocate a pre-release center on Long Island.

Gutro called Councillor Michael McFarland, former School Committee member, a "vital resource" in the building of a new high school.

Gutro also credited Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin for his leadership in passing senior safety zone legislation, that will make Quincy safer for senior citizens in the years ahead.



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Interested individuals must submit a letter of interest and resume, to the Appointing Council, to be received on or before February 1, 2007. The Appointing Council shall meet to consider qualified candidates, and will provide an optional opportunity for interested parties to address the Appointing Council. The Council welcomes diversity in applicants and encourages anyone who believes he or she might contribute positively to the continued success of the institution to respond.

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Keep Safety In Mind Putting Away Holiday Decorations

Now that the holidays are over, take down your decorations and start the New

Year safely, advises the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) and Under-

writers Laboratories Inc. (UL), the not-for-profit product safety testing organization.

According to the NFPA, 20 percent of home fires attributed to Christmas trees occur in January.

"Christmas trees can be a significant fuel source if a fire occurs in your home," said Lorraine Carli, NFPA assistant vice president of communications.

"Dried-out trees burn easily and should not be left in a garage or placed against the house. We recommend you remove your tree from the home and dispose of it properly as soon as your Christmas celebration ends."

"Even well-watered trees dry out after four weeks," John Drengenberg, consumer affairs manager for UL, explained. "So if your

real tree went up right after Thanksgiving, it should be discarded after Christmas and not New Year's Day."

Carli and Drengenberg also remind you that Christmas trees aren't the only holiday decorations that need prompt attention after the holidays.

"Leaving your decorations out for several months or even all year not only aggravates your neighbors," Carli said, "but it also leaves the wires exposed to rain, snow, cold, the sun, squirrels and birds longer than intended by the safety standards."

"Many people don't realize that holiday lights should only be up for a limited time," Drengenberg continued. "The safety standards are developed anticipating a maximum of 90 days of use

per year because these decorations are considered seasonal. If you leave decorations out any longer, the resulting damage could cause an electrical shock or a fire hazard."

As you unplug and store your lights - whether indoors or outdoors - remember the safety precautions you take now can prevent hazards from occurring next season.

Following is a checklist of safety tips that are not only helpful to stay safe as you take down your holiday decorations, but are useful all year-around:

- When using electrical toys or appliances for the first time, carefully read and follow all instructions in the manufacturer's use and care booklet. Make sure electrical toys and appliances have the UL Mark.

- Use the gripping area provided on the plugs to unplug electric decorations. Don't pull plugs from electrical outlets by the cord. Yanking or tugging on the cord can damage the cord's wire and insulation and could lead to an electrical shock or fire.

- When putting away electrical light strings, take time to inspect for flaws. Check each light set for broken or cracked sockets, frayed or bare wires and loose connections.

- Dispose of worn or broken light sets and replace them. Do not place a faulty set of lights back into the storage box for next year's use. Store electrical decorations away from children and pets to ensure that cords and wires are not damaged in storage.

- Store electrical decorations in a dry place where they can not be damaged by water or dampness.

- To keep from having a tangled mess of lights next year, be sure to pack them appropriately. When preparing your holiday lights for storage, you can purchase a holiday light storage reel, or create your own storage systems.

For example, wrap the lights around an empty wrapping paper tube or a cardboard square, or wrap each set of lights and put them in individual plastic bags. For more post-holiday safety tips, to download footage of how quickly a dry Christmas tree incinerates or for photographs related to holiday decoration safety, go to <http://www.ul.com/newsroom> or <http://www.nfpa.org>. About UL Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

For more information, visit <http://www.ul.com> or <http://www.nfpa.org>.

THIS IS A HAMMER

By Samantha Mazzotta

Water's Leaking, But From Where?

Q. In reading a recent question regarding water leaks and staining on the ceiling, I have been unable to locate where the water is coming from that has caused damage to my dining-room ceiling (there is a bedroom above with no ceiling damage). Twice after a heavy rain, it has leaked in the same area of the dining-room ceiling. The first contractor caulked an area outside where the porch joins the house. Neighbors who have had similar damage told me it was caused by a window in the bedroom above, and I replaced all my windows. Do I need a roofer or plumber to help locate the source of the leak? — Nancy V., via e-mail

A. Because the leaks occur only after heavy rain, I would recommend calling a roofer first to check all possible entry points and look for damage both atop and underneath the roof. Deteriorated shingles, damaged flashing at the roof joints or around chimneys or vent stacks, and other hard-

to-find but significant issues could be the culprit.

If the roofer can't find the cause, or additional repairs don't stop the leaks, contact a plumber to check the runs throughout the house for any trouble spots.

Another contractor to consider is a building or foundation specialist. This may be a long shot, but if the house has settled over several years or the foundation has shifted slightly, small cracks or warping in the walls or along door or window frames may have occurred (hence the suggestion from your neighbors to replace the windows). In this case, the specialist will check the entire home's condition.

As someone who is constantly chasing little leaks that inexplicably appear (and disappear for months at a time) throughout the old home I live in, I feel for you. Best of luck in resolving this issue.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequary2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is A Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Improving Air Quality Can Make Your Home More Comfortable

(NAPS) Improving indoor air quality (IAQ) does more than create a healthier environment. It can also increase a home's comfort level.

Many of the problems associated with indoor air pollution are the result of construction and remodeling practices designed to conserve energy. Tighter seals prevent the exchange of outdoor and indoor air and ensure the efficient operation

of air conditioners, furnaces and heat pumps. These seals also restrict the flow of fresh outdoor air into the home and limit removal of indoor air pollutants from the home.

High temperatures and humidity levels also contribute to increased concentrations of indoor pollutants. Fortunately, a number of new technologies in the heating, ventilation and air-conditioning (HVAC) industry are helping to improve IAQ as

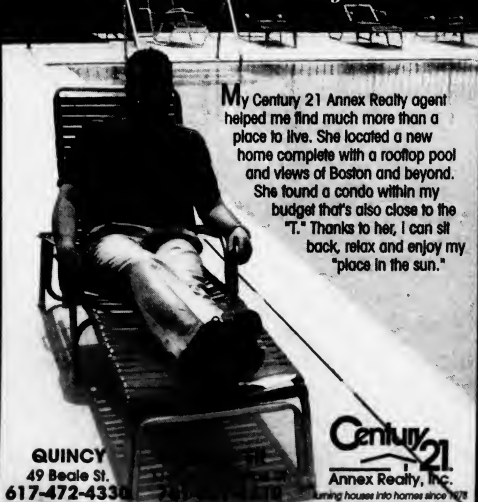
they increase ventilation, maintain consistent temperatures, control humidity levels, conserve energy, save money and improve comfort. Heat pumps, for example, remove heat from outdoor air to deliver furnace-like warmth indoors, producing a comfortable environment.

The Coleman Echelon heat pump from Johnson Controls, features hot heat pump technology that pro-

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by Steve



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Be Mindful Of Home Heating Costs During The Winter

State Sen. Michael W. Morrissey (D-Quincy) and the Department of Telecommunications and Energy remind energy consumers to be mindful of their home heating costs over the winter months by winterizing your home.

They also want people to be aware of the help and assistance that is available to homeowners and renters.

"By taking steps to make your home more energy efficient you can lower your energy consumption thereby reducing your heating bill," Morrissey said.

Some steps to winterize your home include:

- caulking or weatherstripping windows and doors to prevent heat loss,
- installing a programmable thermostat
- making sure all warm-air vents are not blocked, and
- keeping draperies and shades on windows open during the day to allow the sunlight to enter your house.

Programs are available to assist low-income households with reducing their heating bills by providing home energy conservation services and heating system repair and replacement through the Weatherization Assistance Program.

To find out if you are eligible, or for more information contact 1-800-632-8175 or log onto <http://www.mass.gov/dhed>.

Income-eligible families in Massachusetts can find assistance paying their winter heating bills through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). Through direct payments subsidies, consumers apply directly to a local fuel assistance provider in their city or town.

To determine which agency to apply to, call the Department of Housing and Community Development's Heat Line at 1-800-632-8175 or visit the website at <http://www.mass.gov/dhed>. The

website provides a list of local fuel assistance agencies as well as the income eligibility guidelines.

"It is important to remember that Massachusetts protects our most vulnerable citizens from having their gas or electric heating service shut off," Morrissey said.

If you cannot afford to pay your gas or electric bill your utility may not terminate your service if: all residents in your household are 65 years old, or you have financial hardship AND either (1) you or someone in your household is seriously ill; (2) you have an infant in the home under 12 months.

"Also, no one in the Commonwealth who has a financial hardship and heats their home with gas or electric can have their service shut off between Nov. 15th and March 15th," Morrissey said.

Budget billing and payment plans are available to all utility customers who have

been having difficulty meeting the utility bills. Budget billing allows you to spread your gas or electric utility bill payments into 12 equal, monthly amounts over the year, helping you to avoid high bills during the winter months.

"Many times these programs and plans are not thought of until the cold spell comes, and by then it can be too late. It is important to be knowledgeable of these programs, find out if you qualify, and line up before our New England winter starts rolling in," Morrissey said.

Constituents with any questions, concerns, or who are seeking assistance regarding any of these programs are encouraged to contact Senator Morrissey's State House Office at 617-722-1494.

A complete list of the "Fifteen Steps You Can Take to Winterize Your Home" appears with this article.

Ways To Save Money On Winter Heating Bills

Whether you heat your home with gas, oil, electricity or some other fuel you can save money by "winterizing your home." By taking steps to make your home more energy efficient you will lower your energy consumption and thereby reduce your heating bill.

15 Things To Do Now To Winterize Your Home

1. Caulk or weatherstrip windows and doors to prevent heat loss.
2. Make sure warm-air registers are not blocked by furniture, carpeting or drapes.
3. Install a programmable thermostat to automatically drop to a lower temperature at night and at times when you are away from your house.
4. Tape a sheet of aluminum foil (shiny side out) to the wall behind radiators; this will help make them more efficient.
5. Insulate your attic, walls, basement and crawl space.
6. Install storm windows and doors to help keep out drafts.
7. Move chairs and beds away from exterior walls; these are usually the coldest walls in the house.
8. Install aerating, low-flow faucets and showerheads to save hot water.
9. Lower the thermostat on water heater. Factory settings may be higher than necessary. A setting of 120 degrees provides comfortable hot water for most uses and can save on water heating costs.
10. Insulate the first 6 feet of hot and cold water pipes connected to the water heater to avoid heat loss.
11. Drain a quart of water from your water tank every 3 months to remove sediment that impedes heat transfer and lowers the efficiency of your heater.
12. Clean and replace filters on furnace once a month or as needed to permit better air flow through the house.
13. Clean warm-air registers, baseboards heaters and radiators.
14. Keep the damper closed when your fireplace is not in use to keep warm air in.
15. Keep the draperies and shades on windows open during the day to allow the sunlight to enter your home.

Is There Money Hiding In Your Mortgage?

(NAPS) According to a recent study, many homeowners are not taking full advantage of the financial potential hidden in their mortgage. Fortunately, doing a little homework can change that.

Here are some tips to help you discover your mortgage's full potential from the experts at Countrywide Home Loans:

- Increased home values may mean that your home equity has grown significantly. So the time may be right to refinance and pull money out of your home equity in a lump sum to fund repairs, renovations or other expenditures.
- Turning to home equity lines of credit for cash has been a smart choice for many. Unlike credit cards,

the interest paid on these credit lines is often tax deductible. Plus, the monthly payments are also lower than most credit cards.

• Many homeowners are using the equity from a first home to purchase a second home or other investment property. This can be an excellent way to make the most of a current investment to build assets and bolster

a financial portfolio.

• For homeowners who are at least 62 years old, a reverse mortgage can be a way to access equity in a home and obtain funds that can be used as they see fit.

For more information about these and other smart mortgage management tips, call (800) 570-9888 or visit www.countrywide.com.

Improving Air Quality Can Make Home More Comfortable

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
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Bring the Gym Home

You can bet at least one person you know received home exercise equipment for the holidays. If that person was you, creating a functional gym in your home may be easier than you think. No longer are large, expensive pieces of equipment the only option for exercising at home.

By using small but effective fitness tools such as a jump rope, resistance bands/tubing, a medicine ball and stability ball, you can create a fully functional gym in your house. These items take up minimal space and can be used to perform hundreds of exercises.

To get started, speak with your physician or fitness professional about developing a fitness program to be done at home. He or she can instruct you on what weight and size equipment can best aid you in reaching your fitness goals.

The purchase of fitness equipment alone will not make you fit, so it's very important that you receive proper instruction on how and when to use the equipment you have selected. Do not invest in any equipment until you have a plan to utilize it.

Slowly grow your collection of fitness toys. Purchase one piece of equipment and incorporate it into your fitness plan, then add another. As with large fitness equipment, if you don't put it to use it will just collect dust.

Here are some sample exercises and tips for using a jump rope, resistance

band, medicine ball and stability ball:

Jump Rope: Great for cardiovascular training.

Resistance Band: Bicep curls (works front of arms). Hold handles and place bands under your feet. With your palms facing forward, bend your elbows, bringing your palms toward your armpits. Lower, then repeat.

Medicine Ball: Overhead tricep extension (works back of arms). With feet staggered and shoulder-width apart and ball grasped between hands, extend your arms directly overhead close to your ears. Lower the ball by bending your arms directly behind your head until your arms are at a 90-degree angle. Extend your arms, and then repeat.

Stability Ball: Wall squats (works the legs and glutes). Find a sturdy, empty wall and place the ball against it. Place your middle-to-lower back against the ball. Walk your feet slightly forward, still keeping the ball behind you. Lower yourself slowly toward the ground, but no lower than 90 degrees. Press through your heels and straighten your legs to stand back up. Repeat.

Complete one to three sets, 10-15 repetitions of each of these exercises, remembering to breathe and support your abdominals and back through each repetition.

Fitness equipment can be found at most sporting-goods stores, or from companies such as SPRI Products (spriproducts.com) and Perform Better (performbetter.com).

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A Secret For Managing Weight

By MINDY HERMANN

(NAPS) We all know people who skip breakfast because they say it makes them hungrier.

But here's a secret that you might find hard to believe: eating breakfast, particularly ready-to-eat cereal, can play a helpful role in weight management.

The news is good for ready-to-eat cereal fans. Studies show that frequent cereal eaters, both adults and children, tend to have healthier body weights. In fact, among successful weight-loss maintainers, 78 percent ate breakfast every

day, and 60 percent of breakfast eaters always or usually chose cereal.

Whole grain foods such as ready-to-eat cereals made with whole grain can help you keep your shape. A growing body of evidence supports the finding that people who consume diets rich in whole grain tend to have a healthier body weight than those who don't. Additionally, people who eat more whole grain tend to gain less weight as they age. Whole grains are loaded with a combination of plant nutrients, anti-oxidants, vitamins, minerals and fiber to help keep you healthy.

Breakfast cereal is high in nutrition. Compared to other breakfasts such as a bagel with cream cheese or eggs with bacon and toast, a serving of Whole Grain Total with skim milk has less than half the calories, along with 100 percent of the daily value of 12 imported vitamins and minerals.

Breakfast for dinner may help with weight management. The next time you're not in the mood to cook dinner, or you get home too late, try a bowl of whole grain cereal topped with fresh fruit, nuts and skim milk. Chances are that it will have fewer calories and less fat

than your usual dinner.

Breakfast cereal can be fun. Create your own signature combinations of cereals and toppings. I like to make a "Total Breakfast Medley" with Whole Grain Total, Total Raisin Bran and Total Honey Clusters. I always top my cereal with fruit, fresh berries, sliced peaches, slivers of dried apricot or black and yellow raisins, and milk.

When I'm on the go, I put 3/4 cup of plain or light yogurt into a plastic container and stir in my cereal and fruit. It tastes great. I can take it with me and I feel good knowing that it's healthy.

Migraines, Headaches Topic At QMC Jan. 23

Quincy Medical Center (QMC) will host a free HealthMatters health education lecture entitled "Oh My Aching Head: A Review of Migraines and Headaches" Tuesday, Jan. 23 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Quincy Medical

Center, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy.

Dr. Patrick Madden, a Quincy Medical Center-affiliated Neurologist will lead the discussion which will review the differences between headaches and migraines, as

well as prevention and treatment strategies for both conditions.

The free lecture series is open to the public, and light refreshments will be served.

Advance registration is requested and available, 24-hours per day and seven days per week, by calling the QMC Physician Referral Service at 1-877-479-CARE (2273).

Quincy Medical Center (www.quincymc.org) is a 194-bed acute care community-teaching hospital providing South Shore residents with comprehensive medical

and surgical services. The medical center's Alliance for Quality with Boston Medical Center (BMC), formed in 1999, brings academic medicine to the community.

At Quincy Medical Center, physicians from Boston Medical Center direct the departments of medicine, surgery, anesthesia, emergency medicine, and psychiatry. Additionally, physicians from BMC who are board-certified in a range of medical and surgical specialties work with community physicians to ensure the continuity of patient care.

Blood Drive Jan. 29 At Sons Of Italy

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive Monday, Jan. 29 from 1 to 7 p.m. at the Quincy Sons of Italy, 120 Quarry St., West Quincy.

Call the American Red Cross at 1-800-GIVE LIFE (1-800-448-3543) or visit www.givelife.org and schedule an appointment.

There were will be drawing with a prize of \$200 towards home heating costs.

Blood inventory is ex-

tremely low - there is only an 8-10 hour supply. The American Red Cross is most comfortable with a three-to-five day supply of blood.

Massachusetts currently faces a deficit of approximately 1,000 units of blood.

To donate blood through the American Red Cross, individuals must be at least 17 years of age, weigh 110 pounds or more and be in general good health.

Open House Saturday At Healing Tree Yoga

Healing Tree Yoga and Wellness Center in Quincy will host an open house Saturday, Jan. 6 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in celebration of the new year and to showcase services the center offers.

The event will feature a free week membership for

new clients, prize drawing and complimentary chair massages for all who attend.

Light refreshments and snacks will be served. Families are welcome.

For more information, call (617) 770-4800 or visit www.healingtreeyoga.com.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd.,

Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustlin, D.M.D.

A REAL KICK IN THE FACE

A recent review of mouth, jaw, and facial injuries by oral surgeons revealed that 20 percent of the injuries involved amateur soccer players. The most common of these soccer-related injuries were dental fractures, followed by fractures of the lower jaw and problems with the temporomandibular joint (TMJ), which moves the jaws. As for cause, about two-thirds of the injuries occurred when soccer players ran into one another. Other injuries were result of impact with equipment or the ground. Mouthguards and faceguards could prevent many of these injuries, but soccer players are generally reluctant to wear these protective devices, at least until they suffer an injury. Dentists highly recommend that young athletes not wait that long.

Properly diagnosed, designed, and custom fabricated mouthguards are essential in

the prevention of athletic oral/facial injuries. Talk to your dentist about having a custom mouthguard made specifically for you or your children. They will fit comfortably and offer the best protection for your or their smile. We believe in the importance of regular dental health care. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where we encourage children and adults to start and continue a healthy habit of regular dental checkups so their smile will last a lifetime. We want you and your family to look and feel your very best. Please call us at 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

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SPORTS

Quincy Starts 2-3

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy girls basketball team opened their season with five non-league games, and currently have a record of 2-3. The Presidents, who begin the Atlantic Coast League portion of their schedule this week, started off the year with losses to Norwell High School (59-56) and Hanover High School (62-42) before earning their first win of the year by knocking off Nauset High School on Dec. 22, 58-35.

The Presidents took part in the Dedham Christmas Tourney (Dec. 27-28) over the school holiday, and finished with a 1-1 record. The team's loss came in the tournament opener against Foxborough High School, 42-20. Quincy rebounded nicely in the second game of the Christmas Tourney as the team cruised to a convincing 50-20 win over Fenway High School.

"The girls jumped out to a 17-0 lead and never looked back against Fenway," head coach Jeff Bretsch said last week. "We led 44-8 at the half and leading the charge for us was Meagan Tobin. She finished the game four

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for four from three-point land. Leslie Campbell contributed to our initial run by scoring six points in the opening period, and senior Jacqueline Provenzano provided a spark off the bench by scoring nine points, grabbing nine rebounds and blocking three shots."

In Quincy's other victory over Nauset, the Presidents earned their first home win of the year with a convincing 23-point decision. The Presidents, despite a poor shooting night, lead at the half, 29-13. The team's shooting troubles continued into the second half, but two key three pointers by Tobin late in the game helped the Presidents finish off Nauset.

"In the first half, the team looked aggressive and they generated turnovers and ran the floor," Bretsch said. "Our scoring trouble in the second half allowed Nauset to keep the game in range, but those two three pointers by Tobin were big."

Tobin, who had a game high 21 points, received support from teammates

Marybeth Torpey (10 points, 6 steals), Leslie Campbell (6 points) and Liz Bock (9 rebounds).

"The whole team played well despite the poor shooting," Bretsch said. "The reserves made significant contributions, especially senior Hope Collins in her first game back from a prolonged illness and junior Kathryn Carella who chipped in five points."

Quincy opened the year with a heart-breaking loss to Norwell. Quincy had 14 turnovers in the first half and trailed by 16 at halftime.

The potential and team improvement that Quincy is starting to develop could not come at a better time, as their next seven games are against Atlantic Coast League teams. The important stretch of league games begins this Friday (1/5) when the Presidents play host to ACL foe Plymouth South. Quincy takes to the road next week with league games against Whitman-Hanson (1/9) and Dennis-Yarmouth (1/12).



STUDENTS FROM North Quincy High School finished first, second, and third in the high school division of the city's annual American Education Week Essay Contest. This year's topic was "Why do I have both a right and a responsibility to attend school?" The first place winner, Bao Tran Tran Nguyen (second from right) read her essay to the Quincy School Committee and received a gift certificate to a local bookseller. Also winning awards were second place finisher Rim Touil (second from left) and third place winner Chris Eng (far left). Offering congratulations is School Principal Lou Ioannili. North Quincy and Quincy High Schools were allowed to submit up to 10 essays per school. The essays were submitted anonymously and judged by a panel of retired educators.

Quincy Wrestlers
Want Challenging Season

By SEAN BRENNAN

The one way to improve your team's overall performance is to schedule the toughest possible opponents. A team that fills its schedule with non-league cupcakes is bound to pay the consequences down the line. The Quincy Presidents' wrestling team and third-year head coach Pat Lane do not shy away from a challenge, and that is why the team continues to excel on the mats.

Last season, the Presidents finished with a 5-16 record, but their overall results do not really tell the whole story. Quincy, which wrestles in the competitive Atlantic Coast League, had four wrestlers place in the Division II Metro Sectionals, and had one who went on to finish sixth at the New England's.

"Last season the team finished with a 5-16 record," Lane said last week. "But our record did not indicate our talent. We consistently trade an easy schedule for a tougher one to make sure that our wrestlers wrestle against the best as much as possible."

This season the Presidents are off to a 4-7 start, but the team has received solid individual performances from its two senior captains and a sophomore in the early go-

ing. Senior captain Joe MacDonald, who last year went 18-15, has started his 2006-2007 season with a flurry. MacDonald, who wrestles at 130 pounds, is 6-1 on the young season. Senior captain Camilo Arredondo, who is coming off a 13-12 2005-2006 season, is 8-2 this season. Arredondo competes in the 171-pound division. Wrestling at 135 lbs., sophomore Paul Reggiamanni is 5-2 this year. Reggiamanni finished last season with a 21-20 overall record, and came in fourth place in the Metro Sectionals.

Other notable President wrestlers to watch out for this year are sophomores Zack Manning (152 lbs.) and Dan Quinn (145 lbs.), senior Mike Stroll (145 lbs.), junior Gerard Shea (160 lbs.) and freshman Josh Gerry (119 lbs.).

The rest of the varsity roster includes seniors Thomas Meng, Alex Wong, Ron

Vecchione and Pluton Angeli; juniors Tim Kisiel and David Duong, sophomores Liam Keogh, Scott Griffin, Taylor Radcliffe, Michael Brown, Ryan Lally, Stephen Kamb, Tyler Balcan and Dennis Walsh and freshmen James Nguyen, Michael Kneeland and Shane Hoban.

Coach Lane is assisted by Elliott Columb.

Last week (12/27), the Presidents had a tri-match against Belmont, Reading and Walpole High Schools and went 1-2 with the one win coming against Belmont, 45-34. Senior captain Camilo Arredondo went 3-0 at the 171-pound division. Sophomore Liam Keogh helped the Presidents to their team win versus Belmont with his first varsity victory in the 189-pound division.

The Presidents take on Sandwich High School tonight (1/3) and will be one of twenty teams participating in the North Quincy tournament on Jan. 6.

Raiders Sweep Sharon,
Sandwich, Stoughton

The North Quincy Red Raider wrestling team has undergone significant changes from last year's 20-4 team, but the 2006-2007 team is stocked full of talent again this season.

Head coach Daniel Regan's team is 6-2 so far this year. The Raiders opened their season with a tough Atlantic Coast League loss to Marshfield High School, but the team responded with a three-match sweep of Sharon, Sandwich and Stoughton High Schools on December 16th at North Quincy. The team lost to Woburn High School on Wednesday (12/20) at home before finishing in the top ten at the 28-team Marshfield High School Holiday tournament during school vacation week.

"This year's team is made up of a handful of team members from all the grades," Regan said recently. "We have five seniors, including our four senior captains, two juniors and the rest of the program is made up of underclassmen. Last year's team had six kids make it to the tournament and we return two of those kids this year."

Regan's senior class is headlined by captains Phil Kelly (heavyweight), Jon Tan (119 lbs.), Danny Sok (125/130 lbs.) and Jack Leung (135/140 lbs.). Last season, Kelly and Tan both finished as two of the best wrestlers in their weight class for the entire state. Kelly, who wrestles in the heavy-

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weight division, finished fourth in the state and sixth in the all-states, and Tan took third place at states in the 119-pound division.

"Both (Kelly and Tan) had great seasons for us last year," Regan said. "This year the two of them, along with our other captains, Sok and Leung, should help lead the team throughout the winter. We are younger this year than previous years, so the captains will have to take charge this season."

With fourteen weight divisions for all varsity matches, the Red Raiders have a deep roster to pick and chose for each match they have this season. Besides the four senior captains (all are regulars), North's team includes seniors Kenny Xu, Kenny Lok, Louis Chin and Dewar Tan, juniors Hung Ly and David Duong, sophomores Matt Gibson, Dennis Leung, Marty Hui, Mark Thach, Frankie Flora, Chi-Ho Liem, Stanley Tam, Nick Lawless, Simon Yeung, Matt Chan, Richard Zhang and Kevin Pacheco and freshmen Barry Mac, Ryan O'Connell, Colin Chen, Calvin Lam, Phuc Huynh, Keegan Byron and Tho Dang.

During Christmas vacation week, the Raiders took part in Marshfield High School's 28-team holiday tournament. North Quincy finished in the top ten.

"We took part in the

(Marshfield) tournament last week, and finished in the top ten," Regan said. "That (a top-ten finish) was a goal for the team since we only brought nine out of fourteen possible weight classes."

On the way to their top ten finish, the Red Raider captains were the ones grabbing all the attention. Jon Tan placed first in the difficult 119-pound division. Phil Kelly placed second in the 285-pound weight class (heavyweight) and Dan Sok finished in sixth place at 130 pounds.

"All nine of our kids won their first round matches, and seven out of the nine made it to the second day," Regan said. "Tan wrestled tough, and the final result showed that. He defeated Brendan Stevenson (Middleboro HS), 9-6 in the finals after knocking off Kenny Francis (New Bedford HS) in the semis. Francis is one of the best in the state and Tan's victory was great."

The North Quincy Red Raiders have an Atlantic Coast League showdown with Nauset today (1/3) and play host to 20 teams at the annual North Quincy Wrestling Tournament on Saturday, Jan. 6th.

"It is a fan-friendly event that takes place all day long beginning at 9 a.m.," Regan said. "You can expect to see matches one after another. We will take breaks when they are deemed necessary, but overall it is a full day of high school wrestling."

By SEAN BRENNAN

Bottle, Can
Drive Benefits
Girls Hockey

The Quincy/North Quincy girls varsity ice hockey team will hold a bottle and can drive at North Quincy High School Saturday, Jan. 6 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the front parking lot area.

All proceeds benefit the players and team. The Quincy/North Quincy hockey team is enjoying their fifth year as a varsity team. All donations are welcome.

You Auto Know

by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

COVERING ALL THE ANGLES

A vehicle should track straight on a flat, straight road with the steering wheel centered. If the car pulls to one side, investigate the simplest possible cause first - incorrect tire pressure. If that checks out, look for uneven tread wear. If the wear is uniform, interchange the left front wheel-and-tire assembly with the one on the right. If the drifting problem disappears or reappears on the opposite side, a tire is the culprit. Otherwise, pulling to one side may be due to incorrect steering caster, which is an alignment angle that can be adjusted with a wheel alignment. The side with the wheel with the most negative caster angle is the side to which the

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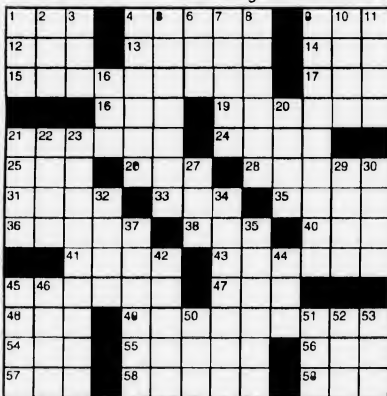
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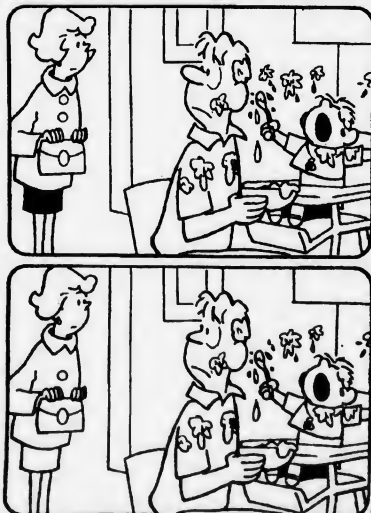
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



FIND AT LEAST 8 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.
Differences: 1. Button is missing. 2. Shirt is different. 3. Food plate is missing. 4. Chair back is lower. 5. Hair is different. 6. Hair is different.

The Garden Bug

Make suet for birds

Birds need lots of food to keep warm in winter, and this mix suits many species.

In a large pan, melt 1 cup lard and 1 cup crunchy peanut butter over medium heat, then add 2 cups quick-cooking oats, 2 cups cornmeal, 1 cup all-purpose flour and 1/4 cup sugar. Smear this mixture into a pinecone and hang it in a tree, or spoon it into holes in a small log.

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the 11th president of the United States?
2. MOVIES: Who won a best director Oscar for the movie "Terms of Endearment"?
3. POLITICS: What was former vice president Hubert Humphrey's middle name?
4. ASTRONOMY: Which of the other planets in our solar system is closest in size to the Earth?
5. GEOGRAPHY: Lhasa is the capital of which country?
6. THEOLOGY: Pneumatology is the study of what?
7. MILITARY: What was the name of the plane that Chuck Yeager piloted when he broke the sound barrier in 1947?
8. HISTORY: Who is believed to have come up with the term "New England" to describe the north-east area of the United States?
9. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Who inhabited the London area known as Grub Street?
10. FAMOUS QUOTES: Who said, "I think I can say, and say with pride, that we have legislatures that bring higher prices than any in the world."

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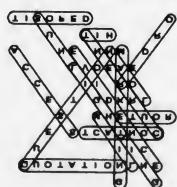
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4. Venus. Earth's diameter is about 7,900 miles; Venus' is 7,500 miles.
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8. Capt. John Smith, because the coastline resembled England's.
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You have what it takes to set your goals quite a bit higher this year. Learn what you need to know and put what you learn into your efforts. A partner offers loving support.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) In true Gemini Twin fashion, you're conflicted about a decision you know you'll have to make in this New Year. Best advice: Get the facts before you make any commitment.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A friend offers you an exciting opportunity for the New Year. Although your positive aspects are strong in most respects, caution is advised. Investigate before you invest.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You can make this New Year a roaring success. Start by readjusting your goals to reflect the changes in the economy. Your den-mate offers both wise and loving support.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) The New Year brings new opportunities for change. But you need to be ready to move from the comfortable status quo to the challenging unknown. It's up to you.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your most important New Year's resolution should be to work out problems with a family member in order to avoid continued misunderstandings. Do it soon, for both of your sakes.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) The New Year has much to offer the intensely determined Scorpion, who isn't afraid to take on challenges and stay with them until they surrender their rewards.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You'll have many fine opportunities in this New Year. But be warned: Reject offers of "help." You work best when you're free to be your own creative self.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) The New Year offers changes that you might feel you're not quite ready for. Best advice: Deal with them one step at a time, until you've built up your self-confidence.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Travel is a dominant aspect of the New Year. This could mean relocating to another city (or even another country) in connection with your education or your career.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) This New Year brings news about a change you've been anticipating. You might have a problem persuading a loved one about your new plans, but he or she will soon go along with them.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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RELIGION

31st Annual 'Feast Of Lights' Sunday At Sacred Heart

The Quincy Choral Society will lead music at the 31st annual "Feast of Lights" Epiphany Celebration, 7 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St.

This open-invitation worship will feature traditional carols sung during the candlelight service, including "O Come, All ye Faith-

ful" and "Joy to the World." Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, pastor of Wollaston Congregational Church, will hold the service. Refreshments will be served.

The event is sponsored by the Interchurch Council of Wollaston and North Quincy and draws clergy of the Roman Catholic, Lutheran, Methodist, Episcopal, Con-

gregational, Evangelical, Nazarene and Baptist traditions. The Council boasts the largest ecumenical service in the Commonwealth, drawing several hundred worshippers annually.

For more information on the Feast of Lights, call the office of Sacred Heart Church, 617-328-8666.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, Quincy Center, will have Sunday worship, Communion, New Members Service and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Food items will be collected to donate to the ISS Pantry Shelf.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon

entitled "God's Creative Hand."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in the Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy announce a Catholic Women's Prayer Group meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Parish

Center, 22 Pray St., Quincy Point.

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship with Christ.

All are welcome.

For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no

longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats. Call 617-376-1506.

Free Showing Of 'An Inconvenient Truth' At United First Parish Church Jan. 12

The Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations voted at its annual meeting in 2006 to keep the fight against global warming high on its list of priorities.

In an effort to bring this topic to the local community, United First Parish Church of Quincy will hold a viewing and discussion of Al Gore's documentary: *An Inconvenient Truth* Friday, Jan. 12 at 7 p.m.

The film's showing will be preceded by a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m.

Both the supper and the showing will take place in the parish hall at 1306 Hancock St., Quincy Square, across from City Hall.

For more information, call 617-773-1290. No registration is required. All are welcome.

At the annual meeting, a Statement of Consciousness

approved on the topic of global warming reads: "Earth is our home. We are part of this world and its destiny is our own. Life on this planet will be gravely affected unless we embrace new practices, ethics, and values to guide our lives on a warming planet. . . As a people of faith, we commit to a renewed reverence for life and respect for the interdependent web of all existence."

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church 40 Beale St. Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Yvonne Duncanson. The ushers are Paul and Linda Nogueira.

The coffee hour hosts are Ann Giger, Florence Hunter and Shirley Poore.

Upcoming events include family movie night on Saturday Jan. 20 at 6 p.m. The

movie is *Ice Age 2 The Meltdown*.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Overeaters Anonymous Group Meets Here

Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step program for recovering from compulsive overeating.

Weekly meetings are

held in Quincy.

There are no dues, no fees and no weigh-ins.

Those who have had a problem with food including

overeaters, anorexics and bulimics are welcome.

For the nearest meeting and further information call toll-free (877) 317-2111.

Hospice Seeks Volunteers

Vista Care Hospice is seeking volunteers to provide friendly visits, emotional support, or errands for

hospice patients and families. Visit in Quincy or a nearby community.

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and hours, ongoing support available.

For more information, call 781-407-9900.

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

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Glad Tidings 158 Washington St., Quincy phone: 773-9797 Rev. Gregory E. Wheaton, Pastor <i>Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m.; Christian Ed. 10 a.m.; Senior Hi Youth 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study, Royal Ranger Missionettes; Friday, Junior Hi Youth 7 p.m.</i> Youth & Children's Ministry •Contemporary Worship •Marriage & Family Group •International Fellowship •DivorceCare	Sacred Heart Church <i>"A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"</i> 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy) 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am <i>Handicapped Accessible</i> Confessions Sat. 3:34:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory	HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org <u>Sunday, Jan. 7</u> <u>Epiphany Sunday</u> Worship Service 9:30 am Theme: 'Christmas Presence' Matthew 2: 1-12 Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Castricum 617-479-8778	WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432 Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford <u>Worship Service Jan. 7</u> EPIPHANY SUNDAY Three Kings I Samuel 2: 18-20, 26; Luke 2: 41-52 Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS SUNDAY at Sacred Heart Church, 7 PM UNION CHURCH Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston Sunday Service 10 AM 617-479-6661 Rev. John Carl Swanson Pastor Covenant COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Whitwell & Granite St. Sunday Worship 10:00 AM Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor 9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages Child Care Available - All Are Welcome Children's Pantry Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon 617-479-5728 Nazarene Wollaston Church of the Nazarene 37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston (617) 472-5669 On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College Pastor: Rev. Fred Fullerton Sunday Services 8:30 am - Holy Communion 9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School 11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service Come Worship with Us!	St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy (617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Hefling Sunday School 9 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m. Nursery Care During Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME THRIFT SHOP HRS. W, TH, FR 10am-4pm Evangelical EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC 65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy (617) 847-4444 Pastor Bill Donahue Sunday Morning Worship 10:10 AM Childcare Available Methodist QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor Salvationist THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY Spiritualist First Spiritualist Church of Quincy 40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169 (617) 770-2246 Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM Coffee and Conversation following service (Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August) Pastor Rev. Rita S. Benkowitz, C.H.C.M.

OBITUARIES

Marion L. Andrews, 85

Former QCA Director

A funeral service for Marion L. (Pinkham) Andrews, 85, of Quincy, a former director of the Quincy Council on Aging, was held Dec. 29 at Farley Funeral Home, 358 Park St., Stoughton.

Mrs. Andrews died Dec. 25 at the Kindred Goddard Rehabilitation Center, Stoughton.

She was a reporter and correspondent for The Patriot Ledger for many years before moving to the Council on Aging. She retired 20 years ago.

Born in Somerville, she was educated in Braintree. She lived in Quincy for many years.

She was an avid bingo player and loved the Red Sox.



MARION L. ANDREWS
Sox.

Wife of the late Ralph J. Andrews, she is survived by a son, Ralph J. "Gus" Andrews Jr. of Stoughton; five grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Joan Pestilli.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

William J. Lacey, 52

Maintenance Supervisor

A funeral Mass for William J. Lacey, 52, of Quincy, a maintenance supervisor, was celebrated Dec. 29 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St.

Mr. Lacey died Dec. 25 at Boston Medical Center.

He worked at the Louis Square condominium development in Quincy for 20 years.

A lifelong resident of Quincy, he graduated from North Quincy High School in 1972.

He enjoyed reading and music, especially the Beatles.

He is survived by his wife of 27 years, Audrey A.



WILLIAM J. LACEY
(Collins) Lacey; two sons, William J. Lacey and Thomas P. Lacey of Quincy; and four sisters and four brothers.

Funeral arrangements were by Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St.

Robert Bollen, 83

Retired Truck Driver, World War II Veteran

A funeral service for Robert John Bollen, 83, of Quincy, a retired truck driver and an Army veteran of World War II, was held Saturday at Union Congregational Church, 136 Rawson Rd.

Mr. Bollen died Dec. 25 at Quincy Rehabilitation and Nursing Center.

He served in the Army for three years and was honorably discharged in 1946.

Mr. Bollen was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a fan of the Red Sox. He had been a member of Union Congregational Church in Quincy since 1958.

Born in Quincy, he graduated from Quincy High School and was a lifelong resident of the city.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Ida L. Bollen; a son, Donald W. Bollen of



ROBERT BOLLEN

Quincy; a daughter, Linda Vasiliadis of Middleboro; a brother, Clifford Bollen of Quincy; a sister, Marjorie Bollen of Braintree; and two granddaughters.

Burial with military honors was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were by Hamel Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St.

Donations may be made to Quincy Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, 11 McGrath Hwy., Quincy, MA 02169.

Roberta A. Clougherty, 69

Retired Telephone Operator

A funeral Mass for Roberta A. "Bobbie" (Fennell) Clougherty, 69, of Quincy, a retired telephone operator, was celebrated Saturday at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St.

Mrs. Clougherty died Dec. 24 at Quincy Medical Center.

She worked for New England Telephone for five years before retiring in 1961.

Born in Boston, she lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 37 years ago.

She enjoyed traveling, especially to Las Vegas. She traveled there with her family and friends twice a year for many years.

Wife of the late Joseph C. Clougherty, she is survived by three daughters, Lynne Gustafson and Gail Loyd of Hanson and Diane Clougherty of San Diego, Calif.; a son, Joseph C.



ROBERTA A. CLOUGHERTY

Clougherty of Carver; a sister, Sister Robert Maureen of Quincy; a brother, James Fennell of Florida; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham MA, 01701.

Isabel Black, 94

Retired Quincy School Teacher

A funeral service for Isabel (Gabriel) Black, 94, of Quincy, a retired Quincy school Teacher, was held Dec. 27 at Hamel Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St.

Mrs. Black died Dec. 23 at Quincy Medical Center.

She was a lifelong Quincy resident. She graduated from Quincy High School and attended Bridgewater State Teachers College.

She was a member of

many social clubs and enjoyed line dancing and square dancing.

She is survived by her husband of 63 years, John K. Black; two daughters, Lorraine Gaaney of Marshfield and Sharon Black of Quincy; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Paul F. Coner, 49

Car Company Employee

A graveside service for Paul F. Coner, 49, of Quincy, an employee of the Michael Simpson Reliable Car Co. in Quincy, was held Dec. 29 at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, 20 Sea St., Quincy.

Mr. Coner died Dec. 25 at Massachusetts General Hospital.

Born in Boston, he graduated from Quincy High School, where he enjoyed football and baseball.

He is survived by his father, Richard J. Coner of Quincy; four brothers, Richard A. Coner of Salem, Arthur R. Coner of Quincy; Joseph G. Coner of Cohasset and Robert J. Coner of Pembroke; a sister, Regina M. Folger of Boston; and many nieces and nephews.

He was the son of the late Laura C. (Kalnicky) Coner.

Funeral arrangements were by Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St.

Donata L. Cuschera, 89

Retired Seamstress

A funeral Mass for Donata L. (Leone) Cuschera, 89, of Quincy, a retired seamstress, was celebrated Dec. 27 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church at Holy Trinity Parish, 227 Sea St.

Mrs. Cuschera died Dec. 25 at Quincy Medical Center.

She was a member of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union for more than 40 years.

She was a former member of the Quincy Sons of Italy Stella Del Nord and a communicant of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in

Merrymount.

Born in San Donato, Italy, she came to America and settled in Quincy when she was 18.

Wife of the late Rosario Cuschera, she is survived by three daughters, Rosalind Cuschera of Quincy, Josephine Colarusso of Rockland and Kathleen Vissa of Carver; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were by Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, 116 Franklin St.

John D. Baranowski, 41

A funeral Mass for John D. Baranowski, 41, of Quincy, was celebrated Dec. 30 at St. Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Mr. Baranowski died Dec. 27.

Born in Boston, he worked in camera sales.

He is survived by his mother, Louise (Bobinski) Baranowski; two brothers, Richard Baranowski and

Walter P. Baranowski, Jr.; an uncle, aunt, and nephews and nieces.

He was also the son of the late Walter P. Baranowski.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.



A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"When you get where you're going, where will you be? This is a leading question that often is very provocative for people willing to do a little soul-searching."

Some people answer: "I'm not going anywhere any more." They assume they are going nowhere in life, that they're standing still. But the fact is we're always moving in some direction. From the moment of conception we are moving on a course that carries us through life to death, and we trust, to something beyond.

There may be times when we might want to stop the world and get off, but life moves on, even then we think we are standing still. Actually, none of us are created to stand still in life. We are created to grow and develop, not just in the beginning of life, but through to the very end... Too many Christian adults assume that they've done all the growing that's expected of them. "How much more growing am I supposed to do?" Perhaps the best answer is found in Paul's answer to the church of Ephesus: "until we all attain the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, so that we may no longer be children." (4: 13, 14).

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William P. 'Bill' Cooke, 69

Retired Traffic Manager

A funeral Mass for William P. "Bill" Cooke, 69, of Quincy, a retired traffic manager for the West End Hub and Spring Co. in Stoughton, was celebrated Dec. 29 at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St.

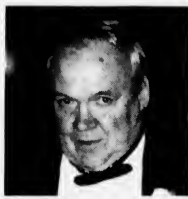
Mr. Cooke died Dec. 26 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked for West End Hub and Spring Co. for 20 years before retiring in 2001. He served in the Navy Reserve for four years.

As a young man he was an usher at Fenway Park and was proud of his knowledge of the Red Sox and Fenway Park.

He was very proud of his Lincoln and was an avid Red Sox and Patriots fan. He delighted in seeing both teams win championships.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra M. (Smith) Cooke; four daughters, Sandra M. Cooke and Susan M. Cooke of Quincy, Wendy K. Cooke-Paluzzi of Plymouth and Linda B. Cooke of Marshfield; a son, David P. Cooke of Quincy; three



WILLIAM P. COOKE

sisters, Mary Aronofsky of Florida, Patricia Foran of Tewksbury and Margaret Earnest of New Hampshire; four brothers, John Cooke of Hingham, James Cooke of Florida, Thomas Cooke of Tewksbury and Robert Cooke of Carver; and three grandchildren.

He was the father of the late William J. Cooke.

Burial was in Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Donations may be made to American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

George C. Smith, Jr.

Retired Accountant

A funeral Mass for George C. Smith Jr., 83, of Quincy, a retired accountant, was celebrated Saturday at Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Smith died Dec. 26 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked as an accountant for New England Telephone, Boston, for 40 years retiring in 1987.

Born in Somerville, he grew up in Quincy. He served in the Army from Jan. 4, 1943 to Dec. 5, 1945 during World War II and later graduated from Bentley College.

Mr. Smith assisted in founding the South Shore Halfway House, where he was president for 20 years. He was also a member of the Lion's Club, St. Ann's Holy Name and Men's Committee.

Mr. Smith was active in politics, running for school committee and Ward 5 Council.

Husband of the late Jeanne Smith, he is survived by tree sons, Kevin F. Smith of Reading, Stephen G. Smith of Marshfield and Barry Smith of North Reading; two daughters, Carole S. Gerien of New York and Dianne S. Pires of New York. He was the father of the late Brian F. Smith, and the brother of the late Nancy Smith.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Donations may be made to New England Sinai Hospital, 150 York St., Stoughton, MA 02072.

Martin W. Clark, 49

Substitute Teacher, Reporter

A funeral Mass for Martin W. Clark, 49, of Quincy, a substitute teacher at Rockland High School and reporter, was celebrated Dec. 28 at Holy Family Church, 403 Union St., Rockland.

Mr. Clark died Dec. 21 at his home.

He worked to bring Space Camps to area schools, a program that emphasized rocketry education. He was a reporter for the Rockland Standard newspaper for many years, covering selectmen's and school committee meetings.

Born in Boston, Mr. Clark was raised in Rockland. He graduated from Rockland

High School in 1975 and earned a teaching degree from Boston State College.

He was a member of the parish council at Holy Family Church, the Rockland Knights of Columbus and the Rockland Jaycees. He was an associate member of John P. McKeon Post, AMVETS, in Dorchester.

He is survived by two brothers, William G. Clark of Seattle and Terrence M. Clark of Quincy, and two nieces.

Burial was in Holy Family Cemetery, Rockland.

Funeral arrangements were by Mougoun-Biggins Funeral Home, Rockland.

Dorothy M. Peacock, 89

Homemaker

A funeral service for Dorothy M. (Inman) Peacock, 89, of Quincy, a homemaker, was held Dec. 29 at Fort Square Presbyterian Church, 16 Pleasant St.

Mrs. Peacock died Dec. 25 at Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Quincy, after a short illness.

She was a member of Fort Square Presbyterian Church in Quincy and was a trustee and a deacon. For several years, Mrs. Peacock and her husband ran a clothing shop for needy people in the church basement.

She was active in the Friendship Circle Club and the Young at Heart Club.

Wife of the late Winston A. Peacock, she is survived by a daughter, Carol Ann Knowlton of Holbrook; a son, Stephen E. Peacock of Plymouth; five grandchildren.

Peter J. Mullen, 50

A funeral Mass for Peter J. Mullen, 50, of Randolph, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Dec. 29 at Holy Trinity Parish in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Merrymount.

Mr. Mullen died Dec. 24 at home.

Born in Boston, he had lived in Quincy before moving to Randolph in August.

Mr. Mullen, who was disabled, grew up in Quincy. He was considered a team leader in the neighborhood because he organized all the sports with the neighborhood children.

He graduated from Quincy High School in 1974. He attended the University of Massachusetts in Boston.

Mr. Mullen loved baseball, especially the Red Sox.

He also enjoyed writing and going to the discovery program in Quincy. He was very appreciative of all who assisted him throughout his life.

Mr. Mullen is survived by his mother, Geraldine Mullen of Quincy, a step-father, Russell Carney of Quincy, six sisters, Donna



DOROTHY M. PEACOCK

dren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave.

Donations may be made to the Fort Square Presbyterian Church Mission Fund or to the Youth Fund, c/o 16 Pleasant St., Quincy, MA 02169.



PETER J. MULLEN

Murphy of Abington, Diane Jackson of Quincy, Carolyn Mullen of Quincy, Cynthia Mullen of Quincy, Laura Plant of Weymouth and Michelle Mullen of Quincy; and a brother, Shawn Mullen of Colorado.

He was also the son of the late Peter F. Mullen and boyfriend of the late Debbie Stachew.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to South Shore Mental Health, 500 Victory Rd., North Quincy, MA 02171.

Leslie C. Black, 84

Jordan Marsh Co. Executive

A funeral service for Leslie C. Black, 84, of Quincy, a retired executive with the Jordan Marsh Company in Boston, was held Dec. 28 at the Wollaston Church of the Nazarene.

Mr. Black died Dec. 22 at South Shore Hospital, Weymouth.

Born in Salem, New Brunswick, Canada, he had lived in Quincy for 49 years.

Mr. Black worked for Jordan Marsh for 30 years. He began in the toy department and retired in 1987 in management.

He was the top complaint manager and was responsible for the annual Christmas "Enchanted Village" in Boston.

Mr. Black enjoyed gardening, traveling, visiting Florida and shopping.

After his retirement, he summered in New Brunswick.



LESLIE C. BLACK

At the Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, he served as an usher.

Mr. Black is survived by his wife, Ruth M. (Harding) Black of Quincy; and two brothers, Victor Black of Sussex, New Brunswick and Robert Black of Salisbury, New Brunswick.

He was the brother of the late Glenna Mitton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Paul Gilligan, 61

Decorated Navy Vietnam Veteran

A private funeral service for Paul Gilligan, 61, of Quincy, a decorated Navy Vietnam veteran, will be held.

Mr. Gilligan died Dec. 23 at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Brockton, after a long battle with multiple cancers.

He was a highly decorated Navy SEAL. He was also a successful amateur boxer in the Navy.

Mr. Gilligan enjoyed Cape Cod, his motorcycle and his cats.

He is survived by his companion/wife of 26 years, Doris Desmond of Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Donations may be made to the Oncology Nurses Fund at Jamaica Plain VA Hospital, 150 South Huntington Ave., Jamaica Plain, MA 02130.

Elsie Mooney, 90

A funeral service for Elsie Elizabeth (Olender) Mooney, 90, of Quincy, formerly of Hyde Park, was held Dec. 27 at Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St.

Wife of the late Hugh B. Mooney, she is survived by

three daughters, Joan McCarron of Belford, Maureen Bothfield of Duxbury, Vt., and Elaine Mooney of Dedham; three grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Benedict Cemetery.

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OBITUARIES

Donald M. Murray, 82

Pulitzer-Prize Winning Editorial Writer,
Professor Emeritus At UNH

Donald M. Murray, 82, of Durham, N.H., a Quincy native and Pulitzer-Prize winning editorial writer, columnist and teacher, died Dec. 30.

Mr. Murray won the journalism honor in 1954 when he was 29 for distinguished editorial writing based on a series of more than 100 editorials he wrote on national defense for the Boston Herald. He went on to write the Boston Globe's "Over 60" column - renamed "Now and Then" in 2001 - for two decades.

Born in Boston, he grew up as an only child in Wollaston. He attended North Quincy High School and graduated from Tilton Academy in New Hampshire.

Mr. Murray, who lived in Durham, N.H., died Dec. 30, apparently of heart failure while visiting a friend in Beverly.

At age 82, he had planned to launch a new Web site for aspiring writers.

Mr. Murray became a paratrooper during World War II.

In 1948, he graduated from the University of New Hampshire with a degree in English.

He got his start in a career in journalism as a copyboy at the Herald and became a staff reporter in 1949.

Mr. Murray's first mar-



DONALD M. MURRAY

riage ended in divorce. In 1951, he married Minnie Mac Emmerich, whose slow death from Parkinson's Disease in 2005 was among the personal, private and sometimes painful parts of his life Murray chronicled in his column.

After working briefly for Time magazine and as a freelance writer in the 1950s, he joined the University of New Hampshire faculty in 1963. He retired in 1984.

Most recently, Mr. Murray wrote columns for the Boston Globe and was a professor emeritus at the University of New Hampshire.

He is survived by two daughters, Anne Nestelberger of Weymouth and Hanna Starobin of Mount Kisco, N.Y.; two grandsons and a granddaughter.

A private funeral and burial were planned for Mr. Murray.

A memorial service at the University of New Hampshire was also being planned.

Arthur I. Senter, 84

State Senate Court Officer

A funeral service for Arthur I. Senter, 84, of Rockland, formerly of Quincy, a Massachusetts Senate court officer for 30 years, was held Sunday at Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Senter died Dec. 28 at South Shore Hospital.

He performed many duties for the Senate and in 1963 was asked to prepare and recite a history of the Senate chamber and reception area. His work resulted in the foundation of a program known as "Doric Dames," a tour-guide program.

A World War II Navy veteran, he served aboard the escort carrier USS Manila Bay. He was awarded the Combat Action Ribbon, the Navy Unit Commendation, the Good Conduct Medal with one bronze star, the American Campaign Medal, the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with one silver star and two bronze stars, the World War II Victory Medal, Navy Occupation Service Medal, Asia, the National Defense Service Medal, Philippine President Unit Citation and Philippine Liberation Ribbon.

Mr. Senter joined the Naval Reserves after the war and was called back to active duty during the Korean War.

Born in Newton, he was educated in Quincy and graduated from North Quincy High School in 1940. He attended Northeastern University and studied electrical engineering through the Massachusetts University Extension at MIT and Harvard.

He was active in the fraternal order of Masons and was a life-member of the former Theodore Roosevelt Lodge. He was a member of Masonic lodges,



ARTHUR I. SENTER

commanderies and grottos in Weymouth, Braintree and Quincy.

Mr. Senter was awarded the Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts Certificate of Appreciation and the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island Certificate of Merit.

He was a past commander of the Quincy Veterans Council, chairman of the American Legion Department of Massachusetts Convention, a life-member of the VFW in Rockland and past president of the USS Manila Bay CVE-61 Association.

Mr. Senter is survived by his wife, Shirley A. (Wallace) Senter; five daughters, Carol Senter of Jamaica Plain, Barbara Brusco of New York, Gail McGrath of Pembroke, Dianne Senter Connolly of Hull and Nancy Whisman of Florida; and eight grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Memorial donations may be made to the Dental Care for Children with Special Needs, c/o the Masonic Building, P.O. Box T, 1170 Hancock St., Quincy, MA 02169, Attn: Sec. John McCulloch or to the Eye Foundation of Knights Templar, c/o John McCulloch, 20 Old Forge Rd., Weymouth, MA 02190.

Donald MacFarlane, 68

Retired Carpenter

A funeral Mass for Donald MacFarlane, 68, of Rumford, Maine, formerly of Quincy, a retired carpenter, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at St. Athanasius and St. John Church in Rumford.

Mr. MacFarlane died Dec. 27 at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston after a battle with lung cancer.

Born and raised in Boston, he lived in Quincy and worked at Boston City Hospital until his retirement in 1996.

Mr. MacFarlane later volunteered his woodworking skills to help others.

He and his wife, Jane C.

(Gould), moved to Maine four years ago.

He loved fishing, camping and the outdoors.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Jane-Sarah MacFarlane of Lowell; his mother, Mabel MacFarlane of Quincy; and two sisters, Bonnie McCarthy of Somerville and Christine Mannetta of Quincy.

He was the father of the late Jennifer MacFarlane.

Burial will be in the spring in St. John's Cemetery, Rumford.

Funeral arrangements were made by S.G. Thibault Funeral Home and Cremation in Rumford, Maine.

George H. Mitchell, 89

Manager For Insurance Company,
Member Of NQHS's First Graduation Class

A funeral Mass for George H. Mitchell, 89, of Quincy, a member of North Quincy High School's first graduation class, was celebrated Wednesday at Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy.

Mr. Mitchell died Dec. 29 at Quincy Medical Center.

He was a manager for Equitable Insurance Company for 40 years. He later worked for United Way and Capital Analyst until he retired seven years ago.

A lifelong Quincy resident, Mr. Mitchell ran for a seat on the Quincy School Committee in 1972. He also ran for Ward 6 city councilor.

He was a veteran of the Army.

Mr. Mitchell enjoyed walking in the Blue Hills, gardening, animals, bargain shopping and sports.

Born in Boston, he graduated from Burdett College and the American college of Life Underwriters.

Husband of the late Claire (Norman) Mitchell, he is survived by three sons, George



GEORGE H. MITCHELL

H. Mitchell, Jr. of Harwich, and Bob Mitchell and Bill Mitchell of Quincy; a daughter, Melinda Smith of Quincy; a brother, Albert Mitchell of Braintree; and eight grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by The Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to United Way of Massachusetts Bay, 51 Sleeper St., Boston, MA 02210.

W. Paul Madden, 89

Retired Banker, Investment Advisor

A funeral Mass for W. Paul Madden, 89, of Rockland, formerly of Quincy and Braintree, a retired banker and investment advisor, was celebrated Tuesday at Holy Family Church, Rockland.

Mr. Madden died Dec. 29 at South Shore Hospital, South Weymouth.

He was an officer with the Bank of Boston for 20 years and worked until he was 80 as an investment advisor for Scudder Investments.

During World War II, he served in the Army in the European Theater.

Mr. Madden lived in Quincy for 33 years and Braintree for 11 years before moving to Rockland 17 years ago.

Born in Dorchester, he

was raised in the Uphams Corner section and graduated from Boston College High School in 1934. He also attended Wentworth Institute.

He enjoyed playing poker and, in his early years, golfing.

Husband of the late Catherine M. "Kaye" (Browning) Madden, he is survived by many nieces and nephews, including Mary Jean Gunther of Weymouth, Paul Petrucci of Quincy and Gerald Petrucci of Maine.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Keith Hollandsworth, 53

Retired N.E. Telephone Manager

A funeral Mass for Keith Hollandsworth, 53, of Norton and Hull, formerly of Quincy, a retired manager for New England Telephone Company, was celebrated Wednesday in St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mr. Hollandsworth died Dec. 27 at Sturdy Memorial Hospital in Attleboro.

He worked for New England Telephone for 30 years.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Quincy. He gradu-

ated from Archbishop Williams High School in Braintree in 1971.

Mr. Hollandsworth is survived by his wife, Nancy P. (Morse) Hollandsworth; his mother, Dorothy Mae (Williams) Hollandsworth of Hull; and two cousins, Larry Kostant and Sandy Kostant of Norton.

He was the son of the late Keith B. Hollandsworth.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Robert E. Troup, 63

Former North Quincy High School Teacher

A funeral service for Robert E. Troup, 63, of Quincy, a former teacher at North Quincy High School, was held Wednesday at Christ Episcopal Church, Quincy.

Mr. Troup died Dec. 29 at home.

He taught social studies and current events at the high school for 35 years. He was also a class advisor and an advisor to the Asian Culture Club, as well as a former hockey and football coach.

Mr. Troup initiated the school's Festival of Culture, teaching students to appreciate their own cultures as well as other students.

A lifelong Quincy resident, he graduated from North Quincy High School in 1961 and from Northeastern University in 1965.

He was a member and organist/choir director at Christ Episcopal Church in Quincy for more than 30 years.

He enjoyed music and sports and was an avid bowler. He played in the



ROBERT E. TROUP

Christ Church Bowling League and ran a youth hockey program in Hingham.

Mr. Troup enjoyed spending summers in Plymouth.

He is survived by three brothers, Walter D. Troup III of Halifax, James S. Troup of Braintree and Charles G. Troup of San Antonio, Texas; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

CASE NO. 06-097

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 23, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of James E. Schlager for an Amended Special Permit to allow the premises to be used daily for law enforcement and emergency towing services without restrictions related to such use.

The parcels of land are located at 299-321 Centre Street, Quincy and are shown as Plots 1 and 13 on Assessors' plan 3095-3096.

John Garland, Chairman

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

CASE NO. 06-098

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 23, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Patrick Flaherty for a Finding to increase the living space granted by a Variance in 1962, by adding dormers in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.24.020 (non-conformance) on the premises numbered 14 HARRINGTON AVENUE, QUINCY.

Jack Garland, Chairman

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 06P3100EP
In the Estate of
BERNICE M. BRADFORD
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
March 13, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that VERA M. BRADFORD of FOXBOROUGH in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 31, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 20, 2006.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 06P3077EP
In the Estate of
GERTRUDE EHRLICH
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 5, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that PETER A. EHRLICH of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 31, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 20, 2006.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P3025AD
In the Estate of
YUN KAU CHAN AKA
YUNKAU CHAN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
October 7, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that NOLA W. CHAN of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 24, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 13, 2006.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 06P1822EP
In the Estate of
PAUL AFRED
HENDERSON AKA PAUL
A. HENDERSON
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
June 4, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that PAUL A. HENDERSON of BOSTON in the County of SUFFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 31, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 20, 2006.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P3071AD
In the Estate of
DEBORAH G. CURRY
Late of WOLLASTON
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 18, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that MARTIN J. CURRY JR. of WOLLASTON in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 31, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 20, 2006.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P3030AD
In the Estate of
KENNETH THOMAS
LYONS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
August 29, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that MARILYN QUIGLEY of AGAWAM in the County of HAMPDEN or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 24, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 13, 2006.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

Norfolk Division
Docket No. 06D1551-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS
BY PUBLICATION
MEI HUA WU,
Plaintiff(s)
V.
SIMON CHAN,
Defendant(s)

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), **MEI HUA WU**, seeking **DIVORCE**.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **JACK P. MILGRAM** whose address is **52 KNEELAND STREET, BOSTON, MA 02111**, your answer on or before **MARCH 9th 2007**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, **DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire**, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 14th day of **DECEMBER, 2006**.

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CONCERNING RADIUS SPECIALTY HOSPITAL BOSTON**

Radius Specialty Hospital, LLC, d/b/a Radius Specialty Hospital Boston, 59 Townsend Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02119 intends to file with the Massachusetts Department of Public Health on or about January 3, 2007 a request to transfer the location of thirty-eight (38) chronic care and rehabilitation hospital beds from Radius Specialty Hospital Boston, 59 Townsend Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02119 to Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169. Persons who wish to comment on the proposed transfer must submit written comments within twenty (20) days of the filing date of the request to the Department of Public Health, Attention: Program Director, Determination of Need Program, 2 Boylston Street, 3rd Floor, Boston, Massachusetts 02116. The request for transfer of site may be inspected at such address.

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LEGAL NOTICE**Notice of Public Hearing
for
Quincy Center Urban Revitalization District**

The Quincy City Council will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, January 8, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy for the purpose of providing the public an opportunity to comment on a proposed Urban Revitalization District Plan (URDP) to be filed pursuant to M.G.L. c. 121B, Section 48.

The City of Quincy Planning and Community Development Department, acting as the City's Urban Renewal Agency, is proposing the adoption of a URDP for a significant portion of Quincy Center. Once adopted by the City Council, the URDP will be submitted to the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development for final approval.

Over the last thirty-five years, numerous efforts by the City sought to revitalize Quincy Center and return its historic vitality as a commercial center. The City has concluded that the ordinary operations of private enterprise, without public investment, will not make the area a significant destination location. The purpose of the proposed plan is to set forth a series of initiatives intended to stimulate private investment and to restore Quincy Center as a vibrant downtown area.

Written comments may be provided to the City Council Office or the Department of Planning and Community Development which will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. Friday, January 12, 2007. Comments received before the Public Hearing on January 8, 2007 will be reviewed and included in the Public Hearing record.

A report of the Public Hearing will be placed on file with Clerk of the City Council and will be included in the application submitted to The Massachusetts Department of Housing & Community Development (DHCD).

Copies of the URDP application, compiled pursuant to M.G.L. c. 121B, Section 48, may be reviewed in the office of the City Clerk, the Department of Planning and Community Development located at City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, 3rd Floor, and in the Thomas Crane Public Library main branch at 40 Washington Street.

Joseph P. Shea
Clerk of the Council
City of Quincy

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 06-099
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Jack Garland, Chairman

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The children were treated to a visit at the Quincy Elks Club Tinnell Room by Santa (Jim Caparelli) and The Hearts and Noses Clown

Troupe of Brookline. All children received a hot meal as well as toys and filled school backpacks from a variety of sponsors. They danced and sang to music provided by DJ Victor Jordan.

Other sponsors and providers included:

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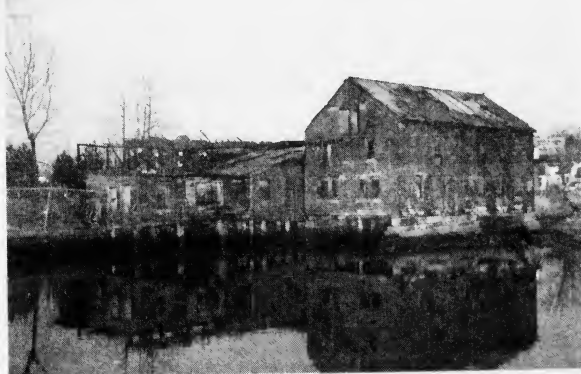
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SOUTHER TIDE MILL was a dilapidated structure, half early grist mill, half later lumber yard, awaiting restoration as an historic landmark (top) when a fire took out the lumber yard half (bottom), clearing the way for rehabilitation of the historic part of the structure.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble



Historic Section Saved By Firefighters Fire Kind To Souther Tide Mill

By TOM HENSHAW

Someday those who preserve Quincy's historic legacy may look back on the flames that touched the site of the Souther Tide Mill on Southern Artery early Saturday as a successful fire.

For one thing, no one was injured. For another, the building that was destroyed had been added to the 200-year-old mill later when it was a lumber company and probably would have been razed.

"The part that burned had no historical value," said City Councillor Leo Kelly. "Most of us wanted

that part of the property to come down, anyway.

"The Quincy Fire Department did an outstanding job. They saved the tidal mill for future generations."

Kelly is the chairman of a committee that recently voted 9-0 to have the city accept the property as a gift and convert it into an historic site and waterfront park with boat landings.

"From what I understand, most of the historically important buildings escaped damage," said Dr. Edward Fitzgerald, curator of the Quincy Historical Society. "Those of historic interest survived."

Donald Murray, 44, apparently one of many homeless men who had been living in the building, was arrested charged with wanton destruction of real property, breaking and entering and trespassing.

He pleaded not guilty in Quincy District Court and was released on no bail with the condition he seek entry into a work program at Father Bill's Place or the Salvation Army, stay away from the Souther Mill and abstain from using drugs or alcohol, including Listerine.

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Vote Seen In 60 Days

Downtown Plan Takes Another Step Forward

Plans to revitalize downtown Quincy took another small step forward Monday night at a City Council hearing that produced mostly praise for the plan from the 50 residents and business owners in attendance.

Council President Doug Gutro said another hearing will be held in the near future to discuss land taking and financial matters and review the entire project with the Council expected to vote its approval within 60 days.

After that it is up to the State Department of Housing and Urban Development to give the final approval to the plan which would turn Quincy Center into a mixture of retail, office and residen-

tial use.

The purpose of the plan is to set forth a series of public initiatives intended to stimulate private investment to restore Quincy Center as a significant destination location.

Land-takings for the project have already begun and Planning Director Dennis Harrington said a relocation meeting for displaced tenants will be held Thursday, Jan. 30, at 10 a.m. in the Council Chamber at City Hall.

He said the city plans to open a relocation office in the downtown area in early February to aid those tenants who lose their locations to the land-taking.

Harrington told the hear-

ing that the plan had undergone scrutiny by all parties in the past four months and has gained the approval of the Planning Board as well as the Council's own Downtown Committee.

Public input gathered at local meetings included lively walkable streets, new parking facilities, a downtown cultural district, a course connecting east and west, green space or parks and other amenities.

The hearing was told that 30 per cent of the land in Quincy Center is vacant and is used for surface parking. The city has the potential of producing 13 million square feet of developable lot area in the square.

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Police Chief Wanted Revocation

Billiard Club Liquor License Suspended 10 Days

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

"You did a disservice to the City of Quincy, to your patrons and to the people," said Police Chief Robert Crowley to Guy Jolly, owner of Renaissance Billiard Club, 1555 Hancock St. for serving alcohol after closing hours.

Even though these harsh words were spoken by Crowley, his motion to revoke the liquor license, and seconded by Jay Duca, director of inspection services, was amended.

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele said he thought the revocation of the license for the first offense

was "a little drastic" and made the motion to suspend the license for 10 days—"days for serving alcohol after hours and 3 days for violating rules and regulations of the License Board, by not notifying the police during a fight. The vote was 3 to 2 with Crowley and Duca opposing.

The violation happened on New Year's Eve when Officer Mike Powers and Sgt. Michael O'Shea entered the Renaissance to find 20-30 persons outside just before 3 a.m. and more than 150 persons inside the club dancing, drinking, and still listening to music provided

by disk jockeys.

Jolly told the board a letter of explanation that the tickets that were printed were for the hours of 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. and that it was a "typo" which should have read 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. He said the entertainment group that was there was supposed to inform everyone who entered that night about the 2 a.m. closing.

Board members through questioning of Jolly didn't seem to buy his story.

Duca said he did not believe anything in the letter and Crowley said it "boggles my mind" that you didn't call

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16 Countries Represented

163 Graduate At Quincy College Commencement

Students from more than 50 Massachusetts communities and 16 countries were among the 163 who graduated from Quincy College at its winter commencement.

The commencement was held Saturday in the President's Ballroom at the Quincy Marriott.

Mayor William Phelan, College President Sue Harris and Board of Governors Chairman Peter Tsaffaras welcomed and congratulated the graduates on their accomplishments.

Quincy College alumna, Amy Dwyer, who serves as the college's Director of International Student Services, gave the commencement address. She encouraged the graduates to "find out what you love to do and do it...take risks...and give to others in need of help."

Dwyer was presented with the second annual Distinguished Alumna Award, the first woman to receive it.

Commencement student speakers were Sharron Barrett and Alik Edwards.

Faculty member Susan Cahill was given the distinction of Mace Bearer as the recipient of the President's Award for Excellence.

The graduates were awarded Associated Degrees



SHARON BARRETT and Alik Edwards were the student speakers at the Quincy College winter commencement.

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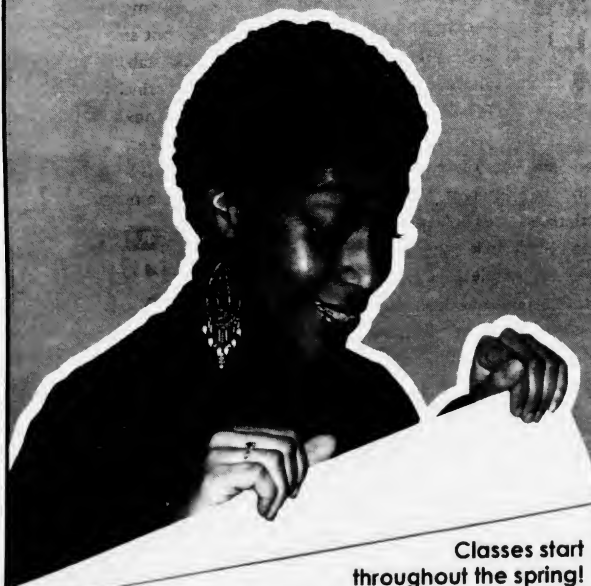
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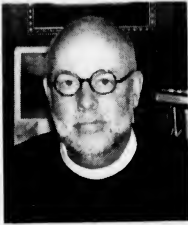


City To Honor MLK On Monday

The Rev. David Heffling, rector of St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church, will be the keynote speaker at the 11th annual Martin Luther King Jr. Breakfast Monday, Jan. 15, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in the North Quincy High School cafeteria.

He will speak on "The Legacy and Inspiration of Dr. King's Work in the 21st Century." The slain civil rights leader would have been 78 on his birthday this year.

Nancy MacDonald and David Erickson, longtime members of the Quincy Human Rights Commission and community activists, will receive the Martin Luther King



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Jr. Award for their strong advocacy of human rights.

This year's breakfast will feature the Episcopal Quincy Chinese Center with the Rev. Dr. Thomas Pang, the canon for Asian American Ministries for the Episcopal Diocese, delivering the opening invocation.

cation.

The Episcopal Quincy Chinese Center runs multiple programs at St. Chrysostom's Church, which also works closely with Asian American Ministries for outreach and communication among residents of differing cultures.

Tickets at \$10 for adults and \$6 for seniors and children under 6 are available from Breakfast Co-Chairpersons Ann Yeomans at 617-773-5306 or Edmund Grogan at 617-472-3716.

The Germantown Neighborhood Center Chorus and Andrew and the Expressions will entertain.



MENDI BIBLE is on display at the State House in Boston surrounded by its keepers after it was used to swear in Deval Patrick as governor. Left to right, Marianne Peak, superintendent; Kelly Cobble, curator; and Caroline Keinath, deputy superintendent, Adams National Historical Park. Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

March 20 Full Day For Elementary Schools

Tuesday, March 20, will be a full day of classes for all Quincy Public School students at the elementary level, except those in pre-school, announces School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristoforo.

This will insure that all students in grade 4 have sufficient time to complete the long composition portion of the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System, he said.

Pre-school sessions will not be held March 20, or on any Tuesday.

School lunches will be served on that day and full-day bus schedules will be in place. Middle and high schools will be in session all day, as originally scheduled.

Elementary Report card conferences will be rescheduled for the afternoons of March 6 and March 13.

Reverse Mortgage Explained To Seniors

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy. Reverse mortgage is a

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Jan. 10, 1901, in the town of Beaumont, Texas, a 100-foot drilling derrick named Spindletop produces a roaring gusher of black crude oil. The first major oil discovery in the United States, the Spindletop gusher marked the beginning of the American oil industry.

• On Jan. 13, 1928, television sets are installed in three homes in Schenectady, N.Y. RCA and General Electric installed the sets, which displayed a 15-inch-square picture.

• On Jan. 12, 1932, Oppie Wyatt Caraway, a Democrat from Arkansas, becomes the first woman to be elected to the U.S. Senate. Caraway, born near Bakerville, Tenn., had been appointed to the Senate two months earlier to fill the vacancy left by her late husband, Thaddeus Horatio Caraway.

• On Jan. 11, 1949, on Connecticut Avenue in Washington, D.C., the cornerstone is laid at the first mosque of note in the United States. Intended to serve as a national mosque for all American Muslims, the Islamic Center was built in a

traditional Arabic architectural style, complete with a 160-foot minaret.

• On Jan. 14, 1952, the "Today" show introduces the morning news format. Hosts over the years have included John Chancellor, Hugh Downs, Florence Henderson, Barbara Walters, Tom Brokaw, Bryant Gumbel, Jane Pauley, Matt Lauer and Katie Couric. The show's female anchors were once called "Today girls." In 1953, "Today" also featured a chimpanzee named J. Fred Muggs.

• On Jan. 8, 1966, rock 'n' roll television variety show "Shindig!" on ABC airs its last episode. "Shindig!" had debuted in September 1964, featuring acts including the Everly Brothers, the Rolling Stones and the Beach Boys.

• On Jan. 9, 1993, Elvis Presley becomes the first rock musician featured on a postage stamp. The stamp, which showed Elvis as a slim young rocker instead of an older, heavier singer, was issued on what would have been his 58th birthday.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

The 'Good Old Days'?

The "good old days?"

Apparently not that great.

Especially the "good old, old days."

Seniors at the Beechwood Drop-in Center, East Squantum St., North Quincy, got to wondering about years gone by as 2006 was winding down.

And zeroed in on the year 1906 to see what life was like 100 years ago. They gathered information and shared it with one another.

Executive Director Sharron Beals compiled the tidbits and passes them along.

"They're thought and smile provoking," she says. "They boggle your mind."

Well, you'll find them interesting.

So here is what those "good old days" were like in 1906.

• The average life expectancy in the United States was 47 years.

• Only 14 percent of the homes had a bathtub.

• Just 8 percent of homes had a telephone.

• The average wage in the U.S. was 22 cents per hour.

• The average worker earned between \$200 and \$400 a year.

• A good accountant could earn \$2,000 per year. A dentist \$2,500 a year, a veterinarian between \$1,500 and \$4,000 per year, a mechanical engineer about \$5,000 a year.

• There were only 8,000 cars and only 144 miles of paved roads.

• The maximum speed limit in most cities was 10 miles per hour.

• More than 95 percent of all births took place at home.



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• Ninety percent of all doctors had no college education. Instead they attended so-called medical schools, many of which were condemned by the press and government as "substandard."

• Sugar cost four cents a pound.

• Eggs were 14 cents a dozen.

• Coffee was 15 cents a pound.

• Most women only washed their hair once a month and used borax or egg yolks for shampoo.

• Canada passed a law prohibiting poor people from entering their country for any reason.

• The tallest structure in the world was the Eiffel Tower.

• Five leading causes of death were: (1) Pneumonia and influenza; (2) tuberculosis; (3) diarrhea; (4) heart disease; (5) stroke.

• Only six percent of all Americans had graduated from high school.

• Two out of every 10 adults could not read or write.

• The American flag had 48 stars.

• There was no Mother's Day or Father's Day.

• The population of Las Vegas was only 30.

• Marijuana, heroin and morphine were available over the counter at the local drugstore. Pharmacists back then said: "Heroin clears the complexion, gives buoyancy to the mind, regulates the stomach and bowels, and is a perfect guardian of health."

There were about 230 reported murders in the entire U.S.

• Eighteen percent of households had at least one full-time servant or domestic help.

• Crossword puzzles, canned beer and ice tea had not been invented yet.

You'd have to say 1906 was an interesting year.

And, as Sharron says: "What a difference a century makes."

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS 1944 real photo postcard view of the sailor's band stationed at the US Naval Air Station in Squantum in World War II. The flying Squantum Sea Witch on the drum was the symbol of the air station. Most of the band members were African-Americans. The sailor with the

clarinet standing next to the chief on the right sent this postcard home to his aunt in Jefferson City, Missouri. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net. From the Collection of Tom Galvin

Quincy's Yesterdays

LaRaia Moves To Keep North Quincy High School Open

By FRANK McCAULEY

The hour of decision was due to arrive with Mayor Joseph J. LaRaia holding firm against a gathering momentum to shut down the nearly 50 year old North Quincy High School.

School Supt. Lawrence Creedon planned to recommend at a meeting of the School Committee the closing of North Quincy High during renovation and construction and the transfer of its students to Quincy High where they would go on double sessions.

"We may have to sit on this for a week while we study alternatives," said LaRaia who is chairman of the School Committee by virtue of being mayor. "I am definitely against closing the school."

AGATHA DESCHENES NAMED CITY PURCHASING AGENT

Agatha Deschenes, who went to work as a clerk typist in the City Purchasing Dept. in 1961, has been named to the \$15,000 a year post of purchasing agent. Deschenes, a 1933 graduate of Quincy High School, replaces Richard Buckley who was released from the job. She is believed to be the first woman to hold the position.

NO POLITICS IN SOLIMINI PROMOTION, SAYS MAYOR

Mayor LaRaia named Police Lt. Corady Solimini a worker in his mayoralty campaign, to the post of inspector division in the Police Department and immediately stood up to fend off the flak. The position is considered to be second in command to Police Chief Francis Finn. Finn said that he plans to protest the appointment in court. The organization of the Police Department is the responsibility of the chief.

QUINCY-ISM

Pasquale S. DiStefano was installed for a third term as president of the Quincy Citizens Association. Other officers include Arthur Chandler, vice-president; Saul Lipsitz, treasurer; and Dorothy Kelly, secretary. Quincy Draft Board No. 27 moved from the Adams Academy in Quincy to Selective Service Headquarters, 150 Causeway St., Boston. Mr. and Mrs. William Weir, 75 Hamilton Ave., North Quincy, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at a reception given by their three children. William T. Flavin, historian, concert singer and teacher of voice at Curry College, spoke at a meeting of the Williston Women's Club on the topic "Along Our Coast from New York to Calais." The Ward 2 Civic Association held its installation of officers at Montell's Mass. Avenue, Quincy Point. The incoming officers included Ted DeCristofaro, president; James Lyons, vice-president; Dorothy Eaton, treasurer; Phyllis Bagen, recording secretary; and Isabel Brugge, corresponding secretary. Russell Edwards Hair Stylists, 27 Cottage Ave., Quincy, was advertising "Slow cutting for guys and gals for \$6.50."

Ruth W. Randle, clerk of the First Baptist Church of Williston, announced that the church's 104th annual meeting would be held Jan. 13. Nine student members of the Quincy High School Honor Society and the school's men's swim team, recently donated a pint of blood at Quincy City Hospital. They included Russell Hodgkins, David Ray, Richard MacKay, Michael Lee, Neil Rodbur, David Rafferty, William Dalton, Joseph Harris, and Kevin Blake as well as swim team coach Elaine Murphy. Ward 2 Councillor Daniel G. Raymond commended the School Committee for placing the \$78,000 in the FY 1997-1998 budget for renovation work at the Quincy Point Junior High School Daniel Webster Elementary School Complex. Marion Andrews, director of senior citizens activities in Quincy, installed the officers of the St. John's Senior citizens group. They included Joseph Lawlor, president; Genevieve Lawlor, vice-president; Paul Locarni, treasurer; and Francis Moynihan, secretary. Steve Martinelli, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Martinelli of Quincy, was named to the honor roll at Cushing Academy, Ashburnham. The Plaza Restaurant, 51 Billings Rd., North Quincy, was advertising a "top of the round roast" dinner for \$3.25. The Quincy High School hockey team hiked its record to 5-2-2 with a seven to three win over Newton North. Frankie Guest had the "hat trick" and two assists to increase his Suburban League scoring lead. Officials at the Thomas Crane Library announced that Sunday library services would begin Jan. 13. The main library at 40 Washington St. will be open from 1 to 5 p.m. City Councillor and Mrs. John J. Quinn announced the engagement of their daughter, Andrea to Charles E. Santoro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Santoro of North Quincy.

READERS FORUM

Praises Phelan For 'Neighborhoods First' But Zoning Changes Needed

Kudos to Mayor Phelan for introducing the "Neighborhoods First" initiative and hosting meetings within the city's neighborhoods thus starting to address residents' concerns regarding the way some of our single family neighborhoods are turning into multiple unit at times crowded transient neighborhoods.

Mayor Phelan has called for projects in neighborhoods for development guidelines-this is what I think the residents like to hear and implemented. "These guidelines would help developers and municipal boards and agencies in protecting the character and the aesthetics of Quincy neighborhoods. New developments should fit the character of our existing neighborhood," quoting Mayor Phelan in The Quincy Sun, Nov. 16, 2006 edition.

The Mayor did not mention that the present zoning,

namely Resident B, allows large multiple dwelling units and additions to take place. The foundation and basic improvement in the neighborhoods is based on smart zoning. Mayor's Design Concept will help, but still allows high density development in Residential B zoned neighborhoods.

Historically, Quincy's old neighborhoods, such as South and West Quincy, consisted and still do mostly of single family homes, even the zoning remains residential B. Many small family businesses operated side by side with the owner of the business, particularly the granite industries, barber shops, bakeries, and small grocery stores.

Today, Residential B zoning allows multi-family units. Protecting the character of the neighborhood, as our Mayor has very wisely initiated is going to happen when the zoning from Resi-

dential B is changed to residential A, particularly in area where infrastructure alone is not able to carry the added burden and without having a negative impact on its neighbors.

Part of the dilemma is that if the Zoning Board of Appeals, the "Design Board" and the "Smart Zoning" Committee cannot find "solid ground" to make the developers adhere to the by-laws the City will be subject to law suits and the character of the neighborhood continues to be at stake, unless the zoning is addressed.

In Ward 4 for example, one of the oldest and perhaps the most historic neighborhoods in the city, the backyards of lovely single family homes are often converted and turned into "additions" or multi-unit two and three story dwellings.

At present, the City Council's moratorium on this issue perhaps will start

to address building permits and zoning variances permitted within present guidelines. Hopefully the new initiative will rectify the loss of green space and quality of life and mitigate the impact and character in form of density, traffic, infrastructure, flooding, parking, water runoff, sunlight and shadowing and clean air, just to mention these.

I hope that this New Year our City Council members continue their forthright toughness to preserve the integrity of our historic character of this fine city and its heritage, and that they examine and review our present zoning and continue to support each others' efforts. Furthermore, that our Mayor continues to use his executive powers to preserve our neighborhoods as he has started and continues to solicit the advice and help of his fellow citizens.

Anne Johnson
Quincy

Praise For President Ford

Gerald Ford, the 38th President of the United States, died on the second day of Christmas. He became the American President when his country needed him most.

God has given him the longest life, ever given to any other American Presi-

dent. Betty his wife made a statement that President Ford's life was filled with love for God, for his family and for his country. And since America, his country is the only country. And since America, his country, is the only country consists of all nations and races of the

world. Her statement also means that President Ford's life was also filled with love for all countries.

President Ford gave President Nixon a free, full and absolute pardon. He pardoned President Nixon in order to help heal his country.

And if President Ford gave President Nixon a "free, full and absolute pardon." He pardoned President Nixon in order to help heal his country.

And, if President Ford

could have given one single, last advice to President George W. Bush, it would have been to treat our former friend and ally, President Saddam Hussein, as President Ford treated President Nixon.

That act by President George W. Bush would encourage all men everywhere "to practice golden rule and brotherhood of men," as President Ford preached and practiced.

Michael Jovanovic
Town Hill Street

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Point Webster Students Perform Holiday Concert At Quincy Credit Union



FOR THE THIRD year in a row, 20 students from Point Webster Middle School chorus performed a variety of traditional holiday songs at Quincy Credit Union. The performance was lead by Amy Rogers, Point Webster's music teacher, and accompanied by instrumental teacher, David Buckley. The "Sounds of the Season" were enjoyed by both members and staff alike.

'Concerts At The Crane' Begin Jan. 21 At Library

"Concert at the Crane" will feature music, dance and stories from a variety of cultural traditions Sunday afternoons from 3 - 4 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Jan. 21: The Amaryllis Chamber Ensemble presents one of Franz Joseph Haydn's famous London Trios paired with the virtuosos Duo Concertante by Bernhard Molique and the charming Baroque Trio Sonata in G Major by George Philipp Telemont. The piece is one of their favorite trios for flute, violin and cello.

Since its inception in 2000, the Amaryllis Chamber Ensemble has established itself as an ensemble-on-the-move by presenting

diverse and engaging programs from the chamber music repertoire for wind and string instruments.

Flutist Bonnie Cochran performs regularly throughout the Boston area, and has performed with the Willow Flute Ensemble, Boston Civic Symphony Orchestra, Metrowest Symphony, National Flute Association (NEA) Professional Flute Choir and Harvard Square Chamber Orchestra. She was a 2004 winner of the NEA's Convention Performer Competition.

Violinist Melissa Bull, who began playing at age five, received numerous awards and succeeded at multiple national competitions and music festivals. At age 11, she was the youngest musician to win a profes-

sional position with the York (PA) Symphony Orchestra. She has performed in numerous prestigious venues.

Cellist Kate Marsch received an MM and Graduate Performance Diploma from the Boston Conservatory and graduated magna cum laude with a BM in music performance and education from the University of Houston. She teaches cello lessons in Wellesley and performs throughout the Boston area.

Feb. 11: The Chu Ling Dance Academy will perform.

March 18: The Crane Library will feature the Irish Troubadour.

All performances are free and sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Library. For more information call 617-376-1301.

The annual "CHILL, CHOWDER, SOUP COOK-OFF" is being sponsored by the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF WOLLASTON.

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North Quincy High School will perform "Guys and Dolls" Friday, Jan. 19 at 8 p.m. and Saturday, Jan. 20 at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for students. They may be purchased at the NQHS principal's office. A limited amount of tickets

will be available at the door.

The show is under the direction of Peggy Spencer and Richard Kenneally, musical director, and Timothy Carew, vocal director. The cast includes 35 students as well as faculty and staff.

For more information, call 617-984-8745.

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St.

The movie is provided by West Coast Video at no charge. Refreshments will be provided. Call Ann at 617-376-1506 to reserve a seat.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River

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SOCIAL

Red Cross Courses Start Here Jan.22

The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses Jan. 22-30 at its South Area office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

First Aid: Jan. 22 from 6-10 p.m. Cost is \$50. This course teaches bleeding, choking, poisoning and other First Aid emergencies.

Adult CPR/AED: Jan. 23 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Infant & Child CPR & First Aid: Jan. 24 and Jan. 31 (two sessions) from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. This course teaches rescue breathing, choking and CPR for children under eight years of age. Also, bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: Jan. 27 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a First

Aid certificate valid for three years.

Adult CPR/AED: Jan. 29 from 6-10 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

CPR For The Professional Rescuer Revue: Jan. 30 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$60. Prerequisite: current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Registrations are being accepted for both a daytime Home Health Aide and Certified Nursing Assistant courses starting Feb. 12. Cost is \$800.

The American Red Cross will train qualified applicants to become certified classroom instructors in CPR and First Aid. Classes will be offered at our convenient Quincy location. If you have a few hours a week, you can learn how to teach others in your community to save a life. For additional information call our Quincy office, (617) 770-2600.

Fundraiser For Scouts To Canadian Jamboree

City Councillor Joseph Finn is hosting a fundraiser Thursday, Jan. 25, from 6 to 9 p.m. at Sons of Italy Hall, 120 Quarry St., to send 26 Boy Scouts from Quincy and Milton to a jamboree in Canada.

The suggested donation is \$20.

"These young people have an incredible opportunity here," said Finn. Not only do they get to showcase their scouting skills, but they also will be representing our city and our country. I'm thrilled to help."

The Canadian National Scout Jamboree will be held on a future date at Camp

Tamaracouta 60 miles north of Montreal to celebrate 100 years of scouting.

Troops from around the world will compete in climbing, swimming and survival skills learned in local community centers and in the Blue Hills.

"The cost of the event might be out of reach for some families," said Finn. "but I think this event will give each scout the resources they need for a once in a lifetime opportunity."

Organizers also are creating an advertising booklet for the event. Prices range from \$10 to \$125. Contact Nick Puleo at 617-835-1253.



STEPHEN WARREN and AMY FORD

Amy Ford Engaged To Stephen Warren

Joyce Ford of Milton announces the engagement of her daughter, Amy E. Ford to Stephen Warren.

He is the son of Bill and Eileen Warren of Quincy.

Miss Ford is a graduate of 1989 Milton High School and a 1991 graduate of Aquinas College. She is a

employee of CitiStreet of Quincy.

Mr. Warren is a 1985 graduate of North Quincy High School, a 1988 graduate of Boston College and a 1995 graduate of Bentley College. He is an employee of Hilco of Canton.

A fall wedding is planned.

Daniel, William Cosgrove On Dean's List

David and William Cosgrove, twin sons of Nancy and Wendell Cosgrove of Quincy, have received faculty honors for the 2006 spring semester at

Tenmy College in Hartford, CT.

Daniel Ferland On Dean's List

Daniel Ferland of Quincy is on the Dean's List for the fall term at Johnson & Wales University, Providence, R.I.

Ferland is pursuing a bachelor's degree in Food Service Management from Hospitality College at the Providence campus.

Wollaston Garden Club Meeting Jan. 18

The Wollaston Garden Club will meet at 6:45 p.m. Jan. 18 at the Wollaston Congregational Church.

A panel of members will discuss garden journals and record-keeping. Members are encouraged to bring garden organizing materials to use as discussion topics.

The December meeting was hosted by Nancy Nickerson and others, and featured floral arrangements by Agnes Smith. The meet-

ing included a horticultural presentation on forcing winter dormancy of bulbous plants, and how to receive them in the spring.

Guest speaker was Tom Galvin, a historian, who discussed his collection of local postcards and their history.

The Garden Club was also recognized by the Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts on its 75th year anniversary.

Blue Hills Health Meeting Jan. 24

Blue Hills Community Health Alliance CHNA 20 will hold its quarterly meeting Wednesday, Jan. 24 from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the Quincy Mental Health Center, 460 Quincy Ave.

The legislative breakfast will feature refreshments, networking, and the release of the 2007 Mini Grant Awards.

For more information, call 617-626-9000.

Emblem Club Meeting Jan. 10

The Quincy Emblem Club will meet Wednesday, Jan. 10 at 7 p.m. at the Elks Lodge, Quarry St.

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STICKY WALNUT BARS

- 2 packages crescent rolls
- 1 stick butter
- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
- 3/4 cup brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon water

Open rolls and slice into eight slices each

package.

Melt the butter, and place two tablespoons of it on the bottom of a baking dish with 1/4 cup of the walnuts.

Place eight slices of rolls over the butter and nuts.

Add the brown sugar to the remaining melted butter plus one tablespoon of water. Cook until smooth. Add the rest of the walnuts.

Drizzle half of this mixture over the eight slices of rolls. Then add the other eight slices and drizzle with the remaining liquid.

Bake for 25-30 minutes. They are so delicious. I know you will enjoy them as much as we did.

Free Blood Pressure Clinics At Beechwood Center

Beechwood On The Bay, 440 East Squantum St. offers free blood pressure screening for Quincy seniors Thursdays from 10:30 a.m. - noon, and alternate Fridays from 9 to 11 a.m.

The blood pressure clinics, provided by Fallon Ambulance personnel are free

and open to all. No reservations are needed. For more information about the clinics

or other offerings at Beechwood call Maryann Mahony at 617-471-5712.

Help With Simple Wills Monthly

Atty. Ed Conroy will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy, every third Friday

of the month to assist the elderly with a free explanation of simple wills.

Call 617-376-1506 for an appointment.

After The Holidays

New Project Helps Families Cope With Alcohol Problems

The holiday season is difficult for many families, especially those struggling with problems of substance abuse.

Individuals and families trying to cope with such problems often seek help in the new year. **The Family Project** at Bay State Community Services in Quincy offers free counseling for individuals with alcoholism and their family members.

"A lot of people decide to go for help at the beginning of the new year because they want to change their lives, and we are happy this year to have a new program that provides free treatment and enables our clients to participate in an important research project with their family members," said Dr. Daurice Cox, Director of Clinical Services at Bay State Community Services.

community Services.

The Family Project is a research study to find out whether adding family counseling to one-on-one recovery counseling leads to more sobriety for individuals with alcohol problems. Half of the participants in the program are randomly assigned to receive free family counseling and one-on-one counseling.

The other half are randomly assigned to receive free on-on-one counseling, but do not receive family counseling. Treatment includes 24 counseling sessions over 12 weeks for all participants in the study.

In addition to receiving treatment free of charge, participants in the Family Project complete four interviews. These interviews are meant to document improvement in

sobriety and family relationships. Clients and their family members can receive up to \$200 each for completing these interviews.

Jane Alter, LICSW, Family Project Director, said "We are already seeing that our clients are benefiting from their participation in the Family Project by coming regularly to their treatment sessions, and by learning new skills for maintaining sobriety and having more positive communication with their family members."

For more information, call the Family Project at Bay State Community Services at 617-694-2602. Bay State Community Services is one of the most comprehensive community-based human service agencies in the state.

Stroke Screening Jan. 17 At Squantum 1st Church

Life Line Screening will test residents to reduce their risk of a stroke Wednesday, Jan. 17 in the First Congregational Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd.

Appointments will begin at 9 a.m. and can be scheduled by calling 1-800-697-

9721. Pre-registration is required.

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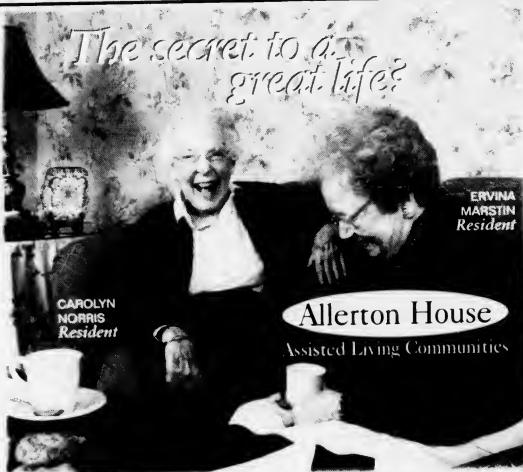
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Fire Kind To Souther Tide Mill

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His next appearance in court is to be Feb. 6.

Police said Murray told them he started a campfire that got out of hand in the building.

The Souther Mill, dating back at least to 1806 and one of the few mills left in the country that used tidal action to grind grain, once ranked as one of the state's 10 most endangered historic sites.

The site has a long history as a mill, as shown in a monograph written in 1981 by the late Quincy historian H. Hobart Holly.

Records have it that one Ebenezer Thayer purchased the land in 1802 and four years later received permission to build a dam across Town River "for the purpose of erecting a mill or mills on the same."

The mill was operating in 1814 when Thayer sold it to David Stetson, who in turn sold it to John Souther, a member of a well-known Hingham shipbuilding family, a year later.

Souther, who gave his name to the mill, operated a shipyard, a wharf, a grist mill and a canal on the site. The Souther sold the properties in 1873 to Wilber F. Lakin, who converted it into a lumber yard.

There are indications that the tidal mill buildings that escaped Saturday's fire may not be part of the original 1806 structures after all.

Another fire ravaged the site around 1850, destroying the original mill buildings, which were replaced in 1854.

The owners, the Quincy Lumber Company, closed its doors in 1983. CVS Corporation, the pharmacy firm,

acquired the property in 1998 and agreed to donate it to the city for preservation.

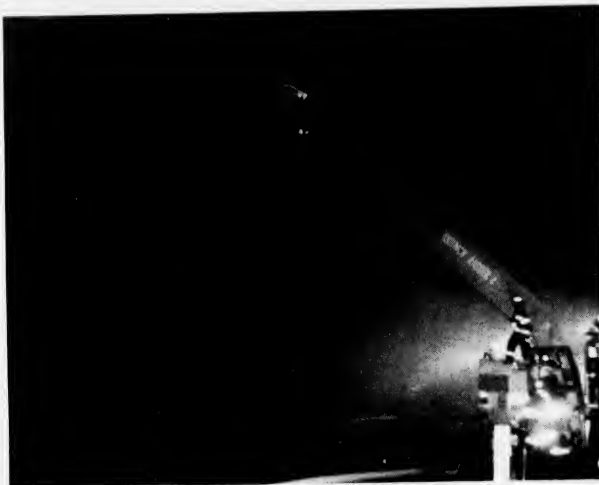
"The mill is in limbo right now," said Leo Kelly.

"CVS gave the city four acres, including the mill. Mayor Sheets at the time formed the Souther Tide Mill Historic Association, a non-profit organization that raised more than \$100,000 to shore up the old tide mill buildings.

"Now Mayor Phelan is asking that the city take the mill back from the non-profit. We voted 9-0 to take it back but it still has to be approved by the county land court.

Kelly regards the fire as a wake-up call to the city.

"We've got to get in there and clean it up," he said. "Maybe it will give us a kick in the behind to get us going."



FIREFIGHTERS pour water from an aerial ladder into the fire that destroyed a section of the Souther Tide Mill Saturday. Quick action by the firefighters saved the historic section of the structure for restoration.
Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

Billiard Club Liquor License Suspended 10 Days

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the police when a fight ensued. He added that Jolly was "totally at fault".

Also that he did not tell the disk jockeys to stop playing at 2 p.m. instead he told the board that he "lost track

of time".

Chairman Joseph Shea said that Jolly may appeal to the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission.

After the meeting, Maralin Manning, executive director of the Quincy Business Association, went over to Crowley and Duca and told them she totally agreed with their decision to revoke Jolly's license saying the vote was "not conducive to what we are trying to accomplish in the city."

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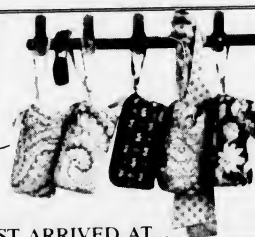
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Lunar New Year Festival To Be Held Feb. 25

Preparations are underway for the 19th Annual Quincy Lunar New Year Festival to be held Sunday, Feb. 25 from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at North Quincy High School.

The festival is a free event organized by Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. (QARI) under the leadership of the event's chairmen Frank Poon and David Yizou.

"Last year's festival was a great success with more than 4,000 people attending, and with additional activities being planned this year's Lunar New Festival prom-

ises to be bigger than ever," said John Brothers, Executive Director of QARI. "The festival has grown as the Asian community in Quincy has grown. We are pleased to feature many Asian cultures at the event and invite all members of the community to celebrate with us."

The Asian Lunar New Year is celebrated at the end of the annual cycle of new moons and each New Year is named for one of the 12 animals. According to ancient legend, the Lord Buddha once summoned all animals to come to him. When only

12 came, he rewarded them by naming each year for them. This year is the year of the pig.

Lunar New Year celebrations are held in Asian communities throughout the world. Traditionally, the New Year is a family holiday where families come together to visit, share meals and present gifts of "lucky" red envelopes to children. Quincy's celebration will reflect this tradition.

The New Year Festival is a family-oriented event which represents the involvement of more than one

hundred local businesses, government and social service agencies and individuals, all working to bring together several generations of the community to celebrate the new year," said Poon. "These many different groups include students of Quincy High and North Quincy High Schools; Grand Sponsors Mohegan Sun and Sunshine Travel; QARI institutional members such as South Shore Elder Services and Quincy Community Action Programs and volun-

teers from the community."

As a family event the festival will offer entertainment to delight all ages. There will be performances of Asian music and dance and exhibits featuring the work of local Asian artists. There will also be a children's area with Asian games and crafts. Local restaurants will serve different types of Asian cuisine including Chinese and Vietnamese foods.

New additions to the festival are a reading corner where elders will engage and

entertain children by reading popular stories. This activity is being carried out in coordination with Project RISE which strives to increase parents' understanding of the importance of reading to their young children as a critical component of school readiness. The festival will also work to bridge the past and present by showcasing traditional Asian garments and modern costume characters, such as Minnie and Mickey Mouse, all of which will be worn by local teens.

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License Board Acts On Police 'Sting'

The License Board at Tuesday's meeting heard Lt. Peter Turowski's report on a "sting" operation that culminated in four violations of serving liquor to minors.

On each occasion, a 16 year old youth was sent in the establishments to purchase liquor. The youth was served in all four places.

The first one was at Pete's Grille, 540 South St. Co-owner and manager Louis Gangi said he was "sorry and embarrassed" and said "take a look at our record of 49 years with no problems."

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele made a motion to suspend the liquor license for 3 days with all 3 days

suspended.

However, Police Chief Robert Crowley said in light of the fact that Pete's Grille has such a good record for 49 years, he made a motion to suspend for 1 day with 1 day suspended.

The vote was unanimous in favor.

At Atlas Liquors, Adams St., one of the owners Jeff Fine said they used to card those under 30 years of age, but now he said "we card everyone."

He told the board that the person who served the youth has been with Atlas for more than 10 years and is "so diligent" that it surprised everyone. She thought the youth

looked "30".

At the Pacific Food Court, owner Kai Cheong Lau said he was "very regretful and embarrassed."

Crowley made a motion to suspend the license for 2 days with 2 days suspended.

The Terra Brasil's Restaurant, (formerly Pacini's) was given a 1 day suspension with 1 day suspended.

Carlo Santos, owner also apologized to the board.

Turowski said when he questioned the person who sold the underage youth, she had only been in United States for one month and could not speak good English.



QUINCY COLLEGE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

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The Appointing Council Shall Meet To Consider Qualified Applicants For Appointments To The Board.

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Interested individuals must submit a letter of interest and resume, to the Appointing Council, to be received on or before February 1, 2007. The Appointing Council shall meet to consider qualified candidates, and will provide an optional opportunity for interested parties to address the Appointing Council. The Council welcomes diversity in applicants and encourages anyone who believes he or she might contribute positively to the continued success of the institution to respond.

Letter of interest and resume to:

Quincy College Board
Appointing Council
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Assistant to the President
Quincy College
34 Coddington Street
Quincy MA 02169

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Evergreen Program Seeks Holiday Trees

By MIKAELA SLANEY

Before chucking that pine needle-dropping Christmas tree in a landfill, consider a more ecologically-friendly approach to post holiday cleaning.

The Quincey Evergreen Program, now in its 18th year, is accepting discarded Christmas trees in exchange for a coupon for a 10-inch evergreen seedling for them to nourish into adulthood.

Participating Quincey residents may turn in unwanted trees at the Richard J. Koch Family Park and Recreation Center, One Merrymount Parkway, until Jan. 14.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly, who has chaired the program since its inception, said that the goal is to prevent Christmas trees from ending up in a landfill where they will not break down as well.

Discarded trees will be processed through a wood



LEO KELLY

chipper at the Public Works Department and turned into mulch, that will then be used in flower beds throughout the city.

Participating tree caregivers are advised to leave seedlings in their pots outdoors in the summer and in-

doors in the winter, until they reach a point where they can survive on their own.

Trees fostered by the program are currently growing throughout New England, said Kelly, some as far south as the Cape.

"We have thousands and thousands of trees planted everywhere," he said. "Once we give someone a sapling, they can plant it anywhere they want."

"Without trees we would have no clean air to breathe. Planting trees is how we keep the air pure," he said.

The program is sponsored by Jay Cashman, the contractor who funds the seedlings and promotional materials for the program.

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LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

- Granted a transfer of the Lodging House License listed as Porteus House, 17 Elm St. from Quincey Community Action, Susan Keenan, manager to Donna Ackerman, manager of Neighborhood Housing.

- Continued until Jan. 16 a request for a Keno License for Coop's Bar & Grille, 520-530 Washington St.

- Continued until Jan. 23 a violation at Joe's Market

Place, 260 Centre St., for the sale of alcohol to a minor.

- Granted a permanent all alcoholic license to Alba, 1495 Hancock St. and

Trattoria Alba, Hancock St. Fire Chief Robert Pettinelli said both restaurants had complied with the safety inspections.

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This industry report shows clearly how the traditional ways of selling homes have become increasingly less and less effective in today's market. The fact of the matter is that fully three quarters of home-sellers don't get what they want for their home and become disillusioned and -worse- financially disadvantaged when they put their home on the market.

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BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH was filled with family members and friends as 63 Quincy College Nursing Program graduates received their pins.

Over 60 Graduate Quincy College RN Program

More than 60 students graduated from the Quincy College Registered Nurse Program at the college's winter commencement last Saturday, and were awarded associate degrees.

They also received their pins at the Professional Recognition Ceremony two days before at Bethany Congregational Church.

College President Sue Harris acknowledged the sacrifice each student made to complete the nursing program.

Senior Vice President Keith Cottonco urged the graduates to "dig deep" and "spread your roots."

Peter Tsaffaras, chairman of the college Board of Governors, congratulated the graduates.

Kristin Panks, chairwoman of the AND program, introduced the college faculty and staff.

Recent graduates and cur-

rent registered nurse Robert Conley shared his thoughts about how each person can keep on learning.

Faculty member Susan Cahill was selected to award the nursing pin to the graduates while some chose family members in the nursing field to pin them.

Gerard Morris and Donna Winiewicz expressed their feelings about being new graduates.

Award certificates were presented to students who had been voted an Outstanding Exhibitor by their peers at the October 2006 Health and Wellness Expo at Presidents Place.

The Faculty Award for Academic Achievement was presented to Patricia Candura.

The Nursing Program graduates:

Cammesha Anderson, Katherine Anderson, Ronilo Anglo, Christopher Antonetti, Maureen Armstein, Suha Barsoum, Patricia Cameron, Patty Candura, Caroline Carwood, Joyce Cheng, Vivian Christude, Kathleen Connolly-

Flaherty, Margaret Corbett, Kimberly Corkery, Susan Daley, Theresa Damien, Anna Marie de Andrade, Rebecca Delory, Jean Denis, Clarence Dennis, Jolene Devlin, Christine Driscoll, Karen Flaherty, Frank Glenn, Marie Hart, Patrick Hill, Charles Jenkins, Sandra Joseph.

Jacquiline Kariuki, Stephanie Kealey, Pauline Lane, Christine Duy Le, Andrea Lee, Jing Lana Lei, Karen Lombard, Cara MacKinnon, Jennifer Mara, Mac McCabe, Gerard Morris, Donna Murphy, Patricia Ngariuya, Sunday Ogungbemi, Regina Oliveira, Kristen Paulhus, Vina Pendse, Elizabeth Peterson.

Craig Polleys, Maigan Pope, James Prophet, Michelle Randall, Cynthia Rearick, Jennifer Riser, Sean Roper, Tricia Rudnisky, Wayne Russell, Melanie Saltmarsh, John Sheehy, Laurie Shippey, Kerry Tattan, Mark Thompson, Joanne Thasek, Tara Waibel, Tracy Wiggins, Donna Winiewicz, Sarah Zaroubi.

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There are two ways to get the refund on your 2006 income tax return, a simplified approach and long-form approach.

The simplified approach is a standard refund amount based on the number of exemptions claimed on your 2006 income tax return. Generally you will get one exemption for yourself, another for your spouse and one for each of your dependants. The refund amount is as follows:

One Exemption	\$30
Two Exemptions	\$40
Three Exemptions	\$50
Four or more Exemptions	\$60

A new line has been added to the 2006 income tax return to enter the amount of your standard or long-form refund. Use line 71 on form 1040; line 42 on form 1040EZ, and line 9 on form 1040EZ to claim the refund.

The long-form approach requires your telephone bills from 2/28/03 through 8/1/06. Using Form 8913, you must itemize each federal long-distance tax on your phone bill by quarters. It is necessary to compute tax on both land line and cell phones.

The standard refund amount is an average based on an analysis by the IRS of telephone bills by household size. It's possible the long-form computation will yield a larger refund but it requires dealing with the complexities of telephone bills and the IRS tax form.

Those people who are not required to file a return should use form 140EX-T to claim only the telephone tax refund.



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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Dec. 29 - Jan. 5

Total Calls for Service: 1,106

Total Arrests: 33

Total Stolen Cars: 5

FRIDAY, DEC. 29

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:51 a.m., 87 Ruggles St. Windshield. Someone just drove by and smashed neighbor's windshield. Vehicle was parked in driveway.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:33 a.m., 34 Charlesmount Ave. Smashed windshield.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:57 a.m., 83 Union St. Motor vehicle's tires slashed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 12:13 p.m., 248 Beale St. Dwelling. Two parties under arrest. Both charged with B&E daytime felonious intent.

LARCENY, 12:23 p.m., 6 Highpoint Cir. Purse was stolen with passport inside, passport issued from India.

INDECENT/ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:26 p.m., Faxon Commons, 1047 Southern Artery. Drunk female. Alleges she was assaulted outside 1047 Southern Artery.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:34 p.m., 333 Adams St. Dwelling. Rear door window smashed. Five gallon jug of cash, coins and bills taken.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:48 p.m., 253 Everett St. State Trooper maced at scene. Arrest for assault and battery on police officer and resisting arrest.

SATURDAY, DEC. 30

LARCENY, 5:34 a.m., 16 Farrell St. Fare evasion. Promised to pay later this date. If not, complaints will be sought.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:07 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. Caller's credit card, checks and cash taken. Party called back, it was a mistake.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:12 p.m., 15 Clarendon St. Past. Christmas inflatable ornament slashed sometime last night.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 9:55 p.m., 505 Quincy Shore Dr. Dwelling.

SUNDAY, DEC. 31

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:28 p.m., Avalon Summit East, 150 Quarry St. To sign. Left sign spray painted. Company to handle internally.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:16 p.m., 28 Hodges Ave. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 7:20 p.m., 1 Burgess St.

MONDAY, JAN. 1

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:39 a.m., 375 Washington St. Silver Lincoln Towncar, 1996, sometime after 10 p.m.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 6:41 a.m., Renaissance, 1585 Hancock St. Commercial. Attempted break, door has signs of forced entry.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:52 a.m., 575 Sea St. Black Ford F150, 2005, last seen Dec. 31.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:49 p.m., 21 Linden St. Past. Gray Honda Civic, 2000.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 6:57 p.m., 57 Ocean Ave. Back door open. Resident came home, found back door wide open, unknown if anyone is inside. Everything checks out, door might have been accidentally left open.

TUESDAY, JAN. 2

LARCENY, 1:09 a.m., 258 Quincy Ave. Cab fare. Unable to locate fare for payment.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 3:53 a.m., Coffee Break Cafe, 12 Old Colony Ave. Open window and ladder on the side of the building. Attempt made but it appears no entry gained after walk through with owner.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:10 a.m., Previte's Market, 72 Sumner St. Business. Door smashed in.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:43 a.m., 859 Willard St. Business. States door was pried and a laptop is missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 8:04 a.m., Rocco and Sons Barber Shop, 110 Franklin St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:08 a.m., Quincy Clippers, 271 Water St. Front window.

LARCENY, 9:19 a.m., 21 Quadrant Cir.

LARCENY, 1:25 p.m., GL Labs, 33 Newport Ave. Past. Someone stole \$80 in cash and stole documents.

LARCENY, MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:46 p.m., 1000 Southern Artery. Past. Gray Dodge Stratus, 1999.

LARCENY, 4:16 p.m., 125 Granite St. Keys. Calims party was in apartment and stole his house keys. Caller will get another set of keys.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:44 p.m., 64 Edison Park. Two cars. Youths threw a rock at car, smashing the windshield.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:51 p.m., Bayview St. and Edison Park. Past. Windshield smashed, youths still in

area approximately six of them. Youth with club had black pants, black vest. Motor vehicle hit by a gold club.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 3

LARCENY, 2:48 p.m., 54 Broadway. Checkbook. **BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:25 p.m., 370 Beale St.** Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 46 Alvin Ave. Dwelling. Unsure if someone is still in the house. House cleared by Officer Landry.

LARCENY, 6:06 p.m., 1509 Hancock St. Stolen purse. Be on lookout for suspect: dark hair, dark skin, scar on face. Occurred at 4:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, JAN. 4

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 41 Taffrail Rd. Dwelling. Arrest made One arrest for breaking and entering nighttime. Party in custody at QMC.

LARCENY, 9:10 a.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Of iPod.

LARCENY, 9:37 a.m., 30 Harborview St. Lawn ornament valued at \$900.

LARCENY, 12:51 p.m., 15 Ridgeway St. Past.

LARCENY, 5:15 p.m., Lincoln-Hancock School, 300 Granite St. Check. Happened at pool while caller was working.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:21 p.m., Ross Parking Area, 96 Parkway. Car scratched.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:30 p.m., 1027 Southern Artery. Dwelling.

A Job Well Done

On Friday, Dec. 22, 2006, at approximately 9 a.m., numerous patrol and detective units were dispatched to the Citizens Bank at 371 Hancock St. for a bank robbery call.

As the units responded, the Dispatcher described the suspect as a white male, 50-55 years old with a full beard, wearing a jean jacket. The suspect was last seen fleeing out the rear door of the bank, through the parking lot and onto Holmes Street.

Sgt. James McNeil, Officers Kristen Bowes and Kent Yee went directly to Holmes Street while Officer Lauren Lambert secured the crime scene at the bank. Officer Lambert compiled information from multiple witnesses/employees and determined that the suspect did not have a beard, which she passed on to responding officers. She then interviewed the bank teller and learned the suspect gave her a handwritten note stating, "this is a stick up. Don't do anything crazy. I have a bomb in this bag. 100, 50, 20. I'm sorry I had to do this to you, but I need the money."

The teller said she handed him the money and he fled out the rear door.

Officer Lambert then received a telephone call from Officer Chuck Landry, who is familiar with the area and many of the residents. He told her that once he heard that the suspect was clean-shaven, he believed the suspect lived in a second floor apartment on Holmes Street, giving her the exact number. For safety purposes, he also told Officer Lambert that a female and a young child lived on the first floor.

Lt. John Steele arrived on scene and learned officers had surrounded the same two-family home because a witness had seen a man run behind the building. Based on the information provided by Officer Landry and Officer Yee's knowledge of the neighborhood, the second-floor apartment of the suspect was checked but unoccupied. Officer Yee found a framed photo of a man next to a bed, which matched the description given of the suspect.

The focus of concern now was on the first-floor apartment where the mother and young child lived, especially since there was strong reason to believe the suspect lived in the same building, but different apartment.

Numerous attempts were made to reach the first floor tenants by telephone and knocking but there was no response. Concerns grew when neighbors were adamant the family was at home, the family car was in the driveway and the baby stroller was still inside the hall. Detective Paul Pieper grabbed a lawn chair, stood on it, and peeked inside the apartment.

He spotted the suspect in the apartment and ordered him at gunpoint to lie flat on the ground, which he did

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If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton.

Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

Anonymous information via a letter or by leaving a message does not provide an opportunity for the detectives to ask questions to gain further knowledge. Even without identifying yourself, your information can be corroborated (validated) in many ways, such as surveillance, which was used in this particular case.

Some people are reluctant to report suspicious activity for fear of having to testify or of retaliation, but by calling the hot-line with detailed information, the Drug Unit will be working with you to eradicate drug users in your community.

initially, but then fled to the rear door of the apartment.

Detective Pieper radioed this to the other officers. Lt. Steele, Sgt. McNeil and Officer Bowes kicked in the front door of the apartment and entered quickly, concerned the suspect may attempt to harm possible occupants. Meanwhile, Detective Mike Ward, Officers John Leuchte, Mark Millane and Kent Yee, with guns drawn approached from the rear with the intent of forcing the door, but were met by the suspect attempting to flee. The officers grabbed the suspect and wrestled him into custody.

A check of the apartment showed there was no one else there. However, \$1200 was found in a bag in the suspect's possession. Lt. Steele asked the suspect where the family was and he said they were in Jamaica and that he went into the open apartment to hide. The suspect was taken outside to the street.

Detective Sgt. Richard Tapper arrived on scene with the bank teller and she identified the suspect. He then brought the bank manager to the scene and she too identified the man as the bank robber. The suspect, a 53-year-old Quincy resident, was transported to the station, where Detectives John MacIsaac and Dennis Maloney interrogated him after he waived his Miranda rights. The suspect admitted to the bank robbery as well as to the attempted robbery of a video store the night before.

The detectives seized \$700 from the suspect during booking, which was the amount taken from the bank. The detectives also received consent from the suspect to search his apartment for the cane he used as a fake shotgun during the video store robbery. The cane was taken as evidence.

The suspect said he has a drug problem and needed the money to support his habit. He added he did not have a bomb and didn't want anyone to get hurt. The suspect has been charged with armed robbery, to wit a bomb breaking and entering in the daytime with intent to commit a felony, false report of a firearm, attempting to commit a crime (video store with sawed-off shotgun, but really a cane).

In cases such as these, split-second decision making by officers from all ranks are being made in the best interests of safety to the public and secondarily, to the officers' safety. The decisions are often made in reaction to what the suspect "just did."

The suspect's actions are not predictable and the officers on scene have to respond quickly to protect the innocent. These decisions are easily criticized when something goes wrong, but the officers are only acting on the available information and choices they have at that moment.

These officers charged in, not knowing what was on the other side of the door waiting for them, to save a family they had reason to believe was in there. They also knew that the suspect claimed to have a bomb and are often armed when committing a bank robbery. There are few people who can do a job like this.

Nice work!



LT. DAN MINTON

Ringling The Bell For The Salvation Army



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN with former Mayors Arthur Tobin and Walter Hannon.



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JACKIE GARDNER, executive director American Red Cross South Area and School Committee member **Linda Stice**.

FIFTY-ONE community leaders volunteered to man the Salvation Army kettle in front of City Hall for three days in December — one a frigid one. They raised more than \$3,100 for the Salvation Army's Quincey Temple Corps to help local needy families at Christmas. Overall, the Quincey Corps topped its goal of \$150,000. Majors Doug and Linda Jones thank all the volunteers who made this possible. The photos are by Maralin Manning, Robert Bosworth and Noreen O'Shea.



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our Christmas fund raising. Our kettles had another successful season. This enabled the Salvation Army to assist 416 families for Christmas in 2006.

We also appreciate the 368 volunteers who gave nearly 1000 hours of volun-

teer service during the holiday season. Our volunteers and our donors truly are the army behind the Salvation Army. May we continue to

work together to improve the lives of the less fortunate in Quincy.

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Cost-Effective Energy Efficiency Tips

(NAPS) - As the temperature drops, you shouldn't have to lose sleep over home-heating bills going up. By following a few simple tips, you can help keep those costs under control, while still feeling cozy and comfortable.

Experts suggest the following:

- Check your windows and doors for leaks, sealing any you find. Hundreds of dollars a year can fly out through even a tiny gap.

- Make sure your home is thoroughly insulated, including often-overlooked areas such as switch plates.

- Use energy-saving light bulbs.

- Keep air registers, baseboard heaters and radiators clean and make sure they are not blocked by anything. In addition to saving you money, this can help lower the risk of fire.

- Turn your water heater down to 120 degrees. That

should be hot enough for most applications, and it's safer for small children and the elderly.

- Turn down your thermostat and use a heated blanket or mattress pad to warm the bed prior to settling down for sleep at night. With the soothing heat of a heated blanket or mattress pad, consumers can turn down their thermostats considerably and still stay warm while saving money.

- Scatter warming throws around the house. These are perfect cuddling couch companions while watching TV or reading.

- Keep your appliances up to date. Kitchen appliances such as refrigerators, stoves and dishwashers are continually being improved; every few years, investigate your options and see if you can save money by upgrading.



By Samantha Mazzotta

Stain, Stain Go Away

Q. I have two questions. First, how do I clean red candle wax from a beige carpet? Second, how do I clean the wall paint from a hardwood floor? Thanks! — Mimi S., Santa Fe, N.M.

A. For your first question, grab a butter knife or small putty knife and carefully scrape away as much of the excess wax from the carpet as possible. Be careful not to dislodge or tear the carpet fibers; if a particular glob of wax is too difficult, just leave it for now.

Next, plug in a clothes iron and turn it to its LOWEST setting. This is extremely important — nylon carpet fibers will melt if the temperature is too high, making the stain many times worse (and requiring replacement of that piece of carpet). In fact, you may want to test the iron on a hard-to-see part of the carpet first.

Take two or three paper towels and layer them on top of the candle-wax stain. Gently iron over the towels (turn off the steam setting), checking the stain after each pass. Replace the towels as needed and keep ironing. The warmth should melt the

candle wax, and the towels should soak it up. You may need to repeat several times, being careful not to scorch the carpet.

Now, to your second question. Latex paint can often be scraped up with a putty knife. Carefully ease the knife under the edge of the paint stain, moving in the same direction as the wood grain, and push the paint up and away. Paint that has set into the wood or that will not scrape up can be loosened by dabbing on acetone (nail polish remover) with a soft cloth, allowing that to sit for a minute, then rubbing to remove the stain. When all else fails, steel wool or sandpaper and a liberal dose of elbow grease can get out deep-set stains.

A quick note: If you are dealing with a stain on laminate, rather than hardwood, do not scrape or sand the stain, and do not use acetone or other solvents. Check with the laminate manufacturer for advice on getting the stain up.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homegurur2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Computer Seminar At Norfolk Registry Jan. 31

Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell will host an informational seminar on computer-assisted land records research at the Registry of Deeds in Dedham Wednesday, Jan. 31 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

The seminar is intended for both real estate professionals and the public. The program will include a brief

presentation, written reference materials, and hands-on exercises.

There will be opportunities for both basic and advanced questions and answers.

Computer-assisted land records research is available both at the Registry and on the Internet at www.norfolkdeeds.org.

"These services have proven valuable tools for our customers," O'Donnell stated, "and we hope that this seminar will be helpful and informative."

There is no charge for the seminar, but persons planning to attend are asked to register by phone (781-461-6116). Include name, address and a daytime phone number

when registering.

The Registry of Deeds, located at 649 High St., Dedham, is the principal office for real property in Norfolk County. The Registry receives and records hundreds of thousands of documents each year and is a basic resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate and accessible land record information.

Reverse

Mortgage Topic

Ed Barrett discusses reverse mortgages on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

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Winter Weather Prompts Increase In Life-Threatening Risks

NFPA Warns Of CO Dangers, Urges Caution

Hundreds of people die from carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning each year and it remains a serious threat no matter the season, but activities that typically increase with the onset of winter weather conditions pose an even greater risk.

Recent tragic events throughout the country have served as sad reminders that carbon monoxide poisoning can result in death when it reaches unsafe levels.

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) urges the public to be aware of the dangers of carbon monoxide and to take measures to ensure safe practices.

Many deaths caused by carbon monoxide poisoning could have been prevented by installing carbon monoxide alarms in the home to alert residents of its lethal levels before it is too late.

Carbon monoxide is a colorless, odorless gas that enters the body undetected as a person breathes. The gas is produced by burning wood, coal, charcoal, natural gas, gasoline, propane, oil, methane, and other common fuels. It is also produced by automobiles and other gasoline or diesel engines.

When power outages occur, people naturally look for

other ways to see and keep warm. As they look for alternatives for electricity and home heating, they should be aware that the risk of carbon monoxide poisoning is sometimes elevated with supplemental equipment that is often used.

"Portable generators are often used to meet electricity and heating needs in emergency situations. Homeowners are sometimes unaware of the risks associated with them like electric shock, electrocution and the most common risk, carbon monoxide poisoning," said Mark W. Earley, P.E., assistant vice president/chief electrical engineer. "Risks associated with portable generators and many alternative sources for electricity and heat are minimized when owners are educated about the potential dangers and equipment is used properly."

Carbon monoxide poisoning can be confused with flu symptoms, food poisoning and other illnesses. Some symptoms include shortness of breath, nausea, dizziness, light headedness or headaches.

For more information on carbon monoxide poisoning, view Fact Sheets on NFPA's Web site at <http://www.nfpa.org> under Re-

search and Reports. NFPA suggests the following safety tips to avoid the dangers of carbon monoxide.

- Install carbon monoxide (CO) alarms (listed by an independent testing laboratory) inside your home to provide early warning of accumulating CO. CO alarms should be installed in a central location outside each separate sleeping area. If bedrooms are spaced apart, each area will need a CO alarm.

- Test CO alarms at least once a month and replace alarms according to the manufacturer's instructions.

- CO alarms are not substitutes for smoke alarms. Know the difference between the sound of smoke alarms and CO alarms.

- Have fuel-burning heating equipment (fireplaces, furnaces, water heaters, wood and coal stoves, space or portable heaters) and chimneys inspected by a professional every year before cold weather sets in.

- When using a fireplace, open the flue for adequate ventilation.

- Never use your oven or grill to heat your home.

- When buying an exist-

ing home, have a qualified technician evaluate the integrity of the heating and cooking systems, as well as the sealed spaces between the garage and house.

- If you need to warm a vehicle, remove it from the garage immediately after starting it. Do not run a fueled engine or motor indoors, even if garage doors are open. Make sure the exhaust pipe of a running vehicle is not covered with snow.

- During and after a snowstorm, make sure vents for the dryer, furnace, stove, and fireplace are clear of snow build-up.

NFPA, publisher of the National Electrical Code® (NEC®), recommends the following tips for proper use of portable generators.

- Generators should be operated in well ventilated locations outdoors away from all doors, windows and vent openings.

- The generator should be located so that exhaust fumes cannot enter the home through windows, doors or other building openings.

- Do not refuel the generator while it is running. Turn the generator off and let

it cool down before refueling.

- Never store fuel for your generator in your home. Gasoline and other flammable liquids should be stored outside of living areas in properly-labeled safety containers. They should be stored away from any fuel-burning appliance such as a gas hot water heater.

- Plug appliances directly into the generator or use a heavy duty outdoor-rated extension cord. Make sure the cord is free of cuts or tears and that the plug has all three prongs, especially a grounding pin. Do not try to power the house wiring by plugging the generator into a wall outlet.

• If you must connect the generator to the house wiring to power appliances, have a qualified electrician install a properly rated transfer switch in accordance with the NEC and all applicable state and local electrical codes.

NFPA has been a worldwide leader in providing fire, electrical, building, and life safety to the public since 1896. The mission of the international nonprofit organization is to reduce the worldwide burden of fire and other hazards on the quality of life by providing and advocating consensus codes and standards, research, training, and education. Visit NFPA's Web site at <http://www.nfpa.org>.

Real Estate Brokers Course

Annex Real Estate School, Inc., 49 Beale St., Wollaston, is offering a five-week, 30-hour real estate brokers course Monday and Wednesday, 9 a.m. to noon, starting Jan. 17.

Students must attend both Monday and Wednesday sessions for all five weeks.

Pre-registration is required on or before Jan. 12.

Course graduates qualify for an examination to become a licensed real estate broker in Massachusetts.

For course fees and more information, call Phyllis Rudnick, director, at 617-472-4330 ext. 314.

RE Sales Course

Annex Real Estate School, Inc., 49 Beale St., Wollaston, is offering a four-week real estate course Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning Jan. 16.

Students must attend both Tuesday and Thursday sessions for all four weeks, but may choose to attend either morning or evening classes.

Classes are set for 9 a.m. to noon, or 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Pre-registration is required by Jan. 12. Graduates qualify for an examination to become a licensed real estate salesperson in Massachusetts.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Group Exercise Class Can Beat Boredom

For many people, exercising alone is difficult and sometimes just flat out boring. Motivating yourself to complete a workout can be a challenge. One solution is to participate in group exercise classes. Not only will you have other people to exercise with, there also will be a certified instructor available to safely motivate you along the way.

Group exercise has come a long way since the early days of leg warmers and high- and low-impact aerobics. There are classes today on land and in water, with weights and boxing gloves. The variety is endless, allowing you to get in shape and have fun in the process.

Below are a sample of fun and innovative group exercise classes that can help you reach your fitness goals.

Kickboxing or Boxing (Simulated): Martial arts-inspired kicks, punches (no contact, of course) and movements are sure to increase your heart rate and are great for strengthening your core muscles. You can burn off a little stress in the process, too.

Yoga and Pilates: Although these two forms of exercises are different, they have in common strengthening, lengthening and stabilizing your muscles. Both focus on balance and strong and centered core muscles (abdominals and back).

Group Resistance Training: These classes use physical balls, resistance balls, dumbbells, steps and other fitness equipment to tone, sculpt and define your muscles.

Salsa/Hip-Hop/Swing Dance Classes: Dance is a great form of exercise, and

many facilities are offering versions of these popular dances in a group exercise setting. Normally no previous experience is required, just a desire to have fun and burn some calories.

Deep Water Aquatics: This class uses the deep end of the swimming pool to provide non-impact movements to strengthen your total body. With the use of a flotation belt (so you don't have to tread water), this form of exercise is great for anyone, but especially if you are unable to do certain exercises on land due to any medical conditions.

Group Cycling: Often called "Spinning," this class uses special stationary bicycles for "rides" that condition you for endurance, speed, strength and a combination of all three.

The names of these classes may be slightly different than listed above, but you can ask for classes that have the same components. Be sure to find a group exercise instructor who is certified to teach the class you are attending. The great thing about group exercise is that you can go at your own pace and still have someone there to instruct you on technique and form, and who will be there to keep you motivated.

If you have access to a fitness facility that offers group exercise classes, check it out. This may be the breakthrough to the better fitness level you've been waiting for.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfw@hearstac.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Quincy High School Chemistry Teacher, Dr. Pakamas Tongcharoensirikul had her recent study on the hormonal effects on breast cancer published in the January issue of *The Journal of Medicinal Chemistry*.

Dr. Tongcharoensirikul is a post doctoral candidate at Northeastern University. She received her bachelors degree in Thailand and received her masters and doctoral degrees at Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

As a doctoral student at WPI, she was honored as "Teaching Assistant of the Year".



DR. PAKAMAS
TONGCHAROENSIRIKUL

Dr. Tongcharoensirikul began teaching chemistry at Quincy High School this past fall. She brings a high level of enthusiasm to the science department, said Department Chairman Peter Swanson.

"She approaches her stu-

dents in a most nurturing way. She has worked very hard developing her expertise in her subject area and knows how to manipulate the subject so that all of her students are able to learn and enjoy chemistry."

Principal Frank Santoro said he has been impressed with her involvement within the entire school community.

"Dr. Tongcharoensirikul makes a point to attend many of her students' athletic events and other school functions. I am very impressed with her extraordinary ability to relate to her students. She is making a daily impact

on their lives."

Dr. Tongcharoensirikul decided to work in Quincy because she felt she wanted to make a commitment to the young adults of her own community. She says she enjoys meeting students and parents' of students as she does her shopping locally.

"Quincy is a great place to live and I enjoy working at Quincy High School. I am very excited about having my work published and just as excited to share my research with the students that I teach." Her expectations are that students will have great careers in whatever they pursue.

Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates Presents Ebert Award Of Distinction

Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates in Quincy recently awarded its Robert H. Ebert Award of Distinction to Ann Butler, NP, Lisa Kingsbury, India Henshaw, and Deborah Steeves at a ceremony held at the Westin Copley Place.

The award honors the memory of Robert H. Ebert, MD, who was widely recognized as a pioneer in managed health care.

The Robert H. Ebert Award of Distinction acknowledges Harvard Vanguard employees who stand out as role models and whose contributions reflect extraordinary initiative and effort within and beyond their spe-

cific roles in a way that makes a critical difference.

Ann Butler, NP, joined Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates in 1974 and works in the internal medicine department at both the Peabody and Peabody-Lynnfield Medical Associates sites. She was nominated for the Robert H. Ebert Award of Distinction by her fellow colleagues for her "ability to always show compassion, take on extra roles when needed, and for consistently going above and beyond what is asked of her".

Lisa Kingsbury works as a systems analyst at Harvard Vanguard's Quincy site and was nominated for her tireless efforts to implement and

maintain Harvard Vanguard's electronic medical record system and her participation in a key upgrade of the system. Her nomination described, "Lisa's knowledge and dependability make her an exemplary employee". Lisa is a resident of Medway.

India Henshaw is a medical secretary in the behavioral health department at Harvard Vanguard's West Roxbury site. She was nominated by her fellow co-workers for continually providing exceptional service to both patients and staff and ensuring that the clinical operations in the behavioral health department run seamlessly.

Deborah Steeves has

worked in the obstetrics/gynecology department at Harvard Vanguard's Watertown site for eighteen years. She was nominated for providing a consistent level of caring and professionalism for patients as well as her colleagues.

Steeves was also recognized for displaying exemplary leadership and dedication. She is a resident of Watertown.

About Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates is a multi-specialty physician practice with many convenient locations in eastern Massachusetts. For more information, visit www.harvardvanguard.org.

Dry Mouth Can Be Managed

(NAPS) Did you know that the human mouth produces an average of two to four pints of saliva each day? Yet from time to time, anyone can feel as if his or her mouth is completely dry. You probably know the feeling: that parched, sticky, cotton-mouth sensation you may get when you're nervous or after you speak for a long time.

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condition called dry mouth, or Xerostomia. Reports indicate that approximately one in four adults suffer from dry mouth and that figure increases to 40 percent in populations over the age of 55.

"Imagine having problems with persistent bad breath, speaking, swallowing and even tasting your food," said Harold Crossley, DDS, Ph.D., who suffers from dry mouth. "Some chronic sufferers may have a raw feeling that's similar to what you might experience after you burn the roof of your mouth with hot foods."

Beyond physical discomfort, the condition can affect the quality of life. Chronic sufferers worry about treating their symptoms to avoid awkward moments in social situations and may even have problems tasting their food.

The most common cause of dry mouth is medication use. More than 400 common medications can cause dry mouth. The condition can be a side effect of cancer treatments and diseases such as diabetes, Alzheimer's, Sjogren's syndrome, hypertension, Parkinson's disease and stroke.

"Saliva plays a significant role in oral hygiene by helping the mouth fight infection, protecting teeth from decay, and aiding in food and speech-related functions," said Dr. Crossley. "Many people may not be aware that there are effective ways to manage their dry mouth symptoms."

Until recently, those with dry mouth had to sip water or suck on candy in hopes of finding relief. They can now use a new over-the-counter

treatment: Oasis Moisturizing Mouthwash and Mouth Spray, from the makers of Sensodyne. It uses patent-pending Tri-Hydra Technology to coat and moisturize the mouth, lock in moisture and protect the mouth for up to two hours.

"With Oasis, sufferers can avoid the inconvenience of carrying around packages of candy or bulky bottles of water to manage dry mouth," said Dr. Crossley. "Oasis was developed specifically to help chronic sufferers but can also be helpful for those who experience dry mouth when they're nervous or those who often speak for a long time."

Dry mouth sufferers interested in trying Oasis can call (800) DRYMOUTH for a free sample and brochure. For more information, visit www.oasisdrymouth.com.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

GETTING INTO A REAL SCRAPE

You may think that garlic is the culprit of your bad breath. It is true that this food is rapidly absorbed into the bloodstream. Then, the blood is carried back to the lungs, where food smells are released by the lungs and evaporate into the air, causing food odors from the mouth. However, after the odors run this course, the breath eventually returns to normal through evaporation. More problematic are the bacteria that cannot survive in oxygenated areas and therefore hide as a sort of compost at the back of the tongue. They emit a sulfur compound that causes the offending odor. This problem must be addressed with scraping the tongue, which should accompany daily brushing and flossing the teeth.

Maintaining good oral hygiene, eliminating periodontal (gum) disease and scheduling

regular professional cleanings are essential to reducing bad breath. Regardless of what may be the cause, good oral hygiene is essential. If you wear dentures, be sure to remove them at night and clean them thoroughly before replacing them the next morning. To alleviate your worries and to address such conditions as bad breath, a visit to our office is in order. Please call us at 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where you will receive a professional exam to detect and address any existing or impending oral health problems. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. A teaspoon can fill in as a tongue scraper if necessary.



SPORTS

Impressive Red Raiders Post 7-2 Record

By SEAN BRENNAN

The North Quincy Red Raider girls basketball program has struck gold early in the season.

The Raiders currently have an impressive 7-2 overall record and a solid 3-1 record in the Atlantic Coast League, and with the dominating play of junior Rebecca Goreham (more on her later) and the eye-opening performances of sophomores Siobhan Carnell and Catherine O'Connell, head coach Doug MacFarland's squad is off and running and winning this winter.

Last Friday (1/5), North Quincy defeated Nauset High School, 62-41. Senior point guard Lauren Stille led all scorers with 17 points and Goreham finished the game with 16 points, 17 rebounds and seven assists.

"The whole team is playing great," MacFarland said. "The team played awesome defense against Nauset and the final result reflects that."

North Quincy, whose only league loss was a three point defeat to Falmouth High School (12/22), entered the Nauset game on a high. Three days earlier, the Red Raiders traveled to Marshfield High School to take on the Rams in an important early season ACL contest and won a close game. Carnell, who is averaging 12 points per game in her first year at the varsity level, finished the game with a career high 25 points. Sophomore Catherine O'Connell had ten points for North Quincy in the win, but

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There is a meeting on Thurs., Jan. 11 at 8 p.m. in the Trophy Room to plan a fundraiser: a Calendar of Gifts for the month of February.

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GIRLS' BASKETBALL

the star of the game was Rebecca Goreham.

Goreham, who has been a force for the Red Raiders since becoming a starter as a freshman, eclipsed the previous North Quincy record of twenty rebounds in a game by pulling down twenty-three boards against Marshfield. Goreham also added nine points in the win.

"This was a tough game for us being that it was a league game and it was against Marshfield," MacFarland said. "Carnell was huge for us and for her to be able to come to the varsity level and do what she has been doing is real big for the team. Also, O'Connell (who had missed the three previous games with an injury) came back and provided us with some points, but Rebecca was the story."

Goreham came close to breaking the school record for rebounds in a game earlier in the season when she grabbed 18 boards against Malden High School (12/13), but her monster performance against Marshfield puts her in a class of her own.

Unlike previous years, when opposing defenses could double or triple team Goreham and limit the number of times she touches the ball in a game, this year's team is more rounded. Stille, who continues to provide senior leadership at the point guard position, has played well all season, as has fellow seniors Meagan Therrien, Danielle Kelly, Shannon Malone and Caroline

Cunningham, but the key thus far for the Raiders has been the play of Goreham and Carnell.

"I am very happy with our 7-2 record and I would have been happy with a 6-4 record," MacFarland said. "We have shown that we can play with anyone. Having Carnell and O'Connell playing as well as they are and scoring points, it takes some of the pressure away from Rebecca. Not having her (Goreham) be the only scorer and threat has been good for the whole team because it forces other teams to play a more honest defense."

The Red Raiders played Plymouth North last night (12/9), and before the game Rebecca Goreham was honored at half-court, not for her record breaking rebound performance against Nauset, but because she broke the 20 year school rebound record. The ceremony was a surprise because Goreham did not know that she had broken the record.

"I wanted her to get the rebound record at home against Plymouth North, but the 22 point lead that we had against Nauset was suddenly down to 12 points," MacFarland said. "I needed to get her back in there, but I didn't tell her about the rebound record. She will be surprised with the ceremony."

North Quincy plays this Friday at home against Sandwich High School before traveling down to Plymouth South next Monday.



ELKS FREE THROW Contest Champions (front row) from left: Kayleen Lenihan, Garrett Reynolds and Colin Evans. Middle row: Taylor McKay, Ryan Evans and Joan Ruan. Back row: Recreation Director Barry Welch and Bob Evans, vice chairman of the Park and Recreation Board. Story, other photos on Page 20.

Presidents Rebound With 2 League Wins

The city of Quincy is quickly becoming the hotbed of high school basketball dominance. The Quincy and North Quincy basketball programs, both boys and girls, are rolling through the competitive Atlantic Coast League North Division and all four teams are making a case to be called the best team on the South Shore.

One of these programs is the Quincy girls basketball team which has rebounded from a 2-3 start to their season with two consecutive league wins over Plymouth North and Plymouth South. The Presidents are now 3-0 in the ACL and 4-3 overall.

On Jan. 2, Quincy dispatched of Plymouth North in convincing fashion, 53-33. The Presidents took a 34-18 lead at the break and never looked back. Freshman Leslie Campbell had a breakout game with her first career double-double (14 pts. and 10 rebounds) and junior

Marybeth Torpey added eight points and five blocks. Senior Brigid Kyle came up big with 10 points and junior Meagan Tobin finished the game with nine points.

"The girls proved to the Eagles of Plymouth North that there is indeed another team in the ACL North to be reckoned with," head coach Jeff Bretsch said. "Off the bench the team got an impressive defensive effort from Kathryn Carella and Hilary Mills scored a hoop for the third consecutive game. This was a big win for us against an up-and-coming Plymouth team."

The Presidents completed the Plymouth sweep with a 56-37 win over Plymouth South on Jan. 5. In winning their third straight game, Quincy never trailed, taking an early lead and maintaining it throughout. Campbell, who is quickly becoming one of the top freshmen in the ACL, scored 14 points in the

first half and finished the game with a career high 18 points.

"We cruised to a 34-21 lead at half-time, but the stubborn Panthers refused to give in until we went on a 10-0 run early in the second half," Bretsch said. "The game tonight proved to be a breakout game for junior center Liz Bock. Liz scored eight points and snagged a season-high 13 rebounds. It was a good win and we are now a perfect 3-0 in league play."

Also playing well for Quincy was Tobin (nine points) and Carella (five points).

Quincy takes its perfect league record on the road the next three games. The Presidents played Whitman-Hanson last night (1/9) and next travel to Dennis-Yarmouth on Friday and then have to make the trip to the Cape once again next Monday to play Sandwich High School.

By SEAN BRENNAN

You Auto Know
by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

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During cold and dry climate conditions, the stage is potentially set for static electricity-related incidents at retail gasoline outlets. This situation may occur when there is a buildup of static electricity as a result of re-entering the vehicle during refueling, particularly when the air is cold and dry. If the driver returns to the gasoline pump after re-exiting the vehicle to complete fueling, the static may discharge at the fill point to cause a flash fire or a sustained fire with gasoline vapors. To guard against this possibility, vehicle owners are urged to resist the temptation to get back into their vehicles while fueling in cold, dry weather. Staying outside the vehicle greatly reduces the likelihood of static electricity buildup.

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ELKS FREE THROW Contest second place winners - front row (from left): Molly Minton, Darius Norris and Kyle Richardson. Back row: Recreation Director Barry Welch, Peter Campbell, Jasala Laracuente and Julie Ross.



ELKS FREE THROW Contest third place winners - front row (from left): Tim Keenan, Andy Chen, Sydney MacPherson and Jane Minton. Back row: Recreation Director Barry Welch, Nolan Flynn and Ashley Saunders.

Six Youngsters Win Elks Free Throw Contest

Six Quincy youngsters have taken the first step on the road to the National Championship in the Elks "Hoop Shoot" Free Throw contest sponsored by the Quincy Lodge of Elks 943 and supervised by the Quincy Recreation Department. The champions were crowned at the City Championship in three

age categories.

The champions are Garrett Reynolds and Kayleen Lenihan in the 8-9 age group, Colin Evans and Joanne Ruan in the 10-11 age group and Ryan Evans and Taylor McKay in the 12-13 age group. They all advanced to the District Championship on Jan. 13 in Marshfield, MA.

Boys and girls all over America are involved in the first level of the shoot-off, which consists of shooting 25 free throws, with the best shooters advancing. The Quincy Recreation Department conducts the event in cooperation with the Quincy Lodge of Elks 943.

"For more than 30 years

the Quincy Lodge of Elks has committed its money and more importantly its time to ensuring that the youth of Quincy have the benefits of this fine program. I want to thank the Lodge and the Exalted Ruler, Lorraine D. Coriveau, on behalf of the participants," stated Recreation Director Barry J. Welch.

The Elks provided trophies to all the champions and all participants in the City Championship. Ed Miller, retired Quincy Public Schools Athletic Director, is the Hoop Shoot chairman and oversaw the activities of the championship event. Mr. Robert Evans, vice-chairman of the Parks and Recreation board, assisted Welch in presenting the trophies. Over 250 youngsters took part in the contest which started at local neighborhood gyms.

The runner-ups in each age group were Darius Norris

and Molly Minton in the 8-9 age group, Kyle Richardson and Jasala Laracuente in the 10-11 age group and Peter Campbell and Julie Ross in the 12-13 age group. Third place trophies went to Nolan Flynn and Sydney MacPherson in the 8-9 age group, Tim Keenan and Jane Minton in the 10-11 age group and Andy Chen and Ashley Saunders in the 12-13 age group.

Other Center Champions in the Elks National Free Throw contest were: boys age 8-9: Quinlan Evans, Tyler Sheldon, David Tran, Dayvon Robinson, Joseph Dwyer, Paul Forde and Liam McCarthy. Girls age 8-9: Laqueen Arias, Alexandria Nablam, Mary Elizabeth Duggan and Kate McCormack. Boys age 10-11: Andrew Schaaf, Jackson Lan, Matt Zolowski, Steve Ross, Edward Paulino, Justin Commisky, Anthony

Green, Kenny Kelly, Mike O'Donnell and Michael Bina. Girls age 10-11: Madeline Kamb, Nkechi Kamalu, Leah Prasinos, Breanne Norris, Stacy Gallagher, Kelly McDonald, Stephanie Paulino, Courtney Ryan and Michelle Lee. Boys age 12-13: Raymond Wong, Bobby Lawless, Joe Alibrandi, Emmitt Harrow, Danny Hennessey, Jerry Liu, Chris Keenan and Bobby Kozlowski. Girls age 12-13: Colleen Cox.

Welch also thanks and commends the Recreation Leaders who supervised the Center Championship events at the thirteen school locations. "These leaders are enthusiastic in supporting this program and they encourage each participant to enjoy the 'Hoop Shoot' experience."

The National Championship will be held at the Basketball Hall of Fame in Springfield, MA.

North Sends Message, Defeats Marshfield

By SEAN BRENNAN

It may be way too early in the season to crown the North Quincy Red Raider hockey team as champions of anything, but the team played in and won what can best be called a *statement game* last week against a very talented Marshfield High School team. Last season the Rams were the South Sectional champions, and the Red Raiders missed the postseason for the first time in eight years, so this win was big.

The Red Raiders stormed out to a 4-1 third period lead behind two goals from sophomore sensation Brandon Gilmore, one goal from junior Zac Deegan and a goal from senior captain Jimmy Fitzpatrick.

"This win helped cap off a great week for the team," head coach Bob Doyle said. "Marshfield was the defending champs and we played so well after coming off a bad game against Archbishop Williams the previous game."

North Quincy almost gave the game away in the third period with a slew of penalties and missed opportunities. Marshfield took full advantage of the Raiders' miscues by scoring three times in the third, including the tying goal on the power play with just 55 seconds left in regulation.

"We played well, but once again our lack of discipline almost cost us the game," Doyle said. "Too many costly

HOCKEY

penalties almost cost us, but when it came down to it we made enough plays to earn the win."

The biggest play of the game came courtesy of the stick blade of Fitzpatrick. After Marshfield tied the score at 4-4, North Quincy continued to attack and it paid off when Fitzpatrick skated in on a breakaway with 11 seconds left in the game and netted the game-winner. The goal was the second of the game for the senior captain.

"That was a statement game," Doyle said. "My first line was strong, my goaltender was strong and it really was a big win for the team."

Senior defenseman Ken Patey (two assists) and Joe Canavan (one assist) played a strong game on the backline and junior forward Joe Morris chipped in with an assist. Senior goaltender Max Adams withstood the Rams' onslaught and earned the win between the pipes.

North Quincy finished off their week with another ACL victory over Nauset High School, 5-2. Behind some solid play from sophomore Matt Furey (one goal) and senior Chris Burke (one assist), the Raiders took an early 2-0 lead after one period. Nauset would tie the score at 2-2 with six minutes left in the game, but once again the Raiders dug deep and scored three goals in the final min-

utes of play to earn the victory.

"I didn't call for a timeout after they tied the score at two," Doyle said. "I knew that we had the better team and I just let the kids play it out. To their credit they stayed focused and pulled out the win."

Senior captain Nash Winters finished with two goals and senior forward Josh McKeon also scored for North.

"I was happy for McKeon," Doyle said. "He had several chances in the game, and he kept plugging away and finally scored. He was a key part of the win."

North Quincy, whose record now stands at 3-2 overall and 3-1 in the Atlantic Coast League, has impressed Doyle with their play in the early part of the year, and with three solid lines and good goaltending the Raiders are primed to go far this year.

"The team is coming around and coming together as a group," Doyle said. "We have a tough stretch of league road games, but with our top three lines playing as well as they are and our goaltending standing on its head, we are in good shape moving forward."

After playing at home today (1/10) versus Plymouth North, the Raiders travel to Sandwich on Saturday before returning to the Quincy Youth Arena to take on Scituate High School at 3 p.m. Monday.

Quincy Challenging For League Supremacy

The Quincy Presidents are entering the meat of their 2007 schedule, and for the moment coach Bob Sylvia's young team is in the mix for Atlantic Coast League supremacy. Quincy's record stands at 4-0-1, but Sylvia knows that his team has the ability to get much better.

"We are not close to being where we can be," Sylvia said. "Our defense has been stout (only 76 shots allowed in 5 games), our goaltending, with Bo Craig and Jeff Giordani, has been consistent, and we have had a good scoring balance."

The Presidents earned themselves a quality league win last Wednesday (1/3) on the road against Plymouth North. Quincy, behind goals from Ted Walsh (1), Andrew Bythrow (1) and Mark Gibbody (2), upped their league record to 2-0-1 with a 4-1 victory.

"It was a good game for us because anytime you can win against a Plymouth team it is a plus," Sylvia said. "There is a lot of chaos whenever you play down in Plymouth, but the redline play of Bythrow, Kevin Shea and Zach McCaul was solid. Bythrow played his best game of the season and his goal was big."

The Presidents, who play six of their next seven games against ACL teams, may not be where they want to be, but in a league that is all about competitive balance, Quincy is headed in the right direction.

"This league is so balanced from top to bottom," Sylvia said. "This time of year little things come into play. Factors like injuries, sicknesses and the upcoming eligibility of certain players due to grades closing, will decide how teams perform."

In the ACL, any team can win or lose on any given day. If a team takes us for granted we can beat them, and if we take a team for granted we could lose. But at the moment, North Quincy and Falmouth are the two teams playing the best."

Before Quincy faces-off against their cross-town rivals on Jan. 27, the team will play four home games and two roads tilts. The Presidents travel to Whitman-Hanson (today) before playing four home games against Dennis-Yarmouth (1/13), Blue Hills (1/15 at 11 a.m.), Sandwich (1/17) and Falmouth (1/20).

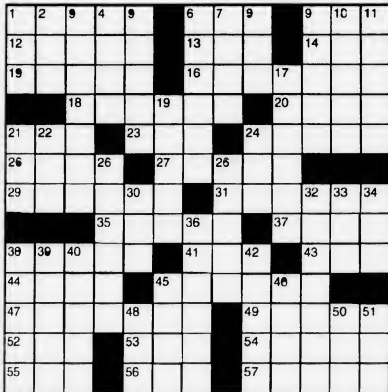
"We may not be where I want us to be, but we still have yet to lose," Sylvia said. "The next couple of weeks will determine how far this team can go."

By SEAN BRENNAN

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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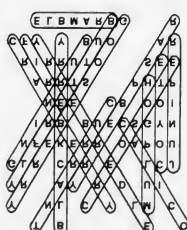
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're eager to move forward with a new challenge that suddenly dropped in your lap. But you'd be wise to take this one step at a time to allow new developments to come through.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You're almost ready to make a commitment. A lingering doubt or two, however, should be resolved before you move ahead. An associate could provide important answers.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Caution is still the watchword as you move closer toward a decision about a new situation. If you act too hastily, you might miss some vital warning signs. Go slowly and stay alert.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Your new goal looks promising, and your golden touch does much to enhance its prospects for success. In your private life, Cupid does his best to make your new relationship special.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) That impatient side of yours is looking to goad you into moving before you're ready to take that big step. Stay calm and cool. Let things fall into place before you act.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A legal matter you hoped could finally be settled could be a pesky problem for a while, until all the parties agree to stop disagreeing with each other. Be patient.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Partnerships — personal or professional — which began before the new year take on new importance. They also reveal some previously hidden risks. So be warned.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your associates are firmly on your side, and that persistent problem that has caused you to delay some activities should soon be resolved to your satisfaction.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Favorable changes continue to dominate, and you should be responding positively as they emerge. Someone wants to become more involved in what you're doing.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A friend wants to share a secret that could answer some questions you've wondered about for a long time. Meanwhile, travel aspects continue to be strong.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Stay on your new course despite so-called well-meaning efforts to discourage you. Rely on your deep sense of self-awareness to guide you to do what's right for you.

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OBITUARIES

Helen Wegelius, 93

Retired Account, Office Manager

A funeral service for Ina Helen (Mitchell) Wegelius, 93, of Norwell, formerly of Weymouth, a retired account and office manager for the former Quincy Adams Yacht Yard, was held Jan. 4 at Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St.

Mrs. Wegelius worked as manager in the accounting office at the former Eastern Engineering Co. of Quincy.

Born in Wilton, Conn., she attended the Gilbert and Bennett School in South Norwalk, Conn., and graduated from Quincy High School, where she played tennis.

Mrs. Wegelius graduated from Merrill Business College in South Norwalk Conn.

She enjoyed the outdoors



HELEN WEGELIUS and traveling to Europe, Hawaii, Alaska and tropical destinations. Mrs. Wegelius enjoyed taking pictures during her travels. She also enjoyed trips to Cape Cod with her sisters and shopping at yard sales along the way.

Wife of the late Arvo Wegelius, she is survived by many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Virginia Sullivan, 67

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Virginia (Czupryna) Sullivan, 67, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a homemaker, was celebrated Jan. 5 at Sacred Heart Church.

Mrs. Sullivan died Jan. 1 at Kindred Northeast Specialty Hospital, Braintree.

Born in Boston, Mrs. Sullivan loved spending time with family. She loved and nurtured animals, children and plants. She enjoyed cooking for family and travel.

She is survived by her husband, John J. Sullivan of Quincy; a sister, Judith Smith of Concord NH; a brother,

James Czupryna of Townsend; two sisters, Margaret Behan of Bethel, ME and Mary Kenney Lewis of Scituate, many nieces, nephews, grand nieces, nephews and cousins. She was the sister of the late Frederick Czupryna.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Donations may be made to the Children's Hospital, Development, 300 Longwood Ave., Boston, MA 02115.

Charles L. Bowe, 77

Cleaning Business Owner

A funeral Mass for Charles L. Bowe, 77, of Quincy, a cleaning business owner, was celebrated Jan. 3 at Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Bowe died Dec. 29 at Quincy Medical Center.

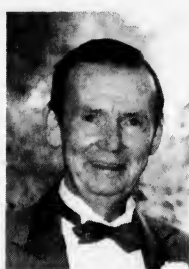
He worked managerial positions before opening his own commercial cleaning company, which he served as owner and operator for more than 35 years.

Born in Worcester, he grew up in Hyde Park and was a 53 year resident of Quincy.

He loved boating and enjoyed his computer and following the stock market. He also enjoyed reading various daily newspapers.

He was very dedicated to the St. Jude organization, and was considered a kind and gentle man who was devoted to his family.

He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Mildred



CHARLES L. BOWE

(Boleza) Bowe of Quincy; two daughters, Carolyn Bowe and Tracey Bowe; and four grandchildren. He was the father of the late Charles "Rick" Bowe.

Burial was in New Calvary Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Donations may be made to the Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Beverly F. LaRocque, 66

Hingham Schools Employee

A private funeral service for Beverly F. (Ballantyne) LaRocque, 66, of Quincy, formerly of Hingham, will be held.

Mrs. LaRocque died Dec. 30 at Quincy Medical Center after a long illness.

She worked for many years in food service for the Hingham Public Schools.

She enjoyed square dancing, sewing and walks on Nantasket Beach.

Born and raised in Weymouth, she lived 30 years in Hingham before moving to Quincy 10 years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Donald F. LaRocque; two daughters, Debra J. Read of Hingham and April R. Bailey of Raynham; a son, Donald F. LaRocque Jr. of Alton, N.H.; and four grandchildren. She was the mother of the late Glen Alan LaRocque.

Burial will be private.

Funeral arrangements were by Downing Cottage Funeral Chapel, Hingham.

Donations may be made to the American Lung Association of Massachusetts, 460 Totten Pond Rd., Suite 400, Waltham, MA 02451-1991.

Gertrude Gaudette, 87

Nurse's Aid

A funeral Mass for Gertrude Margaret Gaudette, 87, of Quincy, a nurse's aid at John Adams Nursing Center for more than 30 years, was celebrated Jan. 5 at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St.

Mrs. Gaudette died Dec. 31 at Boston Medical Center.

She was born in Watertown.

She is survived by a daughter, Carol A. Cronin of Randolph, and a granddaughter.

Burial was in Blue Hills Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were by Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Robert L. D'Alessandro, 62

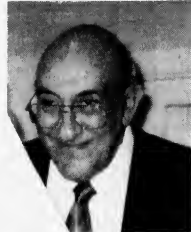
Retired Auto Salesman

A funeral Mass for Robert Louis D'Alessandro, 62, of Taunton, formerly of Quincy and Florida, retired automobile salesman, was celebrated Jan. 4 at Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St.

Mr. Alessandro was employed as an automobile salesman for several dealerships including the former Tom Chevrolet of Norwood. He was recently retired. He was also a former chef and restaurant owner in Florida for several years.

He enjoyed cooking, model railroads and sports. He was an avid Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots fan.

He is survived by four daughters, Lisa Stoler of Gulfport, FL, Sharon D'Alessandro of Palm Harbor, FL, Jennifer D'Alessandro of St. Petersburg, FL and Laurie Cileli of Largo, FL, six grandchildren; a brother, Joseph E. D'Alessandro, of Quincy; three sisters, Mary Sangermano and Yola



ROBERT D'ALESSANDRO

D'Alessandro and Lillian DiBona, all of Quincy; a companion, Susan Gustafson of Taunton and her children; and a former wife, Carol D'Alessandro of Gulfport, FL.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, Inc., 1 Independence Ave.

Donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 330 Congress St., 5th floor, Boston, MA 02210, or to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham MA, 01701-4688.

Isabelle L. Cornell, 76

Retired Dresco Belting Employee

A funeral service for Isabelle L. "Lorraine" (Harding) Cornell, 76, of Quincy, formerly of Weymouth and Rockland, a retired employee of Dresco Belting in Weymouth, was held Jan. 4 at Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St.

Mrs. Cornell died Dec. 31 at the home of her daughter, Laurie A. Gohl, in Plymouth.

She worked at Dresco belting for 48 years.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Weymouth. She enjoyed knitting, traveling, ballroom dancing and following soap operas.

She volunteered at Town Brook House in Quincy, while she lived at Leisure Woods in Rockland.

In addition to her daughter, Laurie, she is survived by two daughters; Donna M. Simon of Norton and Debra L. Woodman of Canton; two sisters, Patricia Shaw of Quincy and Marjorie Petline of Rockland; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were by Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St.

Donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 30 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701, or the Cranberry Hospice, 36 Cordage Park Circle, Plymouth, MA 02360.

Josephine A. DeRoche, 81

Retired Bank Teller

A funeral Mass for Josephine A. DeRoche, 81, of Quincy, a retired bank teller, was celebrated Jan. 4 at St. Susanna's Church, Dedham.

Mrs. DeRoche worked at the former Norfolk County Trust and the former Bay Bank.

She lived in Dedham and Jamaica Plain before moving to Quincy.

Wife of the late Frederick Allen DeRoche; she is survived by a daughter, Carol Ann Samost of Walpole; a son, Frederick Allen DeRoche II of Medfield; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Brookdale Cemetery, Dedham.

Funeral arrangements were by Folsom Funeral Home, Westwood.



SCOTT DEWARE

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Dr. Samuel Johnson's injunction "Keep your friendships in repair" should be applied to books as well as to persons. Books are friends at all times if we treat them well; we can enjoy their companionship when human friends have passed beyond our reach or have grown out of us. In every phase of life they are loyal friends, and, if they show signs of wear, that only proves how much we have cared for them. They repay us by linking youth with middle age and refreshing us in our later years as they inspired us in our earlier years. Unlike friends who never answer letters, our books always speak when we open them.

Books are keys to wisdom's treasure.

Books are gates to lands of pleasure.

Books are paths that upward lead.

Books are friends. Come let us read.*

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Claudia L. Paluccio**Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Claudia L. (Miller) Paluccio, 71, of Braintree, formerly of Mansfield and Quincy, a homemaker and previously a retail employee, was celebrated Monday at Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St.

Mrs. Paluccio died suddenly at William W. Backus Hospital, Norwich, CT.

She worked many years in the retail industry, and was the owner of the former Claudia's Children's Shop in Braintree for several years.

Born in Mansfield, she was raised and educated there, and was a graduate of Mansfield High School. She lived in Braintree for 47 years, previously in Quincy.

She enjoyed reading and traveling.

She is survived by her husband, Matthew V. Paluccio; two daughters, Lori DiBona Corner of Abington and Lisa DiBona Dee of Palm Coast, FL; two sons, Jeff DiBona of

**CLAUDIA L. PALUCCIO**

Glastonbury, CT and Steve DiBona of Taunton, a stepson, Robert Paluccio of Weymouth; a step daughter, Maureen Kahler of Beddington, ME; a sister, Marilyn Martineau of Attleboro; three brothers, Richard Miller of Egg Harbor, NJ, Ronald Miller of Mansfield and Gary Miller of Raleigh, NC; and twelve grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, Inc., 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Frances G. Brinkert, 78**Waitress**

A funeral Mass for Frances "Fran" G. (McClutchy) Brinkert, 78, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy and Roxbury, a waitress, was celebrated Jan. 4 at St. Jerome's Church, Weymouth.

Mrs. Brinkert died Jan. 1 at Carney Hospital, Boston. She was a waitress for Dee Restaurant in Quincy for 20 years, retiring in 1991.

She grew up in Roxbury and moved to Quincy where she lived before moving to Weymouth, where she was a resident for 20 years.

She volunteered for the Meals on Wheels program, and volunteered to serve seniors during Thanksgiving holidays.

She enjoyed weekly card games with her friends, the Red Sox and the New England Patriots.

Wife of the late Edward

Victoria Burack, 90**Retired Clerk**

A funeral Mass for Victoria (Marcoaldi) Burack, 90, of Quincy, a retired clerk for the City of Boston, was celebrated Monday at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mrs. Burack died Jan. 4 at The Atrium at The Falls in Quincy.

She worked for the City of Boston for more than 20 years.

Born in Fitchburg, she was raised and educated in Needham. She lived in Mattapan for many years before moving to Quincy three years ago.

She loved to garden and travel.

Mrs. Burack and her late husband of 58 years, Bronislaw J. Burack, were well known in their neighborhood for an extensive backyard rock garden.

She is survived by a sister, Virginia M. Connerney of Braintree; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Roslindale.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home.

Rachel D. Ray, 80

A funeral service for Rachel D. Ray, 80, of Quincy, was held Wednesday at Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Mrs. Ray died Jan. 3 at Quincy Medical Center.

She is survived by her husband of 30 years, Frank Hennigan; a son, David Ray of Providence; a sister, Louise Raymond of Quincy; a grandchild; and many nieces and nephews.

Annette E. Hamilton, 83**Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Annette E. (DiBona) Hamilton, 83, of Plymouth, formerly of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Jan. 2 at Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St.

Mrs. Hamilton died suddenly Dec. 30 at Jordan Hospital in Plymouth.

As a young woman and during World War II, Mrs. Hamilton was a singer in various bands throughout the South Shore area.

She was currently an active member of the Plymouth Fitness Club.

She lived in Plymouth since 1985, previously in Quincy for many years.

Wife of the late George S. Hamilton, she is survived by two daughters, Karen M. Ross of Scituate and Jeanne H. Schmidt of Marshfield; a

**ANNETTE E. HAMILTON**

sister, Claire F. Robbins of Wareham; four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave.

Donations may be made to the charity of one's choice.

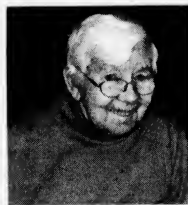
Margaret M. Luzzi, 90**Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Margaret M. "Margie" (Peletsky) Luzzi, 90, formerly of Wollaston, a homemaker, was celebrated Jan. 4 at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St.

Mrs. Luzzi died Dec. 31 at St. Clare Home in Newport.

She enjoyed traveling with her late husband and visiting family across the country. She enjoyed golf and games such as bridge and mah-jongg, an ancient Chinese game.

Wife of the late Rocco V. Luzzi; she is survived by three sons, Robert Luzzi of Sherwood, Md., Donato Luzzi of Portsmouth, R.I. and James Luzzi of Corona, Calif.; a sister, Ann Flaherty of Weymouth; 11 grandchildren and two great-grand-

**MARGARET M. LUZZI**

children.

Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Boston. Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Donations may be made to St. Clare Home, 309 Spring St., Newport, RI 02840, or to the Visiting Nurses Services Hospice, 1186 E. Main Rd., Portsmouth RI 02871.

**Phyllis
Bucchianeri
Bookkeeper**

A funeral Mass for Phyllis R. (Munroe) Bucchianeri, 68, of Quincy, a retired bookkeeper, was celebrated Tuesday at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. Bucchianeri died Jan. 5 at Quincy Medical Center after a brief illness.

She was a full charge bookkeeper in the automobile business for many years.

Born and raised in Quincy, she was a graduate of Quincy High School and a lifelong resident of the city.

Wife of the late Albert A. Bucchianeri, she is survived by two sons, Paul A. Bucchianeri of Brockton and Scott A. Bucchianeri of North Quincy, and nine grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Robert H. Rogg, 83**Retired General Electric Employee
World War II Veteran**

A funeral Mass for Robert "Bubba" H. Rogg, 83, of Wollaston and No. Falmouth, a retired General Electric employee producing jet engines and World War II veteran, was celebrated Monday at St. Ann's Church.

Mr. Rogg died Jan. 4 after a brief illness.

He worked in General Electric in Lynn where he was involved with the production of jet engines for 33 years.

He joined the U.S. Navy as a teen and served aboard PT boats as a First Class Torpedo man during World War II, serving in the South Pacific and Philippines.

He served his country for 43 years of combined service. He served in the Army Reserve and was part of the Quartermaster Corps of the 373rd General Hospital Division, attaining a rank of CW4.

Born in New York City, he grew up in New York. As a child he sang soprano in the N.Y. All Boy Choir. He moved to Dorchester after meeting his wife, and moved to Wollaston in 1949.

As an adult he earned his GED and his Associates in Engineering and Bachelor of Science in business management from Northeastern University.

He was a member of the Reserve Officers Assn. of America, a Cub Scout Cub Master, a member of N.Q. Knights of Columbus, St. Ann's Parish, St. Ann's School Building Committee, men's bowling league, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish where he is a member of the Men's Club and serves as an usher.

**ROBERT H. ROGG**

He enjoyed his "tar paper shack" on Silver Beach, North Falmouth, offering advice, doing odd jobs and spending time with his grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Teresa M. (Sheehan); three daughters, Teresa M. Rogg and Elizabeth A. Burrell of Quincy and Dorothy A. Lewis of South Weymouth; two sons, William J. Rogg of Rockland; six grandsons, Robert J. Rogg Jr. of Long Branch, NJ, Jeffrey A. Burrell, Jr. of Randolph, Lt. Wayne G. Lewis Jr. of Oak Harbor, WA., Jennifer > Rogg of Eatontown, NJ, Katie Ann Lewis of Weymouth and Jillian Rogg of Rockland; three great-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews. He was the father of the late Robert J. Rogg.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Donations may be made to the American Liver Foundation, New England Chapter, 88 Winchester St., Newton, MA 02461.

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RELIGION

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have Sunday worship service and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C.

Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "His Holy Being."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the

service in the Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Fiber Arts Group At Squantum First Church

The Fibert Arts group meets every Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. to noon in the church parlor at the First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., Squantum.

All those who have an in-

terest in knitting, rug hooking and any other handcraft are welcome to attend.

Instruction is available to beginning knitters to rug hookers.

The Men's Breakfast meets every Saturday morning at 8 a.m. in the church hall.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy announce a Catholic Women's Prayer Group meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Parish

Center, 22 Pray St., Quincy Point.

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship with Christ.

All are welcome.

For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Veterans Adviser At Council On Aging Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednes-

day to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no

longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats. Call 617-376-1506.

Free Showing Of 'An Inconvenient Truth' At United First Parish Church Friday

The Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations voted at its annual meeting in 2006 to keep the fight against global warming high on its list of priorities.

In an effort to bring this topic to the local community, United First Parish Church of Quincy will hold a viewing and discussion of Al Gore's documentary, *An Inconvenient Truth* Friday, Jan. 12 at 7 p.m.

The film's showing will be preceded by a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m.

Both the supper and the showing will take place in the parish hall at 1306 Hancock St., Quincy Square, across from City Hall.

For more information, call 617-773-1290. No registration is required. All are welcome.

At the annual meeting, a Statement of Consciousness

approved on the topic of global warming reads: "Earth is our home. We are part of this world and its destiny is our own. Life on this planet will be gravely affected unless we embrace new practices, ethics, and values to guide our lives on a warming planet. . . As a people of faith, we commit to a renewed reverence for life and respect for the interdependent web of all existence."

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church 40 Beale St. Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible Study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Joanne Nolan. The ushers are Jeanne Couillard and Dottie Hall.

The coffee hour hosts are Kelly Cobble, Nancy Valorz and Jeannie O'Connor.

The family movie night

scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 20 has been cancelled.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Overeaters Anonymous Group Meets Here

Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step program for recovering from compulsive overeating.

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Walter S. Bonavita, 73

EMS Deputy Superintendent

A funeral Mass for Walter S. Bonavita, 73, of Quincy, formerly of Roxbury, a retired deputy superintendent of Boston EMS at Boston City Hospital, was celebrated Tuesday at St. John's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Bonavita died Jan. 6 at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Facility in Quincy.

Born in Boston, he lived in Roxbury before moving to Quincy 38 years ago. He lived part-time in North Fort Meyers, Fla.

He was employed by the Boston Police Department as a deputy superintendent of Boston EMS at Boston City Hospital for 43 years. He retired in 2000.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 06P1857GI

In the Matter Of
JEAN HALTER
OF QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN**

To JEAN HALTER of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said JEAN HALTER of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally ill person and praying that JEWISH FAMILY & CHILDREN'S SERVICES of WALTHAM in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve without surety of the person - and property - with the authority to administer antipsychotic medications in accordance with the treatment plan for reasons more fully set forth in said petition.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 7, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 27, 2006.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

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He served in the U.S. Air Force after high school.

Mr. Bonavita was a great tennis player.

He was an avid fan of the Red Sox and Patriots.

He enjoyed being with his family.

He is survived by his wife, Susan M. (Cassidy) Bonavita of Quincy; a daughter, Stacy M. Mackey of Quincy; a son, Steven M. Bonavita of Palmer; two brothers, Joseph Bonavita of Hanover and Richard Bonavita of Cape Cod; and a sister, Alice McHugh of Milton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 55584, Boston, MA 02205-5584.

Vets Adviser

At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 06P3133EP

In the Estate of
JOHN V. CREMIN
Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

November 27, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JOSEPH CREMIN of MARLBORO in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 7, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 27, 2006.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

1/11/07

Elinore P. Ryan

A funeral Mass for Elinore P. (O'Neil) Ryan of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mrs. Ryan died Jan. 4 at Quincy Medical Center, Quincy.

Born in Boston, she had lived in Boston before moving to Quincy 56 years ago.

Wife of the late Joseph H. Ryan, she is survived by a sister, Dorothy Wood of

Gray, Maine.

She was the mother of the late Joel L. Ryan and sister of the late Anne Lee and the late Audrey Crosby.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Wollaston.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 04P2782EP

In the Estate of
CARMELITA MCGUINN
Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
August 19, 2004

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that DEBORAH ARMSTRONG of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JANUARY 31, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, December 22, 2006.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

1/11/07

NOTICES OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 06-097

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 23, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of James E. Schlager for an Amended Special Permit to allow the premises to be used daily for law enforcement and emergency towing services without restrictions related to such use.

The parcels of land are located at 299-321 Centre Street, Quincy and are shown as Plots 1 and 13 on Assessors' plan 3095-3096.

John Garland, Chairman

1/4, 1/11/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 06-098

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Jack Garland, Chairman

1/4, 1/11/07

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Jack Garland, Chairman

1/4, 1/11/07

CORRECTION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CORRECTION

CASE NO. 06-100

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 23, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Christine Psota for a Variance to construct a two-story addition in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 56 CENTRE STREET, QUINCY.

Jack Garland, Chairman

1/11, 1/18/07

INVITATION TO BID

CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Public Works

INVITATION TO BID

The Purchasing Department for the City of Quincy, Massachusetts will receive sealed bids for **2007 Water Main Replacement Project** until 11:00 AM local time **January 24, 2007**, in the offices of the Purchasing Agent, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The scope of work includes construction of approximately 3,200 linear feet of 16-inch, 3,700 linear feet of 12-inch and 5,900 linear feet of 6- and 8-inch ductile iron water main, transfer of water services, replacement of all non-copper water services in the street, and construction of hydrant assemblies and appurtenances. Most of the existing water main will be removed and replaced with the new water main, thus requiring the installation of temporary water service during construction. Approximately 1,300 linear feet of the 16-inch water main will be installed within Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) owned right-of-way of Willard Street. Approximately 550 linear feet of the 16-inch water main will be installed within Massachusetts Highway Department (MHD) owned right-of-way of Willard Street.

All work under this contract shall be completed within two hundred ten days (210) calendar days from issuing the Notice to Proceed. The 210 days from the Notice to Proceed excludes winter shutdown, between November 15, 2006 and April 15, 2007.

A **refundable deposit of \$50.00** in cash or check payable to the City of Quincy, shall be required for each set of Contract Documents. Bidders requesting Contract Documents by mail shall also include an additional **non-refundable mail fee of \$20.00** in cash or check payable to the City of Quincy. The Contract Documents may be obtained during the business hours of 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM at the Purchasing Department, 1305 Hancock St., Quincy, MA 02169 after Monday, January 1, 2007.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total value of the bid in the form of bid bond or certified/treasurer's check. The selected contractor shall furnish a performance bond and payment bond in the amount of 100% of the contract price.

The bidding and award of this contract shall be in full compliance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30, Section 39M, as last revised. All Federal, State and City of Quincy regulations in relation to Minority Business Enterprise, Women's Business Enterprise, Minority Work Force, Equal Employment Opportunity, Employment of Quincy Residents and Prevailing Wage Rates shall apply. The City reserves the right to waive any informality or to reject any or all bids when such an action is deemed in the best interests of the City. **Non-responsive and/or unbalanced bids may be rejected.**

William J. Phelan
Mayor

1/11/07

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Downtown Plan Takes Another Step Forward

(Cont'd From Page 1)

Kai Lau, part owner of the Quincy Fair Mall property, said he was all for the revitalization plan but expressed

concerns that the Asian community had difficulty understanding such terms as "eminent domain" and "land-taking."

"Give us some idea how the eminent domain process works," he said. "We don't know how the process starts until the appraiser comes

down. We don't understand how the compensation is worked out."

Annie Johnson, the community activist and founder of the Farmers' Mar-

ket in Quincy Center, resorted to quoting Oliver Wendell Holmes to express her approval of the plan.

"The greatest thing in the world is not so much where

you stand but what direction you are moving," she told the Council hearing. "You are moving in the right direction."

Thank You!

We thank everyone for the "Super" reception and the numerous fine comments relating to the recent 54th Christmas Parade. Thank you to all the parade participants who make this annual event a continuing milestone achievement.

Christmas Festival Committee Members



Grand Prize Float Winner, The Father Thomas Tierney Trophy and \$1500. Woodward School for Girls presented the winning float.



The Parade as it proceeds along the approximate 3 mile route.

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from the
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ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

- Monday, Jan. 15**
Martin Luther King's Birthday - No School.
- Tuesday, Jan. 16**
Early release day - no lunch served.
- Wednesday, Jan. 17**
Egg and cheese bagel sandwich, potato puffs, fresh fruit or juice.
- Thursday, Jan. 18**
Pasta with meat sauce (ground beef and pork), hot vegetable, dinner roll, fruit cup.
- Friday, Jan. 19**
Fajita chicken strips, steamed rice, hot vegetable, fresh fruit or juice, Scooby Doo cookies.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

- Monday, Jan. 15**
Martin Luther King's Birthday - No School.
- Tuesday, Jan. 16**
Grilled chicken cutlet on a whole wheat roll, oven baked fries, pineapple cup.
- Wednesday, Jan. 17**
Cheese omelet on a biscuit, cup of tomato soup, sweet potato pie cup.
- Thursday, Jan. 18**
Kentucky style chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, hot vegetable, dinner roll, cranberry sauce.
- Friday, Jan. 19**
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The New Look



THIS 50-FOOT flagpole was erected at the Fore River traffic rotary Tuesday by the City Park Department, replacing the Granite Ball which had been there 68 years until it was moved back to City Hall last June. The flagpole has a yardarm from which the state and city flags will also fly. A Navy ship anchor is also sought to be placed at the base. The flag was raised and then lowered to half-staff in honor of President Gerald Ford.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

From Buildings To Weeds

Coughlin Ordinance Aimed At Ending Neighborhood Blight

By TOM HENSHAW

The old Wollaston Foundry building, once occupied by the Pneumatic Scale Company but now abandoned for at least a decade, rankled on Kevin Coughlin for years.

He recalled an article in a 25-year-old magazine that warned:

"If a window in a building is broken and left unrepaired all the rest of the windows will soon be broken and left unrepaired."

"One unrepaired window is a sign that no one cares, so breaking more windows costs nothing."

"Unattended property becomes fair game for people out for fun or plunder."

Now that he is city councillor from Ward 3, where the battered old foundry building is located, Coughlin is finally in a position to do something about it.



KEVIN COUGHLIN

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The result is the Neighborhood Property Preservation Ordinance defining blight and how to deal with it which Coughlin was scheduled to file with the Council Tuesday night.

"I started two and a half years ago," he said, "researching municipal ordinances and programs, I

cherry-picked the best ideas from them."

"Polite efforts by neighbors to have blight cleaned up have been met with silence. I'm trying to get a dialogue to bring owners to the table with neighbors so they can work together."

The proposed property preservation ordinance defines blight as "any condition that is detrimental to the public health, safety or general welfare or that constitutes a public nuisance."

And "any condition of deterioration or disrepair that creates a substantial adverse impact on neighboring properties."

No-nos include, among others, the accumulation of rubbish or weeds that constitute a safety hazard or detract from the aesthetics and value of neighboring property, including grass that is more than 12 inches high.

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Saturday At Mound Street Beach

You're Invited To Take The John Hancock Plunge

Attention all you hearty souls.

The John Hancock Birthday Plunge is set for Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Mound Street Beach, Quincy Point.

"You're all invited," says Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly, chairman of the sponsoring Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission.

Proceeds will go to the Interfaith Social Services. Registration fee is \$10.

The event coincides with

Hancock's birth Jan. 23, 1737.

The Quincy born patriot was the first signer of the Declaration of Independence and later became governor of Massachusetts.

Kelly feels Hancock doesn't get the recognition he deserves, thus the John Hancock Plunge.

He is also planning a John Hancock penmanship contest for elementary school students.

The names of those registering for the Hancock Plunge will be entered into drawings for prizes. There will be hot refreshments.

Those taking the plunge are asked to make a \$10 check payable to Interfaith Social Services and send it to Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, care of Chickie Abdallah, 48 Silver St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Or bring one Saturday.

MLK Breakfast Celebration

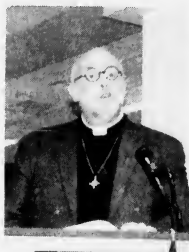
Quincy Asian Community Challenge Of King Legacy

The Rev. David Heffling, rector of St. Chrysostom's Church in Wollaston, warned that "the challenges facing Quincy in terms of its rapidly growing Asian population are exactly what Dr. King's legacy is about."

Heffling was the keynote speaker before some 150 people at the 11th annual Martin Luther King Jr. Breakfast Celebration in the cafeteria of North Quincy High School.

In spite of growing diversity, he said, "at work, in our neighborhoods and socially, we continue to interact primarily with people from our own races."

"Our 'limited' socialization and interaction patterns only exacerbate the issues of distance and mistrust."



REV. DAVID HEFFLING explains how Martin Luther King Jr.'s legacy applies in Quincy in the 21st century.



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN welcomes the MLK Jr. breakfasters to the North Quincy High cafeteria.

"A recent study by the University of Massachusetts states that the potential for change depends on the frequency of interaction among and between the peoples of various races."

"Imagine that? The amount of time you spend with people from other races does affect whether or not you are going to change your views!"

"As Dr. King said so



AWARD WINNERS. Human Rights Commission members David Ezickson and Nancy MacDonald were given awards as longtime community activists at the breakfast. Left to right, Dorothy Vitale, director of Elder Initiatives in the District Attorney's office, Ezickson, MacDonald, District Attorney William Keating and Assistant District Attorney David Rafterly.

many years ago, 'People are not easily moved from their mental ruts or purged of their prejudiced and irrational feelings. The key word is respect.'

"Martin Luther King Jr.'s dream was not just about equal rights for all people, but of people living and working together in harmony."

The breakfast, held annually on the holiday named for the slain civil rights leader, is the largest and most visible activity of the Quincy Human Rights Commission.

Awards were presented to longtime commission members David Ezickson, the vice chairperson, and Nancy

MacDonald, the secretary. Musical presentations were made by Germantown Neighborhood Center Chorus and Andrew and the Expressions, who sang spirituals and civil rights songs.

Welcoming remarks were delivered by Ann Yeomans, the moderator, Mayor William Phelan and Norfolk District Attorney William Keating.

Special guest at the celebration was the Right Rev. Gayle Elizabeth Harris, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts.

"For many years," said the Rev. Heffling, "the bishops of the Episcopal Church have been dealing with and

continue to address the issue of racism."

"In 1994, the clergy received a pastoral letter regarding the 'sin of racism.'"

"What the bishops wrote, and which is especially pertinent to us here today . . . was that the essence of racism is 'prejudice coupled with power . . . prejudice coupled with power.'"

"It's rooted in pride and exclusivity which assumes that 'I and my kind are superior to others and therefore deserve special privileges.' Racism is pervasive. It continues to plague our common lives with corrosive effects."

"Just last month, Justice

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THE GERMANTOWN Neighborhood Center Chorus entertained at the breakfast.

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Gutro Calls Meeting On Eventide Rezoning

City Council President Doug Gutro has called a neighborhood meeting regarding proposed rezoning for redevelopment at the William B. Rice Eventide Home, 215 Adams St.

The meeting will be held Tuesday, Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. in the gymnasium at the Bernazzani School, 701 Furnace Brook Parkway.

The Eventide Home is located in Ward 5, represented by Gutro in the City Council.

Eventide plans to raze its

present Colonial style building and build one similar to it but larger.

Eventide is seeking to have the property rezoned from Residence A to Planned Unit Development.

Gutro said there have been two neighborhood meetings and three open houses at Eventide but this will be the first meeting regarding the rezoning.

Residents, he said, are concerned over the request for the PUD zoning and

would like to know why it is needed.

Gutro has asked City Solicitor Monica Conyngham and Jay Duca, Director of Inspectional Services to attend the meeting and provide an overview of what the PUD zoning designation would permit and the process.

He is also asking representatives from Eventide to explain why they are seeking to change the zoning for the redevelopment project.



CRONIN'S PUBLIC HOUSE on Des Moines Road erupts after Patriots rookie kicker Stephen Gostkowski hits the winning field goal for a thrilling 24-21 victory over San Diego. Vicky Cook (#12) and bartender Paula Donovan give the "It's Good" signal as Kevin McGroarty, Charlie McNamee and Liz Gallagher cheer. Cronin's served over 900 of their famous ten-cent-wings during the game and expects to serve over 1000 wings during this Sunday's AFC championship game against the Colts. (Trish Bossart photo)

Inspectional Services Moving To 55 Sea St.

The City's Inspectional Services Department will move to 55 Sea St. Monday, Jan. 29.

All of the phone numbers, fax numbers, and email addresses to reach department personnel will remain the same.

Included in the move are Director of Inspectional Services Jay Duca, the building inspectors, plans examiner, conservation officer, code enforcement officer, plumbing inspectors, wire inspectors, and all associated support staff.

The office, currently located in a privately owned building at 1595 Hancock St., is being moved to save

taxpayers from having to pay rent for municipal office space. The Health Department is expected to be moved from the same location later this spring.

"We are constantly searching for ways to cut our costs and save taxpayers' dollars," said Mayor William Phelan. "By reorganizing our existing space we can save more than \$175,000 in the upcoming budget. I will continue to look for ways to implement similar savings to our taxpayers in the coming year."

The Department of Public Works office was reorganized and relocated to allow for the Inspectional Services'

space. The main office for the DPW will remain at 55 Sea St., with supporting staff and managers being moved to another building inside the 55 Sea St. complex.

The main contact number for Inspectional Services is (617) 376-1450.

Drug Program For Mothers Jan. 30

The Mayor's Commission on Women will present a program on alcohol and drug abuse by children Tuesday, Jan. 30, at 7 p.m. in the Richard Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

Ted Stevenson will dis-

cuss in a realistic, non-sense format the tell-tale signs that a child maybe tak-

ing drugs and what a mother can do about it. The program is free of charge.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Jan. 21, 1789, the first novel by an American writer to be published in America is printed in Boston. The first edition of the book, "The Power of Sympathy or the Triumph of Nature Founded in Truth," was a thinly veiled account of the seduction and suicide of a young woman.

• On Jan. 18, 1912, after a two-month ordeal, the expedition of British explorer Robert Falcon Scott arrives at the South Pole, only to find that Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer, had preceded them by just over a month. The frozen bodies of Scott and his two companions were recovered eight months later, 11 miles from base camp.

• On Jan. 17, 1949, the first Volkswagen Beetle in the U.S. arrives from Germany. The little Volkswagen ("people's car") was a sturdy vehicle designed by Ferdinand Porsche at the request of Adolf Hitler. Its reputation for affordable reliability made it a profitable export.

• On Jan. 19, 1953, 44 million viewers, a full 72 percent of all U.S. homes with a television, tune in to episode

No. 56 of the popular '50s television sitcom "I Love Lucy." In "Lucy Goes to the Hospital," Lucy Ricardo, famously played by Lucille Ball, gives birth to a son.

• On Jan. 16, 1963, Los Angeles' first disco, Whiskey-A-Go-Go, opens on Sunset Boulevard. The underground disco subculture turned into a national sensation when the film "Saturday Night Fever" was released in 1977.

• On Jan. 15, 1974, the first episode of "Happy Days" airs. The show portrayed the comic antics of 1950s Milwaukee high-school student Richie Cunningham and his pal Potsie Weber. A minor character, super-cool biker Arthur "the Fonz" Fonzarelli, soon came to be the show's central character.

• On Jan. 20, 1984, movie star and champion swimmer Johnny Weissmuller dies. He starred in MGM's Tarzan movies, starting with "Tarzan the Ape Man" in 1932 and continuing through the late 1940s.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

A Double Milestone For Fr. Bill

Father Bill will mark a double milestone in a life and priesthood humbly dedicated to the homeless and needy.

His 80th birthday and the 55th anniversary of his ordination will be celebrated Saturday, Feb. 10.

Father Bill, of course, is Fr. William McCarthy, former pastor of St. John's Church who inspired the founding of Father Bill's Place, the Quincy Interfaith shelter for the homeless which was named in his honor.

He will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving at 4 p.m. Feb. 10 at St. John's Church, Quincy Center. A reception and dinner will follow at 5:30 p.m. at The Lantana, Scannlon Drive, Randolph.

Tickets are \$55 per person. Tables of 10 are available at \$500. They may be obtained by calling (617) 770-3314, ext. 233.

Proceeds from the dinner and program book will go to Father Bill's Place to help continue giving shelter to the homeless and providing other needed services.

The first shelter was an emergency one opened in 1984 in the basement of the Salvation Army's Quincy Temple Corps., housing five men.

That same year a larger shelter was opened in the basement of St. John's School.

In 1988, the Quincy Interfaith Sheltering Coalition obtained the old Registry of Motor Vehicles building on Broad Street and in 1997 built an addition.

The facility today has 104 beds, 79 for men, and 25 for women. In the winter it's a "full house."

It takes a lot of fundraising to keep Father Bill's Place open and operating.

And, Father Bill is usually at the forefront in that department, never missing an opportunity to raise a few dollars.

"He has his hand in your pocket but you really don't mind," one admirer said. "When I see him coming, I automatically take out my checkbook," said another.

And Father Bill likes to tell a joke on himself. The one about retired Quincy police officer Tim Tobin, who asked him if he had a gun permit.

"What do I need a gun permit for?" Father Bill asked. "For all the people you hold up," Tobin replied kiddingly.

Fr. McCarthy, a native of a Haverhill, was ordained in 1952 by Cardinal Richard Cushing. After assignments at St. Rose in Chelsea and St. Gregory's in Dorchester, he was named pastor of St. John's Church Feb. 1, 1977.

He served 18 years at St. John's before retiring as pastor in 1995. But he's far from retired, helping out at parishes on the Cape where he lives and fondly watching

over things at Father Bill's Place.

His generosity to those in need has long been legendary. He literally and figuratively will give you the shirt off his back. And if it doesn't fit he will go out and get you one that does.

While he was at St. John's, many came knocking at the rectory door in need of financial assistance. The door was always open to them.

There's also the story about the time a flustered housekeeper came running to tell him that a bed and blankets were missing.

That didn't exactly surprise him. He had given them to a needy Quincy family.

Fr. McCarthy has had a few honors in the past.

He was The Quincy Sun's "Citizen of The Year" in 1994. And in 2004, received the first Rabbi Jacob Mann Social Service Award presented by the Quincy District Court. Rabbi Mann was the spiritual leader of Beth Israel Synagogue for nearly 62 years.

There have been other honors, too.

But perhaps a former homeless drug addict-once so desperate he even planned suicide-knows better than anyone else what Father Bill is all about.

Brian Taylor was one of the lesser known of some 500 people honoring Father Bill at his Golden Jubilee reception at the Quincy Marriott in 2002.

Noting the notables on the podium with him-including a congressman, two mayors, a former mayor, a city councillor and a bank CEO, Taylor said quietly:

"Because of Father Bill, I feel as important as they are."

A friend had told him about Father Bill's Place. "The night I went there I was going to commit suicide," Taylor said.

But the warm welcome and the help he received at the shelter and from the man for whom it is named, he got his life turned around, he said.

"If I could be half the man Father Bill is, I would be a great man. Father Bill is a true hero."

And with that, he walked over to Father Bill and gave him a hug.

There are those who wish Father Bill's Place would relocate. Like somewhere out of Quincy. And take the homeless there.

To which Father Bill says:

"Homeless people are not only those we see on the street, alleyways and village greens, but also people who had professional and high paying jobs in the community such as doctors, engineers, lawyers, bankers, etc.

"We don't criticize those people until we have walked in their shoes.

"There but for the grace of God go all of us."

READERS FORUM

Thinks Curtain Should Come Down On First Night

In due respect to Quincy Mayor Phelan, I hope he would seriously consider cancelling Quincy's First Night celebration for the near future.

The event the last few years has been an embarrassment to the city. A few ice sculptures, a "parade" that has just a few cars and lasts, maybe, five minutes.

City money wasted on police details, and inconvenience to drivers who must detour around closed streets. Who's benefiting? No one

but the merchants who are "cashing in."

Who suffers? Quincy taxpayers who pay for this spectacle, and the city's image; word gets around, and

fewer and fewer people show up.

Please, Mayor Phelan, put this event on the shelf until they either raise more money and/or attract or create bet-

ter ideas. One idea is to have a much smaller event inside, maybe at one of the high school's auditorium, or at the Sons of Italy facility.

Gene Lee
Putnam St.

The Flag At Half-Staff

On Wednesday, Jan. 3 as I drove through Wollaston Center I looked up at those flag poles and saw the American flag flying at half-staff on one of the poles. The other pole bare.

If I can protest the United Chinese Association group

over one flag in 2006, I can commend the same group for respecting the life and death of former President Gerald Ford.

This action in Wollaston Center is to be commended.

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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1910 real photo postcard showing the old wooden Wollaston School that was on the corner of Winthrop Avenue and Beale Street. In 1871 when the Wollaston Heights area was first developed the first school was held in an old land office. Then, in 1873, the land company built the small building shown here on the left with two classrooms. The then Town of Quincy rented and furnished it and hired the teach-

ers. The larger section shown here in the foreground was an 1890 addition built and paid for by the new City of Quincy. The present brick Wollaston School was built in 1912 and the building shown here was demolished. This site is now known as Safford Park. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.
From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Because It Does Matter

Every spring in an annual ritual, residents across Quincy gather in neighborhoods throughout the city to clean lots, parks, school yards and other public places as part of Cleaner Greener.

Contemporaneously, groups like the Wollaston Garden Club and the Seaside Gardeners strike out on their regular mission, in concert with the city's Park Department and DPW, in an effort to make our city cleaner, more attractive and aesthetically appealing, raking, sweeping, picking up leaves and trash, and planting flowers.

Today, on a cold January day, when the landscape looks so barren, as I watched two Park Department workers pick up trash at Bishop's Field in Montclair, I thought of all the people who walk by the field oblivious to the hard work so many volunteers put into it each spring and city workers put forth the rest of the year. I thought about the fact that in a few months when activity blossoms at this park, the dog excrement will have sprouted, more leaves will need to be removed, trash will be gathered, and much of our hard work will appear to have been for nothing.

So, who wouldn't ask themselves "why bother? What is this all for?"

Then I looked down and across Holbrook Road at the old Wollaston Foundry Building, a building that has laid essentially dormant for years. Windows are broken, trash surrounds it; it's ne-

glected condition shows contempt for the neighborhood every day this building, that sits at the gateway from Newport Ave. to my neighborhood, continues to disintegrate. It reflects poorly on our neighborhood and is insulting to all the people who live and care about this area. A few interested parties have wanted to redevelop this site, but have been rebuffed by the owner. One proposal was for attractive traditional two family housing that would greatly improve the neighborhood.

It is easy to boil the effects of this blighted building, the trash in the city park, the people who don't clean up after their pets in the street, the overgrown and uncared for yards throughout a neighborhood down to something as simple as the impact on property value. Although this impact weighs on my mind as both a resident and city official, it is my recollection of Malcom Gladwell's *The Tipping Point* that helped remind me why we clean up each spring. In his book where he seeks to understand and explain the incredible decline in crime in New York in the 1990s, he attributes the decline in great part to an approach taken by the NYPD inspired by the "broken window hypothesis" referenced in this excerpt:

"Some of the best new ideas in preventing violence borrow heavily from the principles of epidemic theory. Take, for example, the so-called 'broken window' hypothesis that has

been used around the country as the justification for cracking down on 'quality of life' crimes like public urination and drinking. In a famous experiment conducted 27 years ago by the Stanford University psychologist Philip Zimbardo, a car was parked on a street in Palo Alto, where it was sat untouched for a week. At the same time, Zimbardo had an identical car parked in a roughly comparable neighborhood in the Bronx, only in this case the license plates were removed and the hood was propped open. Within a day, it was stripped. Then, in a final twist, Zimbardo smashed on the Palo Alto's windows with a sledgehammer. Within a few hours, that car, too, was destroyed.

"Zimbardo's point was that disorder invites even more disorder - that a small deviation from the norm can set into motion a cascade of vandalism and criminality. The broken window was the tipping point."

I encourage everyone to read this book so that they don't have to rely on one tiny little excerpt, for it's the small crimes and infractions that in a sense give others "permission" to commit the bigger crimes. The psychology is simple: when there is graffiti, when there are blighted property conditions it gives would-be criminals the impression that people don't care, that crime is "ok" because no one is there saying you can't by enforcing the very rules meant to deter such activity.

And that is precisely why it is important to clean our own property as well as our public places and yes, plant flowers. Why it is so important that we all take pride and ownership of our neighborhoods. Because it matters when the grass is overgrown and the gutters are falling off the house and the windows are broken, and there's a rotting carcass of a boat or car in the yard.

It matters if there is dog excrement in the field or by the curb. It matters if there is Wendy's, Dunkin' donuts or McDonald's garbage in the gutter. Its presence sets the tone for the neighborhood. Conversely, when our yards are all well-kept, when our houses are in good repair, and yes, when there are flowers in bloom throughout, it sends a positive message to everyone who passes through it.

Because it matters.

This letter is submitted in honor of Paul Zambrano, an irreplaceable man who cared as deeply as anyone I've ever known about the City of Quincy and its beautification. Paul, was literally everywhere I looked and dedicated his lifetime of work to the Park and Forestry Department to make Quincy a clean, attractive and fun place to live where the parks could be enjoyed by those of all ages for many and varied events. For Paul it truly mattered and he and his service to us all will be missed forever.

Kevin F. Coughlin
Ward 3 City Councillor

Quincy's Yesterdays

Nicastro Succeeds Golden As City Solicitor

By FRANK McCaULEY

Atty. Dean Nicastro has been named City Solicitor of Quincy effective Feb. 7, succeeding William B. Golden who resigned to private practice.

Appointment of the 30-year-old Nicastro, who has been an assistant city solicitor since February, 1982, was announced by Mayor Francis X. McCauley.

At the same time, McCauley announced he was moving the city's equal opportunity administrator, Joseph A. "Jay" MacRitchie, into Nicastro's old position of assistant city solicitor.

Nicastro, a summa cum laude graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Law School, served from 1978 to 1982 as a trial attorney in the eminent domain utilities division of the attorney general's office.

\$1,885,000 REVENUE BOND SOUGHT FOR PILGRIM PLAZA

The Pilgrim Plaza \$1,885,000 industrial revenue bond would be used to finance a new mini-mall at the corner of Quincy Avenue and Scammell Street. It was referred to the council's finance committee.

Approval by the city council would enable the developers, a Boston group, to borrow funds at below market rates since financial leaders can collect interest on the bonds free of federal taxes. Both city and state approval of such bonds are necessary.

QUINCY-ISMIS

The Quincy Sunbeams column reported that City Clerk John M. Gillis is not going to run for mayor in 1983 ... Rev. John J. McMahon, pastor of St. Mary's Church, West Quincy, was honored at a testimonial Mass and dinner in observance of his 40th anniversary as a Catholic priest ... Patricia Toland, city councillor at-large and former school committee member, was the featured guest on Quincy Community Television Channel 3 ... Edie's Sweet Shoppe, 550 Hancock St., Wollaston, was opening a six-week diploma course in cake decorating. "We make cake decorating fun and easy." ... Robin Starck, daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Starck, 19 Phipps St., South Quincy, won academic honors for the fall semester at Lesley College in Cambridge ... Mrs. M. Jane Mudge, R.N., M.Ed., health promotions nurse at Quincy City Hospital, led a program entitled "How to Measure Stress." The program was held at the hospital. ... The Luciano Room, 211 Sea St., Quincy, was offering senior citizens one of five full course dinners for only \$4.95 ... Dorothy A. Lee, first director of volunteers at Quincy City Hospital, died at the hospital. ... Rev. Cornelius Heery, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy, delivered the address of welcome during an Epiphany Feast of Lights. Nine area churches participated in the event. ... Margaret Davidson, director of adoption program at the Protestant Social Services Bureau, 776 Hancock St., Wollaston, reported 23 children had been placed in permanent homes by the agency since 1975. ... The Quincy Junior College basketball team bombed Bunker Hill Community College by a margin of 102 to 86. Coach Brian Buckley noted that Steve Belcastro paced QJC with 27 points. The college's record stood at 12 and 4. ... The Quincy High School wrestling team won three recent victories to improve its record to 9-0. Carmen Mariano was the Presidents' coach. ... The Quincy Sons of Italy Lodge was planning an Italian Festival to benefit the United Cerebral Palsy Association. The event will be held at the lodge, 120 Quarry St. ... Sheriff Clifford H. Marshall was the honorary chairman of Norfolk County's Fight Against Leukemia. The group was planning a Feb. 5th dance at the Fore River Club House to raise funds for Leukemia Research. ... "An Officer and a Gentleman" starring Richard Gere and Debra Winger was playing at the Wollaston Theatre. ... The Crust and Crumb Bakery, 110 Willard St., West Quincy, was offering: Italian bread at \$.69 a loaf and whole wheat bread at \$.79 a loaf. ... Coach Lou Tozzi's North Quincy Raiders' track team improved its record to three wins and one loss with a 52-34 victory over Brookline.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Marie's Kitchen

BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Spinach, Ricotta Stuffed Rigatoni

We were having the usual gang over for Sunday dinner and instead of cooking stuffed shells, I purchased some large rigatoni and used them in place of the shells.

Today's stuffing is made with spinach and ricotta cheese and can be made a day ahead.

RIGATONI STUFFING

1 -10 ounce package of frozen chopped spinach or 1 pound fresh spinach
1 egg (beaten)
2/3 cup ricotta
1/2 cup grated parmesan
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
1 tablespoon chopped onion (optional)
Preheat oven to 375 degrees.

Cook the frozen spinach as directed on package. Drain well. If using fresh spinach,

drain and chop.

Boil the pasta according to directions and drain them when they are half cooked. They will be easier to stuff. Baking them after will then cook them well.

While they are cooking, saute the onion in the butter or margarin and blend. Add the egg, ricotta, parmesan to the spinach.

Place some tomato sauce on the bottom of a baking pan. Stuff each rigatoni with the mixture. Add tomato sauce over and some grated cheese. Bake for 20 minutes covered. Then uncover and bake at least another 15 minutes or until bubbly.

This mixture can be used for stuffed shells or rolled lasagna. For the lasagna, cook and then lay out flat and place stuffing on each piece and then roll. They are a lot easier to serve than the traditional lasagna.



WHITE HOUSE PERFORMANCE - Singing with the Boston College High School Concert Choir at the White House recently are students from Quincy (front row) Keegan Hannon (first on left), Don Luchini, Eric Jaukkuri (last 2 on right) and (back row) Nick Mendros (third from left).

Four Quincy Students Part Of Washington Trip

BC High's Concert Choir Sings At White House

Boston College High School sophomores Eric Jaukkuri, Don Luchini, Nick Mendros and freshman Keegan Hannon, all of Quincy and members of the school's Concert Choir, recently gave a 90-minute concert in the East Room of the White House.

The 20-member choir (18 students and 2 faculty) under the direction of Doctor Marina Rozenberg of Quincy flew into Dulles on Jet Blue at 1 p.m. on Dec. 4 p.m., then were bused to the Holiday Inn Central, had lunch, changed into their new concert

attire and rehearsed in the Mayor's Conference room at the hotel.

At 3 p.m., they set out on foot for the 20-minute trek to the White House. At the White House they were met by security and then greeted by White House hostesses who ushered them to the East Wing waiting room and then the staging area where various performers were warming up.

At 4:30 p.m. the choir took position on the steps and sang a 12-song cycle for 90 minutes as tourists passed through the rooms of the East

Wing. Many tourists gave the thumbs-up sign and others stopped and applauded between songs.

Then at 6 p.m. the choir took the East Wing tour viewing the spectacular Christmas decorations, the huge replica of the White House made of ginger bread and the enormous White house Christmas tree.

The next day they took a chartered bus tour of the DC/ Georgetown area, visited St. John's Chapel (the Chapel of Presidents), and had a photo-op in front of the White House. They also visited the souvenir shop, stopped at the WWII Memorial, drove by the Lincoln and Jefferson Memorials, visited and sang in the National Cathedral, saw the "Creches of the World" exhibit, took a bus tour of Embassy Row, visited the Viet Nam Memorial and ended their tour at Georgetown University.

River Bay Film Aims To Reduce Falls

The River Bay Club will host a free screening of "Watch Your Step," a film showing ways to reduce falls and fall-related injuries.

Monday, Jan. 29, at 1 p.m. at 99 Brackett St., Quincy.

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Quincy Medical Center Seeks Gift Shop Volunteers

Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy, seeks volunteers to assist in the new gift shop.

Volunteers are needed for a three-hour shift.

The shop, managed by Caryn Smith, owner of the Caryn's Corner boutique in Quincy, offers stuffed animals, greeting cards and magazines as well as artisan jewelry, fashionable accessories and unique floral arrangements designed by local vendor, European Floral Design.

The shop also is finalizing plans to become an agent of the Massachusetts State

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The shop, located within the medical center's first floor, A-Wing lobby, adjacent to Dunkin' Donuts, is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays.

A percentage of the shop's sales will be donated to the QMC Auxiliary, a volunteer fundraising committee that has raised more than \$1 million in support of Quincy Medical Center's advanced, high quality clinical programs and services.

For more information, call Marilyn McAllister at 617-376-5368.



MAUREEN DOOLEY of Quincy receives from State Secretary William Galvin first prize in the Mixed Media Category in the 10th annual Senior Citizens Artistic Interpretation of the State House Holiday Card contest sponsored by the secretary.



NANCY RANDALL, on behalf of the Senior Olympics volleyball team, presented Mayor William Phelan with an autographed practice ball at a recent breakfast at the Beechwood Community Life Center. She told him he and his team should get in shape for the big Seniors - Mayor's Team volleyball playoff in May.

Seniors Getting In Shape For Olympics

Senior from Quincy and the South Shore are getting ready for Quincy's 25th annual Senior Olympics Games at Beechwood On The Bay.

"We hope our winter fitness activities will help more retirees get ready for the Olympic Games in May", said Maryann Mahony the Center's Senior Center Coordinator.

"We have a full range of Winter fitness activities, and are dedicating Fridays to Fun & Fitness."

Quincy Medical Center and Boston Medical Center have once again been invited to be primary benefactors of the Senior Olympics, assisting with the costs of the 11-day citywide events. The hospital's partnership logo is worn on the Senior Olympics shirts. Quincy Rotary Club each year supports as a sponsor and the Rotary designa-

tion will be on each competitor's ID number card.

Each Friday morning seniors are invited to Beechwood On The Bay to participate in special activities and skill building. Volleyball, basketball, free throw and darts start the morning. Co-ed volleyball players meet at Beechwood Wednesdays and Fridays at 11 a.m. There is no cost for the Friday morning "Fitness Fun." Olympics planners are hopeful the "drop in and try" invitation will appeal to retirees 55 and above who have yet to get active with the senior games.

For more information, call 617-471-57112 or stop at the Beechwood Center.

Christopher, Stacey Roche Parents Of Daughter

Christopher and Stacey Roche of Merrymount are parents of a daughter, Ella Grace, born Nov. 30 at South Shore Hospital in Weymouth.

Grandparents are Pat Roche, and Marilyn and Barry Welch, all of Quincy.

Ella has a sister, Elise

Senior Bridge Club To Meet

The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive, corner of Channing Street.

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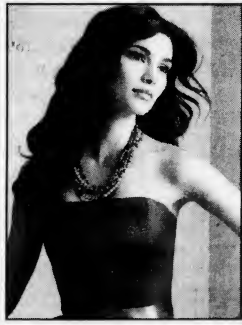
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SQUANTUM SCHOOL second graders and their teacher, Barbara Arnold, with Rep. Bruce Ayers (center) and toys they collected for the recent "Happy Holidays Toy Drive." Front to back, from the left, are Brad Ames, Matthew Garland, Samantha Marshall, Kay O'Connor, Julia Brady, Kelsey Dyer, Christian Connors, Curtis DeBisschop, Ryan Manning, Mike Oldham, Devin Zhang, Tim Riley, George Moutsopoulos, Ivy Tang, Eva Lee, Luke Marcheski and Aidan Largey.

Squantum School Holds Toy Drive

Squantum School recently assisted Rep. Bruce Ayers in collecting gifts for "Happy Holidays Toy Drive," a community service

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The toy drive is an annual event that collects toys for the less fortunate. With Marina Bay Association and

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View Point

QEA Gives Its Position On City Employee Benefits

At the beginning of collective bargaining we signed an agreement with the School Committee not to make "press releases" about specific items on the bargaining table. But, in his mid-term address, and at recent School Committee meetings, Mayor Phelan spoke in some detail about employee benefits, with particular attention to one of those benefits. Is he, as Chair of the School Committee, violating the agreement we signed? I don't know. That discussion would come down to quibbling. Nonetheless, it's time that Quincy citizens and the Quincy Sun questioned the statements being made about City employees and their benefits.

First, let's be clear, City employees have good benefits. Quite good. It's a big attraction and the Quincy Public Schools uses our benefits to recruit the best teachers. It works. Our total pay package, though, is nothing special. Furthermore, we readily acknowledge that our benefits are good. We acquired them through collective bargaining, the way the City didn't want to pay us a lot of money, compared to industry and to other communities. Benefits were cheaper. What we did to help the City back in those days has suddenly been noticed, because some benefit costs have gone way up.

The City's employees helped the City control those costs over the years, despite statements to the contrary. Over the years:

- City employees went to a single insurance company, designing the new plan in cooperation with the City, in a way that

especially helped Quincy Hospital. We saved Quincy millions!

- City employees also volunteered (among the first in the state to do so) to force our retired employees who qualify for Medicare go on Medicare. That saved Quincy in the last year alone \$4.3 million! And more every year!
- We capped Medicare reimbursements to our fixed-income retirees, saving Quincy more and more each year.
- We agreed to create a cheaper Medicare-eligible wrap plan, again featuring Quincy Hospital.
- We agreed to a three-tiered prescription co-payment plan.

We've been "good citizens." When approached respectfully we have responded. Perhaps our cooperation over the years is just old news to this City administration. Or perhaps it is taken as a sign of weakness. This time in bargaining, a proposal appeared on our table and we were told that "This is it. This proposal will appear, word for word in the final statement." All other unions report that the same tactic has been used on them. No discussion, no bargaining. My union, the Quincy Education Association, officially asked the School Committee during bargaining last October (three months after our contract expired) to have somebody from the City administration come explain to us why the City demands a pay-cut from us. Without getting specific about the proposal, the proposal amounts to a pay-cut for the next three years. We have never received the courtesy of a response.

Consider this, Sun readers: the City of Quincy has been paying for our benefits packages over the last three years, budgeting the required amounts. After paying for these "ticking time bomb" benefits, the City of Quincy still ended the last three years with "free cash" surpluses, of \$4 million, \$10 million and (according to reports) \$11.3 million. Add it up, folks. We don't think our total compensation, pay and benefits, is greatly out of line with anyone. The total package we want is reasonable, affordable, and responsible.

The Mayor didn't even mention employee contracts in his mid-term "state of the City" address. I think I know why. There are about 20 unsettled contracts. If YOU were a City employee, and YOU were told to take a pay cut, and YOU asked why and they wouldn't answer, and YOU knew that the City ends each year with rising surpluses, wouldn't YOU question the Mayor's statement that the City's employees are the Dark Cloud in the City's future? His speech says we're a "ticking time bomb," but don't we deserve to be treated respectfully when we ask WHY? And when the Mayor outlines plans that include planting trees, and fixing sidewalks and opening an arts center, all the while demanding we take a pay cut, wouldn't any smart person want to know why?

The Mayor cannot say that the City is in good shape when his bargaining punishes the City's employees. We are the reason the City is in good shape.

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Milton Hospital Gift Drive Benefits Germantown Center

Milton Hospital completed a very successful gift drive to benefit the Germantown Neighborhood Center of Quincy.

Over 200 holiday gifts were collected to benefit disadvantaged families in Quincy's Germantown and Hough's Neck neighborhoods.

Typically an employee event, this year's drive attracted gifts from a few grateful patients and their families, who donated to the drive as a means of thanking the hospital staff for the care they delivered.

Over a dozen extra-large

"leaf bags" full of gifts were loaded onto Santa's sleigh (actually, a pick-up truck) on the Monday before Christmas. The gifts were delivered to the Germantown Neighborhood Center for their Holiday Program, which supports families of low to moderate income by providing nutritious meals and gifts, as well as confidential advocacy, crisis intervention, and counseling services to area residents.

The gift drive has become a tradition at Milton Hospital, being held for the past several years.

Milton Hospital provides community-based health care to people of all ages in Milton, Quincy, Braintree, Randolph, Canton, Hyde Park, Dorchester and other local communities. Services include general medical and surgical inpatient care, a complete complement of outpatient health services and 24-hour emergency services. The hospital is a clinical affiliate of Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, and has more than 250 physicians on staff, representing primary care and 22 different medical specialties.



MILTON HOSPITAL collected more than 200 holiday gifts to benefit the Germantown Neighborhood Center. With some of the gifts are Milton Hospital Public Relations Manager Jason Bouffard (left) and Hospital President Joseph Morrissey.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit themselves.

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Interested individuals must submit a letter of interest and resume, to the Appointing Council, to be received on or before February 1, 2007. The Appointing Council shall meet to consider qualified candidates, and will provide an optional opportunity for interested parties to address the Appointing Council. The Council welcomes diversity in applicants and encourages anyone who believes he or she might contribute positively to the continued success of the institution to respond.

Letter of interest and resume to:

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QUINCY YOUTH INAUGURAL DELEGATION: Front row (from left) Quincy High School teacher Fred Harris, Quincy High School student Dieder McCombes, North Quincy High School student John Costello, and John Walsh, Campaign Manager for Governor Deval I. Patrick. Back row: Quincy High School student Brendan Paine, North Quincy High School student Molly Smith, School Committeewoman Anne Mahoney and NQHS teacher Bob Bradley.

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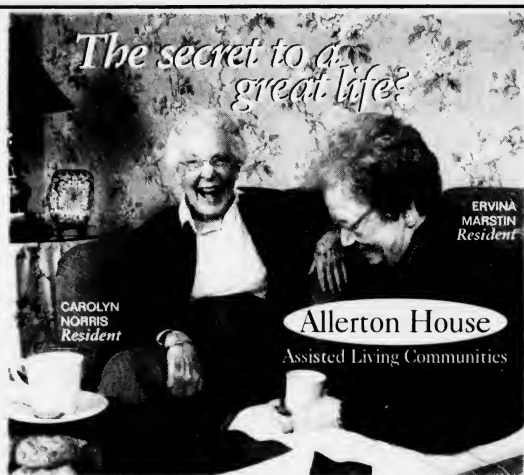
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Quincy, North Students Attend Session With Patrick

Students from Quincy High and North Quincy High School were among those attending a question and answer session with Gov. Deval Patrick Jan. 4 at the City/Shubert Theatre following his inaugural.

Ann M. Mahoney, a member of the Quincy School Committee accompanied the group and said "This was a great opportunity for our students as history was made in our state, when the

Mendi Bible, a gift to John Quincy Adams was used to swear in Gov. Patrick at the state house.

Mahoney added that approximately 1,400 students attended.

Among those attending were the following students and teachers from Quincy High and North Quincy High School

Those from Quincy High School were, Dierdre McCombes, a senior and

Student Council President: Brendan Paine, a junior and Student Council Vice President: and Fred Harris, a teacher and Student Council Advisor.

Representing North Quincy High School were Molly Smith and John Costello, juniors, and Bob Bradley, a social studies teacher.

The event was concluded by a performance by the Brockton High School Band.

Citizens Group Formed To Preserve Neighborhoods From Unwanted Development

A citizens' group of more than 50 concerned citizens called The Adams National Historic Association (ANHNA) has been formed

to preserve neighborhoods and open space in Quincy.

They said that a recent filing to rezone several parcels of land seeks to change the currently zoned residential A to a business zone Planned Unit Development (PUD). This would give blanket, unwanted developments to be built in residential neighborhoods.

The ANHNA is concerned that this change in zoning would set a dangerous precedent, giving future

developers the ability to gain PUD status and to overdevelop Quincy's neighborhoods.

Last week, the following officers were elected: Mike Linnane was elected president; Rich Fanning, vice-president; Jean Plante and Karen Krause are co-secretaries; Bill O'Brien, treasurer, and Richard Sweeney, information officer.

For more information, call 617-770-0166. Or email, ANHNAforQuincy@yahoo.com

Citizens' Legislative Seminar To Be Held At State House

Senator Michael Morrissey announces a Citizens' Legislative Seminar series will be held at the State House beginning in March.

The sessions, designed to help constituents learn more about the workings of the Massachusetts legislature, are scheduled for Wednesday March 14, 21 and 28 and April 4 and 11.

The seminars will begin with a presentation based on the topic of the day. There will be two presenters per day, and the presenters will include legislators, agency heads, and other policy makers. After a brief intermission for coffee and conversation, participants break up into small groups led by a legislator faculty member for informal discussion. The sessions are an opportunity for people to have candid conversations of the issues.

"State government affects nearly every aspect of our lives. It is important for every citizen to understand how the legislature functions," Morrissey said.

Those interested should contact Alicia Gardner in Morrissey's office at 617-722-1494 with their name and address by Thursday, Jan. 25, in order to apply. "We cannot guarantee a placement in the spring for everyone, but will serve as many as we can on a first come, first served basis," Morrissey said.

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AMONG THE 51 community leaders who volunteered to man the Salvation Army kettle in front of City Hall over a three-day period in December were: Peter O'Connell, president Marina Bay Company; Edward Keohane, chairman of the Quincy Partnership and owner Keohane Funeral Homes and Robert Curry, chairman Quincy Medical Center Board of Directors and owner of Curry Hardware stores.



NORFOLK COUNTY Dist. Atty. William Keating, state Senator Michael Morrissey and former Mayor James Sheets. The community leaders raised over \$3,100 to make Christmas brighter for needy Quincy families.



RALPH YOHE, president of the South Shore YMCA and state Rep. Stephen Tobin.

Maralin Manning photos

Grant Provides Free Career Training For Recent Quincy College Grads

Quincy College is offering free career training programs to recent GED and high school graduates ages 17-21 with financial need and who live on the South Shore.

"The primary goal of the Workforce Scholars of the South Shore program is to provide eligible students with short-term career training programs, leading to jobs or further education," said Joseph Bradley, executive director of college and community development at Quincy College.

The programs, which are slated to begin in January and early February, include high demand occupations such as Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) and Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) in collaboration with the American Red Cross, Medical Billing and Coding, Microsoft Computer Skills, and Early Childhood Education/teacher that can lead to state certification.

The college said that this is an exciting opportunity for young students to earn a Quincy College certificate or national certification, plus a Workforce Scholars certi-

cate recognizing various career development activities the graduates also complete.

Students who meet eligibility criteria will also receive various perks such as free tuition, books, parking, testing, job development and counseling. After completing the program, those who are interested in pursuing a college degree may request assistance with financial aid paperwork, application materials, and registration forms.

New classes are forming now. Those interested in becoming a Workforce Scholar should call 617-984-1645

and request an application. Seats will be filled on a first-come first-served basis from those who meet eligibility requirements. Applicants must reside in one of the following communities: Quincy, Braintree, Carver, Halifax, Hanover, Hingham, Holbrook, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Middleboro, Milton, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Randolph, Rockland, Scituate and Weymouth.

Workforce Scholars program is funded by a \$100,000 grant from the South Coastal Workforce Investment Board.

Veterans Pensions Seminar Topic Jan. 25

Attorney Paul Thornhill of Senior Resource Center, Inc., will hold a seminar on the Veteran's Aid & Attendance Program Thursday, Jan. 25, at 7 p.m. in the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St., Quincy.

Thornhill will explain the

qualifications to take part in the program, which is a pen-

sion plan for veterans and their spouses or widows.

Central Middle PTO Meets Tonight

The Central Middle School P.T.O. will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18 in the

Media Room at the school. All parents and guardians are invited to attend.

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Tuesday, Jan. 23

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, Jan. 24

Chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes, hot vegetable, dinner roll.

Thursday, Jan. 25

Cheeseburger on a bun, potato puffs, fruit juice and fresh fruit.

Friday, Jan. 26

Chicken nuggets, macaroni and cheese, sweet and sour sauce, hot vegetable, fruit juice.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, Jan. 22

Sonny's North End pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, Jan. 23

School baked lasagna in tomato sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, juice. *Early release middle schools.*

Wednesday, Jan. 24

Hot pastrami on a bulgie roll, oven fry potatoes, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Thursday, Jan. 25

Chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes, hot vegetable, apple turnover.

Friday, Jan. 26

Cheese quesadilla, minestrone soup, fresh fruit, fruit juice.



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NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION Association recently presented Exceptional Employee Service Awards. Recipients are (front row from left) Joe Sheehan of Braintree, Carl Peterson of Hingham, Marie Crowley of Braintree and Anne Hooper of Middleboro. With them are (back row, from left) Paul Fitzgerald, first vice chairman, board of directors; Bruce Mullen, senior vice president finance & CFO; James M. Shannon, president and chief executive officer; and Arthur Cote, executive vice president.

National Fire Protection Association Recognizes Exceptional Staff

The National Fire Protection Association based in Quincy recently honored four employees in recognition of their commitment to exceptional service.

The employees are: Marie Crowley of Braintree, Anne Hooper of Middleboro, Carl Peterson of Hingham and Joseph Sheehan of Braintree. Each employee received an award named after a former NFPA president at a ceremony held at the Marriott Hotel in Quincy.

Marie Crowley received the National Fire Protection Association 2006 Franklin H. Wentworth Award in honor of her exceptional service. Crowley, a senior general accounting associate, has worked at NFPA for 5 years.

Anne Hooper was recently honored for her exceptional service with the National Fire Protection As-

sociation 2006 Charles Morgan Award. Hooper is a customer service representative and has worked for NFPA since 2001.

Carl Peterson, assistant director of public fire protection, has been recognized for his exceptional service with the 2006 Percy Bugbee Award. Peterson has worked for NFPA since 1967.

Joe Sheehan, recipient of the National Fire Protection Association 2006 George D. Miller Award given for exceptional service, is a principle electrical engineer for NFPA where he has been em-

ployed since 1993.

National Fire Protection Association Headquarters is located at Batterymarch Park in Quincy.

NFPA has been a worldwide leader in providing fire, electrical, building, and life safety to the public since 1896. The mission of the international nonprofit organization is to reduce the worldwide burden of fire and other hazards on the quality of life by providing and advocating consensus codes and standards, research, training, and education.

Blood Pressure Clinics For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting

senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Domestic Violence Organization Will Focus On Under Represented Communities

Department Of Social Services Approves DOVE Funding Request

DOVE (Domestic Violence Ended), one of the state's oldest and most successful domestic violence social service agencies has been approved for funding by the state Department of Social Services (DSS) through June 30, 2008.

According to DOVE Executive Director Stephanie Flaherty, DSS notified DOVE it had approved DOVE's request for an annual grant of \$249,000 plus six months additional funding to carry the agency through June 2008.

In addition to its current outreach and intervention efforts in the Greater Quincy communities, DOVE pledged it would expand its outreach and intervention efforts in the Asian and Latino communities as well as among gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender individuals whose access to domestic violence services have been complicated by language and cultural barriers.

The outreach effort is one of the priorities outlined by DOVE, Inc. in a recent bid application to the state Department of Social Services (DSS) for \$249,990 in 2007 funding consistent with its current DSS funding allocation that is due to expire at the end of 2006. The DSS funding makes up nearly half of DOVE's \$585,000 annual budget that supports a domestic violence emergency shelter in Quincy and exten-

sive crisis intervention and family support services for 28 communities in eastern Massachusetts.

"We do an extraordinary amount on a very tight budget," said Flaherty. "The challenge everyday is that we are constantly reminded of what we cannot do, people we cannot serve and families that we cannot shelter because of our financial limitations. We are very committed to doing more, both within our budget but also as we identify new sources of funding that allow us to be even more effective."

Founded in 1978 by a group of volunteers, DOVE was required to file the rebid with DSS despite being the only multi-service domestic violence emergency shelter and community-based services agency in Norfolk County and on the South Shore.

DOVE supports families impacted by abuse with services such as crisis intervention, safety planning, shelter, individual, group and family case management and support, mental health and substance abuse services, legal advocacy, and medical, benefits and systems advocacy.

During FY06, DOVE answered 1590 hotline calls, sheltered 152 families (152 women and 149 children), triaged 326 calls at our Outreach and Family Services Center, provided 73 trainings

with 2,315 attendees, and provided intervention, education, and prevention services to more than 769 youth.

Despite its best efforts to reach into all communities within its service area, DOVE Executive Director Stephanie Flaherty said the agency will expand its efforts under its new DSS contract. The Asian community in Quincy alone grew by 157 percent from 1990 to 2000. Flaherty said that DOVE continues to recruit staff and volunteers from within the target communities to enhance its understanding and responsiveness to those families. DOVE is collaborating within targeted communities to better understand their needs.

DOVE is expanding its on-site services to increase job training and placement. The agency currently offers programs in financial literacy, resume writing and job interview skills, GED preparation, self-esteem and women's health.

Flaherty said that even with full DSS funding for the coming year (actually a six-month funding commitment by DSS), DOVE has recently embarked on a strategic development plan to identify long-term financial "friends" that will support DOVE's work and allow the organization to expand its shelter and crisis intervention services that are now limited by its funding.

Broad Meadows Teachers' Night At McDonald's Jan. 22

Broad Meadows Middle School Student Council, under

the direction of Donna Miller and Maureen McKenna, will hold its annual Teachers' Night Monday, Jan. 22 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the McDonald's Restaurant, 547 Southern Artery, Quincy.

Teachers will cook French fries, flip burgers, and work at the drive-up window.

All past, current and future students and families are encouraged to attend.

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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Jan. 8 - Jan. 12

Total Calls for Service: 1,149

Total Arrests: 40

Total Stolen Cars: 8

FRIDAY, Jan. 5

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:29 a.m., Dolo Creations, 831 Hancock St. Possible BB shot through the window. Four windows shot with BB's.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:12 p.m., Hertz Local Rental Edition, 686 Southern Artery. Overdue rental. Renter failed to return vehicle exp. 11-14.06. 2006 Ford Escape, color silver.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:31 p.m., 20 Westford St. Scratched motor vehicle- both sides of car.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:41 p.m., 19 Yardarm Ln. Caller states apartment is ransacked, not sure if anyone is still inside.

LARCENY, 4:11 p.m., 63 Stewart St. Cash.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:22 p.m., 8 Des Moines Rd. Keys were left in car.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:46 p.m., Ninety Nine Restaurant Pub, 59 Newport Ave. Caller misplaced motor vehicle.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:07 p.m., 18 Warwick St. Dwelling.

SATURDAY, JAN. 6

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 3:21 a.m., 124 Main St. Unwanted to breaking and entering/progress.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 10:28 a.m., Pro Spec Performance Auto, 141 Water St. Business. Arrived for work and found the front door smashed in. Unknown if entry was gained.

LARCENY, 11:17 a.m., The Smoke Shop, 618 Hancock St. Shoplift to larceny. Suspect vehicle stopped at Burgin southbound by Quincy St. Arrest made to QPD, motor vehicle towed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:18 p.m., 31 Kidder St. To windows. Abandoned house. Numerous windows broken on vacant house.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:44 p.m., 42 Babcock St. 2001 Nissan Maxima, color gray.

SUNDAY, JAN. 7

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 3:39 a.m., 75 Scotch Pond Place. Fight.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:43 a.m., Dunkin' Donuts, 364 Sea St. Drive through.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:43 a.m., 2 Flagg St. Tire slashed overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:28 a.m., 116 Glover Ave. Tires slashed.

LARCENY, 1:48 p.m., 57 Ferndale Rd. Dog pen. Front tire also slashed.

LARCENY, 2:34 p.m., Citgo Gas Station, 571 Hancock St. Gas. All parties advised, Citgo is now Prime Gas.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:13 p.m., 100 Cedar St. Tire slashed.

MONDAY, JAN. 8

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:19 a.m., South Cove Community Health, 435 Hancock St. Window. Front window broken.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:41 a.m., RJ Motors, 291 Water St. Missing pick up is 1993 F150 color white with RJ Motors labeled on the side.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:15 a.m., 33 Lebanon St. Dwelling. Various items were stolen from residence. Xbox, Compaq laptop, Nintendo Gameboy, and T-Mobile cellphone are known missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:25 a.m., Sawyer Towers, 95 Martensen St. Dents to car.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:58 a.m., Biondi's Service Center, 313 Willard St. Already found. F150 Ford pick-up, color green, stolen Dec. 30. Recovered 1/3/07. Ignition and right front end damage (extensive). Recovered at 6 Wrentham St., Dorchester.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:39 p.m., Seaport Condominiums, 100 Marina Dr. Past. 2000 Mercury S500, color black.

LARCENY, 2:26 p.m., 6 Ebbett Ave. Gateway laptop computer taken between Aug. 11 and Aug. 13, 2006.

LARCENY, 2:36 p.m., 40 Samoset Ave. ATM card. Eastern Bank ATM card stolen and used three times without authorization.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:47 p.m., 20 Keyes St. Dwelling. Caller states his house was broken into. Xbox stolen.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:07 p.m., 1000 Southern Artery. Unregistered. 1993 Chevy Blazer, color red.

LARCENY, 3:54 p.m., McDonald's, 275 Hancock St. Complaint for larceny over. Motorola cellphone.

LARCENY, 4:13 p.m., 144 Quincy St. Past. Complaint for larceny under (money order.)

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:18 p.m., 15 Janet Rd. Past. Motor vehicle's tire slashed.

LARCENY, 9:42 p.m., 333 Victory Rd. Jacket. States he had a jacket stolen from his vehicle and would like to see an officer.

TUESDAY, JAN. 9

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:15 a.m., Sprague Fluid Connectors, 218 Willard St. Business. Broken window. Cash taken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:32 a.m., 155 Taffrail Rd. To car - broken window.

LARCENY, 11:34 a.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Credit card. Fraudulent credit card use.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:39 p.m., 130 Franklin St. Vandalism to motor vehicle - front tire.

LARCENY, 3:50 p.m., Olympia Sports, 100 Granite St. Debit card was used without authorization at this site.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:05 p.m., 41 Copeland St. Appears entry made via kitchen window. HP plasma TV, two Sony Playstations, Xbox, CDs, video games, and DVDs were stolen.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 10

ARMED ROBBERY, 9:52 a.m., Bridgewater Credit Union, 62 Clay St. Gun alluded. White male, 5'7" tall, 160 pounds, brown jacket, clean shaven. MBTA to hold trains at Wollaston. 20s - 30s in age. No dye pack. Note was left. Light colored ski cap, possible Kangaroo sign on front. Suspect said he had a firearm in his waistband, never shown.

LARCENY, 10:44 a.m., Crystal Clear Pools, 715 Washington St. Construction tools. 1000 pound demolition hammer for a hydraulic excavator stolen off a flatbed since Jan. 8.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:15 p.m., 6 Wampatuck Rd. Garage entered, no sign of force. Tools stolen.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 9:38 p.m., 227 Parkway. Attempt. White female, 18 years, brown hair, grey sweatshirt, grey pants tried to grab caller's pocketbook, fled in the rear of the above. Occurred on sidewalk as victim was crossing the street.

THURSDAY, JAN. 11

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:31 a.m., 33 Main St. Tagging.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:54 a.m., Center for Technical Education High School, 100 Woodward Ave. To rear tires slashed on the school security car.

LARCENY, 11:16 a.m., Kam Man Food, 215 Quincy Ave. Wallet. Red wallet with cash in it.

LARCENY, 11:52 a.m., Nando of Rome, 43 billings Rd. Money order.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:08 p.m., 111 Chubbuck St. House egged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:11 p.m., 32 Vine Ave. Two car tires.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:43 p.m., 67 Ocean Ave. To a fence.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 6:35 p.m., 459 Hancock St. Suspect on scene. Someone tried to get into apartment. Suspect chased out into the hallway.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 6:47 p.m., 57 Willow St. Male party has a ladder up to the side of the house. No sign of a breaking and entering or ladder here.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:23 p.m., 12 Hunt St. Child being hit at school.

FRIDAY, JAN. 12

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:47 a.m., 6 Main St. Graffiti found on building.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:14 a.m., 33 Union St. Basement door kicked in. Can't tell if it is new or old damage.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is **dminton@c1.quincy.ma.us** - Lt. Dan Minton.

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Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

Anonymous information via a letter or by leaving a

message does not provide an opportunity for the detectives to ask questions to gain further knowledge. Even without identifying yourself, your information can be corroborated (validated) in many ways, such as surveillance, which was used in this particular case.

Some people are reluctant to report suspicious activity for fear of having to testify or of retaliation, but by calling the hot-line with detailed information, the Drug Unit will be working with you to eradicate drug users in your community.

A Job Well Done

On Monday, Jan. 1, a approximately 13 minutes after midnight, the second call of the New Year came in as a "family disturbance." Officers Stephen O'Donoghue, Robert Kelly and Daniel Church were dispatched to this Houghs Neck home for the disturbance in progress.

As Officer O'Donoghue arrived, he witnessed two people pushing each other in the middle of the street, so he stepped from his cruiser to break up the combatants. The pushing stopped and a male then focused his attention on Officer O'Donoghue, walking angrily and rapidly toward him. The officers ordered the male to stop and show his hands, but the male kept coming and then punched Officer O'Donoghue in the upper right side of his head.

Officer O'Donoghue wrestled the suspect to the ground and was assisted by Officers Kelly and Church in handcuffing him. Officers O'Donoghue and Church led the struggling, kicking suspect to a cruiser and attempted to get him inside, but the suspect made numerous twisting movements trying to break free.

The suspect, when told to cease or he would be sprayed with OC (mace-type chemical), swore at the officers and then became rigid to prevent getting him into the cruiser. After a prolonged struggle, the officers were able to get the suspect mostly in the cruiser, but couldn't get the legs in without injury to the suspected, so the suspect was sprayed with a quick shot of OC, which resulted in the suspect complying without further incident.

Officer Kelly then started interviewing the victim, the suspect's mother, to determine what occurred prior to the police arriving. She said her son came home drunk just before midnight, woke her up and began arguing with her. When he told her that he was going back out and she tried to stop him, he grew angrier and began pushing her around the room. The suspect then grabbed his mother's head and banged it against the wall "three or four times." As the suspect walked out the front door, he punched a wall mirror and shattered it.

She then followed him outside and this was when the police arrived. The victim, who had small lacerations on her right hand and elbow, but refused medical care, claiming that this was the first time that her son had ever harmed her. The mother was given her rights (not to be confused with Miranda rights) under the domestic violence laws, but she opted not to get an emergency restraining order.

The suspect, a 26-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with "assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, assault and battery on a police officer and willful malicious destruction of personal property under \$250 (the mirror = misdemeanor). Nice work!

According to Lt. Charles Santoro of the Quincy Police Training Unit, many times victims of domestic violence may initially be satisfied with the response of the police and believe (or want to believe) that it won't happen again. Sadly, delaying the issuance of a restraining order only increases the chances of being victimized again.

Aggressive intervention and prosecution can significantly decrease the abuse. The restraining order is the key! It puts the abuser on notice that their behavior is unacceptable and any future acts will be severely dealt with by the courts. When the courts are closed, police officers will assist victims in getting an emergency restraining order.

As far as alcohol being involved in domestic violence incidents, counselors and court advocates commonly hear from the abuser that "I never would have done that if I wasn't drinking." This is just an excuse for the behavior and statistically speaking, if abuse has occurred, it is likely that it will occur again, and secondly, the abuse itself actually gets worse!



LT. DAN MINTON

Red Cross To Salute Jerry Dacey At Gala Feb. 14

Supporters of the American Red Cross Chapter of Massachusetts Bay will hold its 28th annual Spring Gala Wednesday, Feb. 14 at the Quincy Neighborhood Club.

The local Red Cross chapter will honor the memory of the late Jerry Dacey who served the Red Cross as a volunteer for 25 years.

The gala's theme will be Valentine's Day.

The event will feature hearts and flowers, cocktails, dinner, and music by Suzanne Lockwood.



JERRY DACEY

Chairing this year's gala are Lynn Houghton and Dr. John Pasciucco, assisted by Quincy Chapter Council

members James Chiccinio, Donna Feenan, Paul Flavin, Daniel Flynn III, Mae Harris, Michelle Higgins, Maralin Manning, Kevin Meskell and William Reilly. Jackie Gardner, executive director of the local chapter, notes the American Red Cross is always there for families facing emergencies including fires, floods and other disasters.

For tickets and/or other information, call Gardner at the Quincy Red Cross office, 617-770-2600.

Ian Edwards New CEO At Twin Rivers

Ian S. Edwards, formerly with Procter & Gamble is the new CEO of Twin Rivers Technologies, Inc. (TRT), with a plant in Quincy Point.

Edwards, Board Chairman from Heller and President and COO of Angelico will comprise the new leadership team.

Heller had been serving as both chairman and CEO. He will remain as board chairman with Edwards running the day to day operation. Angelico's focus will remain on the operational and manufacturing aspects of the business.

"Edwards is the ideal person to step into the CEO role at this time. His in-depth expertise in the oleo chemicals industry makes him uniquely suited for this position," Heller said.

"I am delighted to welcome Ian to the team," said Angelico. "His broad based strategic and commercial expertise and international reputation will be invaluable in serving the needs of Twin Rivers diverse customer base."

Edwards began his career in the manufacturing division of Procter & Gamble in

Manchester, England in 1970. During his 30-plus years with the company, he worked in chemical sales for Europe, eventually becoming European Manager. Edwards moved on to be Director and General Manager of P & G Chemicals. He holds a B.S. in chemistry from the University of Wales.

"I have worked with the team at Twin Rivers Technologies for many years. I am aware of their excellent capabilities," said Edwards. "I look forward to expanding the company both geographically and in its product offerings. Instant communication and a challenging infrastructure and energy climate mean that the business that is the most agile is the one that survives. Supply chains and markets are increasingly global and my experience at Procter and Gamble convinced me that no one company operating alone can have all the an-

swers. Twin Rivers is well positioned to build the necessary partner relationships to thrive in this environment."

Edwards will divide his time between Ohio and Massachusetts and in addition seek strategic alliances for TRT with partners outside North America to further globalize Twin Rivers operations to meet the needs of its increasingly global customer base.

One of North America's largest oleochemical producers and suppliers of premium quality oleo chemicals including fatty acids, esters and glycerin serving the food ingredients, fabric and personal care, industrial and energy markets. Twin Rivers has manufacturing and distribution facilities in Massachusetts, Ohio, Illinois, New Jersey, North Carolina and Texas serving customers throughout North America and Europe.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday

day to advise veterans and their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Ordinance Proposal Would Ban Graffiti Implements

A proposed ordinance that would strike at those who deface the city with graffiti and which may have inspired recent activity by the state legislature is awaiting a hearing before the City Council's Ordinance Committee.

The ordinance, filed Nov. 20 by Ward 3 Councilor Kevin Coughlin, would send a message to parents and retailers that they may face fines as much as \$1,000 for letting implements such as spray cans fall into the hands of teen-aged graffiti artists.

"We know that graffiti has a negative impact on the entire community," said Coughlin.

"This ordinance is not a simple reaction to a complex issue that many cities and towns struggle with."

"Rather it seeks to rationally address it from several angles and will provide appropriate measures for responsibility and accountability."

He said he forwarded a

copy of his proposed ordinance to Sen. Michael Morrissey, who announced last week that he and the Quincy House delegation along with Ward 6 Councilor Brian McNamee had also filed anti-spray can state legislation.

"The bill filed by the Quincy delegation offers no leeway," said Coughlin. "If you are under 18 and have a spray can it is assumed that you are a graffiti artist."

Coughlin's ordinance would ban possession of graffiti implements by a person under 18 near public property or private property without written consent of the owner. The exception would be a youngster who has a magic marker for use in school.

Also banned is possession of such an implement within 50 feet of an underpass or bridge abutment, two favorite targets of graffiti makers.

Persons other than parents or guardians would be forbidden from furnishing a person under the age of 18

with graffiti implements without written permission of said parents or guardians.

Perpetrators would be required to remove the graffiti if they could be identified. If they could not, it would be the responsibility of the property owner to do in 30 days, unless he lacks the financial ability.

Violation of the ordinance would call for a \$250 fine for the first offense, \$500 for the second and \$1,000 for each subsequent offense. Parents or legal guardians would be responsible for the payment of fines levied against minors.

Failure to pay the fines may result in a lien on the property of parents or guardians.

Alternatives to fines could be at least 30 hours of community service under a provider approved by the chief of police or suspension or delay of driving privileges of any person 13 to 21 convicted of violating the ordinance or any state law banning graffiti.

One-Day License Suspension Imposed

The License Board issued a one day suspension for the retail alcoholic license to Edy Yasmin, owner of Old Colony Liquors, 519 Southern Artery for selling liquor to a minor.

The suspension was suspended.

Chairman Joseph Shea said if another violation should occur within a year, then the board will reexamine.

Lt. Peter Turowski, liquor agent for the board said on Nov. 9, 2006, he observed a man purchasing vodka and beer. He showed the clerk his ID and was allowed to purchase the liquor.

However, as Turowski

was heading outside to his cruiser, he noticed the driver of the car waiting for the youth. After questioning both the driver and the youth who purchased the alcohol, he asked them how old they were and they both answered they were 17 years old. Both had fake ID's and both were from Hingham.

Shea displayed a real and fake ID and said it would be difficult for the "untrained eye" to see the difference.

Atty. Louis Cassis, coun-

sel for owner Yasmin told the board that in the seven years that Yasmin has owned the establishment there has never been a problem.

The night of the violation, Yasmin said the machine that scans fake ID's was broken. He has since purchased a new one at a price of \$1,600 he said.

Police Chief Robert Crowley suggested that send his employees to attend the next TIPS class which will be held next month.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person pay-

able at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

For an appointment, call 617-376-1506.

Tax Tips From The Experts.

Some Old Deductions Return for 2006 at the Last Minute

The Tax Relief and Health Care Act of 2006, signed in December, restores significant tax deductions that had expired. Those deductions are:

- The \$4,000 deduction for higher education expenses.
- The \$250 above-the-line deduction for educator expenses.
- The itemized deduction for sales tax in lieu of state and local income taxes.

Great news, but unfortunately, 2006 Federal tax forms have been designed and printed omitting these deductions. The Treasury fixed this problem by making certain lines on the federal tax return double duty. For instance:

- The deduction for tuition and fees will be claimed on Form 1040, line 35, "Domestic production activities deduction." Enter "T" on the dotted line to the left of that line entry if claiming the tuition and fees deduction, or "B" if claiming both a deduction for domestic production activities and the deduction for tuition and fees.
- The deduction for educator expenses will be claimed on Form 1040, line 23, "Teacher's expenses." Enter "T" on the dotted line to the left of that line entry if claiming educator expenses, or "B" if claiming both teacher's expenses and the deduction for educator expenses on Form 1040.

If claiming both deductions on one line you must attach a schedule to the return.

The following line on Schedule A (Itemized Deductions) will have dual use:

- The deduction for state and local general sales taxes will be claimed on Schedule A, line 5, "State and local income taxes." Enter "ST" on the dotted line to the left of line 5 to indicate you are claiming the general sales tax deduction instead of the deduction for state and local income tax.



Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617)376-6226.

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GUESTS AT THE 11th annual Martin Luther King Jr. Breakfast Celebration included, left to right, the Rev. Thomas Pang, the Rev. Michael Dudley, the Rev. Sheldon Bennett, the Right Rev. Bishop Gayle Harris, the Rev. David Heffling, Ron Iacobucci, Ann Yeomans and the Rev. Claude Smith.

Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

Quincy Asian Community Challenge Of King Legacy

(Cont'd From Page 2)

Stephen Breyer stated that the Supreme Court must promote the political rights of minorities and look beyond the Constitution's text when necessary to ensure that "no one gets too powerful."

"He said judges must consider the practical impact of a decision to ensure democratic participation because society is constantly changing and they must look at the real world context rather than focusing solely on the framers' intent."

Dr. King's dream, said Heffling, "is the essence of the partnership between St. Chrysostom's Church and the Asiamerica Ministry," headed by the Rev. Dr. Thomas Pang.

"Representatives from the parish and the Episcopal Quincy Chinese Center meet monthly and implement co-operative efforts between the groups and to plan for future initiatives and integration," he said.

"To tell you that we are not without our challenges — on both sides — would

be untrue and the parish itself continues to wrestle with identity and ownership issues.

"We struggle daily but we are committed to continuing to learn and grow and reach out.

"Our ultimate, long-term goal is to become one community united by a common faith and a common humanity.

"And I believe that goal to be eminently achievable and very much in the spirit of Dr. King's legacy for the 21st century."



BROAD MEADOWS MIDDLE School Student Council, under the direction of Donna Miller and Maureen McKenna, has voted to become a founding sponsor to the Martin Luther King National Memorial Project. The Broad Meadows name will be added to the permanent Founders' Roll of Honor that will be forever on display in Washington. The council will be invited to the dedication in 2008. Front row from left are: Ashley Gouthro (holding check), Tim Nazari (holding picture of MLK) and Erica Amato. Rear (from left) Student Council advisor Maureen McKenna, Samantha McCordle, Mallory McKinnon, Patricia Brennan, Devan Varmahmoodi, and teacher Donna Miller.

Night To Remember William Dunn Feb. 3

Friends and family of Nicole Sheffer will host a benefit for Nicole in memory of her late friend, William Dunn, Saturday, Feb. 3 at 7 p.m. in Florian Hall, 55 Hallett St., Dorchester.

Dunn, a plumber and a fine athlete recently inducted in the Quincy High School Hall of Fame, went for a swim while boating off Grave Light in Boston Harbor and was never seen again.

He and Sheffer, a fourth grade teacher, have owned a home together in West Quincy for the past three years and Sheffer has left to struggle with the mortgage and other household expenses.

Proceeds of the benefit will go to the Bill Dunn Jr. Memorial Scholarship as well as the Friends of Nicole

Sheffer.

The evening will include a silent auction and a raffle. The Friends are accepting donations of gift certificates and merchandise for the raffle. All will be acknowledged.

Donations may be made

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LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

•Continued until Jan. 23, a request of Coop's Bar & Grille, 520-530 Washington St. for a Keno, juke box and pinball/video license. Owner is Mario Recupero.

•Granted John Flynn of Fiesta Shows a permit for the annual Mayor's Carnival

May 2-13 at Faxon Field.

•Continued a request of Sabrina Auto Care, Inc., 15 Centre St. for a garage/repair license. The site is Trig's Auto Service. Board members requested that the mechanic appear before the board for details on how many vehicles will be on the premises at a time.

•Continued a request for a change of managers at Hannaford Supermarket, 475 Hancock St. from John Frontiero to Benjamin Theriault.

•Granted a common victualer license to Ozgur Berk, manager of David's Pizza, 218-220 W. Squantum St. (formerly Montclair Deli)

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Hybrid Systems Combine Comfort and Savings

(NAPS) - With the rising price of natural gas, homeowners are constantly looking for ways to cut utility costs. For many, gas furnaces are often the primary heat source. This means all of the heat in the home is coming from the gas furnace, which can get costly. Fortunately, there are options.

Outdoor air always has heat in it even at very low outdoor temperatures. That's what makes a heat pump a logical choice: In summer, it draws heat out of your home to cool it, and in winter, it draws heat from outside an into your home to warm it.

However, when outdoor temperatures drop below freezing, it becomes more difficult for a heat pump to provide enough heat to ensure comfortable indoor temperatures. For this reason, many homeowners choose to supplement their heating system with electric resistance heaters. A Hybrid Comfort System couples an outdoor heat pump with a natural gas furnace for supplemental heat. This hybrid or dual-fuel system turns off the pump and turns on the furnace when outside temperature dips below preset level.

According to the experts at Johnson Controls, pairing a York Affinity heat pump with an Affinity gas furnace offers homeowners a number of benefits, beginning with more personalized comfort. By utilizing a Hybrid Comfort System, consumers can shift the bulk of their heating requirements to the heat pump during mild winter days and rely on the furnace for bitter cold days.

The furnace is sized to heat the home on the coldest winter days, while the heat pump operates most efficiently during mild winter days. So by pairing a heat pump with a gas furnace, the overall efficiency of the heating system is improved. The resulting benefit to the homeowner is savings on utility bills.

With two different units in place, homeowners also have the option to choose the least expensive way to heat their home, especially during a mild winter, and take advantage of utility incentives. This has the potential to offer additional savings.

In addition to improved comfort levels and increased savings, the selective use of the heat pump and the fur-

nace helps to extend the life of each. High-efficiency York Affinity heat pumps from Johnson Controls offer

(NAPS) - Homeowners finally have a way to unlock the eternal problem of forgetting (or losing) one's keys or locking oneself out of the house.

It's estimated that millions of keys are lost each year in the U.S. and, short of calling a locksmith or waiting for a family member to come home, there's not much to do when you find yourself in such a position. But biometric technology is changing all that, giving homeowners a way to open the front door with just a swipe of the finger.

The new BioLock from Sequiam Biometrics and Weiser, a Black and Decker Company, features a simplistic design that on the outside resembles traditional deadbolt door locks. How-

Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratios (SEER) that reach up to 18. Affinity gas furnaces feature an Annual Fuel Utili-

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New Lock Technology

ever, the biometric deadbolt lock features a battery-powered locking mechanism that is activated when the homeowners swipe their finger across AuthenTec's FingerLoc fingerprint sensor-eliminating the need for traditional keys.

Homeowners can enroll up to 50 family members, friends or other individuals to activate the lock, which has an easy-to-use instructional keypad on the part of the lock that is inside the home. Homeowners can also easily delete or add authorized users using the same keypad.

This fingerprint sensor is unique because it reads below the surface of the skin-making it possible to read virtually every fingerprint. It was designed to be easy to

use and reliable, to help prevent homeowners from being locked out of their homes.

The AuthenTec creators tested the TruePrint technology in extreme weather environments such as tennis camps in Florida and ski slopes and in prisons and hospitals where the individuals' prints might be hard to capture.

The lock is powered by four AA batteries, which will

last through more than a year of normal use. The lock signals ahead of time when batteries need to be replaced-similar to a smoke detector. It also features a traditional key entry option as a backup.

The BioLock is available via select retail outlets and the internet and in national home supply stores. Online, go to www.sequiam.com/products/biolock.

Reverse Mortgage Topic At Council On Aging Office

Ed Barrett discusses reverse mortgages on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Reverse mortgage allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash. For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

Computer Seminar At Norfolk Registry Jan. 31

Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell will host an informational seminar on computer assisted land records research at the Registry of Deeds in Dedham Wednesday, Jan. 31 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

The seminar is intended for both real estate profes-

sionals and the public. The program will include a brief presentation, written reference materials, and hands-on exercises.

There will be opportunities for both basic and advanced questions and answers.

Computer assisted land

records research is available both at the Registry and on the Internet at www.norfolkdeeds.org.

"These services have proven valuable tools for our customers," O'Donnell stated, "and we hope that this seminar will be helpful and informative."

There is no charge for the seminar, but persons planning to attend are asked to register by phone (781-461-6116). Include name, address and a daytime phone number when registering.

The Registry of Deeds, located at 649 High St., Dedham, is the principal office for real property in Norfolk County. The Registry receives and records hundreds of thousands of documents each year and is a basic resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate and accessible land record information.

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THIS IS A HAMMER

By Samantha Mazzotta

Keep the Heat On

Winter is no time for a heater to suddenly conk out, so knowing the steps to take before calling a professional — and waiting for hours or days for a response — can get the warm air back on quickly and safely.

If a heater is not working, check the circuit box first — a blown fuse could be the culprit. If that checks out, look at the thermostat to see if it has been lowered or turned off; adjust it if necessary. Next, check the heating system's emergency switch, and turn it on if needed. If you have a gas system, check the pilot light.

An oil-burning system may be out of fuel. Check the tank level (many homeowners and professionals keep a long stick, marked in feet and inches, near the tank; dip the stick into the tank until it hits bottom and check how high the stick is coated). If the fuel level is fine, press the system's safety relay button once. If the heat doesn't come on, reset the burner motor (press the switch located near the motor).

If your home uses a hot water or steam (radiator) system, try releasing trapped

air from each radiator by opening the air vent — if there is one — with a screwdriver and keeping open until water shoots out (careful, it's hot). If using a steam boiler system, check the water-level gauge. If the water level is too low, turn the water supply valve until the gauge rises to the correct level.

These steps can correct a heating problem; if they don't, you can relay the steps you took to the heating repair professional when scheduling a visit.

Always stay safe when checking the heating unit. If you smell a strong odor of gas in the area, get everyone out of the house and call the fire department immediately. If standing water is next to an electrical circuit, don't play around with the circuits — call a heating professional or an electrician if necessary, and drain the water from the area if possible.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeur2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Eligibility requirements for fuel assistance, discount utility rates or energy efficiency services vary annually based on the size and income of the household. Call 1-866-LESS-COST (1-800-537-7267) or visit www.energybucks.com.

- Maintaining an efficient heating system is an important step to conserving energy. Have your heating system serviced once every two years and never try to repair it yourself.

- For every 1 degree F you set your thermostat back, you can save one to three percent on your annual heating costs.

- An energy specialist can make sure your home is

properly sealed with special tools, like a blower door, to find hidden leaks, and develop a plan for the most cost effective measure to improve your home.

- Caulk, seal and weather-strip all seams, door frames and openings to the outside to reduce air leaks. The biggest holes are most often found in the attic and the basement.

- Shut off heat to unused rooms and close the fireplace damper to seal air leaks.

- Insulate your attic, outer walls, ceilings and floors to prevent heat escaping to the outdoors.

- Clean and replace filters on furnaces once a month.

- Keep draperies and

shades on windows that face south open during the day to let sunshine in. Close them at night to keep out the chill.

- Take showers instead of baths (which use 40 percent more hot water) but keep them short. A shower costs about 3 cents per minute if you have an electric water heater.

- Leaky faucets waste gallons of water fast. Repair them immediately.

- Use toaster ovens and microwaves as much as possible. They use less than half the energy that ovens use.

- Turn off VCRs, stereos, and TVs when not in use. Unplug them when you are away from home longer.

Basic Homebuying Tips

(NAPS) - Following a few basic buying tips can help open the door to home ownership.

For instance, something as simple as creating a budget that earmarks your spending for a year can help you know what you can afford while signing up to have a portion of your paycheck automatically deposited in your savings account can help you be certain you'll have cash for the down payment.

Try these additional tips. They come from experts at Countrywide Financial.

- Clean up credit. Make sure none of your bills is past due for at least 12 months before applying for a home

loan. Also, check your credit report and clear up any errors.

- Obtain a written preapproval form from a reputable mortgage lender before you start house hunting. Doing so helps you know in advance how much home you can afford.

- Decide on the down payment. Today's home loans often only require 3 or 5 percent of the home's selling price. Explore your options.

- Find a real estate agent whether through a referral from friends and family, or by contacting your local real estate professional association.

For more information,

visit www.countrywide.com or call (800) 570-9888.

Medical Equipment Collection At QMC Feb. 10

The Rehabilitation Services Department at Quincy Medical Center will host a used durable medical equipment drop-off Saturday, Feb. 10 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Outpatient Physical Therapy Department's entrance in the medical center's rear parking area, 114 Whitwell St.

Residents are invited to "drop-off" gently used medical equipment, including rolling walkers, standard walk-

ers, folding walkers, straight canes, quad canes, wheelchairs, commodes, hoist lifts and raised toilet seats.

Equipment will be collected and inspected, cleaned and refurbished and donated to area physical therapy equipment "loan closets." Crutches are not needed at this time.

Soiled and/or broken equipment will not be accepted. For more information, call 617-376-5303.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Why Exercise Resolutions Fail

The start of a new year seems to trigger the exercise bug. Resolutions of a firmer, stronger, leaner and healthier self echo through homes and fitness centers around the country. Fitness and exercise equipment seems to fly off the shelves, and fitness facilities can anticipate the influx of current members returning and new member joining.

Fitness industry professionals don't need a calendar to identify the start of a new year, thanks to the sudden increase in attendance. The same thing happens a few months later, when fitness instructors know it's spring by the slow but gradual decline of member attendance. Why is this?

It could be tradition. It seems customary to include exercise and fitness into our New Year's resolutions. Resolutions provide the opportunity to admit to others that we have a desire to feel and look better. The question is what happens between January and April to derail our ambition and goals of leading a healthy lifestyle.

Often the culprit is, believe it or not, honesty. Yes, honesty, because most issues that surround becoming fit and exercising have nothing to do with exercise itself.

People often set themselves up for failure by setting fitness goals that they know will be almost impossible to maintain or continue over a long period of time. This is where honesty with yourself can make the difference in your sticking with your program throughout the year.

Issues of poor self-image, unhappiness, disappointment, stress, poor time management and depression can all get wrapped up in one resolution of "losing weight" or "getting fit." However, not dealing with these issues individually can prevent you from reaching whatever exercise goal you may desire.

Can exercise be used as a tool to help you cope with these issues? Definitely, but be honest with yourself and don't confuse your exercise and fitness goals with other goals that can keep you from reaching them.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@hcares.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River

Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

SPITTING IMAGES

Youngsters should be made to understand that tobacco in any form is unhealthy. While some kids believe that chewing tobacco is safer than smoking cigarettes, it is not. A person can get the same poisons and cancer-causing agents in chewing tobacco as from smoking tobacco. While it may be true that a person does not inhale chewing tobacco, it greatly increases the chances for oral cancer. In addition, chewing tobacco poses a real threat to the health of teeth, gums, and the bones that hold teeth in place. Thus, aside from being very addictive, chewing tobacco causes cavities; periodontal disease; a precancerous condition called "leukoplakia"; and cancer of the mouth, pharynx, and throat. Even chewing gum is preferable.

Smokeless tobacco can irritate your gum tissue, causing it to recede or pull away from your teeth. Once this gum tissue recedes, the roots of your teeth are exposed,

increasing your risk for tooth decay. The roots of your teeth may also become sensitive to hot and cold or other irritants, which means you could experience some discomfort when eating or drinking. Call us at 617-479-6220 if you have questions about your dental health. We provide a wide range of innovative dental services specifically tailored to the needs and wants of our patients. At all times, our focus is on you and what you want from dentistry. Ultimately, you manage your own oral health. We're located at 44 Greenfield Street. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. As headlines in recent years can attest, baseball players do not always make the right health choices. Young players should respect themselves and not emulate unhealthy behaviors of their heroes.



Increasing Good Cholesterol Reduces Cardiovascular Risk

(NAPS) — It's common knowledge that high cholesterol increases the risk of heart attack and strokes.

What's less well known is that statins, the drugs most often prescribed to lower cholesterol, may cause side effects that can even lead to heart disease.

Some medical experts think that rather than trying to lower overall or "bad" LDL cholesterol, a more effective course of heart disease prevention would be to raise HDL, or "good," cholesterol.

"It is estimated that every 1 percent increase in HDL can decrease the risk for heart disease by 2 percent in men

and 3 percent in women," said Dennis Goodman, M.D., former Chief of Cardiology and Medical Director of the Cardiac Treatment Center at Scripps Memorial Hospital. "This is especially important because a low HDL level is one of the most common cholesterol problems found in people with heart disease."

In a six-month pilot study at Scripps Memorial, Dr. Goodman and investigator George Dennish, M.D., tested a cardiovascular nutritional supplement and found it increased HDL up to 23 percent, which would indicate a reduced risk of heart disease. The study found no

adverse effects and demonstrated that the combination is safe to use with statin drugs.

The vitamins and minerals in the supplement include vitamin C, E, B6, B12, niacin, folic acid, magnesium and selenium, with protein-building amino acids, antioxidants such as CoQ10, alpha lipoic acid, N-acetylcysteine and policosanol and extracts of hawthorn, garlic, grape seed and soy isoflavones, all of which have been shown to beneficially affect heart health.

In one group tested, the HDL was raised by 23 percent; in another, by 40 percent.

"We are excited by these findings because they show the efficacy of essential vitamins and minerals, at levels recommended by the American Heart Association," said Dr. Goodman, who originally formulated the HDL Booster supplement, now sold by Enzymatic Therapy in health food stores nationwide.

For maximum heart health, Dr. Goodman recommends eating a well-balanced low-fat diet, staying active, quitting smoking if you smoke, and losing weight if you weigh too much. For more information, visit www.hdlbooster.com.

Avoiding The Cold And Flu

(NAPS) — When it comes to colds, the old adage usually holds true: An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. And there is little that can prevent the common cold virus from infecting you if you have been exposed to it.

If you do catch a cold, however, there are ways to make things a little easier on yourself. The first step is to do yourself, your friends and co-workers a favor and stay home. That way, you won't spread your illness and you'll have the opportunity to get plenty of rest.

Also, keep in mind that while there is no cure for the cold, several studies have shown that zinc lozenges products such as COLDEEZEE could help reduce the duration of a cold by nearly half.

Cold treatments can vary widely. Another brand is a combination of vitamins, herbs, minerals and amino acids, but because of questions regarding its effectiveness, the company that makes it no longer claims the product has any clinical effect. In addition, there are concerns about the possibility of kidney stones because of the megadoses of vitamin C one would take in if that product were used per instructions.

Still, your best bet is to not catch a cold in the first place. Try these tips:

- Wash your hands frequently. This is often your best defense. Wash the entire hand using warm water and soap. Don't forget to clean under your fingernails.
- Avoid putting your hands near your eyes, nose or mouth, unless you have washed. Most bacteria and germs are spread from a surface to your hands to your face.
- Cover your cough. Covering your mouth when you cough prevents the airborne spread of viruses and bacteria.
- Clean your "shared spaces" often. Remember phones, keyboards, steering wheels, office equipment and other items typically used by several people during the day.
- Get a flu shot. Flu shots are especially beneficial for those with weakened immune systems, the elderly or those who come in contact with a lot of people. Plus, the vaccine has been shown to shorten the duration of viral illness that are not flu.
- Get enough sleep. During sleep, your body's immune system goes into high gear to protect you from illness. Lack of sleep can reduce immune functioning, making you susceptible to sickness.
- It's sometimes easy to overlook your thirst and get dehydrated. Make sure you

consume eight glasses of water a day. But don't reuse or share water bottles.

• Keep a moderate exercise schedule. Try to maintain

a three-to-four-day-a-day exercise routine.

• Eat a healthy diet. A well-balanced diet helps maintain a healthy immune system.

Migraines, Headaches Topic At QMC Jan. 23

Quincy Medical Center (QMC) will host a free HealthMatters health education lecture entitled "Oh My Aching Head: A Review of Migraines and Headaches" Tuesday, Jan. 23 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy.

Dr. Patrick Madden, a Quincy Medical Center-affiliated Neurologist will lead the discussion which will review the differences between

headaches and migraines, as well as prevention and treatment strategies for both conditions.

The free lecture series is open to the public, and light refreshments will be served.

Advance registration is requested and available, 24-hours per day and seven days per week, by calling the QMC Physician Referral Service at 1-877-479-CARE (2273).

Healthy Heart Lecture Feb. 6

In observance of National Heart Health Month in February, Quincy Medical Center will host a free HealthMatters health education lecture designed to help people become "forever young (at heart!)." The free community health lecture will be held at Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy, on Tuesday, Feb. 6 from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

During the lecture, Dr. Mary Callahan, a Quincy Medical Center-affiliated cardiologist, and Ann McGroarty, RN, director of Cardiac Rehabilitation and Wellness Programs, will review risk factors for heart disease and strategies proven to reduce your personal risk of a cardiac event.

The free lecture is open to the public. Light refreshments will be reserved. Advance registration is requested and available by calling the QMC Physician Referral Service at 1-877-479-CARE (2273) anytime.

Blood Drive Jan. 29 At Sons Of Italy

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive Monday, Jan. 29 from 1 to 7 p.m. at the Quincy Sons of Italy, 120 Quarry St., West Quincy. Call the American Red Cross at 1-800-GIVE LIFE (1-800-448-3543) or visit www.givelife.org and schedule an appointment.

There were will be a drawing with a prize of \$200 towards home heating costs.

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SPORTS

Presidents Down D-Y, Tied For First Place

By SEAN BRENNAN

If you watched last Sunday's Patriots/Chargers game (who didn't, I know) you noticed that New England's experience and 'been-there attitudes' were both major factors in deciding the final outcome.

What you may have also noticed was just how much San Diego wanted to attack that bulls-eye on the backs of each and every Patriot player. When you have won before, every team you play wants to be the team who knocks off the best.

This winter, the Quincy Presidents' boys basketball program is the team that every opponent wants to beat. Quincy, which is off to its typical fast start at 6-2 overall and 4-1 in the highly competitive Atlantic Coast League, is the defending league champions, and thus far the team has responded to most of the challenges it has faced.

"We have that bulls-eye on our backs this season being the defending league champions," head coach Bob Fisher said recently. "For every team we play this year, their game(s) against us become the biggest game on their schedule. It is their chance to make a statement or in some cases would make their season if they beat us. We need to be ready to handle the best of each and every team we play this season."

Coach Fisher's team has handled the challenge early in the season; even if his team's play is not where it will need to be come post-season tournament time.

"This year's team is not as talented as last year's team," Fisher said. "We are a different team compared to last year, but we have the right combination this year to be a more talented team."

The Presidents' talent is spread out amongst a solid starting five and a very deep and ever-improving bench. Starters Steve Connolly, Paris Amado, Doug Scott, DeShawn Matthews and Jared Tucker and bench players Joe Pantano, Matt Boyle, Sean Boyd and Martin

BOYS' BASKETBALL

Bowes have helped Quincy race out to a first-place tie in the Atlantic Coast League.

"We have good scorers in Connolly, Amado and Scott," Fisher said. "And with guys filling in from the bench due to injuries, they have started to step up. In the total picture, we are playing fairly well."

Quincy played last Friday night against a good Dennis-Yarmouth team and came away with a huge league win. Not only was this victory big for the Presidents because it was a league game, but it was doubly important since Quincy was coming off of a blowout loss to Whitman-Hanson last Tuesday.

In the game versus Dennis-Yarmouth (which lost by only three points to W-H), sophomore sensation Doug Scott's twenty-two first-half points led Quincy to an early lead. Scott finished the game with twenty-eight points. Senior captain Steve Connolly finished with a double-double (18 points/12 rebounds) and junior guard Paris Amado tallied eleven points for the Presidents.

"That (game) was our most intense and aggressive game of the year," Fisher said. "We played with a sense of urgency after getting beat at home by Whitman-Hanson. It was a good win. We shot the ball well, we penetrated the paint and we attacked the glass. One of the biggest keys to victory was that we got to the foul line seventeen more times than they did."

The aforementioned tilt against the Panthers of Whitman-Hanson came down to a lack of execution on the part of the Presidents. The team got down by eighteen early in the first-half, and could never mount a significant scoring run to get back into the game. Connolly led all President scorers with 15 points and Scott finished the home loss with 13 points.

"We got down early and could never get a sizeable run going," Fisher said.

"Whitman-Hanson shot great from the three-point line and had one player hit seven of them. We had a tough night shooting and our lack of height hurt us in the rebounding category. We were short-handed, but that is not an excuse, we seemed to come out of the gate in a fog."

The Presidents defeated Plymouth North and Plymouth South in the two league games before the Whitman-Hanson loss.

Against Plymouth North, Quincy's guards controlled the pace of the game. Amado finished the contest with game-high eighteen points and Scott scored fifteen points as the Presidents went on to win 65-54. Connolly (12 pts.) and Matthews (11 pts.) also played well in the win.

Scott's twenty-seven points helped lead Quincy to a 68-52 win over Plymouth South. Matthews (14 pts.) and Connolly (12 pts.) again provided secondary scoring to compliment Scott's outstanding play.

If the Whitman-Hanson loss was an eye-opener for the Presidents, then the Dennis-Yarmouth game was a reminder to Quincy and Coach Fisher just how good this year's team can be.

"Win or lose you need to find things to help improve the team and create opportunities to win," Fisher stated. "The W-H game turned up our intensity, and immediately after that loss, we had three great practices followed by the win over D-Y. We are establishing a defensive presence and we are starting to create offense with this defense and we are turning the corner."

"You need to push these kids to improve and with the players we have the team will only get better."

Quincy plays on the road tonight against King Philip High School and travels down to Falmouth on Saturday to tip-off with the Clippers in an Atlantic Coast League showdown.

School Gym, Water St. entrance.

Don Martin, head coach of girls' soccer at Quincy High School, will direct the program. He will be assisted by members of the Recreation Staff.

Registration will be taken on the first night of the program and will be limited. After registration period



NORTH QUINCY'S Rebecca Goreham (center), who broke the school career rebounding record of 554 with her 555 career rebound against Nauset High School, was honored for her achievement before last week's game against Plymouth North. Joining her in celebration from left were; her parents, Rusty and Beth Goreham, Athletic Director Jim Rendle, North Quincy High School Principal Lou Ioanilli and Asst. Principal Pam Mateu. Quincy Sun photo/Sean Brennan

Quincy-North Combined Track Team Recent Results

WINTER TRACK

The following are results from the MSTCA Winterfest and dual meets against East Bridgewater High School and Marshfield High School for the Quincy/North Quincy girls combined track team.

In the meet against East Bridgewater, the Quincy/North Quincy team lost 67-33. Some notable performances included a first place finish from Krystin Newsom in the 55-meter race. Newsom finished in first place with a time of 8.31 seconds. In the 2-mile race,

Coaching Vacancies At QHS

Quincy High School is looking for coaches for their boys JV lacrosse and girls JV softball programs for the upcoming spring season.

All applications are due in the Athletic Office, 107 Coddington St., by Feb. 23.

Applications may be picked up at the A.D. office, or applicants can call the office at (617) 984-8782 to have one sent out.

Note: All coaching applications in the Quincy Public Schools are for one season only. Applications are accepted at anytime, with resumes and letters of interest placed on file for vacancies that may occur in the future.

there will be a full program of skills.

The session will end March 19. There will be no program on Presidents' Day, Feb. 19.

Participants are requested to wear sneakers and appropriate gym attire. Additional information can be obtained by calling Quincy Recreation Department at 617-376-1394.

Quincy/North Quincy's Jessica Davis (14:02.2) came in first, and her teammate, Caitlin McCarthy (14:51.7) finished in second place.

The team also received a first place finish from Erin Collins (25'09") in the shot put event, and a first place finish from Mary Schwartz (3:26.7) in the 1000-meter race. Tara McFarland finished in third place in the 1000-meters with a time of 3:45.8.

In the one-mile, Davis finished second with a time of 6:27.2 and McCarthy finished third with a time of 6:28.2. Lily Mant took second place in the 600-meter race with a time of 1:51.5, and Newsom capped off her day with a third place finish in both the high jump (4'03") and the long jump (14'4.785") events.

The meet against

Marshfield, which was an 80-20 defeat, the QNQ team had numerous top-three performances. The team's two first place finishers were Kelly Pineo in the shotput event and Rebecca Stanton in the high jump event. Pineo won with a toss of 31'07.25" feet. Teammate Erin Collins came in second in the same event with a toss of 27'08.5" feet. Rebecca Stanton finished in first place in the high jump event with a jump of 4'09 feet.

The rest of the top-three finishers included Newsom (55-meters/8.31 sec.), Schwartz (1-mile/6:00.3), Rachael Kasanoff (2-mile/13:33) and Man (600-meters/1:52.4).

At the MSTCA Winterfest, Kelly Pineo took top honors in the shotput event with a throw of 31'06.5" feet.

You Auto Know

by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

COLD-WEATHER BATTERY CHECK

Electrical storage batteries become less efficient as the temperature drops during the cold-weather months. Further complicating the matter is the fact that an engine may be more difficult to turn over in colder weather. These two factors may combine to cause problems.

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Soccer Skills Program Starts Jan. 22

Director Barry Welch announces the Quincy Recreation Department will conduct an eight-week Soccer Skills Program for girls as part of its evening recreation gym program.

The program will feature activities and instruction to improve fundamental soccer skills of each youngster. The participants will also take part in mini-games.

The program is offered Monday nights starting Jan. 22 and will have two separate periods of programming. From 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., the program is for girls in grades 5, 6, and 7, and from 7 to 8:30 p.m. the program will be for girls in grades 8, 9 and 10.

The program will be conducted at Lincoln-Hancock

Red Raiders Showing Steady Improvement

By SEAN BRENNAN

Transition (n) passing or change from one place, state, style etc., to another.

The North Quincy boys' hoops team is in a state of transition this winter, but according to head coach Kevin Barrett, the team is steadily improving with each game.

"We are struggling in the early part of the season," Barrett said this week. "We are playing very inconsistently, but there is time to change this as we enter the second season and the rest of our schedule."

The Red Raiders currently have a 2-6 overall record and a 1-5 record in the Atlantic Coast League. For a team that was 17-6 last season and co-champions of the ACL along with Quincy, North Quincy is having a time of it adjusting to league play this season. The team's only league win came versus Marshfield High School on January 2.

The Raiders defeated the Rams by a score of 58-49. Junior Phouc Nguyen scored a game high sixteen points in the victory. Three other North Quincy players finished the game with double figure points and they were seniors Terrell Johnson (11 pts.) and David Ray (10 pts.) and junior Dennis Martin (10 pts.).

"Nguyen played an overall great game against Marshfield," Barrett said. "He was steady on offense and defense the entire game. This was a good win for the program."

Woodward Basketball Wins Holiday Tournament

The holiday season may have already come and gone, but before it was over, the Woodward School for Girls basketball team gave their fans a present.

The team took part in and won the N.E.P.S.A.C (private school) holiday tournament which was held on Dec. 15 and 16 at The Beaver Country Day School in Chestnut Hill, MA.

Woodward, in the semifinals of the tournament, defeated Manianapolis Prepitory (CT) by a score of 35-20. Senior captain Brittany Norton (10 points) and her sister Michelle Norton (18 points), both Quincy residents, lead the way for Woodward. A great defensive performance from the entire team helped hold Manianapolis to a total of ten points in each half.

Woodward tipped off against Beaver Country Day

BOYS' BASKETBALL

The Red Raiders' only other win was against Barnstable High School in the season opener. North won that game 82-77. Junior Marcellus Lee's twenty-six points helped the Raiders hang on in a very tight contest.

"As you can tell by the final score, this game was up and down for two halves," Barrett said. "It was a good way to start the season, and if we can get back to what we worked in this game, then we should be able to get back on track for the rest of the season."

Martin, who is leading the Raiders' with 12 points per game scoring average, finished the season opener with seventeen points. Ray (15 pts.) and Johnson (14 pts.) also played solid games for North Quincy.

Last week, the Raiders lost two tough Atlantic Coast League games to Plymouth Northland Sandwich. Against Plymouth North, North Quincy fell in defeat, 66-53.

The team's game versus Sandwich came down to execution, and unfortunately for the Red Raiders, their good effort was not good enough. North Quincy left twelve points on the floor, as they went a paltry 15-27 from the charity stripe.

"It was a good effort, but as the final score indicates we came up short," Barrett said. "I saw progress being made, but if we want to win we need to make our free

throws. We left twelve points off the scoreboard."

Although North Quincy is off to a slow start, the team and Barrett know that in the ACL any game on any night can result in a win if you execute and play to your abilities. The Raiders have a shot at advancing to the post-season, but will need a serious finishing kick to get to the required 10-10 plateau.

"The progress is slowly being made," Barrett said. "The team's morale is high and I feel like we are a better team than our record indicates. We are working hard in practice and with the extra work the game experience that is needed will come."

"We are ready for a breakout win, something that will turn our season around. I know that we are capable of beating anyone if we play consistent. In this league, on any given night you can win or you can lose."

For the Red Raiders, the transition stage needs to end, and their game play experience needs to stand out, and if that happens then North Quincy may surprise a lot of teams in the second half of the season.

North hits the road this Friday when they travel to Dennis-Yarmouth to play an important Atlantic Coast League game, and again next Monday when they travel to Blue Hills Regional High School to tip-off in a non-league game.

in the tournament championship, and because of injuries and previous family obligations, the team was forced to take to the court with only five players. Brittany Norton, Michelle Norton, Mary Harris, Dana Gaymond and Sarah Bender played hard in the first half, but trailed 20-16 at halftime. The second half saw Beaver Country Day expand their lead to eight points, but the Wildcats rallied to tie the game in regulation, 32-32, to force overtime. Michelle Norton blocked two shots at the buzzer to help Woodward maintain the tie.

In overtime, the Wildcats outscored Beaver Country Day, 9-1. Michelle Norton scored all nine points in overtime and finished the championship game with 16 points. Brittany Norton finished the game with 15 points and Harris, Gaymond and Bender contributed to the win

with solid defense and rebounding.

"Give all the credit to the players. In all my years of coaching I have never been more proud of a group of players," head coach Bob Giordano said. "More importantly, I couldn't respect a team of young women any more than I do this group. They gave their heart, soul and sweat, not just for themselves but for each other and for Woodward. This is a game they will always remember."

The tournament win has propelled the Woodward School to a fast start this winter. The team currently has a 2-1 record in league play and a 4-2 record overall.

On Jan. 4, the Wildcats disposed of Brimmer & May, 52-19. The Norton sisters once again lead Woodward to victory. Brittany Norton scored 22 points and Michelle Norton dropped in 18 points.

North Quincy Wins 2 Matches, Record 10-3

By SEAN BRENNAN

The North Quincy Red Raiders wrestling team stepped up to the challenge this past weekend with two come-from-behind victories over Arlington High School and Walpole High School in a quad-match at Chelmsford High School. The Red Raiders' record now stands at 10-3.

North Quincy, which had a number of its top wrestlers out with injuries, took a tough loss against host Chelmsford, but the team responded to a 30-0 deficit against Arlington by storming back to take a convincing and team-oriented 45-30 win.

Senior captain Phil Kelly got the comeback rolling with a pin-win in the 285-pound division. Other winners for the Red Raiders included Hung Ly (103 lbs.), Dennis Leung (112 lbs.), Kenny Lok (119 lbs.), Jon Tan (125 lbs.), David Duong (130 lbs.),

WRESTLING

Danny Sok (135 lbs.), Jack Leung (140 lbs.), and Louis Chin (145 lbs.).

North Quincy earned its second win of the quad-meet with another comeback victory over Walpole, 42-36. Down 30-6, the Red Raiders got the winning rally started with a Dennis Leung pin-win at the 112-lbs. division. Other wrestlers winning against Walpole included Jon Tan (119 lbs.), David Duong (125 lbs.), Danny Sok (130 lbs.), Jack Leung (140 lbs.), Louis Chin (145 lbs.), and Dewar Tan (152 lbs.).

"The team stepped up today," head coach Dan Regan said. "We have ten more matches left on the season before sectionals-the last two matches of today's quad showed a team coming together. I think and hope the team will grow as a squad

from the excitement of coming down from two big deficits and digging deep to come up with two victories."

On January 6, North Quincy played host to twenty teams at its annual winter wrestling tournament. The Red Raiders finished in seventh place overall, and had one champion, Phil Kelly took first place in the heavy-weight division. Other notable results included second place finishes for Jon Tan (119 lbs.) and Danny Sok (130 lbs.), a third place finish for David Duong (125 lbs.) and a sixth place finish for Kenny Xu (135 lbs.).

Quincy High School sophomore Paul Reggiani was the champion in the 135 pound division. Quincy senior, Camilo Arredondo finished in second place in the 171-pound division.

Quincy Youth Basketball Results

The following results from the Quincy Youth Basketball league are from December 10, 2006, and are as follows for boys and girls grades 3-8.

In the boys 6-8 grade division, Greg Nelson scored a game high 20 points as Colonial Federal beat Quincy Fire Fighters, 36-26. Madison Barnwell, Ian Dunphy and Alex Dolan scored four points apiece, and Nick Dolan and Matt Solander scored three points each for Colonial Federal (2-0). Leading Quincy Fire Fighters (0-2) with fourteen points was Keenan Daniels. Also playing well for the Fire Fighters was Shawn Thomas (6 points), Brian Gibson (4 pts.) and Brendan Haines (2 pts.).

In other action, Atty. George Burke prevailed over Century 21 Annex Realty, 44-38. Dillon Beazley contributed 16 points and Alex Bottari-Mortel added 14 points for Atty. George Burke (2-0). Also scoring were Seamus Pound, Michael McDaniel and Bobby Kozlowski with four points each and DJ Feliciano with two points. Scoring and playing well for Century 21 Annex Realty (0-2) were Jeffrey Nguyen (12 pts.), Josue Ordonez (10 pts.), Alan Chan

(6 pts.), Derek Seto (5 pts.), Zackery McLaren (4 pts.) and Jesse Kennedy (1 pt.).

In the Cosgrove Division (boys, grades 3-5), Feenan Financial beat McGrath Highway Realty Trust, 11-8. Scoring for Feenan Financial (2-0) were Aaron Clancy (9 pts.) and Michael Gendreau (2 pts.). For McGrath Highway Realty Trust (1-1), Stephen Scolaro scored six points, Padraig Geaney scored four, and James MacDonald, Michael Sacco and Matthew Le scored two points apiece.

Despite Kyle Richardson's game high thirteen points, the Morrissey Senators fell to Dunkin' Donuts (2-0), 39-22. Jonathan Bain contributed eleven points for Dunkin' Donuts, while Michael Bina had 10 points, Steven Quinn had 8 pts., and Ronald Molina, Thomas Whooley, Kevin Wu and Shamus Hill-Torres has two points apiece.

Scoring for the Morrissey Senators (1-1) were John Grasselli (3 pts.), and Zachary Myers, Bernie Egan-Mullen and Thomas Furtado with two points apiece.

In more Cosgrove Division action, Cosgrove, Eisenberg and Kiley topped Yellow Cab, 21-17. Liam Fitzmaurice and George Lima scored six points each, Garrett Reynolds added five and Andrew Bell scored two points for Cosgrove.

Eisenberg and Kiley (1-1). Matthew Kozlowski scored thirteen points and Andrew Cook and Paul Ford added two each for Yellow Cab (0-2).

Councillor Kevin Coughlin (1-1) edged past Flavin & Norris, 14-12, as Darius Norris poured in twelve points and Anthony Gustin added two. For Flavin & Flavin (0-2), Nicholas Pham and Matthew Pham posted four points each and Cameron White and Matthew Gerakis added two each.

In girls (grades 6-8) action, JET Realty sailed past Tobin's Tigers, 20-7. Therese Triglia scored 8 points, Presley McLaughlin scored 6, Melissa Linsky scored 4 and Katie Jarrell had two points for JET Realty (2-0). For Tobin's Tigers (0-2), Carly Scolaro scored five points and Patricia Brennan scored two.

Quincy Credit Union defeated Rep. Bruce Ayers, 27-24. Melissa McKinnon tallied 8 points for Quincy Credit Union (2-0); Mallory Devode, Abrahm Ahmed, Sarah Ahmend and Rachel Chu added four points and Mallory McKinnon contributed three. Samantha Albanese posted game high fifteen points for Rep. Bruce Ayers (0-2). Elizabeth Austin (6 pts.), Alisia Bray (2 pts.) and Lindsey Nazzaro (1 pt.) also scored for Rep. Bruce Ayers.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River

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For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

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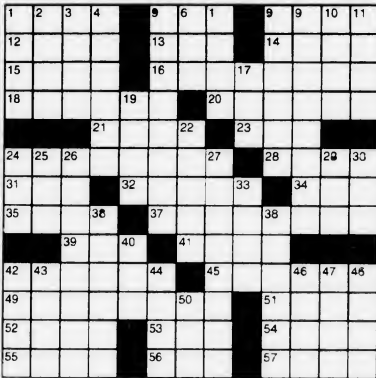
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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

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- SCIENCE:** What unit of measurement is used to determine magnetic flux?
- MUSIC:** Who shot and killed singer Marvin Gaye after an argument?
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- GEOGRAPHY:** The Crimean Peninsula is part of what country?
- LITERATURE:** Who wrote these lines of poetry: "Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—I took the one less traveled by"?
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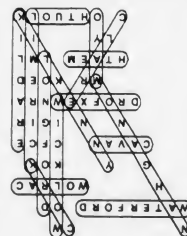
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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Your batteries should be fully recharged by now, making you more than eager to get back into the swing of things full time. Try to stay focused so that you don't dissipate your energies.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're eager to charge straight ahead into your new responsibilities. But you'll have to paw the ground a little longer, until a surprise complication is worked out.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Rival factions are pressuring you to take a stand favoring one side or the other. But this isn't the time to play judge. Bow out as gracefully as possible, without committing yourself to any position.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Reassure a longtime, trusted confidante that you appreciate his or her words of advice. But at this time, you need to act on what you perceive to be your own sense of self-interest.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You need to let your warm Leonine heart fire up that new relationship if you hope to see it move from the "just friends" level to one that will be as romantic as you could hope for.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) There's still time to repair a misunderstanding with an honest explanation and a heartfelt apology. The sooner you do, the sooner you can get on with other matters.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) Expect a temporary setback as you progress toward your goal. Use this time to re-examine your plans and see where you might need to make some significant changes.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Some missteps are revealed as the cause of current problems in a personal or professional partnership. Make the necessary adjustments and then move on.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Jupiter's influence helps you work through a pesky problem, allowing your naturally jovial attitude to re-emerge stronger than ever. Enjoy your success.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Set aside your usual reluctance to change, and consider reassessing your financial situation so that you can build on its strengths and minimize its weaknesses.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Some recently acquired information helps open up a dark part of the past. Resolve to put what you've learned to good use. Travel plans continue to be favored.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Act on your own keen instincts. Your strong Piscean backbone will support you as someone attempts to pressure you into a decision you're not ready to make.

BORN THIS WEEK: You embody a love for traditional values combined with an appreciation of what's new and challenging.

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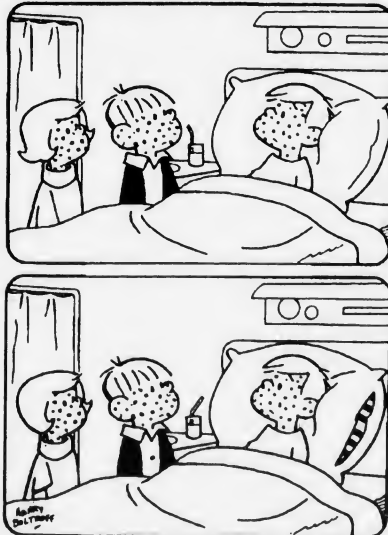
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.
Differences: 1. Button is added. 2. Straw is moved. 3. Pillow is different. 4. Hair is different. 5. Knob is moved. 6. Sleeve is shorter.

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OBITUARIES

Francis X. Flynn, 82 Retired Quincy Police Officer

A funeral Mass for Francis X. Flynn, 82, of Quincy, a Quincy police officer for 36 years and a World War II Navy veteran, was celebrated Jan. 12 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mr. Flynn died Jan. 6 at home after a long illness. He joined the Quincy Police Department in June 1953. He retired in 1989.

Mr. Flynn was a member of Civil P. Morrisette American Legion Post 294 of Quincy and the Adams Heights Men's Club of Quincy.

Born and raised in Quincy, he attended St. John's Elementary School and graduated from Quincy High School. He was a life-long resident of Quincy.

He was a driving instructor for the Woods South Shore Auto School for many years.

Mr. Flynn was an usher at

Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Husband of the late Frances G. (MacInnis) Flynn, he is survived by two daughters, Joanne P. MacFarlane and Carol Marie Flynn of Quincy, a son, Robert MacInnis Flynn of Holbrook, a sister, Evelyn Flynn of Grand Bay, Ala.; a brother, Daniel B. Flynn of Brockton, and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Old Colony Hospice, 1 Credit Union Way, Randolph, MA 02368 or to the MSPCA, 400 Broadway, Methuen, MA 01844.

Dorothy M. Myers, 80 Retired Rivet Inspector

A funeral Mass for Dorothy Marie Myers, 80, of Deerfield Beach, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a retired rivet inspector, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Ms. Myers died Jan. 11 at Vidas Hospice House in Florida.

She worked for more than 30 years at Tubular Rivet and Stud Company in Quincy.

Born and raised in Quincy, she graduated from Quincy High School and

lived in the city before moving to Deerfield Beach seven years ago.

She is survived by two brothers, Charles R. Myers J. of Deerfield Beach and William J. Myers of Palm Springs, Calif., and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Michael J. Ruscio, Jr., 59 Custodian

A funeral service for SFC Michael J. Ruscio, Jr., 59, United States Army Reserve, of Hull, formerly of Quincy, a custodian, was held Jan. 9 in the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Ruscio died Jan. 4 at the Brockton VA Medical Center.

He was born and raised in Quincy. He was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Mr. Ruscio began his service in the United States Army with two tours of duty in a Mobile Surgical Hospital during the Vietnam Conflict. Following his years of active duty, he remained in the Army Reserves attached to a medical unit.

He retired from the Army in 1996 with several decorations including the Army Commendation Medal.

In his civilian life, Mr. Ruscio worked in various industries. For many years, he worked as a truck driver for Dickinson Direct Marketing in Braintree. He also worked as an engineer at the Courtyard Marriott Hotel in Randolph.

Most recently, he had been working as a custodian for the Bramtree School Department.

Mr. Ruscio was a member of the Cyril P. Morrisette American Legion Post in Quincy and the Weymouth Eagles.

He enjoyed camping.

Barbara A. Lannan, 77

A funeral Mass for Barbara A. (Robertson) Lannan, 77, of Bonita Springs, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a mother of six and stepmother of seven, was celebrated Monday in St. John's Church, East Bridgewater.

Mrs. Lannan died Jan. 9 at Naples Community Hospital in Florida.

She was a volunteer at the St. John Thrift Shop.

Born and raised in Quincy, she moved to Florida 18 years ago.

She is survived by her husband of 19 years, James Lannan; her children, Pat Tungett of Naples, Fla., Wendy Schaefer of



MICHAEL J. RUSCIO, JR.

He is survived by his wife, Anita (Levesque) Ruscio; six children, Joseph M. Ruscio of Weymouth, Francis L. Ruscio of Texas, Michelle Stackpole of Middleboro, Richard Stackpole of Weymouth, Billie-Joe Allen of Kingston and Carrie Ann Barnes of Abington; his mother, Marion (Hiscock) of Brockton; three sisters, Jean Shea of Bridgewater, Joan Roffo of Norwell and Cheryl Mitchell of Lakeville; a brother, Paul Ruscio of Quincy; 13 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was the son of the late Joseph M. Ruscio.

Burial with military honors was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Memorial donations may be made to the VA Hospice, c/o Rick Leeman, Volunteer Services, 940 Belmont St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Braintree, Barbara Flores of East Bridgewater, Dennis Perry of Holbrook, and Richard Perry of South Fort Myers, Fla.; her stepchildren, James Lannan, Mary Pratt, Carol Lannan, Christopher Lannan, Matthew Lannan, Michael Lannan and David Lannan; 22 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She was the wife of the late Frank Perry Jr. and the mother of the late Timothy Richard Perry.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Leslie Pickering, 93 Owned Pickering

A funeral service for Leslie Pickering, 93, of Georgia, formerly of Quincy, owner of the Pickering Refractory Inc. in Quincy for many years, was held Jan. 7 at the Lydon Funeral Chapel, Quincy.

Mr. Pickering died Jan. 2 in Georgia.

He was a long-time member of the Quincy Lodge of Elks.

Husband of the late Mildred L. (Westhaven) Pickering, he is survived by his son, Leslie W. Pickering of Georgia.



LESLIE PICKERING

Burial will be Saturday at noon in the Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

David A. Carter, 52 Oil Burner Technician

A funeral service for David A. Carter, 52, of Holbrook, formerly of Quincy, an oil burner technician, will be held Jan. 11 in the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Carter died Jan. 7 at home.

Born in Quincy, he lived in Quincy until moving to Holbrook 28 years ago.

He was employed many years as an oil burner technician for Atlantic Pratt and Nightingale Oil in Braintree.

Mr. Carter also worked as a medical supply driver for H. Eric Richards in Stoughton.

He coordinated and coached the Holbrook Girls Softball League for more than 15 years.

He was a member of the Standish Sportsmen Association in East Bridgewater.

Mr. Carter was the past Master Councillor of Old Colony Chapter of Denolay. He was a life member of the

Grand Lodge of Masons, Massachusetts.

He enjoyed vacationing in Ossipee Lake, New Hampshire.

Husband of the late Jacqueline M. (Griffith) Carter, he is survived by two daughters, Christine A. Carter of Holbrook and Michelle Carter of Holbrook; a son, David B. Carter of Holbrook; a brother, Bryant L. Carter, Jr. of Quincy; and a sister, Lewann Mina of Quincy.

He was also the son of the late Bryant L. Carter, Sr. and the late Helen E. (Eaton) Carter, both longtime residents of Quincy.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 5 to 9 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Burial will be private.

Memorial donations can be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

Ann M. Donovan, 62 Trust Security Clerk

A funeral Mass for Ann M. Donovan, 62, of Quincy, a trust security clerk, was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Miss Donovan died Jan. 11 at home after a long illness.

She worked for 18 years at Hemenway and Barnes. She previously worked for 25 years at Shawmut Bank

in Boston as a trust clerk.

She is survived by her siblings, Rosemary Marsters and William J. Chiampa of Quincy; three nieces and nephews and two great nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by Lydon Funeral Chapel, Wollaston.



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Richard P. Snaith, 80

Massachusetts General Hospital Employee

A memorial service for Richard P. Snaith, 80, of White River Junction, VT, formerly of Quincy, a Navy veteran of World War II, was held Jan. 12 at White River Methodist Church, White River Junction.

Mr. Snaith died Jan. 9 at Brookside Nursing Home, White River Junction.

Born in Quincy, he attended North Quincy High School before serving in the Navy. He saw action in the invasion of Normandy.

After returning from the war, he worked at Massachusetts General Hospital.

Mr. Snaith attended the Mary Hitchcock School of Nursing in Hanover, N.H., after moving to White River Junction with his bride, Jane (Bogle) Snaith, in 1958.

He also worked at Dick's House in Dartmouth College as a license practical nurse. He later worked for the Veterans Administration in White River Junction, as a manager at Purity Supreme in White River Junction, and for the Millbrook Co. as a salesman.

Mr. Snaith returned to the

Veterans Administration and retired as a pharmacy technician.

He was also an actor and singer and performed in several productions of "Pillow Talk," "Brigadoon," and many Shakespeare plays. He was a sports fan, especially the Red Sox, Patriots and Bruins.

He enjoyed reading, cooking, needlepoint and collecting coins and stamps.

Mr. Snaith was a member of White River Methodist Church, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2571 and the Hartford Lodge of Elks.

In addition to his wife of 50 years, he is survived by three sons, Randy Snaith of Holyoke, Richard Snaith II of New London, N.H., and Scott Snaith of Hollis, Maine; a daughter, Rebecca Waters of Quebec, VT; a sister, Barbara Regan of Braintree; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Knight Funeral Home, White River Junction.

Celia V. Blight, 77

Retired Bookbinder

A funeral service for Celia V. (Southard) Blight, 77, of Quincy, a retired bookbinder, was held Jan. 12 at First Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Blight died Jan. 11 at home.

She worked for the former Semline Book Binary Co. of Braintree for 15 years. She also volunteered with West Quincy Baptist Church and the Church of the Presidents in Quincy.

Born and raised in Monmouth, Maine, she lived in Winthrop and Jamaica Plain before moving to

Quincy 56 years ago.

Wife of the late Duncan E. Blight, she is survived by three daughters, Irene Lipinski of Weymouth and Deborah Connell and Lucy Bean of Quincy; a son, Quincy Fire Lt. Ralph E. Blight of Hanson; a sister, Annie Mae Ray of Maine; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, Quincy.

Michael 'Miko' Sugrue

Retired Bookbinder

A funeral service for Michael "Miko" Sugrue of Coonahsee, Rossbeigh, Glenageary, Ireland, was held Nov. 28, 2006 in St. James Church, Glenageary.

Mr. Sugrue died Nov. 25, 2006.

Born to the late Jim and Sheila Sugrue, Miko was the eldest of six children, John, Paddy, Jim, Frances and the late Mary.

He attended the old Glenageary National School and afterwards went to England working on the beet campaign for a few years. In 1965 he went to Boston to his brother John and worked in the building trade.

He returned to Coonahsee in the late 1970s to look after his parents.

The family home was situated beside the sea and Mr. Sugrue loved the sea and fishing. He started into commercial fishing with Paddy Sullivan and they fished

from Cuananna until the early 1990s. He had a small boat and fished with his brother Paddy for many years.

Mr. Sugrue enjoyed traveling back and forth to the U.S. to his brother John and sister Frances in Boston and had a lot of friends there.

He was very proud of his roses and potato garden.

He had a strong faith and attended Mass regularly. He enjoyed meeting the people in his local, The Ross Inn.

He is survived by three brothers, John of Quincy, Paddy of Ireland and Jim of Ireland; a sister, Frances Harris of Quincy; nephews, nieces and other family relatives.

He was also the brother of the late Mary Connor of Ireland.

Burial was in Ballinakilla Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Brennan's Funeral Home.

A funeral service for Tracy Shaw, 42, a lifelong Quincy resident, was held Wednesday at Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Miss Shaw died Jan. 11 at her home after a period of declining health.

Born in Quincy, she was educated in Quincy schools. She graduated from Newbury College with high honors in 1996 with dual majors, earning degrees in restaurant management and sociology.

She was a member of the Phi Theta Kappa, the international honor society.

She was a lifelong member of Houghs Neck Congre-

gational Church.

She enjoyed reading and loved learning.

Miss Shaw is survived by her parents, Richard and Yvette (Cote) Shaw of Quincy; her son, Torey E. Shaw of Hanson; two brothers, Gary Shaw and Michael Shaw, both of Quincy; three sisters, Yvette Grady and Karen Grillo, both of Quincy; and Dorothy Marrocco of Hanson; her companion, Donald C. Rudolph of Quincy; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Burial was private.

Memorial donations may be made to Old Colony Hospice, 1 Credit Union Way, Randolph, MA 02368.

Florence Capobianco, 94

Retired Statistician

A funeral Mass for Florence Capobianco, 94, of Quincy, a retired statistician, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Miss Capobianco died Jan. 12 at her niece's house in Pembroke.

She retired from Quincy City Hospital in 1975, where she was in charge of payroll and accounts payable. After retiring, she worked for 13 years as a bookkeeper for Dr. Bornstein's office in Quincy.

Born in Somerville, she lived most of her life in Quincy before moving to Scituate two years ago.

She was a 1929 graduate of Quincy High School.

A member of the Altrusa Club in Quincy, she traveled extensively.

Miss Capobianco enjoyed doing crossword puzzles, playing scrabble and reading.

She is survived by a sister, Lillian Bolea of Quincy, and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home in Quincy.

M. Winifred Francis, 82

Retired Secretary

A funeral Mass for M. Winifred (Connolly) Francis, 82, of Quincy, a retired secretary, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Gregory Church, Dorchester.

Mrs. Francis died Jan. 13 at Milton Hospital after a brief illness.

She worked for Mislter Press and Frank McDonough Real Estate, both in Dorchester, retiring in 1970.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Dorchester. She graduated from Monsignor Ryan Memorial High School in Dorchester.

She lived most of her life in Dorchester before moving to Quincy recently.

Miss Francis was a member of the Catholic Daughters of America and a parishioner at St. Gregory Church in Dorchester.

Wife of the late Edward J. Francis, she is survived by two sisters, Catherine T. O'Toole of Medford and Pauline A. MacGillivray of Dorchester; a brother, Marcus J. Connolly of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Myrna Golub, 70

Chemist

A funeral service for Myrna (Selwitz) Golub, 70, of Osterville, formerly of Quincy, a chemist, was held Jan. 10 at Schloss-Solomon Memorial Chapel, Canton.

Mrs. Golub died Jan. 9 at home.

She was born in Springfield.

She is survived by her husband, Abraham Michaels, a son, John Golub of New Jersey, a brother, Howard Selwitz of New York, and three grandsons. She was also the wife of the late Michael Golub.

Burial was in Sharon Memorial Park.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Peter P. Barrett, 49

School Bus Driver

A funeral Mass for Peter P. Barrett, 49, of Quincy, a school bus driver, was celebrated Jan. 12 at St. Mark's Church, Dorchester.

Mr. Barrett died Jan. 8. He worked for 27 years for First Student Transportation Co. in Boston. He was a former member of Bus Drivers Local 8751.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Dorchester and moved to Quincy a year and a half ago.

He attended St. Mark's Elementary School in Dorchester and graduated from Boston Technical High School.

Mr. Barrett enjoyed walking his dogs around Castle Island in South Boston and Jamaica Pond.

He enjoyed volunteering his time for autistic children and other charitable causes. He also volunteered to drive when his relatives hosted

summer vacations for children who were victims of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster. He was a fan of the Red Sox and Patriots.

He was a friend of Bill W. Mr. Barrett is survived by five brothers, William J. Barrett of Milton, John E. Barrett and Richard J. Barrett of Quincy, Michael E. Barrett of Stoughton and Stephen G. Barrett of Braintree; three sisters, Patricia B. Wood of Holbrook, Anne E. Collins of Hyde Park and Julie M. Berberian of Webster; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Dorchester.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to Autism Speaks, 2 Park Ave., 11th floor, New York, N.Y. 10016.

Walter S. Bonavita, 73

EMS Deputy Superintendent

A funeral Mass for Walter S. Bonavita, 73, of Quincy, formerly of Roxbury, a retired deputy superintendent of Boston EMS at Boston City Hospital, was celebrated Jan. 9 at St. John's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Bonavita died Jan. 6 at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Facility in Quincy.

Born in Boston, he lived in Roxbury before moving to Quincy 38 years ago. He lived part-time in North Attle, Mass.

He was employed by the Boston Police Department as a deputy superintendent of Boston EMS at Boston City Hospital for 45 years. He retired in 2000.

He served in the U.S. Air Force after high school.

Mr. Bonavita was a great

tennis player.

He was an avid fan of the Red Sox and Patriots.

He enjoyed being with his family.

He is survived by his wife, Susan M. (Cassidy) Bonavita of Quincy, a daughter, Stacy M. Mackey of Quincy, a son, Steven M. Bonavita of Palmer, two brothers, Joseph Bonavita of Hanover and Richard Bonavita of Cape Cod, and a sister, Alice McHagg of Milton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Knapp Funeral Home, 745 Hancock St., Woburn.

Mass mail matters may be made to the Quincy Patriot-Enterprise, P.O. Box 68844, Boston, MA 02268-8444.

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Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have Sunday worship service and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C.

Fiber Arts Group At Squantum First Church

The Fiber Arts group meets every Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. to noon in the church parlor at the First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., Squantum.

All those who have an in-

terest in knitting, rug hooking and any other handicraft are welcome to attend.

Instruction is available to beginning knitters to rug hookers

Fellowship will follow the

service in the Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

The Men's Breakfast meets every Saturday morning at 8 a.m. in the church hall.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy announce a Catholic Women's Prayer Group meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Parish

Center, 22 Pray St., Quincy Point

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship with Christ

All are welcome.

For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Veterans Adviser At Council On Aging Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednes-

day to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no

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Four Chaplains Sunday Observance Feb. 4

The Quincy Veterans' Services Department of Quincy reminds residents Sunday, Feb. 4 has been mandated by the Congress of the United States as "Four Chaplains Sunday."

The day commemorates a cold February morning in 1943 when the troopship Dorchester slowly made her way through frigid waters on the north Atlantic toward Greenland and suddenly a German torpedo struck amidships and released suffocating clouds of steam and ammonia gases. Many men were killed instantly. Others groped and stumbled their

way to the upper deck.

The ship was mortally wounded and listing badly; she would sink in only 20 minutes. Out of 902 men only 230 men were saved that awful night.

However, moving reassuringly among the frightened men were four chaplains: George Fox, Methodist; Alexander Goode, Jewish; Clark Poling, Dutch Reformed; and John Washington, Catholic. These chaplains worked to calm the men and handed out available life jackets.

Soon, the supply of extra

life jackets ran out, calmly and without hesitation all four chaplains stripped off their own life jackets, giving them to the frightened men near them, never asking whether they were Protestant, Catholic or Jewish. It is said that these men of faith linked arms, bowed their heads, and each in their own manner, led the men in prayer, putting their lives in the hands of God.

Survivors recounted the sight and sound of that terrible night picturing those four chaplains who performed a tremendously heroic act.

First Church Of Squantum Men's Breakfast

The Men's Breakfast group will meet Saturday, Jan. 20 at 8 a.m. in the church hall at the First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., Squantum.

All are invited to attend.

A Book Club is forming at

The First Church of Squantum and will have its first meeting Thursday, Feb. 8 at 7 p.m. in the church parlor.

The book, *The Memory Keeper's Daughter*, written by Kim Edwards, will be dis-

cussed.

Copies of the book are available at local bookstores. Everyone interested in discussing good books is welcome to attend.

For further information, call the church office at 617-328-6649.

Overeaters Anonymous Group Meets Here

Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step program for recovering from compulsive overeating.

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10 a.m. Sunday Worship

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"A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"

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Sunday Masses

4 p.m. (Sat.) 7:45 a.m., 9 a.m. (Family Liturgy)

10:30 a.m. with Chori and 5 p.m.

12 noon at Star of Sea Church

Weekday Masses

Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. Sat. 9 a.m.

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Confessions

Sat. 3-3:45 p.m. in Saint Joseph's Oratory

St. Joseph's Church

550 Washington Street

Quincy, MA 02169

617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES:

4 p.m. (On Saturday)

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Weekday Masses

Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.

Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church

757 Hancock St., Wollaston

• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30 AM

Daily Masses: 9:00 AM

Handicapped Church Available

Congregational

HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

310 Manet Ave., Quincy

www.hncong.org

Sunday, Jan. 21

Worship Service 9:30 am

Theme: 'The Body of Christ'

1 Corinthians 12: 12-31a

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Rev. John Castricum

617-479-8778

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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10 AM Sunday Worship, Sunday School

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Worship and Church School 10 am

Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor

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Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist

10:30 AM

Sunday Service & Sunday School

7:30 PM

Wednesday Evening Meeting

20 Greenleaf Street Quincy

off Hancock St.

617-472-0055

Congregational

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

48 Winthrop Ave. • 617-773-7432

Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford

Worship Service Jan. 21

'Hearing the Word of God'

Nehemiah 8: 1-3; 5-6

Luke 4: 14-21

Richard W. Bartlett,

Field Education, preaching

UNION CHURCH

Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston

Sunday Service 10 AM

617-479-6661

Rev. John Carl Swanson

Pastor

Covenant

COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner of Whitwell & Granite St.

Sunday Worship 10:00 AM

Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor

9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages

Child Care Available - All Are Welcome

Children's Pantry

Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon

617-479-5728

Nazarene

Wollaston Church of the Nazarene

37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston

(617) 472-5669

On The Campus Of

Eastern Nazarene College

Pastor: Rev. Fred Fullerton

Sunday Services

8:30 am - Holy Communion

9:45 am - Adult & Children's

Sunday School

11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service

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Rev. David Heffling

Sunday School 9 a.m.

Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m.

Nursery Care During Service

Coffee Hour Following

ALL WELCOME

THRIFT SHOP HRS. - W TH, FR 10am-4pm

Evangelical

EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC

65 Newbury Ave., North Quincy

(617) 847-4444

Pastor Bill Donahue

Sunday Morning

Worship 10:10 AM

Childcare Available

Methodist

QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

40 Beale St., Wollaston

617-773-3319

10:30 AM Sunday Worship

Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Graden, Pastor

Salvationist

THE SALVATION ARMY

6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345

9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL

11AM WORSHIP SERVICE

BRASS BAND MUSIC

7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

Spiritualist

First Spiritualist Church of Quincy

40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169

(617) 770-2246

Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM

Coffee and Conversation following service

(Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)

Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.

Mary Hallahan, 79

Accounts Manager

A funeral Mass for Mary (Evans) Hallahan, 79, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a retired accounts manager, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Hallahan died Sunday at home.

Born in Boston, she spent most of her life in Dorchester before moving to Quincy in 1974.

Mrs. Hallahan worked for State Street Bank as an accounts manager for nearly 20 years, retiring at age 65.

She enjoyed crocheting, reading, playing cards, and cooking.

She was a loving mother and a devoted friend.

Husband of the late Gerald P. Hallahan, she is survived by seven sons, John E. Hallahan of Braintree, G. Patrick Hallahan of Fairfield, CA, Thomas D. Hallahan of Pembroke, Daniel P. Hallahan of Quincy, James T. Hallahan of Bellevue, NE, Joseph C. Hallahan of Quincy



MARY HALLAHAN

and Robert S. Hallahan of Quincy; three daughters, Susan E. Hayes of Port St. Lucie, Fla., Carol M. Smith of Darien, CT and Katherine L. Mulcahy of Medford; 29 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

She was the sister of the late Thomas J. Evans and the late Henry T. Evans.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of the South Shore, 100 Baystate Rd., P.O. Box 9060, Braintree, MA 02184.

Dorothy L. Montani-Donovan

Owned Houghs Neck Hairdressing Salon

A funeral Mass for Dorothy L. (Montani) Donovan, 83, of Quincy, a hairdresser, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mrs. Donovan died Sunday at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

Born in Quincy, she was a lifelong resident of the city. She was educated in Quincy schools and was a 1941 graduate of Quincy High School.

She also graduated from hairdressing school and worked as a hairdresser. She owned and operated her own hairdressing salon in Houghs Neck.

Mrs. Donovan was a communicant at Saint Mary's Church in West Quincy for many years.

She had lived at Hancock Park for the last six years.



DOROTHY L. MONTANI-DONOVAN

Previously, she was a resident of 1000 Southern Artery.

She is survived by two brothers, Stephen F. Montani of Milton and Edward G. Montani of Norwell; two sisters, Marjorie M. Malvesti of Quincy and Barbara A. Norris of Braintree and Bourne; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Florence MacMullen, 93

Assembly Line Worker

Florence (Hagopian) MacMullen, 93, of Braintree, formerly of Wollaston, a retired assembly line worker, died Jan. 13 in Braintree.

Mrs. MacMullen worked as an assembly line worker for Raytheon for 20 years, retiring in 1970.

She was a member of IBEW Local No. 1505.

Mrs. MacMullen was an artist and master embroider with works displayed in many venues. She learned and embraced the art of copper tooling and scrimshaw in her 80s. Local churches benefited from her handmade, donated work.

She was a world traveler. She was loved for her patience and kind spirit.



FLORENCE MACMULLEN

Wife of the late William J. MacMullen, she is survived by a daughter, Gail Ranieri of Braintree; and three grandchildren.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

blood pressure taken weekly. made but walk-ins also are Appointments can be accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CORRECTION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS CORRECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 23, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Christine Psota for a Variance to construct a two-story addition in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 56 CENTRE STREET, QUINCY.

Jack Garland, Chairman

1/11, 1/18/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2006-350
ORDERED:

December 18, 2006

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10, Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20 Stopping, Standing and Parking, Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

DELETE THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Hughes Street	North	#61 Hughes Street		No Parking Anytime

A TRUE COPY
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

1/18/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2006-334
ORDERED:

December 4, 2006

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10, Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20 Stopping, Standing and Parking, Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Stewart Street	West	#42 Stewart Street		No Parking Anytime

A TRUE COPY
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

1/18/07

STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS
CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET
QUINCY, MA 02169

The City of Quincy seeks Statements of Qualifications for
**PUBLIC WORKS PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION MANAGER
AT RISK SERVICES**

FEBRUARY 2, 2007 AT 11:00 a.m.

Pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 149A, the City of Quincy, the Civil Engineering awarding authority, seeks Statements of Qualifications (SOQ's) for Public Construction Manager at Risk Services (CM at Risk) for the construction of a new Quincy High School ("QHS").

This Request for Qualifications (RFQ) is the first phase of a two-phase procurement process as set forth in Chapter 149A. Only those respondents deemed qualified will be invited to respond to a Request for Proposal to be issued in the second phase of the procurement process.

The RFQ will be available on **January 17, 2007** at the Office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. SOQ's are due on **February 2, 2007 at 11:00 a.m.** at the Office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. The City will respond to SOQ's within 60 days from the date of receipt of said SOQ's.

The project involves the construction of a new QHS located on the current site of the existing QHS and Center for Technical Education ("CTE") to be approximately 323,000 SF with an overall footprint of approximately 132,000 SF. Anticipated duration of the project is 44 months. Estimated construction cost is \$98 million.

Project team includes the City, architect Symmes Maini & McKee Associates and Project Manager Fishman Construction Corp. of MA.

The specific description of the CM at Risk scope of services, preliminary concept designs and key factors important to the final selection, and the evaluation procedure and criteria are contained in the RFQ and are incorporated herein by reference. A prohibition against any unauthorized communication or contact with the City is contained in the RFQ and is also incorporated herein by reference.

Whether an individual firm or a joint venture, proposers must be certified in General Building Construction by DCAM for a single project limit in the amount of the estimated construction cost set forth above or greater and must also be within the aggregate limits of its DCAM Certificate of Eligibility Form.

This project will be subject to the minimum wage rates set under the Massachusetts Prevailing Wage Laws.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all SOQ's and to waive any informalities in the RFQ process if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

William J. Phelan, Mayor
Laurie M. Allen, Purchasing Agent

1/18/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

Norfolk Division
Docket No. 04P2608AD
Notice of

Fiduciary's Account

To the persons interested in the estate of Joan A. Hurney late of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st and final account(s) of William J. Hurney as administrator (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the **12th day of February, 2007** the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE
FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 5th day of January, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

1/18/07

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Coughlin Ordinance Aimed At Ending Neighborhood Blight

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Also buildings that have deteriorated or been defaced by graffiti, property that is unsecured against illegal entry both by vagrants and children, abandoned wells, unsecured pools and chemicals and other hazardous materials.

The Health Commissioner, Fire or Police Chief and the Building Inspector would be charged with enforcing the ordinance and face a penalty of not more

than \$200 for each violation. When a property is deemed a nuisance, the owner would be given not more than 60 days to take corrective action starting within 30 days of the date of the notice.

If the responsible party fails to remedy the nuisance in a timely fashion, the director of Inspection Services can have it removed at the owner's expense as provided by state law.

"Over the last few years," said Coughlin, "I have heard a number of concerns that residents have about a variety of matters including over development, graffiti and property conditions which adversely impact the neighborhoods."

"I have responded by crafting and introducing new and amended zoning initiatives, a new graffiti ordinance and this blight ordinance in order to effectively address the quality of life."



CASUALTY - Carcass of dolphin that stranded itself on Wollaston Beach is hauled away by workers from the New England Aquarium as resident watch.

Quincy Sun photo/Norreen O'Shea

Suspect Identified In Shea Starbucks Caper

Police now know the name of the robbery suspect who escaped the clutches of City Clerk Joe Shea outside Starbucks Friday night after his car and the lost behind.

He is identified as Shawn Murphy, 27, of Quincy, who is known to police.

was in Revere and who was ID'd through an address book in the coat pocket.

The address book contained his mother's name and address in Quincy, an easy trail for police to follow. As of Tuesday afternoon, however, Murphy was still at

large.

Shea, 40, and Health Commissioner Drew Scheele were having a cup of coffee at Starbucks in Quincy Center when a customer came to the counter with the news.

"Hey, someone just tipped you guys off!"

Shea gave chase, caught him outside the store and pinned him against the wall. The man struggled and escaped but Shea managed to rip his coat off.

The man continued to flee to the MBTA Red Line but he left behind the 18 CDs he had stolen as well as his coat with the telltale ID in the pocket.

Complaints have been issued for the arrest of Murphy for the theft of merchandise valued at more than \$300.

Stranded Wollaston Beach Dolphins Signal Something Amiss

By TOM HENSHAW

The eight dolphins, six of whom died, that were stranded on Wollaston Beach Sunday has drawn national attention and may signal that something is amiss with the dolphins that make their homes off the New England coast.

"No one can recall such a mass stranding in Boston Harbor," said Tony LaCasse, spokesman for the New England Aquarium.

"There have been dolphins in Buzzard's Bay and off Gloucester. There have been dolphins trapped in shallow water off Long Island."

"One of the members of our staff coming to work on the commuter boat saw six dolphins today in the inner harbor."

"A preliminary autopsy of two of the animals showed an enlarged lymph node, indicating some type of infection or illness. We sent tissue samples to the lab and we'll know in a couple of weeks."

"The preliminary autopsy showed that the animals were not well-nourished, that they were not eating well."

LaCasse said the two dolphins that were sent back to sea by residents have not been located and the aquarium staff is concerned that they will strand themselves again and take well dolphins with them.

"They are very social animals," he said. "They are inclined to support each other. The two who were return to the sea may be just off shore and sending out signals that draw in healthy dolphins to the beach."

"The thing to do if you come across stranded dolphins is to keep the animal

wetted down, keep dogs away from it and call 911 or the aquarium. We will examine it and, if it can be put back, we'll take it to deep water for the release."

"We can understand the efforts of people to save dolphins but they may be putting other dolphins at risk."

The dolphins that beached themselves on Wollaston Beach were common dolphins, which are residents along with white-sided dolphins, of the New England coast.

"People don't realize that we have resident dolphins," said LaCasse. "We've had three or four strandings of dolphins and small whales already on the Cape. That's 38 animals, a high number."

"Most of the strandings on the Cape are accidental, well dolphins following food too close to shore. We have hopes that the two dolphins that were put back in the harbor are found before they draw healthy ones in."

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'Time To Create Positive New Vision For City's Future'

Koch Challenges Phelan For Mayor



ANGRY TEACHERS show their displeasure by picketing outside the School Committee meeting last week, protesting what they see as Mayor William Phelan's refusal to negotiate a plan to cut their health care benefits.

Quincy Sun photos Robert Noble

600 Demonstrate At School Committee Meeting Teachers Protest Pending Cuts In Health Benefits

By KELLY-ANN
GARLAND

Specific details of Mayor William Phelan's contract offer to Quincy's school teachers have never been disclosed but the teachers, seeing an assault on their health benefits, turned out to protest any way.

Some 600 of them, who have been working without a contract for the past five months, showed up at the School Committee meeting at the Point Webster Middle School last Thursday to demonstrate their displeasure.

Paul Phillips, president of the 900-member Quincy Education Association, said the mayor's offer, which was presented to the union six months ago, was the equivalent of a three-year pay cut.



'WE WON'T ACCEPT a pay cut,' QEA President Paul Phillips declared at the school committee meeting.

"We haven't asked for the moon but we will not accept a pay cut," said Phillips. "Pay cuts hurt our families. They take food off our tables. Our

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Veteran Park Commissioner Thomas P. Koch will challenge Mayor William Phelan in this year's city election.

Koch made his announcement Tuesday after submitting his resignation to Phelan as executive director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments, a post he has held for 12 years.

Koch personally handed his resignation to Phelan and informed him he was running for mayor.

In his announcement to mayor, he said,

"With our children and grandchildren counting on us, the stakes are just too high and our potential too great to face our challenges standing still.

"The time is now to create a positive new vision for our city's future. The bottom line: We can do better."

It may be the first time a department head has challenged an incumbent mayor.

Koch will be Phelan's strongest opponent since the latter took the mayor's office away from six-term incumbent James Sheets in a stunning 17-vote margin win in



TOM KOCH

2000. Phelan was elected to a fourth term but is certain to do so.

Phelan turned back a challenge from former Ward 6 Councilor Joseph Newton in 2003 and had only written opposition in 2005.

Koch has served 19 years with the city, including five as executive secretary to former Mayor James Sheets and two as director of the Council on Aging in addition to his 12 as park commissioner.

Koch, 44, said he will spend the next several weeks meeting personally with as many residents as possible to share his ideas for Quincy.

and listen to their concerns. He said he is energized about the opportunity to bring his message to neighborhoods across Quincy. The campaign will launch a website, www.kochforquincy.com to complement Koch's outreach effort.

"There's no limit to what we can accomplish when we bring a committed group of people together, and we're going to do it," Koch said.

Koch said he will make himself available as the city during the transition to a new park commissioner as any way possible.

"While this endeavor is undoubtedly a risk for me personally, the powerful obligation I feel to do everything possible to protect this city's future has convinced me it's a chance worth taking," Koch said.

Koch said he learned the value of public service early in life from his mother and first began the late Richard J. Koch. Koch was Park Commissioner before.

Eventide Home Withdraws PUD Redevelopment Bid

The Webster School Eventide Home withdrew its bid to develop a new assisted living facility and nursing home at 205-215 Adams St.

As a result, the City Council's public hearing into the change from Residential A to Planned Unit Development (PUD) scheduled for Monday, Jan. 29, at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall has been canceled.

Joyce Haglund, administrator of the Eventide Home, made the withdrawal known

to City Council President Richard J. Mondak Monday morning at the 10 a.m. public hearing meeting, the second of a three-part series.

Quincy requested the withdrawal to demonstrate good faith to work with this neighborhood that has legitimate questions and concerns with the current petition.

Eventide directors, wrote Haglund, "agree to reexamine the viability of pursuing its proposed redevelopment project under either existing zoning" or Section 17.12.030 of PUD.

Section 17.12.030 spe-

cifically states the school district is not to be used for a public facility, such as a nursing home or assisted living facility.

The City Council, which unanimously approved the PUD application, will meet on Monday, Jan. 29, at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall, 215 Adams St., to vote on the PUD application.

Items in that section are subject to a vote of the City Council sitting as the permitting authority.

The withdrawal, said Haglund, is done "with the

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Quincy Asian Resources Offering English Courses To Asian Community

Quincy Asian Resources Inc. (QARI), a Quincy based non-profit social service agency, will offer five ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) classes in three levels in February.

The primary emphasis of the program is on ESOL for living and employment, including English skills that will allow individuals to compete successfully in the workplace and pursue a higher standard of living.

The classes are made possible by grants from the Comcast Foundation and the Sovereign Bank Foundation.

"Through the support of the Comcast and Sovereign Bank Foundations, QARI has been able to expand the ESOL program and reach more people in need of language classes," said QARI Executive Director John Brothers.

QARI's classes are designed for flexibility and are structured around student demands and schedules. Any individuals interested in taking an ESOL class in the Quincy area are encouraged to call our office and make an appointment to register.

QARI trains community volunteers to assist students enrolled in classes with supplemental tutoring. Tu-



QUINCY ASIAN RESOURCES Inc. (QARI), a Quincy based non-profit social service agency, is offering five ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) classes in three levels in February. To register, call 617-472-2200.

tors do not need to be bilingual how ever additional language skills are a plus.

For the spring semester, QARI will offer five classes at the Beginner, Advanced Beginner, and Intermediate levels. ESOL classes are scheduled to start in early February. Classes are offered in the morning and evening to accommodate the busy schedule and demands of our adult students. Classes meet twice a week for 16 weeks.

All of QARI's ESOL classes are taught by instructors with extensive experience and training in language instruction.

Registration is on a first come first served basis and class size is limited. The fee

for the classes will be \$90. Registered students may purchase their books for \$25 from QARI.

Quincy Asian Resources Inc. is a non-profit social service agency dedicated to promoting the development of the Asian-American community to benefit the wider community.

In addition to ESOL classes, QARI also offers information and referral services, sponsors educational seminars, the Quincy Lunar New Year Festival and the Quincy August Moon Festival.

For more information about these programs, contact QARI at 617-472-2200.

City Hires Two New Police Officers, Both With Chinese Language Proficiencies

Mayor William Phelan announces the hiring of two new Quincy Police Officers, both with Chinese language proficiencies.

Bennett Chin and Jimmy Chen were sworn-in during a ceremony at City Hall Monday.

"We are proud to add two fine new officers to an already professional department," said Phelan. "The skill sets that our new officers bring to the job will complement our existing force and assist our city's population well. We will continue to seek ways to improve the provision of City services to our entire population."

Chin has a Masters Degree in Criminal Justice Administration and a Bachelors Degree in Criminal Justice from Western New England College. He has been employed as a police officer at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology since March of 1996. Chin is proficient in both Mandarin and Cantonese.

Chen is also proficient in both Cantonese and Mandarin. His former employers Phelan said, describe him as an excellent worker who is always making those around him better. He is described by others as a hard-working,

self-motivated, honest person that would be a great asset to the Quincy Police Department. He has displayed an exemplary attendance record throughout his employment career, Phelan added.

Chief Robert Crowley said: "Our department is a young, well-educated, department that provides the services and community policing that helped make our city the 2nd safest in Massachusetts. Officers Chin and Chen will complement our existing force well and help us continue to improve our department."

Quincy Point Restaurant Gets Several Licenses

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

After several abutters and Ward 2 Councillor Dan Raymond spoke to the License Board Tuesday opposing a request for a Keno, Juke Box, Pinball/Video License at Coop's Bar & Grille, 520-530 Washington St., owner Mario Recupero was granted all of his requests.

Abutters said they had issues with the noise and parking on Shaw and Lebanon Streets. They also feared that once the owner received those requests, that a cabaret license would follow.

Raymond said that times have changed since it was the Knotty Pine. He said that the Atlantic Restaurant as a fam-

ily restaurant tried very hard, but he said for some reason, "nothing seems to work."

He cited persons urinating on the lawn, beer bottles and cans strewn around the area, plus illegally parked cars on several streets.

Recupero, stressed that his is a "family restaurant" and added he often picks up the debris which he said is not his. He said he doesn't sell bottles or cans of alco-

hol at his restaurant.

The Keno request according to Chairman Joseph Shea will go to the State Lottery Commission for approval. He added that "Keno doesn't make a lot of difference."

However, when the board voted for the Juke Box license, it was a 4-1 vote with Shea voting against it.

The vote was unanimous for the Pinball/Video License.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on

Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.



QUINCY COLLEGE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Seeks Nominations for Board Members

The Appointing Council Shall Meet To Consider Qualified Applicants For Appointments To The Board.

Nominees are to be considered for appointment to fill vacancies.

Board members are advocates for the institution, and have certain governance and oversight responsibilities for the College as specified in the enabling legislation. Members are expected to attend regular meetings, ordinarily scheduled in the evening, and to participate fully as a member of specific subcommittees, usually meeting several times a month during the day. Additionally, members are participants in Commencement, College Ceremonies, and demonstrate in actions and word a commitment to the mission and purpose of the College. Members must submit an annual financial disclosure form to the City Clerk.

Interested individuals must submit a letter of interest and resume, to the Appointing Council, to be received on or before February 1, 2007. The Appointing Council shall meet to consider qualified candidates, and will provide an optional opportunity for interested parties to address the Appointing Council. The Council welcomes diversity in applicants and encourages anyone who believes he or she might contribute positively to the continued success of the institution to respond.

Letter of interest and resume to:

Quincy College Board
Appointing Council
c/o Donna Brugman
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Hidden Shutoff Gas Valves Seen Danger To Residents, Firefighters

The City Council's Public Works Committee got the disquieting word Monday night that dozens of emergency gas shutoff valves in the city have been paved over and street maps are so old that many of them cannot be found.

Ernie Arienti, president of the Firefighters Union local, said he had a gas leak at his own house several years ago and it took gas company workers more than 45 minutes to locate the valve in the street due to poor mapping.

"These gas leaks are a danger to all of us," he said. "I ask you to put into place some type of ordinance that would require the gas company to remedy this situation."

If they can't find these boxes, they are putting citizens and firefighters in harm's way."

The consensus of the councillors was to have the valves elevated to street level and accessible to the Fire Department and Keyspan officials should there be a need to turn them off to avoid a catastrophe.

Council President Doug Gutro said he feels responsibility for the problem lies with Keyspan, the Public Works Department and the contractor.

Working together with the Fire Department, he said, all parties should make this issue a number one priority when the city is resurfacing streets.

Fire Chief Tim Pettunelli read a portion of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) handbook to the hearing:

"...Any delay in the start of emergency operations will result in a larger loss of property and the possibility of injury or death to civilians and firefighters."

He said he believes that a coordinated effort between Keyspan and the DPW can identify and correct any issues with gate valve and shutoffs.

Mark McDonald, chairman of the New England Gas Workers Association with 3,000 members in the state, said mapping the locations of gate boxes or valves is the key to quick, accessible shutoffs.

Gutro said he feels strongly that the issues boil down "to life and death."

"We've seen explosions in other communities that have been catastrophic in terms of person property damage and loss of life. We need to make sure people are safe."



GRADE FOUR STUDENTS of St. Mary School, Quincy, recently held their annual Literary Brunch. Students read the biographies of famous individuals and presented their stories in character. From left are: Jimmy Dalton (Babe Ruth), Haylee Teed (Sacajawea), Christopher Davis (Thomas Edison), Bridget McAdams (Mozart) and Aimee Tinney (Laura Ingalls Wilder.)

Ward 5 Democrats Caucus Feb. 3

Registered Democrats in Ward 5 will hold their annual caucus at The Bernazzani Elementary School's Media Center, Furnace Brook Parkway Saturdays, Feb. 3 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

They will elect 11 delegates and 2 alternates to be equally divided between men and women.

This year's Massachusetts Democratic Convention will be held Saturday, May 19 at UMass Amherst.

For more information, contact the Democratic State Committee at 617-776-2676

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

•Granted a common victualer license to Alexander Cooper doing business as Sparkles Variety, 184 W. Squantum St.

•Continued a hearing regarding a change of managers at Victory Distributors doing business as Hannaford Supermarket, 475 Hancock St. from John Frontiero to Benjamin Theriault.

•Granted a garage/repair license to Sabrina Auto Care, 15 Centre St. Ahmed Farouk will be the mechanic on the site of Trig's.

Owner Sabrina Wehbe has leased the site from Trig's.

•Continued until March 6 a hearing on selling alcohol to a minor at Joe's Market Place, 260 Centre St.

Sureschandra Patel is owner.

•Continued until Feb. 13 a hearing regarding selling alcohol to a minor at Franklin Beer & Wine, Franklin St.

Free Financial Advice At COA

Free discussions on financial planning is available at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., Quincy, on the fourth Friday of every month.

Call 617-376-1506 for an appointment.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

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**Moments
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THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Jan. 24, 1907, Florida engineer Glenn Curtiss sets an unofficial land-speed record on a self-built V-8 motorcycle: 136.29 mph. In 1911, Curtiss built and demonstrated the world's first seaplane for the U.S. Navy.

• On Jan. 28, 1917, American forces are recalled from Mexico after nearly 11 months of fruitless searching for Mexican revolutionary Pancho Villa, who was accused of killing 17 Americans. In 1920, the Mexican government pardoned Villa.

• On Jan. 23, 1922, at Toronto General Hospital, 14-year-old Canadian Leonard Thompson improves dramatically after becoming the first person to receive an insulin injection as treatment for diabetes.

• On Jan. 26, 1934, producer Samuel Goldwyn buys the film rights to "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz" by L. Frank Baum. The film was released in 1939.

• On Jan. 22, 1950, Tucker auto builder Preston Tucker is cleared of all 31 counts of fraud that had been brought

against him. But it was too little, too late — the Tucker automobile was history. Many believe that the legal actions against Tucker were sponsored by the Big Three U.S. automakers, who feared his competition.

• On Jan. 25, 1960, the National Association of Broadcasters proposes that disc jockeys accepting payment from record labels for broadcasting particular songs (a practice known as "payola") be charged a \$500 fine and spend a year in prison. The end result was approval of an amendment to the Communications Act of 1934 outlawing pay-for-play.

• On Jan. 27, 1975, bipartisan Senate investigation of activities by the Central Intelligence Agency is launched by a special congressional committee. The committee reported that the CIA had conducted illegal surveillance of several hundred thousand U.S. citizens and maintained a secret stockpile of poisons despite a specific presidential order to destroy the substances.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Koch Puts Kick In Election

Tom Koch has put a kick into what was looking like a ho-hum election year.

His announcement that he will challenge Mayor William Phelan came as a surprise to many but not really to those who keep a close eye on the political scene.

Koch is "the well known city figure considering a run" reported here Jan. 4.

But speculation he might run went back to November and December when his name was among those in a couple of political polls taken to size up the political strengths of potential mayoral candidates.

Koch, long-time executive director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Department, a post his late father, Dick Koch, held before him, submitted his resignation to Phelan Tuesday.

That set the stage for the announcement that he will seek the mayor's office.

This could be the first time a department head has opposed an incumbent mayor.

Koch will be Phelan's most formidable challenger since taking office.

In 2003, former Ward 6 Councillor Joseph Newton jumped into the race as a last minute candidate and never really got an election campaign off the ground.

Phelan cruised to a second term with 73 percent of the vote to Newton's 27 percent. Phelan's vote was 13,117 to Newton's 4,775.

A third candidate, Harvey Kurtzman, owner of a Quincy gas station and a political novice, was eliminated in the preliminary election that year.

In 2005, Phelan had only a write-in opponent who got fewer than 40 votes to Phelan's 9,545.

Unlike Newton, Koch made his decision to run early enough to give him time to plan fundraisers, and to organize a campaign and strategy.

It's estimated that a mayoral candidate needs something like \$150,000 to wage an effective campaign. Phelan already has a war chest. Koch has to build one.

Could there be a third candidate—one from the city council? Doesn't look like it.

Red Cross CPR, First Aid Courses Feb. 2-20

The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses Feb. 2-20 at its South Area office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

Adult CPR/AED: Feb. 2 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches rescue breathing, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Infant & Child CPR & First Aid: Feb. 8 and Feb. 15 from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. This course teaches rescue breathing, choking and CPR for children under eight years of age. Also, bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Adult, Infant & Child CPR & First Aid: Feb. 10 from 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Cost is \$80. This course teaches rescue breathing, choking,

and CPR for adults and children of all ages. Also bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Adult CPR/AED: Feb. 13 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches rescue breathing, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Adult CPR/AED Review: Feb. 14 from 6-8:30 p.m. Cost is \$50. Prerequisite is current certification in

Adult CPR/AED.

First Aid: Feb. 20 from 6-10 p.m. Cost is \$50. This course teaches bleeding, choking, poisoning and other First Aid emergencies.

Registrations are being accepted for a daytime Home Health Aide and Certified Nursing Assistant course starting Feb. 12. Cost is \$800.

The American Red Cross will train qualified applicants to become certified class-

room instructors in CPR and First Aid. Classes will be offered at our convenient Quincy location. If you have a few hours a week, you can learn how to teach others in your community to save a life. For additional information call our Quincy office, 617-770-2600.

Preregistration is required for all courses. Call 617-770-2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for more information.

Parent/Teacher Conference At QHS Feb. 1

Quincy High School will hold "Parent/Teacher Conferences" Thursday Feb. 1 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Parents are invited to consult with their child's teachers. Teachers will be present to discuss curriculum and the academic achievements of

the student. For more infor-

mation, call 617-984-8751.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

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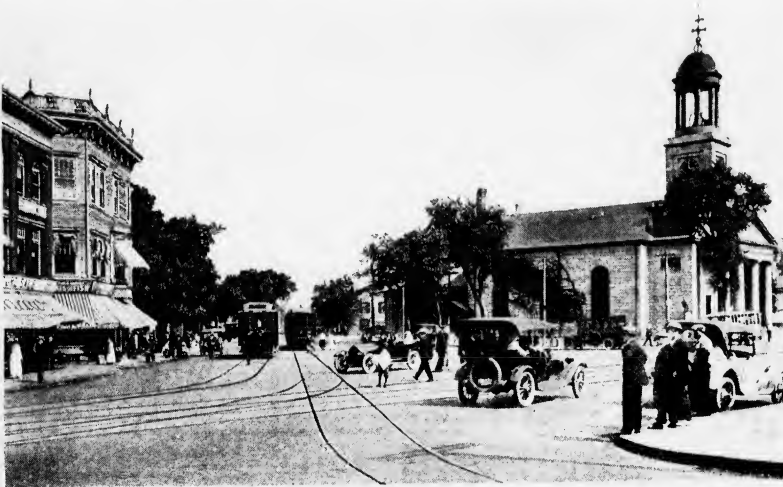
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SEBASTIAN: black longhaired 9 y.o. (owner passed away).

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS 1923 POSTCARD was the first that we published in this *Scenes from Yesterday* series that begins its 14th year this week. This view was from the then newly opened Foy's Market at 1259 Hancock St. in Quincy Square looking down Washington Street. Today, the view would be from the doorway of the South Coastal Bank. One the left the W.G. Shaw's Furniture store later

become the site of the Bargain Center and is now home to the President's Place complex. The trolleys went straight down Washington Street to the shipyard and left on Coddington Street to Houghs Neck. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Opposes Rezoning Rice Eventide Home

I have felt very fortunate to live in a city and be able to go to neighborhood meetings to express my opinion, hear opinions of others and work together with people from the Mayor's office to improve our neighborhood and make our city a better place to live.

One issue that has come up several times is open space and how important it is to the quality of life, preserving historical sites, and protecting unique aspects of our beautiful city.

On Tuesday, Nov. 7, 2006, the voters of Quincy adopted the Community Preservation Act to preserve open space.

When the tax bill arrived with the charge for the Community Preservation Act included, I thought, wow, finally we have some protection. Hopefully, I will not be disappointed along with many other Quincy residents. Same day I also received a notice from the Quincy Planning Board (thank you very much) noti-

fying me that the William B. Rice Eventide, Inc. is looking to have the land rezoned from Residential A to Planned Unit Development. Examples of property on Planned Unit Development are Wal-Mart and Quarry Hills apartments and condos.

The developers want to demolish the beautiful building that is already there and replace it with a much larger one. Sixteen years ago these same people requested an addition and after many meetings and discussion did

and promised they would be satisfied and never requested to build on to the home. Where does it end?

I do hope that our hard working Ward Councillor Doug Gutro and the rest of the illustrious councillors will listen and really represent the will of the people and not allow the land that the William B. Rice Eventide, Inc. is located on to be rezoned.

Karen Gaughan
Anderson Road

Thanks Sen. Morrissey, Reps. Ayers And Tobin For Supporting Marriage Amendment Vote

Over 170,000 signatures were collected to support a vote on the marriage amendment. On Jan. 2, my representatives, Senator Mike Morrissey, and Representatives Bruce Ayers and Steven Tobin withstood the pressure from

Tobin demonstrated that citizen participation in the petition process still matters.

Senator Mike Morrissey, and Representatives Bruce Ayers and Steven Tobin withstood the pressure from

the special interests, Governor Deval Patrick, and House Speaker DiMasi, proving that there are some elected officials with political courage.

As Quincy residents,

these representatives have affirmed the constitutional process that was originally penned by another Quincy resident, John Adams.

Sheila Smyth
291 Billings St.

Orientation Tour At Crane Main Library Feb. 3

What? You've never been to the library in these days of television and the internet?

You'll have a chance Saturday, Feb. 3, from 10 to 11 a.m. when the staff of the Thomas Crane Public Library holds a free orientation tour of their shop at 40 Washington St.

Tourists will be shown the different architectural eras represented by the building as well as the many resources available inside, including current magazines, exhibits, audiobooks, internet computers and more.

Interpretation in Cantonese and Mandarin

will be provided.

Future orientation tours

are planned for March 3m
April 7 and May 5

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Quincy's Yesterdays

Hannon Has Close Lead in Sun Poll

By FRANK MCCAULEY

A Quincy Sun mayoralty vote preference poll shows Mayor Walter Hannon losing out Senator - Council President Arthur Tobin by a hair-line 1.5 percent margin and leading Councillor Joseph LaRaia by 8.5 percent.

Grace Sapphire was behind by 14 percent and Rep. William Delahunt trailed Hannon by 22 percent.

Two hundred Quincy voters were queried in *The Sun's* random man in street poll.

GENERAL DYNAMICS WINS

\$6.8 MILLION REPAIR CONTRACT

General Dynamics Quincy shipyard won a \$6.8 million contract to repair and overhaul the U.S.S. Raleigh, a helicopter landing drydock vessel. The contract represents 400 jobs for the six month overhaul.

COUNCIL OKAYS \$100,000

FOR NQHS ADDITION

In a special two-hour meeting the city council unanimously voted to appropriate \$100,000 for additions and renovations at North Quincy High School.

The Council also voted by a seven to one margin. Councillor LaRaia dissenting, to hold a public hearing on March 10 on proposed landtakings on Hunt and Oliver Streets for the additions to the school.

HANNON TO DISCUSS DOWNTOWN FUTURE

Mayor Hannon will discuss downtown Quincy's future at the annual membership meeting of the Quincy Center Business and Professional Assn. Feb. 5.

Hannon's subject will be "Quincy Center in 1975- A Forecast." John Graham, executive director of Quincy Heritage will outline "planned promotional activities for 1975."

QUINCY-ISMIS

Mayor Hannon and Rotary Club President Philip Lawrence announced that the Rotary Club had donated a new freezer to the municipal Hot Meals Program. Walter H. Carroll, past grand knight of the Knights of Columbus, Quincy Council, was honored for his service to the K of C at a testimonial dinner held at the Neighborhood Club. Carroll has been a member of the Council since 1934. Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Cotter, 24 Rawson Rd., Wollaston, welcomed a new daughter into their family... Eileen O'Malley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William V. O'Malley, 78 Andrews Rd., Wollaston, was the guest speaker at ceremonies when the Fontbonne Academy Class of 1976 received their class rings. Miss O'Malley was the president of the student body.

Gerald Weidmann was the chairperson of a committee planning a Luau for the St. Ann's Marianns of Wollaston. The event is to be held at St. Ann's School auditorium. Atty. David Kenefick and Asst. Dist. Atty. John P. Connor were guest speakers at the January meeting of the Norfolk County Legal Secretaries Association. Their topic "persecution prosecution."

The Quincy High School marching band won top high school honors in the Quincy Festival Parade. Michael Cahill, band director, received the \$200 first prize on behalf of the band members. Navy Lt. (JG) Christopher J. Sterritt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Sterritt, 844 East Squantum St., North Quincy, graduated from the Military Justice Lawyer Course at the Navy Justice School, Newport RI. Marine Gunnery Sgt. Stanley Rawson Jr., Essex Street, Squantum, re-enlisted in the Marine Corps for four years. He is a 1961 graduate of North Quincy High School. Lawrence H. Babin, director of the Quincy Vocational Technical School, announced that six members of the senior class were participating in an on-the-job training program with the Pneumatic Scale Corporation of North Quincy. They are William Fitzgerald, Steve Giggey, Steve Gould, John Hanratty, Kevin O'Malley and Mike Salverio. Airman First Class Timothy E. Lynch, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy E. Lynch, Sr., 29 South Bayfield Rd., North Quincy, has reported for duty at Vance Air Force Base, Okla... Plans were underway by the Beth Israel Brotherhood of Beth Israel Synagogue to honor the Quincy Fire Dept. President of the Brotherhood, Irving Isaacson heads the committee planning the Feb. 16 award breakfast.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Quincy Artists Draw Crowd To Weymouth Art Gallery

Several hundred people attended the recent opening of the Art Treasure Gallery, the Dickinson Group's new art gallery in South Weymouth, where some of Quincy's most prominent artists are on display.

The gallery is in a new

building next to the entrance to the old South Weymouth Naval Air Station and featured the works of 20 local and national artists.

Tops among the Quincy artistic delegation are Marilyn Reisberg, a master of gold leaf acrylic painting,

and Christopher Myers, who is often called upon to capture celebrities in pencil, charcoal or oils.

The next show at the gallery will start in February and consist of the works of two artists.

Quincy Resident's Art Exhibit At Library

Quincy resident Adah Shumway will exhibit her artwork from Feb. 1 to 28 in the Coletti Reading Room on the first floor of the Crane Library.

A public reception will be held Thursday, Feb. 8 from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

The title of the show is "Nature" featuring a combination of slate and sculptural

pieces from nature. Shumway is most interested in the intricate details of texture, color and shape, which can be found in the natural world.

She attended Mass Art and received her BFA in Fibers. Since her graduation she has worked for several local artists as well as at Gateway Arts, a day program

for developmentally challenged adults. She has also exhibited her artwork locally and in Vermont.

The purpose of her art is to help each person who views it to notice nature and its beauty wherever they are. Her work online is at <http://adahshumway.com>.

For more information, call 617-376-1301.

February Film Features At Thomas Crane Library

The free anime and adult monthly film features at the Thomas Crane Public Library will continue through February with Thursday showings of "Fruits Basket" and "A Simple Curve."

"Fruits Basket," which kicks off volume two of the Japanese anime series, will be shown Thursday, Feb. 8, at 7 p.m. at the Main Library, 40 Washington St.

The story revolves around the Sohma family's terrible

secret — when a member is hugged by a person of the opposite gender, he or she turns into the 12 animals of the Chinese zodiac.

The program is intended for adults and teens 13 or older and is not suitable for younger audiences.

"A Simple Curve," a Canadian film, will be shown Thursday, Feb. 15, at 7 p.m., also at the Main Library.

It's the story of a small

town entrepreneur, juggling mounting debts and free-loading hippie guests, who strikes a deal with a wealthy American that can either make him successful or destroy his way of life.

The film is unrated and not recommended for ages under 17 without parental permission.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.



HEADLINERS. Marilyn Reisberg, shown here with fellow artist William Beyer, was one of the featured artists at the opening. Reisberg employs gold leaf to highlight her acrylic paintings.



FLOWERY ART. Anet Paglierani, one of the founders of the Quincy Art Association, displays one of her floral depictions at the opening. She is also noted for her landscapes.



OIL WORKER. Kris Kreitman was known for his work in the abstract until recently when he turned to portraits and scenic views in oils. (Nancy Santry Photos)

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SOCIAL

Accepting Change Key As Kitty Crowley Turns 100

By KELLY ANN GARLAND

"As one grows older," muses Catherine "Kitty" Crowley, "one must be prepared for and willing to accept change."

And she has done just that.

Kitty, a Quincy resident for 65 years, turned 100 the other day, still cooking up a storm, balancing her own check book and talking to friends on her cell phone.

She and her son, Harold, a retired Quincy school teacher, frequently attend the theater and the Museum of Fine Arts together.

They share a common birthday, Jan. 23, thirty years apart. Harold is 70.

Twice a month, Kitty's daughter, Ann, picks her up at her Flagg Street, Wollaston, home and takes her to Plymouth for a bit of shopping and lunch.

Besides Harold and Ann, she has two other children, George and Danny, as well



MILESTONES - Catherine "Kitty" Crowley and her son, Harold, shared birthday milestones Tuesday. She is an active 100 and he an active 70. *Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble*

as nine grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

"Money isn't everything," she says. "Family is the most important thing."

Kitty was born while Teddy Roosevelt was president and hasn't missed an opportunity to vote since his cousin Franklin D. was in the Oval Office.

A former bookkeeper, when she isn't entertaining friends she can be found reading historical novels, crocheting writing letters to those closest to her heart.

"My mother has always lived a productive life," says Harold Crowley, "and to live a productive life is to live a good life."



KELLY O'CONNELL, a North Quincy High School graduate now attending UMASS Amherst receives the Paul D. Harold Scholarship from Ann Knafetz who was his secretary while state senator. With them are Mike Linnane of the Paul Harold Memorial Fund, Kelly's mother and father, Donna and David O'Connell and sister Colleen. *Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble*

Kelly O'Connell Receives Paul Harold Scholarship

Kelly O'Connell, a member of North Quincy High School Class of 2006 was recently presented the Paul D. Harold Scholarship at the Quincy Marriott.

She is a freshman at UMASS Amherst studying Government.

Each year the Paul Harold Memorial Fund offers scholarships to Quincy and North Quincy High students who will be studying Government. The scholarship is to help students defray the cost of school and hoping

that these students will follow the lead of Paul Harold in becoming a community leader.

Scholarship applications for the Class of 2007 will be available in March for this year.

NQHS Senior Stayout Fundraiser Feb. 1

North Quincy High School Senior Stayout Committee will hold a fundraiser Thursday, Feb. 1 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Roche Bros. Supermarket, 101 Falls Blvd., off Quincy Ave., Quincy.

Senior Stayout program promotes substance-free parties.

ties for high school seniors.

Roche Bros. will donate five percent of the total cash register receipts collected during the three-hour period Feb. 1 to support after prom parties.

Volunteers for the Stayout

Committee will collect register receipts from the shoppers at the Quincy Roche Bros. store.

Gift certificates purchased during the fundraiser will also be credited to NQHS Senior Stayout.

Rotary Kids Classic Auction March 28

The Quincy Rotary Club will hold the annual Kids Classic Auction on March 28 at the Quincy Neighborhood Club to raise funds to benefit young people in the community. The Rotary Club has

supported scholarships for high school students, literacy programs for elementary students and scouting in Quincy among others.

This year's auction, which will be 6 to 9 p.m., is

chaired by President-elect Richard Barry. Donations for live and silent auction items are being coordinated by John Spillane (781) 356-2772.

QHS Improvement Council To Meet

The School Improvement Council at Quincy High School will meet Thursday, Feb. 1, at 4 p.m. in the Pride Room at the high school, 52 Coddington St.

Four Residents On Stonehill Dean's List

The following residents are on the Dean's List at Stonehill College in Easton. They are: Laura Peppardjovic, and Christine

Wang, both members of the class of 2010; Katie Walker, a member of the class of 2009; and Erin Croke, a member of the class of 2007.

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Marie's Kitchen

BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Ann Marie's Easy Pumpkin Pie

With the holidays way behind us and with some having a few extra pounds to shed, here is a great recipe from our daughter Ann Marie. Especially if you still feel deprived and still crave something sweet. When you taste this wonderful crustless pumpkin pie, one would never know it's "light."

It is also a safe one to use for those who are watching their sugar intake.

Easy Pumpkin Pie

- 1 16-ounce can pumpkin (unsweetened)
- 1 13-ounce can skim evaporated milk
- 1 egg
- 2 egg whites
- 2 tablespoons sugar

- 8 packets of sugar substitute
- 2 teaspoons pumpkin pie spice
- 2 teaspoons vanilla

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Lightly spray a nine inch pie plate with vegetable spray.

Place all of the ingredients in a mixing bowl. Beat for two minutes in a mixer.

Pour into pie plate and bake for 50 minutes.

To serve, cut the pie into eight pieces. Even though there is no crust, it cuts as though there is.

Here are the great numbers for this incredible pie. For each serving, only 114 calories, 18 grams of carbs and only two grams of fat.

Council On Aging Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes

and canes to help disabled seniors to get around.

If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

Quincy College Expands At New Plymouth Campus

Quincy College's Plymouth campus has moved to Cordage Commerce Center in Plymouth.

The Plymouth campus, established in 1991, was created to serve students from Plymouth, Southeastern Massachusetts and much of Cape Cod. The new facilities hold classrooms, two computer labs, and nursing lab, faculty offices, and a library.

The section of Cordage Commerce Center, once an old rope-making facility, has been transformed by "a great architect we hired to develop our spacious classrooms at Plymouth," said Quincy College President Sue Harris. "High ceilings, tall windows, and insulated walls line the many rooms at the new Ply-

mouth campus. New desks, chairs, and overhead projectors are in place for students to arrive for spring sessions on Jan. 29".

"Quincy College is growing and expanding, and the new Plymouth campus is a direct result of that," said Harris. "Day and evening classes provide plenty of options for Plymouth students on the new warm and welcoming campus. Students can take all their degree requirements at Plymouth, and still have the option of taking classes and using the resources of the Quincy campus."

"With the new Plymouth campus, we have much added opportunity for more diverse programming. "The new

campus provides additional classroom space, better entry-way for disabled students, and wireless internet, as well as plenty of parking.

Our lease agreement is good for five years with an option to renew for another five years and another five years after that." Cordage Commerce Center is also home to restaurants and a fitness center, making it the perfect place for students to hang out between classes.

The address of the new Plymouth campus is Cordage Commerce Center, 36 Cordage Park, Suite #228, Plymouth MA 02360. Call 508-747-0400 or visit www.quincycollege.edu for more info.

Edgewater Drive Beach Walk Set For Saturday

A free walk of the Edgewater Drive Beach in Houghs Neck will be held Saturday.

The walk will be hosted by the Quincy Park Department's Environmental Treasures program and

the Beaches and Coastal Commission.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly and local artists lead the walk, which will give participants the opportunity to collect shells, sea glass, pottery shards and other ob-

jects brought in by winter storms.

Participants will meet at noon at Brill Field at the end of Sea Street where it meets Island Avenue.

For more information call 617-472-0799.

Stop & Shop Raises \$2,630 For Local Food Banks

Food for Friends, the holiday fund-raising arm of the Stop & Shop Companies, raised \$1,563 for Quincy Community Action Program and \$1,067 for St. Vincent de Paul Society at the Quincy store on Newport Avenue.

"It was another great year for Food for Friends," said

Bill Holmes, executive vice president for operations. "People who are in need this holiday season will benefit from the generosity of our customers and the hard work of our associates."

The Food for Friends program raises funds through the

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George DePaulo Troop Drive Underway At Sterling School

The first annual "George DePaulo U.S. Troop Drive" has begun at Sterling Middle School to help supply our armed forces in the Middle East with the little personal things Uncle Sam has overlooked.

Until Feb. 16, students at the school will be collecting such things as phone cards, shaving cream, Chapstick, sun block, deodorant and insect repellent to pass on to the soldiers.

The drive honors George DePaulo, a decorated Army veteran of World War II who recently retired after 60 years of custodial service in the Quincy Public Schools.

"George knows first hand what our troops need and how

much it means to them to have our support," said Earl Metzler and Christine Barrett, principal and assistant principal respectively.

"George . . . has never stopped living the values the Army instilled in him many years ago.

"Values such as loyalty, duty, respect, service, honor, integrity and personal courage are only a few attributes that describe George.

"We are fortunate to have had George to share his personal and Army values with us."

Some non-GI items that could be included in Sterling's "Care Boxes" include:

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The only restrictions are travel sizes only, no aerosols, no glass and nothing that will melt.

Supplies can be dropped off at Sterling Middle School, 444 Granite St., Quincy. For more information, call 617-984-8729.



LORETTA DEGRAZIA (center), CEO and president of East Coast Petroleum in Stoughton, was recently named to the Babson College and the Commonwealth Institute list of **Top 100 Women-Led Businesses** in Massachusetts. With DeGrazia is **Maureen Mahoney** (left), Boston Beauty Supply, Salon Direct; and **Dolores Antonellis**, senior administrator, ThermoElectron Corp. The award is based upon 2005 revenues as well as the leadership capabilities of the women who run the businesses. East Coast Petroleum, a full-service heating and air conditioning business, was started by DeGrazia 26 years ago. It is now a \$6 million company with 27 employees. ECP recently moved from Quincy to Stoughton due to business demand and increased need for space. A reception for the honorees was held at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Boston.

JWV To Honor 5 High School Students

The Quincy Jewish War Veterans will honor five high school students at its 53rd annual "Classmates Today, Neighbors Tomorrow" breakfast meeting Sunday, March 11.

The breakfast will be held at 9 a.m. at the Morrisette Legion Post, 81-82 Liberty St., South Quincy.

The five students who were selected by their schools as best exemplifying brotherhood in their daily activities are:

Wendell Cosgrove,

Quincy High School; Christopher Boyd, North Quincy High School; Daniel Pope, Weymouth High; Alexander Gilman, Hull High School; and Kelly Ryan, Hingham High School.

JWV Past Commander Harvey Solomon is chairman of the Brotherhood Program. Serving with him on the committee are Commander Bertrand Shaffer, Past Commander Irving Isaacson, Bernie Schaper, Carl Goodman, Richard Korb and

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Wednesday, Jan. 31
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Thursday, Feb. 1
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Friday, Feb. 2
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Tuesday, Jan. 30
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Wednesday, Jan. 31
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QUINCY POLICE OFFICER SEAN GLENNON recently participated in Cornerstone Campus Preschool's "Community Helpers" week by visiting the school and talking about a police officer's role. Front row, from left: Abby Burns, Michael Collins, Rayne O'Gara-Pratt, Ahkil Chawathe and Jelena Dinh. Back row, from left: Teacher Katie Conley, Justine Dao, Avery Glennon, Officer Sean Glennon, Matthew Leonard and assistant Debbie Roach.

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FIRE SAFETY

by Captain Tom Lyons
Fire Prevention Bureau
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A Refresher

I'm back.

I pretty much exhausted the fire safety subjects that I was concerned about for you, and so I stopped writing these articles. I think I wrote about 34 in all, which pretty much covered most of my fire safety concerns. However, this cold weather has compelled me to write this article in review of some of the subjects that I have previously covered. I hate fire; I hate seeing what it can do to a household, and so I'll make one more stab here at helping you reduce the risk of a household fire incident.

Let's start in your basement if you have one. The thought of a fire a few years ago where clothing strewn on the floor of a basement was ignited, has promoted this article. At the time of the fire, we were in quite a cold snap. The furnace in that house was working overtime to meet the demands for household heat. Cloths were strewn on the floor adjacent to this furnace, which were left there to be thrown in a washer at a later date. Unfortunately, the clothing was left too close to the furnace and eventually ignited.

Combustibles should not be stored any closer than five feet to your furnace. It's too easy to have loose combustibles casually left adjacent to a furnace, while this is a particular time of year that this practice can lead to a basement fire. Keep base-

ment combustible storage orderly, leaving ample room from potential ignition sources such as a furnace.

Not long ago I responded to another basement fire. When it came time to investigate the origin of the fire it was quite clear that the fire started in a cloths dryer. When it was safe to do so, I invited the homeowner to join me in the basement while I asked him about the dryer itself. He told me that it was relatively new and that the dryer was being used that evening. I then asked him how often he cleaned the lint trap. He responded, "What lint trap?" With that comment the fire investigation was completed.

Lint is a combustible byproduct of the drying process and the dryer manufacturers have included a trap within a dryer so that the lint won't accumulate in the exhaust hose. A clogged lint trap can lead to either ignition of the dryer contents or the lint itself. Therefore, please clean this trap of lint with every use. I'd have to say that nearly every dryer fire that I have witnessed has been caused by failure of the homeowner to clean the lint trap.

Cooking, don't forget, **unattended** cooking is the principal behavioral factor behind this leading cause of home fires. It is too easy in this day and age to begin cooking and become dis-

tracted with other matters. We encourage people to remain in the kitchen once they begin cooking, and if they must leave to another room, have a utensil or potholder in hand as a reminder of their ongoing efforts in the kitchen.

The thought of increased space heater use has also promoted this article. If used, make certain they're placed a minimum of three feet from combustibles, newspapers, furniture, curtains, etc. Make certain they're placed upon the floor in such a manner to avoid tipping. The heater should also never be left unattended or used while sleeping.

Don't forget the importance of having working smoke detectors on every level of habitation. Properly placed, working detectors will give you the notification of smoke within the house affording prompt evacuation to safety.

Kindly consider these tips and those mentioned in many of my previous articles. This article is written as a refresher for these winter months although fire prevention efforts are obviously practical for every month. It is my earnest desire for you to avoid the consequences that I have witnessed at household fire incidents while I believe that taking some simple steps towards preventing fire can minimize its occurrence in your home. Be safe!

Civil War Program At Beechwood On The Bay

A Civil War Program will be offered at Beechwood On The Bay, Wednesday, Feb. 7 at 9 a.m.

Chuck Fazio, a long time Civil War "Buff" will offer a presentation on Gen. George Patton and a World War II Sword.

Those attending are invited to bring any Civil War memorabilia. Fazio will also have selected items available.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

River Bay Club invites you to attend...

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Text Of Koch's Resignation

Following is the text of Thomas Koch's letter of resignation delivered by him to Mayor William Phelan Tuesday.

Dear Mayor Phelan: It is with mixed emotion that I inform you of my resignation as Executive Director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments.

This resignation is effective immediately, however if my service is needed to provide uninterrupted services to our residents I will make myself available to help in any way.

Over the past 12 years, with the help of some dedicated employees we have

witnessed a transformation of our park system and it is my hope that our parks, playgrounds, athletic facilities and open spaces will continue to remain a priority. Our public burial places are well maintained and, although we have extended the life of Pine Hill with the reclamation of an underutilized section, we must continue to work to add graves to provide a final resting place for Quincy's families.

I am proud of my record of public service and am grateful to my colleagues in government and, in particular, employees of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery De-

partments who do outstanding work each and every day, meeting the needs of our residents.

I appreciate the support over the years from the City Council, Park & Recreation Board, and Cemetery Board of Managers. The city is equally fortunate to have so many wonderful organizations and individuals working to make our city a better place to live and I appreciate all their help during my tenure.

I wish you the best as we both strive to serve the people of our great city in our own ways.

Respectfully,
Thomas P. Koch

John Hancock Plunge Rescheduled For Feb. 17

The John Hancock Plunge originally planned for last Saturday at the Mound Street Beach, Quincy Point has been rescheduled for 10 a.m. Feb. 17.

The event was rescheduled so that members of the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission and the Park Department could attend the memorial Mass for Paul Zambruno at St. Mary's Church. He was a long-time, popular member of the Park Department.

Registration fee for the

plunge is \$10. Proceeds will go to the Interfaith Social Services.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly, chairman of the sponsoring Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission invited all hearty souls to participate.

"Come on down and take a plunge, waist-wade or toe-dunk for a worthy cause," he says.

There will be prizes including ones for the oldest and youngest participants, to the person raising the most money through sponsorship

and pledges, and for the most original or comical outfits.

The names of those registering will be entered into drawings for other prizes. Hot coffee and chocolate will be provided.

To register, make out a \$10 check payable to Interfaith Social Services and mail to Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, care of Chickie Abdallah, 48 Silver St., Quincy, MA 02169

To reach the Mound Street Beach, take Silver Street off Southern Artery to Mound Street..

Koch Challenges Phelan For Mayor

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missioner before him and founder of the Koch Club for boys and girls. He said the service to the city and its young people remains unparalleled and is symbolized annually by Quincy's Flag Day Parade and Celebration.

"It was a dream to hold the same office my father loved for so long, and I want to continue the standard he set for dedication to the people of Quincy in the place where it can do the most good-the mayor's office," Koch said.

Koch graduated from North Quincy High School in 1981 as class president. He spent the next several years running his own landscaping business, a time in which, he said, "his love for his hometown evolved into an enduring commitment to protect and improve Quincy's beautiful open spaces and park land."

Koch ran for the city council in 1985, when he was 22. He lost, but the effort, he said, won him a spot among a new generation of Quincy leaders.

In 1988, Mayor Francis McCauley appointed Koch

city hall's chief liaison to Quincy's growing senior community as director of the Quincy Council on Aging. In this job, Koch said he gained a deep understanding of the many contributions made by long-time Quincy residents, the challenges they face regularly, and the need for government to do everything in its power to protect them.

Koch was the primary architect of what would become the most extensive renovation of the city's park system in history, developing the idea while the top aide to Mayor Sheets in the early years of his administration and seeing it through to reality after he was appointed park commissioner in 1995.

A \$10 million plan, developed by Koch in 2001 and financed by fees paid by hotel room guests in Quincy, included an overhaul of Veterans Stadium, Adams Field, and the Mitchell McCoy softball complex plus dozens of improvements to parks and playgrounds across Quincy.

As park commissioner, Koch oversaw a department of more than 40 employees tasked with maintaining hun-

dreds of acres of open space; he spearheaded a citywide beautification effort that continues today; and he coordinated many of the popular public events attended by thousands of residents every year.

Koch is the chairman of the Flag Day committee and still leads several of the Koch Club's charitable efforts. He led volunteer efforts that grew into the "Cleaner, Greener Quincy" neighborhood clean-up effort. He was the first chairman of the city's open space committee nearly 20 years ago. He is a co-founder of Quincy ArtsFest, president of the Quincy City Club and a member of the Quincy Partnership.

Koch is also a lifetime parishioner of Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy.

Native of North Quincy, Koch lives just two doors from the Newbury Avenue home where he grew up and where his mother, Simone J. Koch, still lives. He married his high school sweetheart, Christine Keenan. The couple has three children, Cornelius Richard, 10, and twins Thomas, Jr., and Abigail, 8.

Atria Marina Place Offers Free Events

The Atria Marina Place, 4 Seaport Drive, will host the following events free to the public for February.

Feb. 7, A lecture at 2:30 p.m. on Heart and Stroke Prevention by the Cardiovas-

cular Services Department of South Shore Hospital, Weymouth.

Feb. 8, The Atria Marina Place Sweet Heart Ball from 6 to 8 p.m. featuring the Dave Caponigro Band. There will be hors d'oeuvres

and dancing.

Feb. 12, A lecture at 2:30 p.m. on "Revitalize your Brain" with Michael Hubert

Feb. 20, A Mardi Gras Party with a live jazz band will be held at 7 p.m. Appetizers will be served.



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Local Agency Provides Online Food Stamp Application Assistance

Project Bread Awards \$7,800 To Quincy Community Action

Despite the help food stamps can offer, Massachusetts still has one of the lowest food stamp participation rates in the country.

To help offset this problem, Project Bread is partnering with community-based organizations across the state, like the Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc., to increase enrollment and awareness of the Food Stamp Program.

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. recently received a \$7,800 grant from Project Bread dedicated to food stamp application assistance and outreach.

The Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. is providing application assistance to clients by using Project Bread's online food stamp application. This program, in partnership with the Department of Transitional Assistance (DTA), gives eligible applicants a convenient, supportive, and secure way to access benefits online.

The electronic process provides greater convenience: applicants can apply right in their own neighborhood; they can work with a counselor who speaks their language and who coaches them through the process; and the program gives applicants a unique tracking number and a confirmed time and date of submission, eliminating the guesswork about when the application has arrived for processing.

Another advance is that the program uses plain language and only asks questions that are relevant to the

Where to apply for food stamps online in your community:

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. <<http://qcac.org/>> Learning Links 1511 Hancock Street Quincy, MA 02169 Main QCAP number: 617-479-8181 x100 for Learning Links

Emergency Food Center, 388 Granite Street Quincy, MA 02169 Emergency Food Center: 617-471-0796 x100

Application Assistance Available: call to schedule an appointment Tuesday: 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Wednesday: 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Thursday: 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

About the Federal Food Stamp Program

The Food Stamp Program is a federally funded program that provides benefits to eligible low-income households and individuals. It is aimed at helping individuals and families attain adequate diets, thereby reducing the prevalence of hunger and nutrition-related health problems. Food stamp benefits are distributed in the form of electronic transfer cards, which look like bank cards, and work like cash, to buy food at most grocery stores, supermarkets, and co-ops. Learn more at www.projectbread.org/breadwinners.

applicant - essentially customizing the application process. Additionally, the online application generates step-by-step instructions on how the process works and a personalized list of verifications each applicant will need to mail or fax to complete the submission.

After testing and launching the online application, Project Bread began working with community organizations that offer computer access in low-income neighborhoods to make it available to eligible families without computers. Since then Project Bread has trained over 100 community-based organizations across the state, including fuel assistance programs, community health centers, social service agencies, job training programs, and emergency food providers, to use the online application with their clients.

"This process is a boon to working families looking to stretch their income," said Ellen Parker, executive director of Project Bread. "Applying online at local agencies makes the food stamp application process much easier and more families are able to put food on the table. Food stamps are no longer stamps," continued Ms. Parker. "They come in the form of debit cards, which allows a family to shop for food at their local supermarket. This benefit gives them the option of choice and allows them to shop when it's convenient for them, such as before or after work."

Interested applicants can find the latest information about times and places online at Project Bread's www.gettingfoodstamps.org and click the button on the left sidebar, "How Do I Apply."

Delahunt Votes To Cut Interest Rate On Student Loans

Congressman William Delahunt has voted for legislation to make college more affordable by cutting the interest rate on student loans.

The legislation will cut the interest rate on subsidized student loans for undergraduates in half over the next five years.

The House of Representatives passed the bill last week by a vote of 356 to 71.

"In Massachusetts, there are almost 100,000 four-year college students with subsidized loans—all of whom will benefit from this bill," Delahunt said. "Making the cost of a college education more affordable is critical at a time when the costs continue to skyrocket," Delahunt pointed out.

Studies have shown that, over the past five years, tuition and fees at four-year public colleges and universities have risen 41 percent, putting college out-of-reach for more and more students, he said. Interest rates on student loans have also risen, increasing the cost of college



WILLIAM DELAHUNT

even more. It is estimated that, if Congress does nothing, financial barriers will prevent over four million high school graduates from attending a four-year public college over the next decade, and prevent another two million high school graduates from attending any college at all.

"Cutting interest rates on student loans will certainly make college more affordable. But we must do more," Delahunt said.

Later this year, Congress is expected to take up legislation to increase the maximum Pell Grant scholarship and other measures to reduce the financial barriers to a col-

lege education.

The bill passed by the House last Thursday cuts the interest rate in half in five steps: from 6.8% to 6.12% in 2007; 5.4% in 2008; 4.76% in 2009; 4.08% in 2010; and 3.4% in 2011 and will save the typical Massachusetts borrower over \$4,470. It is fully paid for by making modest reductions in certain lender and guaranty agency subsidies in order to make the student loan program more efficient and effective for students and for American taxpayers.

This legislation is supported by dozens of organizations, including the American Council on Education, National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, American Association for State Colleges and Universities, American Association of Community Colleges, Alliance for Equity in Higher Education, Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities, College Board, College Parents of America, and the Institute of Higher Education Policy.

Eventide Home Withdraws PUD Redevelopment Bid

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understanding that it will be allowed to resubmit an application, if necessary, after this analysis is completed.

"While Eventide has undertaken substantial efforts to inform its neighbors about and to incorporate neighborhood input into its redevelopment proposal, we recognize that our present rezoning petition has caused concern and confusion."

Eventide has held three open houses for residents but neighbors still want to know why the zoning change is needed, said Gutro. The home currently operates under Residence A zoning with variances.

The Eventide Home is planning a completely new three-story building, constructed behind the 70-year-old existing one, which would be torn down and replaced by green lawn.

It would have 52 one-bedroom apartments with dens, four two-bedroom apartments, 16 one-bedroom apartments and a 43-bed skilled nursing facility. It would occupy 112,000 square feet.

The rezoned land would include the present Eventide Home at 205 Adams St. and the adjoining Gardiner Estate, which is owned by the Eventide Home.

Ward 1 Democrats To Caucus Feb. 3

Registered Democrats in Quincy's Ward 1 will hold their annual caucus at the Houghs Neck Community Center Saturday, Feb. 3 at 1 p.m. to elect 10 delegates and two alternates to the 2007 Massachusetts Democratic Convention.

Delegates will be equally divided between men and women in accordance with Democratic Party rules. Any one at least 18 years old and registered as a Massachusetts Democrat as of Dec. 30 is welcome to attend the caucus and run for a delegate position.

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"add-on" delegates in the following categories: youth (35 and under), minority and disabled.

Discrimination on the basis of race, sex, age, color, creed, national origin, religion, ethnic identity, sexual orientation or economic status in the conduct of the Caucus is strictly prohibited. Challenges to the

Delegate-selection process must be filed with the Massachusetts Democratic Party, 56 Roland St., Suite 203, Boston, MA, 02120 within 10 days after the caucus.

For more information, contact the Democratic Ward 1 Chairman Michael Berry @ 617-479-2787 or the Democratic State Committee at 617-776-2676.

Former Hollow Has Another New Name: Firefly's

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

The former Hollow Restaurant at 516 Adams St., a popular eatery for many years has changed owners several times in a short time.

It was first sold to the Naked Fish, then it became the Red Sauce. After that it became the Redwood Tavern. Beginning May 1, it will be known as Firefly's.

The restaurant will feature Bar-B-Que and Beyond which will also offer catering.

The License Board at Tuesday's meeting voted unanimously in favor of a new restaurant, and granted a common victualer and all alcoholic license. They also granted a cabaret license for live music.

Richard Barry, counsel for the new owner, Steven

Ulliss said Ulliss owns two other restaurants with a similar concept. One in Marlboro and the other one in Framingham. He also owns the Tennessee Barbecue, scattered around the North Shore.

One of the part-owners is Judy Andelman, wife of radio and television celebrity Eddie Andelman.

Barry said that Ulliss's restaurants have won awards for their great food as well as being "very well run".

The new restaurant will undergo extensive renovations, but no structural changes according to Barry.

Chairman Joseph Shea said he still thinks of the site as "back to the Hollow days."

The restaurant will serve lunch three days a week, and dinner seven days a week. The menu will feature all kinds of barbecued sandwiches, salads, desserts and many various platters of barbecued meats.

Three Residents On Quinnipiac Dean's List

Three Quincy residents have been named to the Dean's List at Quinnipiac University in Hamden, Conn., for the fall semester.

They are:

Breanne Therrien, Kristine Maher and Meghan Laher.

Police Expert Advises

How To Detect Newest Scam

A new scam, aimed at those trusting souls who are blinded by the prospect of easy money, has reared its ugly head in Quincy.

Fortunately, the first targeted victim who received the tempting letter and check told a neighbor who told Lt. Dan Minton, the Police Department's Crime Prevention Officer.

The scam involves a letter informing the mark that he or she has won \$250,000 in a contest. Payment will be made by certified or cashier's check delivered by FedEx.

But first, a check for \$4,750 is enclosed which the mark is to cash and send \$3,750 by Moneygram or Western Union to cover taxes before the prize can be claimed.

"Once the taxes are paid," says Minton, "the 'winner' will receive the remainder of his winnings. In real lotteries, taxes are not paid this way."

"The bank cashes the check for you, then after a few days, notifies you that the check was bogus. By then you may have sent to money to the scam artists."

"Sadly, too many people fall for this 'get rich quick' scheme. Besides 'too good to be true' common sense, there

are many other ways to determine that the offer is bogus."

The mechanics of the current scam may seem crude (see the letter and check on this page) but the ways of spotting it hold true for more sophisticated frauds.

For one thing, says Minton, "the letterhead looks unprofessional. It has no address, telephone or fax numbers."

"The claim number has '08' as the first numbers. This in the year 2007."

"The text of the letters is poorly organized. Business letters tend to have structured paragraphs."

"Specific words are highlighted."

"The closing does not indicate what Linda Wayas is president of."

"The letter is the 'final notice of winning.' Did you get any previous notices?"

"A check of the phone number will tell you that the area code is in Manitoba, Canada, which matches the Canadian stamp on the envelope."

"And the most obvious question: How could you win if you didn't enter the contest?"

The check gives away the scam even more, says

Minton:

"PO Box 6001 is an exceptionally high number for a small town like East Bridgewater."

"Shouldn't Shaws have an apostrophe?"

"The signature on the check does not tell you who the person is."

"The first set of numbers on the bottom of the check is the routing number and should have nine figures."

"And the routing numbers match the number of the check."

"A simple phone call to the Post office and the Police in East Bridgewater show there is no such company as Shaw's Logistics, Inc., there."

"Another phone call will show that Bank of America via Fleet Bank owns the accounts listed to the bogus BankBoston Maine."

"A 'Google' search of the Internet showed no connection between the company names and the persons listed as president and agent."

"The reason these scams keep going on is because it is profitable enough to keep doing them," says Minton.

"Remember, if it is too good to be true be sure to check with someone you trust and, as always, the Quincy Police Department is at your service."

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The tax amount is \$3750.00 to be paid through MONEYGRAM or WESTERN UNION.

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For more information, call the Democratic State Committee at 617-776-2676

Saint Ann School Registration Jan. 28

Saint Ann School will host an open house and registration for the 2007-08 school year Sunday, Jan. 28, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the school, One St. Ann Rd., Wollaston.

Those registering for K-

8 will need bring birth certificates, baptismal certificates is baptized out side St. Ann Parish, immunization record and a non-refundable registration fee of \$100 per family.

Students applying for

grades one through eight must have copies of their recent report cards and standardized test results.

Youngsters entering kindergarten one must be four years old by Aug. 31, 2007, and those entering kindergarten two must be five years old by the same date.

Help With Simple Wills Monthly

Atty. Ed Conroy will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy, every third Friday of the month to assist the eld-

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Century 21 Annex Announces Top Sales Agents For Fourth Quarter

Art Foley, broker/owner of Century 21 Annex Realty, Inc., with offices in Quincy and Hanover, announces the top-selling agents for the fourth quarter of 2006.

The award is based on the sales an agent closes each quarter. The following agents achieved winning

sales figures for October through December:

John Heaney, Rick McLaughlin and Gus Confalone, all of Quincy, were named the top performers for the Quincy office throughout the fourth quarter.

Mary O'Brien of Quincy,

Amy Moore of Hanson and Eric Sugrue of Braintree left the Hanover office in sales transactions for the past three months.

For more information about Century 21 Annex Realty, Inc., call 617-472-4330 or toll free 1-800-345-4614.

Jack Conway Co. Hosting Real Estate Career Seminar

Jack Conway and Company offers free real estate career counseling education sessions.

The sessions cover issues ranging from obtaining a

Massachusetts real estate license, how to begin a real estate career, what makes a successful agent, costs and fees to agents, as well as the company's compensation

and benefits programs.

All seminars are held at Jack Conway and Company offices and usually run 90 minutes. There is no obligation.

A free seminar is scheduled Saturday, Jan. 27 at 10 a.m. at the Conway Quincy office, 253 Beale St.

For more information, call Debbie Reilly at 781-871-0080 ext. 334.

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Winter Weather Moving Tips

(NAPS)- There are many natural wonders associated with winter, but for people who find themselves moving to an unfamiliar cold-weather climate, it can be daunting and worrisome. United Van Lines, the nation's largest mover, offers the following tips for making the most out of a new winter playground:

- **Bundle up.** When packing for your move, make sure you keep warm clothes handy. Pack items such as hats, scarves, gloves, boots and coats for the entire family.
- **Safe travels.** If you are

driving to your destination, make sure to stock your car with safety provisions, including a flashlight, first-aid kit, bottled water and tire chains.

• **Winterize your home.** To prevent unnecessary slips and falls, purchase a snow shovel and bag of ice melt and keep your driveway and front steps clear. Install an easy-to-read outdoor thermometer-you'll be able to keep an eye on falling and rising temperatures and plan accordingly. And before throwing a log on the fire, make sure the chimney and

flue are swept and inspected.

• **Get acquainted.** Become familiar with your new city's local radio and TV stations to stay aware of any road, school and other business closures. Also, get recommendations for a local family physician in case the winter flu strikes.

• **Go play.** Take the family out for a day in the snow and enjoy the season's offerings-there is a winter activity for everyone!

For additional moving information, visit www.unitedvanlines.com.

The Tax Picture

Take Credit For Energy Improvements

(NAPS)- Uncle Sam is ready to give you credit for the steps you take to reduce energy consumption in your home. The Energy Policy Act of 2005 provides valuable tax credits as much as \$300 to consumers who purchase qualified high-efficiency heating, cooling and water-heating equipment.

These new tax credits took effect in January 2006. Unlike a tax deduction, which reduces the amount of income subject to tax, a tax credit directly reduces the amount of federal income tax you pay or increases the tax

refund you receive.

The new energy legislation defines the type of equipment and amounts of the credit in this way:

- **High-efficiency gas, oil and propane furnaces and boilers:** \$150
- **High-efficiency central air-conditioning units,** including air-source and ground-source heat pumps: \$300
- **High-efficiency fans** for heating and cooling systems: \$50
- **High-efficiency water heaters,** including heat pump water heaters: \$300

Manufacturers and

retailers should be able to tell homeowners whether a specific product qualifies for a tax credit. Qualifying efficiencies identified in the bill include:

- **Furnaces and boilers:** Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency (AFUE) of 95 or higher
- **Air-source heat pumps:** Heating Seasonal Performance Factor (HSPF) of 9 or greater, Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER) of 15 or higher and Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) of 13 or higher
- **Central air-conditioning units:** SEER of 15 and EER of 12.5.

In addition to providing tax credits, these high-efficiency products also offer homeowners lower home energy bills, increased indoor comfort and reduced air pollution. That's because new equipment employs technologies that make new heating systems much more energy efficient than the furnace or heat pump currently warming your home.

The maximum credit for all taxable years is \$500 and applicable to other home energy-efficiency improvements, including the installation of new windows, insulation, doors and roofs. To qualify for tax credits, homeowners will need to verify the efficiency of the equipment and the date when it was placed into service. The equipment must be installed between January 1, 2006 and December 31, 2007.

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Preparing Your Roof For Harsh Weather

(NAPS)- When it comes to keeping out winter's cold, rain and snow, your house is only as good as its roof.

That's why it's important to give your roof an inspection twice a year—in the spring, after severe weather, and then again before the worst of winter weather sets in. Keep in eye out for telltale signs of wear, such as loose or missing shingles and deteriorated flashing (the metal that seals bends and joints on skylights, chimneys, etc.). More than 90 percent of all roof damage occurs in



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these areas. Try these additional tips:

- Inspect the roof edge for damage caused by wind, driving rain and ice dams (where water freezes and backs up under the roofing system).

- Watch for discoloration on the roof, especially dark spots. They could be signs of moisture damage and algae or mold growth.

- Clean your gutters,

leaders, window wells and drains of any debris. Leaves sticks and other items can cause water to back up and flow under the roof. It's also important to make sure gutters are securely fastened to your house and to direct all downspouts away from your foundation.

Maintaining Roof Health

If you spot damage, work with a professional roofing contractor who uses quality

materials. Doing so can save you time and money and prolong the life of your roof. Plus, it can keep you from having to spring for costly repairs down the road.

A free service that helps homeowners find a qualified roofing contractor is available through GAF Materials Corporation, North America's largest roofing manufacturer. Call (888) LEAK-SOS or visit www.gaf.com.



By Samantha Mazzotta

Window Sheeting Won't Behave

Q. I am trying to put plastic sheets across my windows to keep the cold air from coming in. However, the masking tape I'm using will not stay put. It just keeps peeling off the window frame. How can I get this sheeting to stay up? — *George P., Springfield, Mass.*

A. Two problems come to mind when trying to get masking tape to stick. First, the surface of the frame may not be too adherent — a glossy paint may resist masking tape, and a dirty or uneven surface also presents difficulties. Second, the surface temperature could prevent sticking. If the room is chilly or the temperature around the window frame is below 50 degrees, masking tape might not stick very well.

Clean the surfaces to which the tape will stick with soap and water, and rinse. Wait for the outside temperatures to rise above freezing, and if possible, for the sun to shine directly on

that side of the house, to make the frames as warm as possible. Increase the heat indoors temporarily to create some warmth, too. For a quick heat-up, run a hair dryer along the frame for a few seconds just before applying the tape.

Use the thinnest plastic possible, so that the weight will not drag the tape off.

Another solution is to purchase a different kind of tape, or a window sealing kit. However, to ensure the best adhesion, raise the temperature around the frame even with the sealing-kit tape.

When the weather improves, or during the warmer months, consider replacing leaky windows and frames or, at the very least, improving the weatherstripping materials so that you don't have to use plastic sheeting at all.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequincy2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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NFPA Launches New Game To Teach Children Emergency Preparedness

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) today launched a new Sparky the Fire Dog® game to help children learn about emergency preparedness.

The game, "Look and Learn," is now available free online. It stresses the importance of being prepared for an emergency by teaching children about items that should be included in an emergency supplies kit.

Each year natural disasters disrupt the lives of hundreds of thousands of children and their families. NFPA developed Risk Watch®: Natural Disasters to help children and their families deal with disasters before, during and after the event. Sparky's® new game is the latest addition to support this effort and is available by visiting NFPA's Risk Watch® Web site at <http://www.riskwatch.org> and entering the "Kids Only" section of the site.

"Everyone runs the risk of experiencing a natural disaster and that includes children," said Amy LeBeau, NFPA's communications manager of public education. "Sparky's new game is a great way for parents and teachers to educate children about emergency preparedness with a fun interactive lesson."

Players of Sparky's "Look

and Learn" visit six different fun and interactive scenes as they are tasked with assisting Sparky by locating hidden items to complete his emergency supplies kit.

During their search for the hidden items, players travel through a Hideaway Island, Campground, Safari, Haunted House, Underwater Adventure and Prehistoric Park to locate things like flashlights, batteries, extra clothing, a whistle, canned food and other items that are often necessities in an emergency. After finding all of the emergency supplies in each

section of the game, children will be able to download and print out an emergency supplies checklist that they can use to make their own emergency supplies kit.

Sparky's "Look and Learn" game provides a fun and safe learning experience for kids and there is no advertising on the kids section of the site. The game is most appropriate for children in kindergarten through second grade, but may be of interest

to all ages.

NFPA has been a worldwide leader in providing fire, electrical, building, and life safety to the public since 1896. The mission of the international nonprofit organization is to reduce the worldwide burden of fire and other hazards on the quality of life by providing and advocating consensus codes and standards, research, training, and education. Visit NFPA's Web site at <http://www.nfpa.org>.

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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Jan. 12 - Jan. 18

Total Calls for Service: 1,160

Total Arrests: 39

Total Stolen Cars: 3

FRIDAY, Jan. 12

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:47 a.m., 6 Main St. Graffiti found on building.

LARCENY, 7:40 a.m., Fr. Bill's Place, 38 Broad St. Caller claims medication was stolen from her at Fr. Bill's.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:44 a.m., 45 Hancock St. Caller reports a storage container was B&E'd overnight. Storage locker broken into, tool stolen.

LARCENY, 12:30 p.m., Eastern Nazarene College, 23 Elm Ave. Laptop computer stolen from office at this location.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:54 p.m., 27 Lunt St. Dwelling. Twenty-inch plasma TV, Xbox 360, Game Boy and cash known missing.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:25 p.m., 150 Main St. 1997 Hyundai Elantra, color red. Someone using motor vehicle without authority.

LARCENY, 7:06 p.m., Sam's Variety, 125 Billings Rd. No weapon. White male, green sweater, blue jeans, tall, fled on foot towards Billings Rd. Reached over counter, went into register, took cash.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 19:50 p.m., 94 Gilbert Rd. Dwelling. Hear someone in basement. Three under arrest. All charged with breaking and entering nighttime and malicious damage. Suspects #2 and #3 processed on last half. #2 additionally charged with false name after arrest.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:52 p.m., 148 Squanto Rd. Two males. Windows broken in car.

SATURDAY, JAN. 13

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:09 a.m., 23 Beechwood St. Window. Someone smashed out window.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 1:35 a.m., Ross Parking Area, 96 Parkway. Possible assault.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:43 a.m., Eastern Nazarene College, Spanglers Dorm, 23 East Elm Ave. Civil matter - parties advised.

LARCENY, 11:10 a.m., 82 Liberty St., Abby Restoration. By credit card.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:12 a.m., 35 Brooks Ave. Rear window.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 2:32 p.m., 1 City View Ln. Motorist attempted to punch in window of other motor vehicle.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:26 p.m., Napoli Cafe, 1570 Hancock St. Past.

SUNDAY, JAN. 14

LARCENY, 3:46 a.m., 52 Safford St. Cab fare not paid.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:54 a.m., 52 Gay St. Tagging. Trailer was painted overnight.

LARCENY, 12:52 p.m., 79 Quarterdeck Rd. Caller reports someone in house.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:13 p.m., UHaul,

438 Quincy Ave. Trailer. Caller states trailer stolen off lot overnight.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:16 p.m., 14 Abbey Rd. Dwelling. Suspect is a white male, 5'10", thin, medium length, salt/pepper hair, brown leather jacket and jeans.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:15 p.m., 1241B Sea St. Tires slashed. Two left tires are flat.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:39 p.m., 12 Merry Mount Ave. Sp party. Youth breaking fence pickets. Parties to make restitution.

MONDAY, JAN. 15

ARMED ROBBERY, 1:35 a.m., 10 Copeland St., parking lot. Knife. Female just robbed at knife point by male in red/black windbreaker. White male.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:18 a.m., 220 West Squantum St. Bushes. Male from Webster St. hit the bushes.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:41 a.m., 338 Granite St. Window. Someone through a rock at the caller's car window.

LARCENY, 12:32 p.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Wallet.

LARCENY, 12:50 p.m., 74 Presidential Dr. Of medications.

LARCENY, 1:49 p.m., 118 Greenleaf St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:03 p.m., 48 Babcock St. Front yard. Red car with a group of youths put toilet paper all over yard. Youths went back, picked up mess.

TUESDAY, JAN. 16

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:01 a.m., 241 Billings Rd. Side window. Passenger side window smashed overnight. Nothing taken from vehicle.

LARCENY, 3:12 p.m., John Adams Nursing Home, 211 Franklin St. Of wallet. Purse stolen, found by exit ramp for expressway in Randolph. Returned minus \$50 cash, and three credit cards.

LARCENY, 3:18 p.m., 132 Piermont St. Past. Victim had an open house/garage sale and now realizes jewelry and figurines were stolen during event.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 17

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:07 a.m., Brewers Corner Liquors, 372 Granite St. To locks. Owner states someone gummed his locks to business.

LARCENY, 12:12 p.m., 20 Sterling St. Bank account. States \$860 was wired from his account to an offshore account.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:09 p.m., Faxon Commons, 999 Southern Artery. Past. Victim in case, defendants are suspected in slashing her tires. Suspects are three young black females.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 9:50 p.m., Furnace Brook Gas Variety, 507 Furnace Brook Parkway. Past incident at gas station.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:07 p.m., Ross Parking Area, 96 Parkway. Malicious damage. Motor vehicle was spray painted on driver's side.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:59 p.m., 333 Ricciuti Dr. Dwelling. Apartment entered, no sign of force.

THURSDAY, JAN. 18

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:59 a.m., Furnace Brook Golf Club, 74 Summit Ave. Window facing the golf course on side of proshop is cracked - looks like it was shot with a pellet gun but it did not break through the glass.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:55 a.m., 8A Packards Ln. 1998 Chevy 2500, color white.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:18 a.m., 66 Trafford St. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 1:05 p.m., 80 Clay St. Checks/cards.

LARCENY, 9:48 p.m., 6 Highpoint Cir. Degrees stolen from a locked staircase within the apartment. Civil issue.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:23 p.m., 73 Presidential Dr. Malicious damage over.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is **dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us** - Lt. Dan Minton.

Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report

crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

Anonymous information via a letter or by leaving a message does not provide an opportunity for the detectives to ask questions to gain further knowledge. Even without identifying yourself, your information can be corroborated (validated) in many ways, such as surveillance, which was used in this particular case.

Some people are reluctant to report suspicious activity for fear of having to testify or of retaliation, but by calling the hot-line with detailed information, the Drug Unit will be working with you to eradicate drug users in your community.

A Job Well Done

On Sunday, Jan. 14, at approximately 1:52 a.m., Officers Mike Powers, James Borden, Joe Nabstedt and Terry Hack were dispatched to Avon Way for a report of a "breaking and entering into a motor vehicle in progress." Enroute to the call, the officers were given descriptions of two suspects who had fled on foot.

As the units searched the area, Officer Powers interviewed the victim and learned that she had walked up the staircase from Burgin Parkway, then uphill to Avon Way, where she had parked her car. As she approached her car, she spotted two young males at the passenger side window. She stated they ran after scanning the area and seeing her.

The victim found that the passenger window was shattered but nothing was taken. She said that she just put in a new radio after her car had been broken into recently.

Shortly after the interview, a security officer at 125 Granite St., who monitors the police scanner, called dispatch to say two males matching the description just ran through the parking lot. After a brief search, Officer Hack radioed that he had two suspects, who were out of breath, stopped on Parker Street.

The officers split up the suspects and questioned them. The first suspect said they were just hanging out smoking, while the second suspect stated they were walking from North Quincy to the first suspect's home on Independence Avenue.

Based on discrepancies in their stories, the suspects matching in clothing and physical descriptions, that they were out of breath, Sgt. Mark Kennedy directed a "Show-Up Identification" procedure. This is done by having an officer bring the victim/witness to the scene to either positively identify the suspects or set them free. The suspect can also be brought to the victim. Officer Borden brought the victim to their location and she immediately stated they were the males who were at her car window.

After placing the suspects under arrest, a search revealed three cell phones on suspect #1. Suspect #2 had numerous sets of keys in his pockets, \$501, a cell phone, a folding knife and a "Virtual Reality Sound Labs VR3" for Sirius radio. Suspect #1, an 18-year-old Easton resident, was charged with "breaking and entering in the nighttime of a motor vehicle." Suspect #2, a 17-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with the same offense. He also has an extensive history of breaking and entering. On Oct. 23, 2006, he was arrested in Weymouth for "breaking and entering in the nighttime, larceny from a building and resisting arrest."

Nice work! In this particular case, on the positive side, the victim was aware of her surroundings and was looking ahead to spot potential problems. Suspects often flee when they believe that they can get away without being caught. The victim was able to make note of their description and avoided confrontation by staying a safe distance away. The victim was able to prevent a confrontation and by using her cell phone, was able to contact the police right away.

On the negative side, the victim did not plan well in selecting a location to park. The area itself is safe, but the distance she walked increased her chances of being victimized, especially at a time when most are asleep and no one is around. Walking from the area of the Quincy Center train station to the top of the hill was not a good idea. Next time, leave your car in a well-lit location, preferably with people or traffic nearby.



LT. DAN MINTON

Tax Tips From the Experts. The IRS Will Pay You to Work

Did you know the IRS and Mass. Department of Revenue might actually pay you for working? It's not for everyone, but if you are working and have sufficiently low income the IRS and Mass. DOR will provide you with a significant refundable credit. You receive this credit in the form of a tax refund even if you don't owe income tax.

The maximum credit for Federal tax returns ranges from \$412 for a taxpayer with no children to \$4,536 for taxpayers with two or more children. Earned income (wages, self employment income and disability income) for you or your spouse, may not exceed the limits ranging from \$12,150 to \$38,350 depending on your marital status and the number of qualifying children you have. There are also limits on unearned income such as interest and dividends. The amount of the credit increases as your earned income increases and begins to decrease when your earned income reaches a certain point (when your earned income exceeds the maximum limits) and is phased out. The credit Massachusetts tax returns is 15% of the federal credit.

If you qualify for the credit you do not have to wait until the end of the year when you file your income tax return. Your employer can arrange to pay the credit directly into your paycheck.

However, determining if you're eligible and computing this credit is complex. The IRS provides an interactive program to determine qualifications and amounts for the credit. You can access this information by visiting our web site <http://www.sstaxquincy.com>. Click on Internet Links and then on "Do I Qualify for the Low Income Tax Credit?"

Tam Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617)376-6226





SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



Healthy Behaviors Can Prevent At Least 50 Percent Of Cancer Deaths

Cancer Society To Educate Americans About Reducing Cancer Risk

The American Cancer Society has launched a new campaign to educate Americans about how to reduce cancer risk.

Many Americans think that there is little they can do to avoid getting cancer, but in fact, at least 50 percent of cancer deaths could be prevented through healthy lifestyle factors, including maintaining a healthy body weight, eating a healthy diet, getting sufficient physical activity, limiting consumption of alcohol, not smoking or using other tobacco products, and getting cancer screening tests. Research indicates that cutting cancer death rates by 50 percent nationally would save about 280,000 lives every year in the United States, and 6,700 in Massachusetts.

"An American Cancer Society survey found that 47 percent of adult Americans think they have little or no control over reducing their cancer risk, but that is not the case," said Gayle Bagley, area director for cancer control at the American Cancer Society. "The Great American Health Challenge will help raise awareness about how Americans can prevent cancer in their own lives, and will give them the information and tools to embark on, or maintain, a healthy lifestyle."

The American Cancer Society's Great American Health Challenge asks Americans to make a commitment to take the following actions to reduce their cancer risk:

- Check — Find out which cancer screening tests are

appropriate based on age and family history, and discuss these with your doctor.

- Screen — Get cancer or detect it at its earliest, most treatable stage. In January, take the Great American Health Check.

- Move — Be physically active most days of the week, and strive for 30 minutes of exercise on five or more days.

- Nourish — Eat a healthy, well-balanced diet that includes whole grains, five or more servings of fruits and vegetables daily, and limit consumption of red meats, especially high-fat and processed meats. In August, participate in the Great American Eat Right Challenge.

- Quit — Stop smoking, or join the fight against tobacco as an advocate for smoke-free communities. In November, participate in the Great American Smokeout®.

"The Great American Health Check is the first step in the year-long Health Challenge. Through the Health Check, we are encouraging Americans to log onto our Web site at www.cancer.org/greatamericans to learn more about how they can live a healthier life and make informed decisions to help reduce their risk of cancer," said Bagley.

The Great American Health Check (www.cancer.org/greatamericans) assesses an individual's risk for cancer and provides a customized action plan.

Easy-to-use and confidential, this interactive online tool allows users to

enter age, gender, height, weight, family history of cancer, dietary habits, physical activity levels, and alcohol and tobacco use for themselves or a loved one. The information results in an individualized action plan that provides guidance on which cancer screening tests are appropriate based on age and family history and should be discussed with a doctor. It also offers day-to-day lifestyle suggestions on how to eat healthy, get the right amount of exercise, limit alcohol use and quit smoking.

Screening can detect cancers of the breast, colon, rectum, cervix, prostate, oral cavity, and skin at early stages, when treatment is more likely to be successful. In addition, tests for cervical and colorectal cancer may detect changes in cells before they become cancerous. The five-year survival rate for cancers that can be prevented or detected earlier by screening is about 86 percent, a percentage which reflects real reductions in cancer deaths as well as earlier diagnosis because of screening.

The Great American Health Check will be followed later this year by other Great American Health Challenge components that address nutrition, physical activity and tobacco use. In August 2007, the Great American Eat Right Challenge will provide practical advice and personalized tips on adopting healthy eating habits and getting regular physical activity to maintain proper body weight.

The 31st anniversary of

the American Cancer Society's Great American Smokeout® will take place in November 2007, and will continue its history of inspiring and helping smokers to quit.

The Society estimates that in 2006 about 170,000 cancer deaths were expected to be caused by tobacco, and scientific evidence suggests that about one-third of the cancer deaths that occur in the U.S. each year are due to nutrition and physical activity factors, including excess weight.

For the majority of Americans who do not use tobacco, dietary choices and physical activity are the most important modifiable factors in cancer risk.

"The Great American Health Challenge provides a comprehensive health improvement and cancer prevention plan," said Bagley. "And when you take steps to live healthier, you will feel better, look better, and enjoy life to the fullest."

For more information on the Great American Health Challenge, call the American Cancer Society, anytime day or night, at 1-800-ACS-2345 or log on to www.cancer.org/greatamericans.

The American Cancer Society is dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by saving lives, diminishing suffering and preventing cancer through research, education, advocacy and service.

For more information, call the American Cancer Society toll free 1-800-ACS-2345 or visit www.cancer.org.



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Husband-Wife Workout

Q. My husband and I both retired recently, and we decided to begin to exercise together. We have different strengths and personal goals and don't want to hold the other back, but we really want to do this as a team. Is possible for both of us to work out together and still reach our individual fitness goals?

A. It is wonderful that you and your husband have decided to exercise together. Having a workout partner to help keep you accountable, motivated and committed to your workout routine can make reaching your fitness goals easier and possibly more fun.

Although you may have different fitness goals from your husband's, a few modifications can be made to your individual workouts to produce a successful partnership.

When planning your workouts, decide what goals you and your husband have in common. For example, if you both want to complete 40 minutes of cardiovascular exercise each workout, you both can complete the activity on the same piece of exercise equipment, although you might not work at the same intensity.

Also, if you and your husband enjoy exercising outside, but cannot run, ride or walk at the same pace, consider having one of you ride a bike while the other runs or uses inline skates. You both will be completing the cardiovascular exercise at the same time and at an intensity you personally can handle, while not making anyone feel left behind.

Many people believe that if someone is stronger than another then their workout routines will be completely different. This is not necessarily true. Almost every exercise can be modified for anyone from beginners to advanced. You and your husband can use the same resistance machines, but the weight your husband uses does not have to be the weight you use. Also, the progression of the exercise does not have to be the same.

For example, if you both wanted to do push-ups, there are many progressions to completing this exercise. Whether done with your knees on the ground, against a wall or in a standard push-up position, the benefits of the exercise still can be achieved.

Another option could be to complete part of your workout together, then separate to complete other exercises before meeting up again. For example, you can do your cardiovascular workout together, then your strength training separately and later meet up to complete your flexibility and cool-down routine together.

Having a workout partner can be a great tool for fitness success. Be creative.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. *Andrea Renee Wyatt, M.S.S., C.S.C.S., is a certified personal trainer with an extensive background in strength and conditioning as well as therapeutic recreation. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.lfw@heartstc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 530475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.*

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Milton Hospital Free Heart Health Lectures

In observance of American Heart Month in February, Milton Hospital is hosting four cardiology education programs Feb. 12-15.

Participants will learn how to maintain heart health and how to recognize symptoms of potential disease.

Pre-registration is required. To register call the Milton Hospital Community Education Line at 617-696-8810.

All programs are held at Milton Hospital, 92 Highland St., Milton.

Lecture topics and dates are:

Recognizing Stroke Symptoms, Monday, Feb. 12, at 7 p.m. in the

Nangeroni Education Center. Learn about the signs and symptoms of a stroke.

Pacemakers and ICDs — Tuesday, Feb. 13, 7 p.m., in Conference Room A.

Risk Reduction in Cardiac Disease — Wednesday, Feb. 14, 7 p.m. in the Nangeroni Education Center

Learn the need for aggressive blood pressure control and lipid modification to minimize the risk of heart disease.

Heart Attacks What You Need To Know — Thursday, Feb. 15, 7 p.m., in the Nangeroni Education Center

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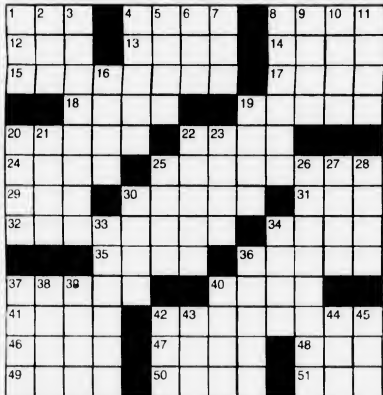
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- 8 Moistens
- 12 Epoch
- 13 Ice-cream holder
- 14 Idle or Ambler
- 15 Tonet
- 17 Wee bit
- 18 Horseshoe site
- 19 Bad lighting?
- 20 Gather greedily
- 22 Hourglass fill
- 24 Sea eagle
- 25 "Ragtime" author
- 29 Island souvenir
- 30 Nasal passage
- 31 Biblical verb ending
- 32 Paper
- 34 London gallery
- 35 "You Go - Head"
- 36 Archer's missile

DOWN

- 1 Slight bit
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- 4 Seafood selection
- 5 Hairdo
- 6 Landers or Coulter
- 7 Spelling contest
- 8 Nut
- 9 Piccadilly statue
- 10 One of the Jackson 5
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- 19 Picnic invaders
- 20 Maintained
- 21 Sandwich treat
- 22 Chastity's dad
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. The is different. 2. While is shorter. 3. Bob is missing. 4. Puffs are different. 5. Jacket is different. 6. Tree is moved.

The Garden Bug

Indoor flower show

Billed as the world's largest indoor exhibition, the Philadelphia Flower Show (held Sunday, March 4 - Sunday, March 11, 2007 at the Pennsylvania Convention Center) is showcasing "Legends of Ireland" this year. Also featured are garden displays, exhibitions, educational programs and a marketplace. See www.theflowershow.com or call (215) 988-8899 (recorded information) for details.

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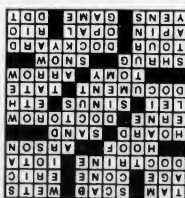


1. GEOGRAPHY: How long is the Panama Canal?
2. ANATOMY: Which finger on the human hand also is known as the index finger?
3. LANGUAGE: What does the adjective "vulpine" mean?
4. HISTORY: Who was the commander of the ill-fated Challenger space shuttle?
5. TELEVISION: Who was the star of the series "Hogan's Heroes"?
6. TECHNOLOGY: What does the acronym IMAX stand for?
7. MUSIC: Which group released the 1979 album "The Kids Are Alright"?
8. MOVIES: What kind of accent does actor Michael Caine have?
9. LITERARY: Who wrote the children's book "Where the Wild Things Are"?
10. INVENTIONS: Who is credited with inventing the artificial heart?

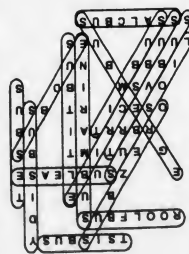
- Answers
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 6. Maximum image
 7. The Who
 8. Cockney
 9. Maurice Sendak
 10. Robert Jarvik
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It's time to prove to your detractors that you're way ahead of them when it comes to getting things done. So, be sure to avoid surprise distractions and complete that project as soon as possible.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Be careful not to waste your precious energy on frivolous matters that don't advance your goals. Stay focused. There'll be time enough for fun and games after you reach your objective.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You've done well on your own. But now could be a good time to consider advice from confidantes, as long as you continue to let your own instincts be your primary guide.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A belated New Year's "gift" could create a problem if you feel unwilling or unable to adjust your plans to accommodate the new development. Check all options before deciding.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) There's a possibility that you could be goaded into making a statement you might regret. It's important to try to stay cool no matter how heated the conversa-

tion gets.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A recent sad experience can become a valuable lesson. Examine it well and take what you've learned to help you make that important upcoming decision.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Linger problems in a personal or professional partnership still need to be resolved so you can move on. Insist on more cooperation from everyone.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) That recent problem that made you feel emotionally trapped and physically exhausted is gone. Don't dwell on it. Instead, make new plans and set new goals.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Your creative talents combine with a strong domestic aspect, which means you can start on those home-improvement projects you've been planning for a long time.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) It's a good time to anticipate a change in the near future. This could mean taking on a new career, going off to a new city or moving into a new home.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Soon, you should be learning more about the motives of those who continue to pressure you into making a decision you're still not sure about. Use this information wisely.

BORN THIS WEEK: The flow of your generosity seems to have no limit. But you're smart enough to know when it's time to cap it.

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SPORTS

21 Points, 17 Rebounds For Junior Forward Lee Leads Red Raiders Over Dennis-Yarmouth

By SEAN BRENNAN

All season long the young North Quincy boys' basketball team has been waiting for that game when the momentum of a long season would shift in their direction. Last Friday night, the Red Raiders may have gotten that shift with a thrilling 52-50 overtime victory against a powerful Dennis-Yarmouth team.

The Red Raiders, who currently boast an overall record of 4-6 and a 3-5 record in the Atlantic Coast League, jumped on the back of junior forward Marcellus Lee and hung-on for a huge road victory.

Lee finished the game with some monster numbers to go along with some outstanding defensive play. His 21 points (19 in the second-half) and 17 rebounds helped the Raiders secure the upset special against the Dolphins.

"A clutch performance by Marcellus Lee," head coach Kevin Barrett said. "The game he played helped us earn this huge road win. He controlled the defensive boards all game long and his nineteen second-half points got us to overtime and ultimately earned us the win."

The win did not come

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without its fair share of drama. The Dolphins had a golden opportunity to win the game in regulation, but luckily for the Raiders fell just short. With just under one second left in regulation, a Dennis-Yarmouth player fouled and awarded two free throws, he missed on both attempts, and the game went to overtime.

"With two-tenths of a second left we committed a shooting foul," Barrett said. "The kid missed both and we dodged a bullet. To win a game like this on the road and in overtime hopefully will result in that momentum shift we have been waiting for all season long."

The Red Raiders came into the Dennis-Yarmouth game on a roll after defeating Plymouth South last Monday (1/15) by a score of 58-43.

In the solid effort versus Eagles, the Red Raiders spread out the scoring and were never really challenged all game long.

Junior Tim Kerins finished the game with a team-high ten points. Others contributing to the league win included Lee (9 points) and seniors Matt Edgerly (9

points) and David Ray (8 points).

"This was a game in which we controlled the game both defensively and offensively for two full halves," Barrett stated. "It was a well-balanced scoring attack (as you can see from the scoring sheet). It was a good way to start the week."

At 4-6 overall, the Red Raiders are in prime position to make a late-season run, and maybe a post-season appearance. The shift in momentum is only as good as their game performance in the final weeks of the season, but for now, North Quincy knows it can win on the road against the best team the Atlantic Coast has to offer.

"We are going to take it one game at a time," Barrett said. "It starts on Monday against Barnstable and then against Quincy at the end of the week."

North Quincy, who will have played Barnstable High School (1/22) already this week, hosts Quincy High School on Friday night. The much-anticipated city clash will tip-off at 6:30 p.m. in the NQHS Gymnasium.



CHILDREN FROM THE South Shore YMCA in Quincy attended a recent Boston Celtics home game as part of "McDonald's RMHC Community Section," and were invited to have their photo taken on the parquet floor of the TD Banknorth Garden. As guests in "McDonald's RMHC Community Section," the children also had the opportunity to see both teams in the pre-game shoot-around prior to the Boston Celtics game against the Cleveland Cavaliers Jan. 3.

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Nominations Open For QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee are now accepting nominations for induction into the Quincy High School Baseball Hall of Fame on Tuesday May 8, at the Sons of Italy hall.

Any Quincy High School

graduate, who played baseball for at least two years and graduated before 1997, is eligible for nomination.

Also, for the first time, anyone who played baseball for the "Old" Quincy Trade School will also be eligible for induction into the Quincy High School Baseball Hall

of Fame.

To nominate a former player, send your nomination letter with player information to Joe Brill, Committee Chairman, 87 Woodcliff Rd. Quincy, MA 02169.

For more information call Joe Brill at (617) 770-4813.

2-1 Week For Presidents

A 2-1 week would seem to be a pretty decent result for most high school basketball teams, but for the Quincy Presidents and head coach Bob Fisher, the winning record was not indicative of how Quincy basketball should be played.

"We have yet to find our team identity," Fisher stated this week. "At this time of the year, we should be improving, but we are not improving as much as we should be and because of that we have some work to do. We are not playing all that well and we are not coaching all that well. There is a lot of work that we need to do to get to where we need to be. This is not Quincy basketball."

The game in question was last Friday night's Atlantic Coast League tilt versus the Clippers of Falmouth High School. The Presidents, whose record now stands at 8-3 overall and 5-2 in ACL play, got blown out on the road, 69-49.

The team never got its legs underneath them and quickly fell behind to Falmouth early in the first-half, and the Presidents were never able to produce any type of significant comeback.

"We probably should

have just stayed on the bus and kept on going to Martha's Vineyard," Fisher lamented.

In the loss, Quincy's Doug Scott led all President scorers with seventeen points. Senior captain Steve Connolly finished the game with eleven points and junior point guard Paris Amado contributed nine points in defeat.

"In the second-half they (Falmouth) just lit us up," Fisher said.

Quincy started their week with a league win over Sandwich High School. The Presidents stormed out early in the first-half and continued their solid play throughout the second-half and wound up winning 66-30.

"In this game, everybody got a chance to play," Fisher said. "We played real well and it was a good win for the team."

Senior guard Sean Boyd led all scorers with a season-high nineteen points and he made five three pointers. Amado finished the game with sixteen points, and Scott (10 points) and Connolly (9 points) also played well for the Presidents.

"Boyd easily played his best game in a Quincy uniform," Fisher said. "He shot the ball extremely well

from three point territory."

In a non-league game against King Philip High School last Wednesday, Quincy jumped out to a 36-18 half-time lead and never looked back.

Connolly had a game high fourteen points in the win. Scott (11 points), junior Martin Bowes (10 points) and Amado (9 points) all played significant roles in the blowout win. Senior Matt Boyle chipped in with nine points in his best game of the season for the Presidents.

This Friday night the Quincy Presidents will travel down Hancock Street to play in the first of two games against cross-town rival North Quincy, but at the moment coach Fisher and his team are more focused on their league game against Marshfield. (which was played last night).

"At the moment we need to focus all of our attention on Marshfield," Fisher said. "After that game we will begin thinking about and game planning for the North Quincy game. Each game is important, and we need to start playing Quincy basketball, starting against Marshfield."

By SEAN BRENNAN

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Quincy's Torpey Torches Sandwich In Rout, 60-45

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy girls' hoops team will need to put last two weeks behind them as they move forward into the final games of their regular season.

The Presidents played four Atlantic Coast League games the last two weeks against Whitman-Hanson, Dennis-Yarmouth, Sandwich and Falmouth and finished the three-game stretch with a 1-3 record. Quincy's record on the season stands at 5-6 overall and 4-3 in the ACL.

In the game versus Whitman-Hanson, the Presidents could muster only 29 points against the reigning league champions, and ultimately fell in defeat, 51-29.

The Presidents stumbled out of the gate and scored a total of 12 first-half points, but a good defensive effort helped keep Quincy in the game at the half. Down by 12 to start the second half, the Presidents regained some of their offensive intensity and cut the Panthers lead to five in the opening minutes of play.

"Tonight was a frustrating loss for our team on the road versus the reigning league champs," head coach Jeff Bretsch said. "Despite nearly six minutes of scoreless play to open the game, we had a surge to start the second half, due largely to an increased defensive effort and some hot shooting from Meagan Tobin

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to cut their lead to just five points."

After cutting the double-digit deficit to five, the Presidents ran out of gas. Whitman-Hanson regained control on both ends of the court, and with the help of some costly turnovers and foul trouble by Quincy, the Panthers put the game out of reach.

The Presidents had the chance to earn an important league victory against lowly Dennis-Yarmouth (1-9), but the team could not come up with a scoring run and lost 45-41.

"We were caught off-guard by Dennis-Yarmouth," Bretsch said. "It was our most frustrating game of the season thus far. The girls were never able to get things going."

Quincy was playing the game without all-star point guard Marybeth Torpey (injury), and as a result Bretsch was forced to shift Tobin to the point position. Tobin finished the game with eight points, while senior Brigid Kyle led all Quincy scorers with nine points.

In the team's game against Sandwich, the Presidents responded to the challenge and came away with a huge 60-45 victory.

Torpey returned from her injury to have her best game of the season, scoring 17

points on near-perfect shooting. Kyle (8 points) and freshman Leslie Campbell (8 points) both played well for Quincy, and senior Hope Collins turned in a stellar defensive effort.

"After last Friday's dismal Cape Cod outing (against Dennis-Yarmouth), the girls rode into Sandwich on a mission," Bretsch said. "In a back and forth first-half that ended with us leading 27-24, the team succeeded in establishing our twin goals of a strong defensive presence and a sense of confidence on the offensive end. Meagan Tobin (19 points) led the charge early, scoring 10 first-half points. It was a big win for our team."

Quincy struggled from the floor and the free throw line against Falmouth, and as a result lost the game, 58-36.

"Shooting 19% from the floor and 36% from the free throw line doesn't get the job done," Bretsch said. "We only had eleven turnovers, but we were unable to convert on many of the fifty-six shot attempts we took and managed only fifteen first-half points."

The leading scorers for the Presidents were Brigid Kyle and Meagan Tobin. Both Kyle and Tobin finished the game with eleven points each.

Quincy played last night (1/23) against Marshfield High School and next plays this Friday at North Quincy. The game against the Red Raiders will begin at 5 p.m. in the NQHS Gymnasium. Quincy will have its hands full as the Red Raiders are one of the top teams this season in the Atlantic Coast League.

Host Quincy Friday

North Quincy Notches Two More League Wins

As these long winter days keep getting colder and colder, the North Quincy girls' basketball team keeps getting hotter and hotter.

The Red Raiders went into last week with an impressive 9-2 overall record and a stellar 5-1 record in Atlantic Coast League play. By the end of the week, the Raiders had notched two more league victories, and now with an 11-2 overall record and a 7-1 league mark, the Raiders are holding all the best cards.

Last Monday (1/15) on Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, North Quincy traveled down to Plymouth South and dismantled the Eagles, 66-54. Junior sensation Rebecca Goreham did everything but drive the bus in the win. Goreham, who is having an all-star season, finished the game with nineteen points and ten rebounds.

Sophomores Siobhan Carnell and Catherine O'Connell each finished the game with twelve and eleven points, respectively.

"The trip down to Plymouth South was well worth it," head coach Doug MacFarlane said. "We got up by as many as twenty-two points, and it gave me the chance to get everybody in the game. Rebecca once again led the way for us."

The team's second victory of last week came against the lowly Dolphins of Dennis-Yarmouth High School. North Quincy built a big lead and easily dispatched of D-Y, 50-32.

Goreham notched her second double-double of the week with nineteen points and 14 rebounds, giving her 38 points and 24 rebounds in the two game stretch.

North Quincy, which was without the service of Carnell (limited minutes due to injury) turned to the rest of the bench for offensive support. Senior Megan Therrien finished the game with six points and eight rebounds in one of her best all-around games of the season. O'Connell continued her good play with six points of her own, and sophomore Jess Howlett (playing for Carnell) scored six points for the Red Raiders.

"We are playing real good at the moment," MacFarlane said. "Although these two wins were against some of the weaker teams in the Atlantic Coast League, it was still important to keep winning."

The Red Raiders are hot at the moment, but with an upcoming schedule of games against the upper echelon of the ACL, including cross-town rival Quincy (twice), Marshfield, defending league champions Whitman-Hanson and Plymouth North, plus non-league games against Malden and Brockton, North Quincy needs to turn the heat up even more.

"This two week period we are about to begin will be very tough for the team," MacFarlane said. "You can throw away any records when we play Quincy. Any time we play each other it is a difficult game. The game against Whitman-Hanson could decide which team finishes at the top of the Atlantic Coast League

standings. They are the perennial league champs and they won the league title outright last season."

The Raiders are in a good position at the moment because of solid team play and the outstanding play of Rebecca Goreham. Goreham, who has been a nice player for two years, has turned out to be a revelation this season. Her play has helped elevate the overall performance of her team, and the results have not gone unnoticed by MacFarlane.

"Rebecca has gotten better and better this season," MacFarlane boasted. "She has gotten bigger and stronger and has become an all-around player this year. She is on track (for next season) to break the all-time assists and steals record after already breaking the school rebound record earlier this year."

"The next five games will determine where we are at. I would be pleased with winning three out of the next five. It is almost tournament time and my hope is that we have not peaked too soon."

If the cold is getting to you, do yourself a favor and go check out a North Quincy Red Raider game. This team is hot, and will most certainly warm you up on a cold winter evening.

North Quincy played Malden this past Monday and next plays this Friday against Quincy at 5 p.m. on their home court.

By SEAN BRENNAN

Juliana Eagles Rookie Of Week

Juliana Eagles, a Quincy resident and a freshman at Anna Maria College, recently turned in her finest weekly collegiate performance to date.

Eagles helped lead the AMCats' women basketball team to a 2-1 week by averaging 15.3 points per

game and never scoring fewer than 10 points in any of the three games. Against Rivier College, Eagles scored a career high 26 points.

For her efforts, Eagles earned the CCC Rookie of the Week honors. It was the second time this year Eagles has captured that honor.



You Auto Know
by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

WEIGHT AND FUEL MILEAGE

Any car enthusiast will tell you that weight is the enemy of performance. Even if you don't race cars, you know that less weight translates to better mileage. With this in mind, motorists are advised to take all unnecessary items out of their vehicles. Taken to the extreme, even losing weight can make a difference. A recent study found that, collectively, Americans are burning nearly one billion more gallons of gasoline annually than we did in 1960 because we weigh more. Government figures show that Americans weigh about 25 pounds more per person, on average, than we did in 1960. It is estimated that, for every additional pound of passenger weight, Americans use 39 million gallons of fuel yearly.

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by Chris Richcreek

- Only three Pittsburgh Pirates have had seasons of .300 or better average, 30 or more home runs and 20 or more stolen bases. Name two of them.
 - In 1966, the Oakland Athletics chose Reggie Jackson No. 2 overall in the major-league amateur draft. Who went No. 1 that year?
 - Name the first quarterback in Division I-A college football to complete more than 70 percent of his passes in two consecutive seasons.
 - For how many teams did forward Bernard King average at least 20 points a game for a season?
 - Which was the only NHL team to have missed the playoffs for six consecutive seasons (not counting the lockout season of 2004-05) entering the 2006-07 campaign?
 - Name the two heavyweight boxers who fought both Muhammad Ali and Mike Tyson.
 - Who was the first African-American male bowler to win a PBA event?
- Answers**
- Barry Bonds (1990, '92), Dave Parker (1978) and Jason Bay (2005).
 - The New York Mets chose catcher Steve Chilcutt.
 - Toledo's Bruce Gradkowski in 2003 and 2004.
 - Four teams — New Jersey, Golden State, New York and Washington.
 - The Atlanta Thrashers.
 - Trevor Berbick and Larry Holmes.
 - George Brannan won the Brunswick Memorial World Open in 1986.

The Quincy/North Quincy combined boys track team lost to Whitman-Hanson High School last Thursday, 75-25, in an Atlantic Coast League duel meet. The team, which is coached by Peter Chrisom, Jr., received a handful of solid performances and the team's 4 x 200-meter relay team turned in its best time of the year and qualified for states.

Danny Jackson took first-place honors in the 55-meter race with a time of 7.16 seconds and teammate Pat Watkins finished in third

place with a time of 7.24 seconds.

In the one-mile race, junior Matt Meyers finished in third place with a time of 5:10 minutes. Meyers also participated in the two-mile race and finished in third-place with a running time of 11:39 minutes.

Sophomore Jeff Pereira earned his team a first-place finish in the 50-yard hurdles with a winning time of 8.6 seconds. Rong Puzhen came in a close second to Pereira in the race with a time of 9.7 seconds.

Wilson Aravjo took first-place honors in the high jump event with a jump of 5.3 feet.

The Quincy/North Quincy 4 x 200-meter relay team of Jackson, Watkins, Pereira and Aravjo finished in second place with a season-best time of 1:38.5 minutes. This time qualified the relay team for the states at the end of the year.

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Plays North Quincy At Arena Saturday

Presidents Edge D-Y, Near Tourney Berth

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy Presidents are gliding right along this winter, and with a 7-1-2 overall record, 4-1-2 in the ACL. Quincy is sitting near the top of the Atlantic Coast League hockey standings. The team is just four points away from qualifying for the state tournament.

Two Saturdays ago (1/13), the Presidents hosted Dennis-Yarmouth High School, and came away with a 4-3 victory. Quincy, continuing their balanced scoring trend, got goals from Mike Leone, Nick Masone, Kevin Keith and Mark Gilbody.

"It was an up and down game," head coach Bob Sylvia said. "We still are having some trouble moving the puck out of our own end, and we are still fighting the opposing forecheck, but the balanced scoring from all of our lines is encouraging."

Quincy showed some of the grit that will be needed as

Exercise Classes

For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

ICE HOCKEY

the games get more important during a 4-4 tie against an elite Falmouth High School team last Saturday (1/20).

"This was a great comeback for our team," Sylvia said. "Falmouth is among the elite teams in our league."

The Presidents received solid games from a handful of players, and got goals from Gilbody (2 goals/3 points), Kevin Shea and Casey Conley (1-goal/2 points). Sophomore goaltender Jeff Giordani stopped thirty-one shots for the Presidents. Junior Ted Walsh finished the game with three points.

"What I like about the team is the balanced scoring, great goaltending and solid defense that we are playing," Sylvia said. "Conley, Walsh, Gilbody and Keith are all putting the puck in the back of the net. On the redline, Shea and Zach McCaul are

playing great and no one can find fault with the goaltending we have received from Giordani and Bo Craig. We are just four points away (from qualifying for the tournament) from one of our preseason goals."

The Presidents will play tonight (1/24) on the road versus Marshfield High School before getting ready to play against North Quincy on Saturday, and if they can hold serve against these two teams, Quincy will be right in the mix for a league title.

"We are hoping to continue to play good hockey," Sylvia said. "Marshfield and North Quincy are elite teams, and if we can play well versus both of them then we deserve to be right in the thick of things moving forward. The whole team is playing together and that is a good sign this late in the year."

North Quincy Boys Basketball On WATD

WATD 95.9 FM in Marshfield will broadcast two upcoming North Quincy boys basketball games.

On Feb. 2, North Quincy is at Marshfield and on Feb. 6 North Quincy hosts

Plymouth North. WATD will broadcast both games beginning at 6:45 p.m.

The award-winning WATD sports announcing team is led by Bill Wilhelm and Arthur Boyle.

Raiders Tie Sandwich, Plymouth South, D-Y

The North Quincy Red Raider boys' ice hockey team played to a draw three times last week.

The Raiders earned one point with ties against Sandwich, Plymouth South and most recently against Dennis-Yarmouth High School. North Quincy's record now stands at 4-3-3 overall and 4-1-2 in the Atlantic Coast League.

Last Saturday (1/20), North Quincy had to settle for a 3-3 tie against the Dolphins of Dennis-Yarmouth. The team, behind two goals from senior captain Jimmy Fitzpatrick and one goal from defenseman Joe

Canavan, took a 3-2 lead deep into the third period, but could not prevent host D-Y from evening up the score with just over three minutes to play.

Senior goalie Max Adams stopped 28 shots in the tie.

North Quincy got on the scoreboard first on a Fitzpatrick goal (assisted by Canavan) with 57 seconds left in the first period. After Dennis-Yarmouth got the equalizer early in the second period, the Red Raiders took a 2-1 lead on Fitzpatrick's second goal of the game. Sophomore Matt Rodriguez was credited with the assist on the goal.

Canavan scored the team's third and final goal on a slapshot from the backline, but for the third time in as many games, the Red Raiders had to settle for the tie.

North Quincy next game is a big one. This Saturday at the Quincy Youth Arena, the Red Raiders will face-off against their cross-town rival, the Quincy Presidents. Quincy (7-1-2) and North Quincy are two of the better teams this winter in the ACL. This will be the first of two games the two city teams will play against each other this season. The second game will be held on Feb. 14.

The puck will be dropped at 7:50 p.m.

Basic Boating Safety Course At HN Maritime Center

The Massachusetts Environmental Police is offering a basic boating course entitled **Boat Massachusetts** on February 17th and 24th on March 3rd from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Houghs Neck Maritime Center, 137 Bayview Avenue, Quincy.

The primary purpose of **Boat Massachusetts** is to foster safe boat operation through increased awareness of required safety equipment, safe boating practices and legal responsibilities. **Boat Massachusetts** is offered to the public at no charge.

Youths 12 through 15 years of age who successfully complete the course, will be issued a Safety Certificate allowing them to operate a motorboat without adult supervision, as required by state law.

This course will also satisfy the state requirements for personal watercraft users who are 16 or 17 years of

age. All graduates will be issued a course completion diploma and a Safety Certificate. Taking the class as a family is encouraged and has been proven to be highly rewarding.

Pre-registration is required with MEP Boat and RV Safety Bureau: (617) 727-8760 or (508) 790-9360.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every

Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

WINTER CAR CARE



Get Your Car Ready For Cold-Weather Driving

By MARK SALEM

(NAPS) - Frigid temperatures and poor road conditions won't leave you out in the cold or take a toll on your vehicle if you take the right steps to make sure your car is winter-weather ready.

Here are a few simple suggestions that should help steer you in the right direction.

Crank up the heat. Don't wait until snow is on the ground or frost is on your windshield to test out your heater and defroster. Exercise all the heater and defrost settings before winter weather strikes to make sure that they are working properly and address any problems immediately. Your comfort and that of your passengers depends on it.

Check your oil. During winter, you need an oil that can handle low temperatures and quickly flow to critical engine parts on those cold mornings. A fully synthetic oil such as Mobil 1 is ideal for the winter months; it's designed to flow well even in

lower temperatures and is an excellent oil overall. (For more information about Mobil 1, go to www.mobiloil.com.)

Test your tires. Your tire pressure will go down as the weather cools, so make sure your tires are inflated properly. Too little pressure will increase wear and increase your fuel consumption; too much pressure can reduce traction, especially in icy conditions. The proper air pressure listings are often found on the side of the driver's side door or in your owner's manual. Make sure you also inspect your treads and replace any tires that look worn.

Stock the trunk. It's always smart to be prepared, so make sure you keep a few useful items in your trunk. I'd recommend including a small shovel to help dig out snow, an ice scraper to clear windows, headlights and taillights of snow and ice and a bag of sand to add weight and improve traction while

driving in winter weather. It's also a good idea to keep a set of jumper cables in your car to help get you back on the road if your battery dies. Finally, throw an extra blanket, hat, gloves and some high-energy snacks in the trunk, just in case. A gallon of drinking water isn't a bad idea either.

Allow extra time at start-up. Let your vehicle warm up before hitting the highway. Allowing the engine to

idle for a few seconds before driving off will ensure proper oil flow and lubrication. That said, don't allow the engine to idle for a prolonged period after start-up in cold weather. This doesn't do anything to warm drivetrain components and wastes fuel. After starting your car and allowing it to idle for a short time, just drive easily for several miles to ensure proper vehicle warm-up. A simple rule of thumb is if your car is a 1990

model or older, allow it to idle no longer than 3 to 4 minutes. For newer vehicles, a minute or 2 is all you need.

Don't forget to make time for your vehicle this winter. Proper maintenance and preparation will help ensure that you and your passengers don't get caught out in the cold.

For more tips on vehicle maintenance, visit www.mobiloil.com.

Mark Salem is the host of "Under the Hood," a car-care show on KTAR 92.3 FM and 620 AM in Phoenix. He is an ASE-Certified Master Technician and the owner of Salem Boys Auto, an auto repair facility in Tempe, Ariz.

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OBITUARIES

Mary E. Fagan, 92 Purity Supreme Employee

A funeral Mass for Mary E. (LaGrecia) Fagan, 92, of Kingston, formerly of Quincy, a longtime employee of Purity Supreme in Dorchester and Quincy, was celebrated Jan. 19 at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Fagan died Jan. 16 at Norwell Knoll Nursing Home after a brief illness.

She retired in 1983.

She was a communicant for many years of St. John the Baptist Church in Quincy.

Born and raised in Boston, she lived in Quincy for more than 60 years before moving to Kingston two years ago.

Wife of the late John P. Fagan, she is survived by two daughters, Anne M. Fagan of East Bridgewater and Elaine F. Glynn of Hanson; two sisters, Anne Becker and Eleanor LaGrecia of Quincy;



MARY E. FAGAN

four granddaughters; a great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

She was the mother of the late Kathleen A. Perrotta.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Geraldine A. Guisti Retired Controller

A funeral Mass for Geraldine A. (Sullivan) Guisti of Quincy, a retired controller, was celebrated Jan. 18 at St. Thomas More Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Guisti died Jan. 15 at her daughter's home in Braintree.

She retired in 2005 after 20 years with Habitat Management in Boston and Braintree.

Mrs. Guisti was a member of the South Shore Singles Club and the Red Hat Society.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Dorchester and lived

there more of her life before moving to Quincy two years ago.

Wife of the late Leo E. Guisti, she is survived by two daughters, Donna Chappell and Debra Pansa of Braintree; two sisters, Evelyn Guisti and Maureen Doherty of Dorchester; a brother, Robert Sullivan of Hingham; four grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Joseph A. Cenga, 86 Pearl Harbor Survivor

A funeral service for Joseph A. Cenga, 86, of Centerville, a survivor of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, was held Jan. 19 at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Cenga died Jan. 14 at Quincy Medical Center.

He enlisted in the Army in 1940. He was serving with the 24th Infantry Division at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese attacked on Dec. 7, 1941.

Mr. Cenga continued to serve in the Army and rose to the rank of technical sergeant. He received the Combat Infantryman badge and two Bronze Stars for meritorious duty during ground combat in the Pacific Theatre.

Born and raised in Chelsea, he was a graduate of Huntington Preparatory School and Burdett Business College.

He was an insurance agent with MetLife for 28 years, retiring in 1979.

Mr. Cenga was a member of the Pearl Harbor Survi-



JOSEPH A. CENGA

vors Association, 24th Infantry Association, Disabled American Veterans and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He is survived by a daughter, Felicia Byron of Quincy; two sons, Anthony Cenga of Quincy and Jeffrey Cenga of Barnstable; two sisters, Regina Patricio and Joanne Woodley of Chelsea; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

He was the father of the late William Cenga, Carol Cenga and Anthony Cenga.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Mary L. Welsh, 82 Worked At A&P Store

A funeral service for Mary "Louise" (Doherty) Welsh, 82, of Quincy, was held Jan. 19 at First Congregational Church, Hanson.

Mrs. Welsh died Jan. 13 at Queen Anne Nursing Home in Hingham.

She was a meat wrapper at the A&P Store in Dorchester for many years.

She enjoyed playing bingo and going to Foxwoods.

She was a foster grandmother.

Mrs. Welsh lived most of her life in Dorchester before

moving to Quincy 10 years ago.

Wife of the late Herbert B. Welsh, she is survived by two sons, Henry J. Welsh of Weymouth and Walter J. Welsh of Hanson; 11 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Herbert B. "Sonny" Welsh.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the McDonald Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Richard K. Maybury Retired Postal Worker

Funeral services have been held for Richard K. Maybury of Quincy, a retired postal worker, who died Jan. 13.

Mr. Maybury was a Korean War Army veteran. He was formerly of Revere and Auburn, Maine.

Husband of the late Patricia Conley, he is survived by a son, Richard K. Maybury of Gloucester; and many nephews and nieces.

Funeral arrangements were made by Casper Funeral Home, South Boston.

George Bray, Jr., 86 Retired School Teacher

A funeral Mass for George Bray Jr., 86, of Milton, formerly of Quincy, a retired school teacher, was celebrated Jan. 17 at St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mrs. Bray died Jan. 13 at Colonial Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Weymouth.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Born and raised in Quincy, he graduated from North Quincy High School in 1939 and from Boston College in 1943, later earning a master's degree.

Mr. Bray was a Boston College football season ticket holder for more than 50 years. He was a senior in college in 1942 when the then-undefeated Boston College football team lost to the College of the Holy Cross on Nov. 28. Mr. Bray was at the Coconut Grove Nightclub in Boston that night but left before a fire broke out and killed 492 people.

He began his teaching career in Hingham Public Schools before leaving to teach in Boston Public Schools, where he remained for more than 20 years. He taught at Boston Technical High School and David Ellis School in Roxbury.

With seven children to support, Mr. Bray also worked full-time for the Postal Service for more than 20 years. He worked nights as a mail handler at the South



GEORGE BRAY, JR.

Postal Annex in South Boston.

He was a communicant of St. Agatha Church in Milton.

He lived in Washington, N.H., before moving to Milton several years ago.

He remained a loyal fan of Boston College sports teams and died while listening to the radio as the school's basketball team defeated Virginia.

Mr. Bray was the husband of the late Barbara E. (O'Donnell) Bray.

He is survived by his wife, Patricia (O'Donnell) Bray; six sons, George Bray III of Kingston, Lawrence Bray, Gerald Bray and Dennis Bray of Duxbury, Richard Bray of Carver and Christopher Bray of Hanover; a daughter, Anne Marie Petrik of Milton; 18 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Helen E. Kennedy

A funeral Mass for Helen Elizabeth (Coffey) Kennedy, 88, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Monday at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Kennedy died Jan. 17 at Brockton Hospital.

Born in South Boston, she graduated from St. Augustine's High School. She had lived in Braintree before moving to Quincy 10 years ago.

Mrs. Kennedy was a communicant of St. Francis of Assisi Parish.

Wife of the late Navy Cmdr. Arnold Robert Kennedy, who died in 1957, she is survived by a daughter, Jean Marie Wentzel of

Punta Gorda, Fla.; a brother, Andrew Coffey of Milton; two sisters, Marie Murray of Onset and Claire Toohey of Arlington, Vir.; and a grandson.

Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were by Mortimer N. Peck-Russell Peck Funeral Home, Braintree.

Doris L. Moran, 94

A funeral Mass for Doris L. (Petermann) Moran, 94, of Quincy, was celebrated Jan. 20 at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mrs. Moran died Jan. 15 at Meadowbrook of Granby in Granby, Conn.

She was born in Stoughton and lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 55 years ago.

Wife of the late John B. Moran, she is survived by a son, John B. Moran Jr. of Virginia Beach, Va.; a daughter, Janet Martin of Suffield, Conn.; eight grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Southwick-Forastiere Funeral Home, Springfield.



SCOTT DEWARE

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Disappointment can be a blasting experience. Especially when high expectations are suddenly turned into denial, grief and discouragement. As the pressures of life increase, it seems that the causes for discouragement multiply. Have not all of us at one time or another faced a situation that has disappointed or discouraged us?

Let's think upon this quotation: "Let's learn to label properly Disappointment and Discouragement for what they are - two completely different states of mind. Disappointment can be a spur to improvement that will contribute to success. . . But discouragement is a mortal enemy that destroys courage and robs one of the will to fight.

It is not circumstance that causes Discouragement, but one's own REACTION to that circumstance. Everyone must meet Disappointment, many times; it is simply a part of life. When it is met, we may resign ourselves to Discouragement and failure. Or we may recognize each Disappointment as an asset by which we can profit, and take new strength from a lesson learned.

The choice is ours, each time, to make." - John M. Wilson

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Francis L. McCarthy, 84

Retired Federal Government Inspector

A Mass of Christian Burial for Francis L. McCarthy, 84, of Quincy, a retired federal government inspector and World War II U.S. Army combat veteran, was celebrated Jan. 20 in Holy Trinity Parish at Most Blessed Sacrament Church.

Mr. McCarthy died suddenly Jan. 15 at his winter home in Naples, Fla.

Born and raised in Weymouth, he was a 1940 graduate of Weymouth High School.

Mr. McCarthy enlisted in the Army at age 20 serving with the 4th Armored Division of the 3rd Army. He participated in the D-Day invasion landing at Omaha Beach days after the initial assault. From there, his unit worked its way across Europe breaking through enemy forces in relief of Bastogne, France.

Mr. McCarthy was seriously injured in the campaign. He was returned to the United States where he remained hospitalized for a year and a half. He was awarded the Purple Heart for the injuries he received.

Following his recovery, he went to work for the federal government as an inspector.

Mr. McCarthy served as a civilian inspector of U.S. Navy programs at the South Weymouth Naval Air Station and at the Boston command of the Supervisors of Shipbuilding, Conversion, and Repair (SUPSHIPS). He retired in 1984 after 43 years of service.

Mr. McCarthy enjoyed

Jon E. Johnson, 43

Carpenter

A funeral service for John Erik Johnson, 43, of Wollaston, a carpenter, was held Tuesday at Richmond Community United Methodist Church, Richmond, N.H.

Mr. Johnson died Jan. 17 at home.

He worked for Computer Systems Corp. in Cambridge. He was a business manager for Good News Christian Counseling Center in North Swansey, N.H., before moving to Boston in 1997.

He also worked as a manager in a music shop in the Colony Mill in Keene, N.H.

Born into a military family in Sacramento, Calif., he lived in Rancho Cordova, Calif., Merced, Calif., Ellsworth Air Force Base, S.D., and Hampton, N.H., while his father, Maj. Arnold E. Johnson, served in the Air Force.

Mr. Johnson also lived in North Swansey, N.H. after his father's retirement from service.

He graduated in 1982 from St. Thomas Aquinas High School in Dover, N.H., and received an associate's degree from New Hampshire College. He graduated in



FRANCIS L. MCCARTHY

spending time with his family and traveling. He and his wife visited Ireland, the British Isles, Europe, Croatia, Hawaii and some Caribbean Islands.

He was a Life Member of the Disabled American Veterans and was a member of the 4th Armored Division Association.

Mr. McCarthy is survived by his wife of 48 years, Marie A. (Collins) McCarthy, two daughters, Mary K. Appelbacher of Rochester Hills, MI, and Peggy McCarthy of Malden; a son, David McCarthy of Quincy; a brother, Richard McCarthy of Weymouth; and nine grandchildren.

Burial with military honors was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Memorial donations may be made to the Perkins School for the Blind 175 N. Beacon St. Development: Department W Watertown, MA 02472 or to the Quincy Public Schools Special Education Program, 70 Coddington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

1987 with honors from Keene State College, earning a bachelor's degree in business and journalism.

He was a second-year student studying Japanese at Showa University in Boston.

Mr. Johnson loved music, and played electric guitar and bass. He was a member of many bands and sang back-up. He played and sang on several albums, including recent releases by Nate Gibson and "The Gashouse Gang."

Mr. Johnson also wrote articles for "Country Time Magazine" and earned a country music writer of the year award. He played and sang throughout his life as a member of "The Johnson Boys," consisting of his brother, Scott Johnson of Auburndale; his father and himself.

In addition to his father and brother, he is survived by his mother, the Rev. Dr. Mary Johnson of North Swansey; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Burial was in Mount View Cemetery, Swansey.

Funeral arrangements were made by Foley Funeral Home, Keene.

John F. Sullivan, 82

Retired MDC Police Lieutenant

A funeral Mass for John F. Sullivan, 82, of Quincy, a retired police lieutenant, was celebrated Wednesday in Holy Trinity Parish at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, 1000 Sea St., Quincy.

Mr. Sullivan died Jan. 18 at Quincy Rehabilitation and Nursing Center.

He worked for the Metropolitan District Commission police for 30 years, retiring in 1986.

A Navy veteran, he enlisted during World War II and served on convoys to Murmansk, Russia. Recently the sailors of his unit were awarded a Russian "Red Medal" for their efforts transporting weapons during the war.

He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Houghs Neck American Legion Post and the Disabled American Veterans.

Mr. Sullivan was born in South Boston and was raised and educated in Quincy. He lived in Quincy for 70 years and spent his summers in Sandwich.

He was very active and swam a mile daily at the YMCA until his 80th birth-



JOHN F. SULLIVAN

day.

He also enjoyed riding his bike and dancing.

Mr. Sullivan is survived by his wife of 60 years, Claire (Fanning) Sullivan; three daughters, Maureen Riley of Quincy, Patricia Adams of Weymouth and the Rev. Claire Sullivan of Lynn; a son, the Rev. John P. Sullivan of Norfolk; a sister, Helen Fanning of Quincy; and 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the House of Hope Church, 65 Munroe St., Lynn, MA 01901.

Burpee L. Giffin, 96

Sheet Metal Worker

A funeral service for Burpee P. "Bert" Giffin, 96, of Quincy, a sheet metal worker for J.C. Corrigan for 45 years, was held Tuesday at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Giffin died Jan. 18 at Baypath at Duxbury.

He retired in 1973.

Born in Woodlyn, N.J., he lived in Somerville before moving to Quincy 60 years ago.

Mr. Giffin was an avid Boston Red Sox fan.

Need For Foster Parents

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services Department of Social Services Coastal Area office seeks foster families to care for children of all ages.

Last year, more than 200 children from South Shore communities needed a foster home. All types of families - married, single, couples, working parents, families with or without children, can be a foster family to a child in need.

For more information, call Kara Hemingway at 781-682-0866.

Veterans Adviser At COA

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Paul Zambruno, 59

General Foreman For City Of Quincy

A memorial Mass for Paul Zambruno, 59, of Quincy, a general foreman for the City of Quincy, was celebrated Jan. 20 in St. Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Zambruno died Jan. 7 while on vacation in Sarasota, Fla.

He worked for the City of Quincy for more than 35 years and was a general foreman in the city's Park Department at the time of his death.

He was a lifelong resident of Quincy and a 1966 gradu-

ate of Quincy High School.

Mr. Zambruno was a member of the Torre Dei Passeri Club in Quincy.

Husband of Mary (Bates) Zambruno, he is also survived by a son, Steven Zambruno of Quincy; a daughter, Lisa Gardiner of Dudley; a brother, Kevin Zambruno of Quincy; a sister, Judy Palaza of Quincy; and three grandchildren.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Boleari-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, 116 Franklin St., Quincy.

Thomas S. Sullivan, 97

Civil Engineer

A funeral service for Thomas C. Sullivan, 97, of Quincy, a civil engineer for the Massachusetts Highway Department for 32 years, was held Tuesday at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Sullivan died Jan. 16 at Quincy Medical Center.

He retired in 1977.

Born and raised in Quarryville, Penn., he worked for the Pennsylvania Highway Department.

Mr. Sullivan worked for the Fore River shipyard during World War II.

He was founder and trustee of River Haven Estates mobile home park in Punta Gorda, Fla.

He lived in Punta Gorda, and in Quincy for 67 years. He also spent summers in

Mashpee.

A graduate of Penn State, he was active in its alumni association.

He enjoyed antiques and building grandfather clocks.

Mr. Sullivan was an avid baseball fan and enjoyed playing golf.

Husband of the late Irene "Wally" Sullivan, he is survived by two daughters, Jean Whelan of Quincy and Ann Listonik of Webster; three grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; and five step-grandchildren and step-great-grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Catherine's Catholic Cemetery in Pennsylvania.

Memorial donations may be made to Alzheimer's Association, MA Chapter, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Hospice Seeks Volunteers

Vista Care Hospice is seeking volunteers to provide friendly visits, emotional support, or errands for hospice patients and families. Visit in Quincy or a

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RELIGION

Women's Prayer Breakfast March 31

The ninth annual Women's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 31 at St. Ann's School Hall, 1 St. Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and breakfast will

be served at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Using our gifts to serve God and others."

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ann Suzedell, pastor of Quincy Point Congrega-

tional Church.

Tickets are \$12 each and may be purchased by calling 617-773-6203.

Proceeds will benefit the social service programs at Interfaith Social Services.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have Sunday worship and baptism service and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service. His sermon topic is "His Wonder Around Us."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in the Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service. Lector will be Ann Giger. Ushers are Paul and Linda Nogueira.

Coffee hour hosts are Ginny Hawes, Jeanne Coulland and Dottie Hall.

A Valentine Dinner Dance will be held Saturday, Feb. 10. Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for more information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Fiber Arts Group At Squantum First Church

The Fiber Arts group meets every Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. to noon in the church parlor at the First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., Squantum.

All those who have an interest in knitting, rug hooking and any other handcraft are welcome to attend.

Instruction is available to beginning knitters to rug hookers.

The Men's Breakfast

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to

meets every Saturday morning at 8 a.m. in the church hall. Everyone is invited to attend.

someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats.

Call 617-376-1506.

Four Chaplains Sunday Observance Feb. 4

The Quincy Veterans' Services Department of Quincy reminds residents Sunday, Feb. 4 has been mandated by the Congress of the United States as "Four Chaplains Sunday."

The day commemorates a cold February morning in 1943 when the troopship Dorchester slowly made her way through frigid waters on the north Atlantic toward Greenland and suddenly a German torpedo struck amidsthips and released suffocating clouds of steam and ammonia gases. Many men were killed instantly. Others groped and stumbled their

way to the upper deck.

The ship was mortally wounded and listing badly; she would sink in only 20 minutes. Out of 902 men only 230 men were saved that awful night.

However, moving reassuringly among the frightened men were four chaplains: George Fox, Methodist; Alexander Goode, Jewish; Clark Poling, Dutch Reformed; and John Washington, Catholic. These chaplains worked to calm the men and handed out available life jackets.

Soon, the supply of extra

life jackets ran out, calmly and without hesitation all four chaplains stripped off their own life jackets, giving them to the frightened men near them, never asking whether they were Protestant, Catholic or Jewish. It is said that these men of faith linked arms, bowed their heads, and each in their own manner, led the men in prayer, putting their lives in the hands of God.

Survivors recounted the sight and sound of that terrible night picturing those four chaplains who performed a tremendously heroic act.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy announce a Catholic Women's Prayer Group meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Parish

Center, 22 Pray St., Quincy Point.

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship with Christ.

All are welcome.

For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Veterans Adviser At Council On Aging Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednes-

day to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Assemblies of God

Glad Tidings

158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797

Rev. Gregory E. Wheaton, Pastor
Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m. Christian Ed. 10 a.m.
Senior H. Youth 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study,
Royal Ranger Missionettes: Friday Junior H. Youth 7 p.m.

Youth & Children's Ministry
•Contemporary Worship
•Marriage & Family Group
•International Fellowship
•DivorceCare

Catholic

St. Mary's Church

95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120

Masses
Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30
& 11:30am. Weekdays 9am
Handicapped Accessible
New Members Welcome!

Unitarian

UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy

1306 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T
Worship Service & Church School
SUNDAYS, 10:30 a.m.

Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister
• A Welcoming Congregation •
617-773-1290 • www.ufpc.org

Congregational

First Church
of Squantum

164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649

Pastor: Michael S. Robertson
Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
All Are Welcome



Catholic

Sacred Heart Church

"A Roman Catholic Community walking together
in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"
386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171
(617) 328-8666

Sunday Masses

4pm (Sat) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy)
10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm
12 noon at Star of Sea Church

Weekday Masses
Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am
Handicapped Accessible

Confessions
Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church

550 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169

617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES:
4 p.m. (On Saturday)

8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Weekday Masses 9am

CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
Handicapped accessible &
Handicapped parking, side entrance
air conditioned

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

44 School St., Quincy

617-773-1021

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m.
Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.,
and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)

Weekday Masses
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM

Handicapped Chariot Available

Congregational

HOUGHS NECK
CONGREGATIONAL
CHURCH

310 Manet Ave., Quincy

www.hncong.org

Sunday Jan. 28

Family Sunday

Worship Service 9:30 am

Theme:

God Leads His People'

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Rev. John Castricum

617-479-8778

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner of Spear & Coddington Sts., Quincy Center • 617-479-7300
10 AM Sunday Worship, Baptism Service
and Sunday School - All are welcome!

Rev. William Harding - His Wonder Around Us
Fellowship Follows Service in Allen Parlor

QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424

Worship and Church School 10 am
Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor
visit us at www.QPCC.org

Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist

10:30 AM
Sunday Service & Sunday School

7:30 PM
Wednesday Evening Meeting

20 Greenleaf Street Quincy
off Hancock St.
617-472-0055

Congregational

WOLLASTON
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432

Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford

10 a.m. Worship Service
Sunday, Jan. 28

'Living Love'
Psalm 71: 1-6; Luke 4: 21-30

Rev. Mary Louise Gifford,
preaching

UNION CHURCH

Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston

Sunday Service 10 AM
617-479-6661

Rev. John Carl Swanson
Pastor

Covenant

COVENANT
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner of Whitwell & Granite St.

Sunday Worship 10:00 AM

Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor

9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages
Child Care Available - All Are Welcome

Children's Pantry
Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon
617-479-5728

Nazarene

Wollaston Church
of the Nazarene

37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston
(617) 472-5669
On The Campus Of
Eastern Nazarene College

Pastor: Rev. Fred Fullerton

Sunday Services
8:30 am - Holy Communion
9:45 am - Adult & Children's
Sunday School

11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service
Come Worship with Us!

Episcopal

St. Chrysostom's
Episcopal Church

Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy
(617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com

Rev. David Heffling

Sunday School 9 a.m.

Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m.

Nursery Care During Service

Coffee Hour Following

ALL WELCOME

THRIFT SHOP HRS - W, TH, FR. 10am-4pm

Evangelical

EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC

65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy
(617) 847-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue

10:30 Sunday Worship

6PM Prayer Meeting

7PM Brazilian A/G Service

7PM Thursday Bible Study

Methodist

QUINCY COMMUNITY
UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH

40 Beale St., Wollaston
617-773-3319

10:30 AM Sunday Worship

Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Gridden, Pastor

Salvationist

THE SALVATION ARMY

6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345

9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL

11AM WORSHIP SERVICE

BRASS BAND MUSIC

7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

Spiritualist

First Spiritualist
Church of Quincy

40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169

(617) 770-2246

Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM

Coffee and Conversation following service.

(Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)

Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.

Elden J. Morton, 89**Retired Chemical Engineer**

A graveside service for Elden J. Morton, 89, of Quincy, a retired chemical engineer who helped develop Teflon, was held Jan. 19 at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Mr. Morton died Jan. 15 at Allerton House Assisted Living, Hingham.

He worked in the Boston area and later in California. After moving back to Massachusetts, he bought and ran the Santucket Motel in Dennis Port for 25 years. He retired in 1986.

Born in Quincy, he graduated from Quincy High School in 1935 and earned a degree in chemical engineering from Northeastern University in 1940.

He was a member of the

Overeaters Anonymous Group

Overeaters Anonymous is a 12-step program for recovering from compulsive overeating.

Weekly meetings are held in Quincy.

There are no dues, no fees

Assembly of God Ministries. Mr. Morton was very proud of his Swedish heritage. He always drove a Volvo with a five-speed, stick shift. He also enjoyed skiing, playing tennis and photography.

He is survived by a niece, Pamela M. Kerschner of Morristown, N.J., and three cousins, Donald Nelson of Duxbury, Philip Nelson of California and Betty Ann Freeman of Cotuit.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Glad Tidings Church, 158 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

and no weigh-ins.

Those who have had a problem with food including overeaters, anorexics and bulimics are welcome.

For more information call toll-free (877) 317-2111.

Frances G. Brinkert, 70**Waitress**

A funeral Mass for Frances G. (McClutchy) Brinkert, 70, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a waitress at Dee Dee's Restaurant in Quincy for 20 years, was celebrated Jan. 19 at St. Jerome's Church, Weymouth.

Mrs. Brinkert died Jan. 15 at Carney Hospital in Boston.

After retiring in 1991, she began volunteer work for Meals on Wheels, which she continued until her death. She also volunteered on Thanksgiving to serve meals to seniors.

She was a Red Sox and Patriots fan and enjoyed weekly card games with friends.

Wife of the late Edward F. Brinkert, she is survived by three daughters, Kathleen Howard of Weymouth, Carolyn McGue of Weymouth and Karen Ainslie of Weymouth; three sisters, Ann O'Donnell of Weymouth, Dorothy Delorey

of West Roxbury and Margaret Potter of California; and two brothers, Thomas McClutchy of Florida and John McClutchy of Middleboro. She was the mother of the late Edward F. Brinkert, Jr.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0053EP**
In the Estate of
LYDIA F. O'KEEFE
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death
June 21, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that ROBERT MILLING of BRAintree in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 21, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 11, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

1/25/07

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK ST., QUINCY, MA 02169

Invites sealed bids/proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City of Quincy: **ASSESSORS PERSONAL PROPERTY REVALUATION FEBRUARY 6, 2007 @ 10:30 AM**
The City of Quincy requests proposals for a Personal Property Revaluation to be completed by June 30, 2007 to include listing, coding and systems assistance on all personal property in the City for implementation in Fiscal Year 2008. The City may request an Annual Report of New Listings and Deletions in February of FY 2009 and/or FY 2010.

Detailed specifications will be available January 22, 2007, in the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169, between the hours of 8:30AM to 4:30PM.

Technical Bids/Proposals must be in a sealed envelope and price proposals must be in a separate sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelopes are to be clearly marked "RFP - TECHNICAL PROPOSAL ENCLOSED" with time/date of RFP and "RFP - PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED" with time/date of RFP.

Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be opened and registered. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

If applicable, bids shall be in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, Chapter 149 as amended, and Chapter 30, Sections 39A, 39B and 39F-R.

The right is reserved to reject any or all RFP's or to accept any part of an RFP or the one deemed best for the City, and waive any informalities in the bidding, if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

William J. Phelan, MAYOR
Laurie M. Allen, C.P.O.

1/25/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2006-280
ORDERED:

October 3, 2006

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.08 Rules of the Road
Section 10.08.290 Operation of vehicles - Turning movements

DELETE THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Intersecting With:	Direction:	Type of Regulation
Quarry Street	Granite Street	Northbound	Left Lane
Street	Street		Left Turn Only

A TRUE COPY.
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

1/25/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2006-289
ORDERED:

November 13, 2006

Be it ordained by the City Council that the Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.12. Signs, Signals and Markers
Section 10.12.040 Stop Signs Authorized where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

STREET	INTERSECTING WITH:	DIRECTION:	TYPE OF REGULATION
Longwood Rd.	Highfield Rd.	Southbound	STOP
Overlook Rd.	Highfield Rd.	Northbound	STOP
Highfield Rd.	Overlook Rd.	Westbound	STOP

A TRUE COPY.
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

1/25/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-021
ORDERED:

January 16, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20 Stopping, Standing and Parking
Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

DELETE THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Brook Street		#34 BROOK STREET		Handicapped Parking

A TRUE COPY.
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

1/25/07

Classifieds

SERVICES		SERVICES		SERVICES		SERVICES		HELP WANTED		HELP WANTED			
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FOR RENT NEWLY RENOVATED House for Rent Houghs Neck \$1600 Call 617-820-2998		SERVICES LICENSED ELECTRICIAN Lic. #11766-B Insured. No Job Too Small. Great Prices Call Dan 617-913-8631		HELP WANTED THOMAS C. SWEENEY Smaller Jobs a Specialty 44 Years Experience Carpentry, Siding, Painting, Porches Vinyl Windows, Doors, Roofing, Decking, Steps License #1373 Free Estimates Reliable 617-825-1210 References		HELP WANTED PLASTERING/PAINTING Good Rates, Good References Serving Quincy & Surrounding Communities for 25 Years Small Jobs No Problem Blue Board Hanging 617-471-6496, cell: 781-964-4213		FOR SALE 2002 FORD FOCUS SE WAGON 4 door, automatic transmission, 4 cylinder, 2.0 liter, in excellent condition with 35,000 original miles. Car has power windows, steering, locks, AM/FM stereo/cd, dual front air bags, roof rack, alloy wheels. A great buy @ \$5,950 (book value much higher) 617-472-6321					
FOR RENT 3 BEDROOM APARTMENT in Houghs Neck, heating included - \$1650 Call 617-820-2998		SERVICES FINISH CARPENTRY Call Brian 617-842-3437		HELP WANTED PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN (Never Known To Fail) "Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. Oh, Star of the Sea, help me and show me, herein you are my Mother. Oh, Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth! I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in this necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. Oh, show me herein that you are my Mother. Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (K). Holy Mother, I place this cause in your hands (3X). Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, light roads so that I can attain my goal. You gave me divine gift to forgive and forget all evil against me and that in all instances in my life you are with me. I want in this short prayer to thank you for all the things as you confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you in eternal glory. Thank you for your mercy toward me and mine." The person must say this prayer 3 consecutive days. After 3 days, the request will be granted. This prayer must be published after the 12th is granted. Thank you. P.J.T.		FOR SALE ★ DISTRESS SALE ★ Bank Foreclosures FREE list of Bank-owned Properties Receive a FREE list of Properties. Emailed to you. Visit: www.QuincyForeclosures.com		PERSONAL REVERSE MORTGAGES! SENIOR HOMEOWNERS! No payments until you permanently leave your Residence. Government insured, no qualifying. Call Frank Costa 1-800-974-4846 x229. Continental Funding, Stoughton, MA www.cfc-reversemortgage.com					
STUDIO FOR RENT \$650, Utility and Parking Included - Quincy Center 5 Min. to "T" • Call Ziggy 1-781-248-8403		FOR SALE I Seth Thomas 'Adomansion' Clock (circa 1898) 'Mouse' Statue Good Condition - best offer 617-479-1202		FOR SALE BRAND NEW 'WINCO' PORTABLE INDUSTRIAL GENERATOR. Retail price was \$2,499.99. Asking for \$1,700 Fred (evenings) 617-269-1184		FOR SALE the Government PT. No experience needed. Call Today!!! 1-800-488-2921 Ask for Department T-4		MORTGAGES REVERSE MORTGAGES! SENIOR HOMEOWNERS! No payments until you permanently leave your Residence. Government insured, no qualifying. Call Frank Costa 1-800-974-4846 x229. Continental Funding, Stoughton, MA www.cfc-reversemortgage.com					
FOR RENT Mobile home in Naples, Fla. Available Feb. 1st. 55 and older community close to area beaches, golf course and restaurants. Double wide, 2 full bedrooms, 2 full baths, small eat-in kitchen, screen porch, new carpeting. No pets, no smokers. \$1700 monthly, no weekly rentals. Call 617-472-6866 or 617-472-6866 (home phone after 5PM)		FOR SALE 1996 141/2 ft. Aluminum Star Craft Boat with Bimini top 15 H.P. Mercury Motor - Low Hours - Great Boat \$2,200 Call 781-956-6903		OWN YOUR OWN \$1.00 / Dollar Value, Party, Apparel, Lingerie, Bridal, or Gift Store! Inventory, fixtures, buying trip, and training included. Min. investment \$25,900. 1-800-4-43-8407. www.libertyopportunities.com		HELP WANTED A Surrogate Mother Wanted: Established Surrogacy Program seeks loving women, 21-45, to carry couples biological babies, prior birth experience required, non-smokers, generous compensation, 1-888-363-9457 www.reproductivelawyer.com		MEDICAL MISCELLANEOUS BACK PAIN, DISC HERNIATION, SCIATICA? Get Relief. Call about our FDA approved non-surgical new technology procedure at South Shore Spinal Decompression Center 1-888-299-4431					
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SOME 600 Quincey school teachers filled every available corner of the auditorium at Point Webster Middle School to register their unhappiness with a contract that would cut the 90 percent paid by the city for their health care premiums.



TEACHERS PICKET outside Point Webster School.

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Teachers Protest Pending Cuts In Health Benefits

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kids will (have to) learn how to eat less."

In his inaugural address earlier this month, Phelan called "the fast-growing cost of employee benefits ... a crisis that threatens our financial stability ... a ticking time bomb that we must

defuse as fairly and as quickly as possible."

The city now pays 90 percent of the health care costs of most of its 2,000 employees or \$39 million under the current budget.

Philips said he requested the mayor to begin negotiations on his proposal three

months ago but Phelan has failed to respond.

He predicted that any reduction in benefits would hurt the Quincey school system since, in addition to the attractive 13 to 1 student-teacher ratio, benefits are what draws top-notch teachers to Quincey and retains

them.

The benefits compensate for medium to average salaries, he said.

The School Committee viewed the teachers' demonstration, which lasted about

an hour, in silence, then turned to other business without comment.

Ward 3 Democrats To Caucus Feb. 3

Registered Democrats in Quincy's Ward 3 will hold a caucus Feb. 3 at 10:30 a.m. at the Best Western Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St. to elect 10 delegates and two alternates to the 2007 Massachusetts Democratic Convention.

Delegates will be divided equally between men and women in accordance with Democratic Party rules. Anyone, at least 18 years old and registered as a Massachusetts Democrat as of Dec. 30, 2006 is welcome to attend

the caucus and run for a delegate position.

This year's Action Agenda Convention will be held Saturday, May 19 at UMASS Amherst. Democrats chosen at their caucuses will gather to develop a new Action Agenda outlining grassroots, party building initiatives to prepare for the Presidential election in 2008. This year's Action Agenda will incorporate strategies that led to victory in the gubernatorial election, and provide recommendation for attracting more people to the Democratic Party.

Candidates for delegate and alternate must be present

at the caucus and consent to nomination in writing. Candidates may make a one-minute statement and may distribute material on their behalf. All ballots will be written and secret and recorded by the caucus teller. Those not elected who meet the qualifications, may apply to be "add-on" in the following categories: youth (35 and under), minority and disabled.

Discrimination on the basis of race, sex, age, color, creed, national origin, religion, ethnic identity, sexual orientation or economic status in the conduct of the caucus is strictly prohibited. Challenges to the Delegate selection process MUST be filed with the Massachusetts Democratic Party, 56 Roland St., Suite 203, Boston, MA 02129 no later than ten days after the caucus date.

For more information, contact the Democratic State Committee at 617-776-2676, or Ward 3 Chairman Mike Covais at 617-328-8735.

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FIREFIGHTER GRADUATES - Five firefighters from Quincy and one from Hanover, graduated Friday from the Quincy Fire Academy and received their badges and diplomas at a ceremony at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center. From the left are

Captain James Kennedy, drill master; graduates Eric M. Wirtz, Lou DeBenedictis (Hanover), Matthew Kiesel, William F. Kelley, Michael P. Kerr, William M. Eastwick and Gordon S. King, instructor firefighter. Story on Page 2.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

Final Vote Due Monday

Council Committee Approves Ordinance To Ban Condos

A year-long ban on multi-family housing or condos in certain residential districts of Quincy passed the penultimate test Monday night when the City Council's Ordinance Committee added its stamp of approval.

Only a full City Council vote, scheduled for Monday, Feb. 5, stands in the way of the moratorium on the building of multi-family dwelling units or converting existing one-family homes in Residence B zones.

The vote of the Ordinance Committee, which is made up of the Council as a whole, was 7-2 with Councillor-At-Large Joseph Finn and Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee in opposition.

Only one of four amendments to the amendment managed to get by the committee.

That amendment, filed by

Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymondi, would exclude a parcel of land on Spence Avenue, Quincy Point, where the developer obtained Zoning Board approval Oct. 4 to build eight town house units.

Raymondi told the committee that Spence Avenue, which is just off Quincy Avenue, is a blighted area that is threatened by business zonings for fast food fran-

chises and existing drainage problems.

The moratorium amendment itself was filed last Sept. 5 by Councillor-At-Large John Keenan to stem the invasion of big money developers into old neighborhoods to buy up small homes there and convert them.

"This city needs to get a hold of the reins in terms of development," said Council

President Doug Gutro, "and insure we don't lose the character of the neighborhoods that have already started to erode."

"We're seeing condominiums and town houses crop all over the city where single or two-family homes used to be."

Councillors noted the concerns of local residents for overcrowding, parking

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'Parent 911' To Expose Cyberspace Predators

Parents concerned with their kids activities on the Internet will be interested in the free seminar "Parents911: Wut R Ur Kids Doin Online?" Tuesday, Feb. 13, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The program will tour the most popular virtual hangouts and online games, give pointers on how to keep children safe from the predators that inhabit cyberspace.

Interested participants will surf the Web, view typical mspace.com profiles,

learn how to decrypt chat shorthand and find out what educators, law enforcement, the media and teenagers themselves have to say about life online.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Relocating Not Easy 24 Businesses Impacted By Concourse Landtakings

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

Landtaking for the Quincy Center Concourse will involve an estimated 24 businesses and organizations. City Council President Doug Gutro who represents Quincy Center said Tuesday at a Planning Board meeting with tenants, and owners of property affected.

Properties Affected

The following is a list of 24 businesses and others which will be affected by the landtakings for the Quincy Center Concourse.

They are:

- Tanline Tan & Travel, 148 Parkway.
- Men's Hi-Style Salon, 5 Revere Rd.
- Frantic Framers, 1592 Hancock St.
- Trattoria Alba, 1586 Hancock St.
- Maria's Hair Salon, 9 Revere Rd.
- Ramada Dental Lab, 6 Revere Rd.
- Granite City Tatoo, 12 Revere Rd.
- Guy Consoli Trust, 6 Revere Rd.
- City Financial, 1598 Hancock St.
- Holy Ground Restaurant, 1600 Hancock St.
- Eugene Thomas Salon, 11 Revere Rd.
- Endless Sun Tanning Salon, 19 Revere Rd.
- Illusions Hair Salon, 14 Revere Rd.

The following are located at 1585 Hancock St.:

- Registry of Motor Vehicles
- Renaissance Billiard Club
- Quincy Inspectional Services
- Quincy Health Department
- Mass. School of Barbering

- Flagship Cinema
- Little Q Hotpot
- Classic India
- Cantonese World
- Taste of Taiwan
- Sushi Time II

There is also a vacant store front and a vacant lot included.

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He said "none of you would have imagined when you started your business that you would be forced to leave." You thought you had "financial and family security."

He added that this is a "horrible situation to be in," and hoped that Tuesday's meeting would enlighten tenants on any issues they had.

Relocating is not going to be a "drop in the bucket" said Planning Director Dennis Harrington.

During a question and answer period, a question was asked if the Messina Building which houses several tenants including the Food Court, will be taken partially or totally.

Harrington answered that "no one can tell you what part of the building will be taken, but the demolition "will be substantial." And anyone who says different, "doesn't know what they are talking about."

Harrington said the concourse, which eventually will go from Quincy Center (Cont'd On Page 14)

Contract Awarded For Spring Street Paving

Mayor William Phelan and DPW Commissioner Steve O'Donnell announced that DNR Paving of Stoughton, Massachusetts submitted the low bid for the City's Spring street-paving project. The City plans to pave 15 streets as part of the bid opened last week.

Streets planned for Spring paving include: Parke Avenue, Mayflower Road, Aberdeen Road, Huckins Av-

enue, Chickatabot Road, Agawam Road, Hobomack Road, Merrymount Road, Algonquin Road, Island Avenue, Utica Street, Delano Avenue, Stoughton Street, and Newton Street.

The total cost of repaving these streets and repairing all sidewalks along each street is approximately \$1.6 million. Also part of this project are sidewalk repairs along Centre Street, West

Street, and Merrymount Parkway.

Ongoing water main replacement work will also include paving of additional streets not included in this bid.

"We will continue the progress that we have made through our Pavement Management Plan," said Phelan. "We have finished many of the city's main roads and now are getting into our neighborhood streets. We will be fixing both streets and sidewalks as part of this contract and making significant improvements to the neighborhoods involved in the contract."

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FIRE CHIEF Tim Pettinelli (center) and former chiefs Paul O'Connell (left) and Tom Gorman at the Fire Academy graduation.

Five Recruits Graduate, Join Fire Department

Five new Quincy fire fighters have graduated from the Quincy Fire Department Training Academy and have received their duty assignments.

They are:
Eric Wirtz, Michael Kerr, William Eastwick, William Kelley and Matt Kisiel.

They received their

badges and diplomas at a swearing-in ceremony at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center last Friday.

They were then given their assignments and reported to duty at 8 a.m. Saturday.

The new firefighters completed a five-week fire-training academy, led by Quincy

Fire Captain James Kennedy with assistance from other Fire Department personnel.

"Our new recruits all have strong backgrounds that will help add to an already professional department," said Mayor William Phelan. "All have displayed courage through their service in our active military; all have shown determination through the hiring process and the fire academy, and I think that our new firefighters bring the qualities necessary to be great firefighters. I wish them all long, safe and fulfilling careers in the Quincy Fire Department."

The guest speaker at the ceremony was retired Quincy Fire Chief Paul O'Connell who spoke about his experience and the core values necessary to be a good firefighter. He encouraged the recruits to take advantage of the opportunities that will be presented throughout their careers.

The ceremony culminated with each new recruit being "pinned" by a loved one.

The new recruits bring the number of new firefighters hired by Phelan to 55 since 2002.

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Tax Tips From the Experts. Education Tax Incentives

Meeting college tuition payments is a struggle, but the federal government is offering help with tax incentives for middle class taxpayers. Here is a brief summary of three of those incentives.

- The HOPE Scholarship Credit:
 - Available for first two years of college education
 - Student must be enrolled at least half time in a degree granting program
 - Maximum credit is \$1,650 per student
 - Not available if adjusted gross income exceeds
 - \$55,000 for single taxpayers
 - \$110,000 for married taxpayers
- The Lifetime Learning Credit:
 - Available for any post secondary education
 - Does not have to be a degree granting program
 - Must be enrolled in one or more courses in a qualified education institution.
 - Credit is 20% of tuition and fees. Maximum credit is \$2,000 per return
 - Not available if adjusted gross income exceeds
 - \$80,000 for single taxpayers
 - \$110,000 for married taxpayers
- Education Expense Deduction:
 - Above the line tax deduction (Do not have to itemize deductions)
 - Same education definitions as the Lifetime Learning and HOPE credits
 - Maximum deduction is \$4,000
 - Not available if adjusted gross income exceeds
 - \$55,000 for single taxpayers
 - \$110,000 for married taxpayers

Furthermore, one student cannot take the HOPE, Lifetime Learning and the Education Deduction in the same tax year.

For more information about education tax incentives visit our website www.sstataxquincy.com and click on "INFO CENTER" and then on "LIFE CYCLE EVENTS" you will see a brochure titled education.



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City Will Open Relocation Office Feb. 5

The city will open an office in downtown Quincy Monday, Feb. 5 to assist businesses impacted by the land taking for the Quincy Center Concourse.

Mayor William Phelan and the Downtown Development Committee said Tuesday the office will be located at 1598 Hancock St., the former Citi Financial office. The telephone number will be 617-376-1545 and the office hours will be:

- Monday: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- Wednesday: 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Thursday: 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

The office will be staffed by the city's relocation officer, Peter Sleeper with assistance from the Downtown Redevelopment Committee. The office will remain open for a matter of months Phelan said, until the buildings are demolished to make way for the Quincy Center Concourse.

The public is also invited to visit the office and see the plans and information relative to downtown development. Information on the Concourse, Urban Revital-

ization District, Design Guidelines for Developers, the Adams Green, and District Improvement Financing will be available for public view.

"We are sensitive to the on-going needs of the property owners and tenants that are being displaced by this important public project," said Phelan. "We hope to continue to work with the affected parties in an effort to minimize, as much as can be minimized, the impact that relocation can have on a business. This is another step forward in our efforts toward a vibrant downtown."



NORTH QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL students recently raised money for charity. School store employees sold school t-shirts and donated \$1 for each sale. They also placed a memory tree in the store where faculty and students could place an ornament on the tree in memory of a loved one during the holidays for a donation of \$1. Their combined efforts raised over \$450.00. The students chose the Jimmy Fund as their charity. The donation will be in memory of Patrick White who lost his battle with cancer last year as a ninth grade student at North. Students involved in the fundraising project are Chris Batson, Richard Doyle, Jennifer Galecia, Bi Yi Li, Amanda Maggio, Danielle Paul, Ben Johnson Tatelbaum, Kayla Vascocelos, James Ying, Carolyn Casper, Sean Clifford, Matt Connors, Michael Coronella, Kelly Curran, Sarlyn Donovan, James Fitzpatrick, Mike Griffin, Mike MacPherson, Josh McKeon, Joe Morris and Rebecca Nguyen.

Four Promoted In Fire Dept.

The Quincy Fire Department has two new captains and two new lieutenants.

Mayor William Phelan and Chief Timothy Pettinelli Tuesday announced the promotions of:

Daniel Gorman and Joseph Jackson to captain and Stephen Stanton and Kenneth Kocerha to lieutenant.

"I congratulate these men and their families on their promotions," said Phelan at a City Hall ceremony. "They studied hard and have performed in the line of duty.

They are now part of the leadership of one of the most professional fire departments around. They are to be commended for their perseverance."

Gorman is a 21-year veteran of the department and nephew of former Fire Chief Tom Gorman.

Jackson was originally hired in 1998 and promoted to lieutenant by Phelan in August of 2002.

Stanton joined the department in 1995 and Kocerha in September 2000.

"All of our promoted officers have seen the department change and the role of the fire department evolve since their hiring," added Phelan. "It is my hope that their leadership helps us further evolve and respond to the needs of challenges of our city."

Fire Safety Topic For Montclair/Wollaston Area

Lt. Michael Marshall of the Quincy Fire Department will be the guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the Montclair/Wollaston Neighborhood Association tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in

the community room of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Topics will include fire safety, an update on the Fire Study, condition of the fire stations and equipment and

the challenges firefighters face. Marshall will discuss steps being taken to insure the safety of residents.

The meeting is open to residents of the community.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Jan. 30, 1835, during a funeral in the House chamber of the U.S. Capitol, President Andrew Jackson survives the first attempt against the life of a U.S. president. Richard Lawrence, later found to be insane, discharged two separate pistols in the direction of President Jackson.

• On Feb. 1, 1898, The Travelers Insurance Company extends coverage to an automobile owner, making it the first company to issue an automobile insurance policy to an individual. Dr. Truman J. Martin of Buffalo, N.Y., paid a premium of \$11.25 for the policy that covered \$5,000 to \$10,000 of liability.

• On Jan. 29, 1922, some 2 feet of accumulated snowfall from a two-day blizzard collapses the Knickerbocker Theatre in Washington, D.C. Tons of steel and concrete fell down on top of theatergoers, killing 108 people. Another 133 were hospitalized.

• On Jan. 31, 1949, "These Are My Children," the first daytime soap opera, debuts on NBC. The show, only 15

minutes long, aired weekdays at 5 p.m. in January and February 1949.

• On Feb. 3, 1959, rock stars Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens and J.P. "The Big Bopper" Richardson are killed when their chartered Beechcraft Bonanza plane crashes in Iowa a few minutes after takeoff on a flight from Mason City to Moorhead, Minn.

• On Feb. 4, 1962, the first U.S. helicopter is shot down in Vietnam. It was one of 15 helicopters ferrying South Vietnamese Army troops into battle near the village of Hong My in the Mekong Delta.

• On Feb. 2, 1982, David Letterman's offbeat late-night talk show debuts. When Johnny Carson retired in 1992, Letterman and rival comic Jay Leno engaged in a heated battle for the coveted host slot. When Letterman was passed over, he left NBC for CBS, where his new program, "Late Show with David Letterman," outperformed Leno's show almost every week in its first year.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Pollard Won't Be Forgotten

(Henry Bosworth is taking the day off and hopes you don't mind if he re-runs a column that appeared Feb. 28, 1985. It was his farewell to the Pollard School, a school he wishes was still here.)

It seemed that whenever one of our five kids reached elementary school age I'd somehow find myself driving by the Pollard School.

"That's where I went to school," I told them, one by one through the years.

I said it with pride. And with a secret wish that their school would come to mean as much to them as the Pollard did to me.

The kids are grown up now — the youngest a sophomore in college. I haven't driven by the Pollard as often in recent years.

But I did the other day. I wish I hadn't.

A demolition bucket and a bulldozer had turned the Pollard into a rubble of red brick. It was a painful sight.

A terrible way to die. First ravaged by flames from a fire that was set. And then, assaulted by the thump, thump, thump of a heartless bucket that only cared to cave in her walls.

It was bad enough that the Pollard had to be closed. But the fact the building would be used for something else was a comforting thought. At least those of us who went to school there could still drive by and see that familiar ranch style building that held so many fond memories for us.

That was before the fire.

The building is now gone. But the memories are still there. They can't take that away from us.

Whenever I think of the Pollard I remember the teachers and the kids who were there with me. That's only natural, I guess. But there was something special about them.

Dedicated teachers — the school was full of them. Teachers like Mildred Litchfield, Ruth Abbiatti, Mary DiBartholomeo, Irma Salvucci, Ester Sullivan, Helen O'Connor, Helen Duncan, Beatrice Fitts, Loretta McDonald, Sadie Berman. And, of course, Principal William Morrison and Assistant Principal Frank Mills.

They were interested in us like we were also their children instead of just their pupils. If pupils needed help, they were there to help even if it meant staying after school to do it.

They kept track of us as we grew up.

Miss Litchfield even kept a list of every pupil she had in every one of her classes for 30 years before her retirement. She could tell you the exact year each of them was in the fourth grade.

There were a lot of poor kids in Quincy Point during the depression. Miss Litchfield would never admit it but there were mornings when she provided breakfast for the hungry ones. And there were times she bought them clothing. Other teachers did a lot of other nice



THE POLLARD SCHOOL on Southern Artery in Quincy Point was ravaged by a fire that was set in February, 1985. The ranch-style building had a unique safety feature for pupils: exits from each classroom to the school yard. Former students and teachers are still saddened by its loss. Quincy Sun Photo/Charles Flagg

things quietly, too.

It was there at the Pollard and later at Quincy Point Junior High School that we learned to judge people not by their ancestry but by the kind of individual he or she was.

Quincy Point was the great "melting pot" with many children from a wide variety of immigrant families: Italian, Jewish, Scottish, Syrian, Lebanese, Irish, English, etc.

We learned to live together. If you liked someone or didn't like someone, it was because of him or her and not because of what country the parents or grandparents came from.

And if there was a wise guy somewhere in the crowd, it was inevitable that one day someone was going to dump a little humility on him.

For me, the Pollard School was where I decided to make journalism my career. Back in those days there was another daily newspaper in Quincy called The Quincy News.

It featured a weekly page or two of contributions written by school children. I got one published when I was in the fifth grade — my first byline.

From that day on I knew what I wanted to do.

If you were lucky enough to go to the Pollard School, you never forgot it.

TV personality Dave Garroway went there for a short time in the 1920s. His father was in the merchant marine and was here waiting for a ship to be completed at the old Fore River Shipyard. They lived on Ruggles St. during their short stay.

Some 30 or so years later I was covering the arrival of Mayflower II at Plymouth for the old Boston Traveler and Garroway was on assignment for NBC.

We got to talking and I said I understood he once lived in Quincy.

"Oh, yes," he replied with a smile, "I lived on Ruggles St. and went to the Pollard School. I loved it there."

Miss Abbiatti, who later became assistant principal of the Pollard and principal of other schools, looked sad the other day shortly after the Pollard had been sentenced to death.

"Those were the good times," she said. "We will always have the memories — such good memories."

And, we will.

Whatever kind of building is erected on the site, whenever I look at it I will still see the Pollard School.

The Pollard School was more than brick and mortar. It was a wonderful teacher-pupil relationship. It was a warm spirit of community pride.

They can't take that away from us. Not even with a fire, demolition bucket and bulldozer.

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Ward 4 Democrats To Caucus Feb. 3

Registered Democrats in Ward 4 will hold their annual caucus Saturday, Feb. 3 at 12 noon at the Ward 4 Community Center, 100 Brooks Ave., South Quincy, to elect delegates to the 2007 Massachusetts Democratic Convention.

Five female and five male delegates will be elected, as well as one female and one male delegate. Anyone at least 18 years old and regis-

tered as a Massachusetts Democrat as of Dec. 30, 2006 is welcome to attend the caucus and run for a delegate position.

This year's convention will be held Saturday, May 19 at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

For more information, contact Bryan Connolly at 617-479-7543, or the Democratic State Committee at 617-779-2676.

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1929 postcard showing Wollaston Center looking west from the intersection of Beach and Beale Streets with Hancock Street. On the right the Beale Street Pharmacy is now the site of Papa Gino's. Farther up on the right was Woolworth's 5 & 10, Hattie Sanborn's gift shop, Greenleaf Hardware and across Cushing Street the Hilliard's Glass House candy shop that is now home to Barry's Deli. On the left Klien's Drug store is now a bridal shop and its rooftop was the

site of the recent controversy over a Chinese Communist flag. Farther down this side was the new Wollaston Theater. Beyond the theater was the Masonic Temple, a large building pretty much out of sight here that was home of the Wollaston Lodge AF & AM. It later became home to the Wollaston Legion Post and has now been replaced by a branch of Sovereign Bank. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

Quincy's Yesterdays

Washington School Is Proposed For Veterans Housing

By FRANK McCAULEY

Mayor Charles A. Ross has advocated the expenditure of \$100,000 to convert the vacant Washington Street School into veterans apartments as advocated by the Mayor's Emergency Committee on Housing.

This Week
1948
59 Years Ago

The Mayor said, "I will send a loan order to the city council as soon as I ascertain from state authorities the proper legal methods of financing the proposition. Something has to be done for the veterans along housing lines and it looks like the Washington School is one method of easing the situation a little."

CAPTAIN JAMES DALY NEW DEPUTY CHIEF

Captain James Daly was appointed Deputy Chief of the Quincy Fire Department by Mayor Ross. Daly, a first cousin of former governor and Boston mayor Maurice J. Tobin, topped the list of three captains certified for the position by the Civil Service Commission.

Ross also appointed 59 men to the department as privates to implement the 48 hour workweek which goes into effect Thursday, Feb. 4th at 8 a.m. All but three of the appointees are veterans of World War II.

QUINCY-ISMS

William C. Edwards, a member of the Board of Managers of Historic Places, was designated the board's chairman by Mayor Ross... The Quincy Market, 19 Chestnut St., Quincy Center, was advertising "Andy Boy" California Prunes for \$.10 a lb.... Quincy Granite chips basketball team defeated Hingham 56 to 48. Top scorers for Quincy included John Killelea, 13 points, Jim Papile, 12 points, and Vin McDonald, 11 points... Joseph P. Mayo, World War II veteran, seriously wounded during the hard fighting in Italy, was appointed investigator in the Veterans Services Department by Director Edmund Genereau. Mayo is a native of Quincy and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mayo of 39 Penn St.... Lodgen's Market, 30 Cottage Ave., Quincy Center, was advertising Specials: Sirloin Steak, \$.59 a lb. and Bay Fowl at \$.79 a lb.... Miss Jeanne Zimmerman, 16 Highfield Rd., Merrymount was chosen Queen of the Winter Sports Carnival by the Walpole Skating Club... "Killer McCoy" starring Mickey Rooney, Brian Donlevy and Ann Blyth was playing at the Capitol Theatre, Hancock St., Quincy Center... Antoinette Chella was installed as president of the Ladies Torre dei Passeri group of Washington St., Quincy Point... Patriot Ledger reporter Fred Hunt noted that the city council, with one Councillor Frank N. Orcutt, "lolling on the hot sands of Florida", completed all its business in 35 minutes flat... Alexander Purdon, new secretary of the Quincy Chamber of Commerce, speaking at the regular weekly meeting of the Quincy Kiwanis Club, urged all residents of Quincy to get behind the local C of C to build a bigger, better and busier Quincy... Fred Cahoon and Sebastian Squatrito, president and treasurer of the Blessed Sacrament Holy Name Society, and John Collins, president of the Our Lady of Good Counsel Holy Name Society, recently attended a Communion Breakfast at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy Point... Granite City Coal Co., 64 Penn St., South Quincy, was offering Aldrich Silent Oil Burners for \$149.50... The Bates Co., 312 Quincy Ave., Quincy Point, was advertising Kaiser or Frazier automobiles, noting "A Kaiser or Frazier gives you more miles to the gallon"... Rt. Rev. Raymond A. Heron, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, confirmed 23 people at St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston... Quincy Gold Star Mothers were inviting all Quincy mothers who have lost someone in the service to join the organization. Rose Kelly, 63 Vershire St., was the contact person... Lt. Gov. Arthur W. Coolidge was the main speaker at a meeting of the Quincy Federation of Women's Organizations, at which Mrs. Arthur I. Burgess was nominated president.

READERS FORUM

Are We Putting Neighborhoods First?

At first it seemed like a great idea. Mayor Phelan would spearhead a campaign to make our neighborhoods more vibrant, improving the quality of life in Quincy.

But in the past few months, it became clear what the mayor's "Neighborhood First" campaign really is: political fluff. The mayor's handling of issues surrounding the Chinese United Association (CUA) is a prime example of this "all-talk, no-action" campaign.

Residents and veterans were angered this fall when the CUA decided to install large, red, internally-lit signs, along with the flag of Communist China, over the Wollaston business district.

Many were upset, not because of the race or culture of the new organization, but because a neighborhood landmark was dramatically changed overnight without the chance for public input. Mayor Phelan supported the flying of the Communist flag; he can even be seen clapping for it in pictures on the day it was raised. When questioned, he implied that those opposing the CUA were acting in contrary to American ideals. He said this about our veterans.

Now, and again without the chance for public comment, CUA has returned one of its signs. Residents were again left out of this process, leaving many with lingering

questions. How many of the signs will CUA return to their Hancock Street rooftop? Will the red glow of these signs return to Wollaston Center? Will residents be alerted to future changes in our neighborhoods? Is there a planned return for the Communist flag? If Mayor Phelan has his way, these questions will go unanswered until the day the flag is returned. Left in the dark: not quite my idea of putting the neighborhood first.

Granted, the round of "Neighborhood First" meetings provided residents with a change to vent their frustrations. But talk is cheap; especially when no one is lis-

tening. Phelan seems to be more interested in telling residents that they are wrong on issues than addressing the needs of our city. On the CUA, our teachers, and many other issues, the mayor has turned a deaf ear to our neighborhoods.

If the city is truly serious about putting neighborhoods first, it needs to put the concerns of its citizens first. Difficult issues are not solved by making backroom deals at city hall, but by bringing everyone to the table. We need to open dialogue and cross boundaries. We need to listen.

Nicholas J. Puleo
Phillips Street

All Things Are Not Equal

It is truly distressing that people actually believe it's a bad thing for Massachusetts voters to have a voice in the marriage debate. It is absolutely unbelievable the amount of effort that has been showered upon us to disassociate procreation from marriage.

All things are not equal. There is only one union which can insure the future of the humanity. Does it not enlighten one to observe how same-sex marriage activists seek to redefine a key institution of society, work diligently to silence the people,

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and then accuse others of "forcing" their views.

As an observer from the House Gallery, I wish to express gratitude to Senator Travaglini, the Senate President for his professional conduct of the Constitutional

Convention. It was clear that he has now realized the Massachusetts Constitution requires the legislature to vote on Initiative Petitions properly submitted by the people. My gratitude is also extended to Senator Morrissey,

Rep. Ayers and Rep. Tobin who voted to send the amendment to the people. On the other hand, Rep. Mariano's vote to silence the people was very troubling.

James Ricket
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BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Super Bowl Appetizers, Dessert

Here are two appetizers and a great dessert that can be made ahead and enjoyed at the super bowl. Two are made with artichoke hearts. One is a low calorie one from our daughter Ann Marie and the other from her friend Martha.

The great dessert is shaped like a football and so apropos for the big game. That was from our daughter Nancy.

MARTHA'S ARTICHOKE SQUARES

- 2 six ounce jars artichoke hearts in oil
- 1 small onion (chopped)
- 1 garlic clove (minced)
- 4 eggs, beaten
- 1/4 cup fine bread crumbs
- 2 tablespoons minced parsley
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon oregano, pepper and tabasco
- 2 cups shredded cheese

Preheat oven to 325 degrees. Drain oil from the artichoke hearts and chop. Heat oil and saute the onion and garlic for about five minutes. Add the rest of the ingredients and blend well. Place in a 9 inch square baking dish. Bake for 30 minutes. Cut into one inch squares.

ANN MARIE'S HOT ARTICHOKE DIP

- 1-14 ounce can artichoke hearts (not in oil)
- 2 tablespoons grated parmesan cheese

- 2 tablespoons low-fat sour cream
- 1 teaspoon lemon juice
- 4 drops hot sauce
- 1/4 cup plain low-fat yogurt

Take the first six ingredients and process until artichokes are finely chopped. Combine the artichoke mixture and yogurt (at room temperature) and stir well. Spoon into a one quart baking dish and sprinkle with paprika. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes. Serve with breadsticks.

Calorie count is 10 calories for one tablespoon, 1 gram carbs and 0.3 grams fat.

Here is a great dessert from our daughter Nancy. It can be made ahead of time.

NANCY'S KRISPY FOOTBALLS

- 3 tablespoons margarine or butter
- 10 ounce package of marshmallows (40)
- or 4 cups mini marshmallows
- 6 cups cocoa krispies
- white frosting

In a pan, melt the butter and add the marshmallows and cook until blended. Remove from heat. Add the cocoa krispies and then shape into a football about 3 inches or so and place on a slightly greased cookie sheet. Refrigerate for about an hour. Then with the frosting, draw lines on the football similar to how real footballs look. They will be so cute and delicious as well. Enjoy the game!

Books – What Else? – Topic Of Talks At Library, Branches

Books — what else? — will be the order of the day at the Thomas Crane Public Library and its branches next month.

The "Booked for Lunch" bunch will meet Friday, Feb. 2, from 12 noon to 1 p.m. at the Main Library, 40 Washington St., for a friendly discussion of authors and titles.

Drop in on the informal gathering any time and bring a brown bag lunch or pick up a bite to eat at the library cafe.

For more information, call 617-376-1301.

Readers are invited to share their favorite travel books and resources during the "Let's Talk Travel" hour Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 7 p.m. in the North Quincy Branch Library, 381 Hancock St.

For more information, call 617-376-1320.

Valentine's Day will be noted with a celebration of chocolate Monday, Feb. 12, at 6:30 p.m. at the Adams

Shore Branch Library, 519 Sea St.

New cookbooks will be reviewed and favorite recipes involving chocolate will be shared.

For more information, call 617-376-1325.

An informal chat about books, any books, will be held Wednesday, Feb. 21, from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Wollaston Branch Library, 41 Beale St.

For more information, call 617-376-1330.

Ruth Harcovitz To Sing At Ward 4 Senior Party



RUTH HARCOVITZ
Virginia Vogt photo

Soprano Ruth Harcovitz, sometimes called "Boston's Julie Andrews," will help the Ward 4 Senior Citizens Social Group celebrate Valentines Day Wednesday, Feb. 7, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Ward 4 Community Center, 100 Brooks Ave., South Quincy.

Harcovitz is a graduate of the New England Conservatory who studied at the Vienna Academy of Music and has sung with the Santa Fe Opera, the Opera Company of Boston, Opera New England and many others.

The program is sponsored by the Quincy Arts Council.

Baking Bread Finnish Way At Library Sunday

Anneli Johnson, who learned the craft in the family restaurant in her native Finland, will instruct in the all-but-forgotten art of home bread-baking next month.

The free session, "Let's Bake Bread!" will be held Sunday, Feb. 4 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washing-

ton St.

Johnson will demonstrate how to make a traditional yeast dough from the mixing and kneading to the shaping of the many loaves and rolls.

She will also introduce her students to "pulla," the cardamom-flavored sweet bread found in every Finnish bakery. Samples will be

passed around for the tasting.

Registration is required for this program and may be made by calling 617-376-1316 or e-mailing quref@ocn.org or visiting the Main Library's reference desk on the top floor.

The program is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Senior Scrabble Every Monday

Elderly devotees of the game "Scrabble" meet every

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tions.

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Mother/Daughter Tea Planned At HN Church

The Mothers Club of the Houghs Neck Congregational Church will sponsor a Mother/Daughter Tea Sunday, Feb. 11, from 2 to 4 p.m. in Fellowship Hall on the lower level of the church, 310 Manet Ave.

Grandmothers, granddaughters, aunts, nieces and sisters also are invited to attend. The cost is \$10 per mother/daughter pair and \$4 for each additional person in the party.

In addition to tea and other beverages served in china cups, there will be special Valentine sweets.

Fancy dress is not required but mothers and daughters are encouraged to wear their prettiest dresses, hats and gloves.

Reservations are required and may be made by e-mail: ingaylemackay@comcast.net or calling 617-479-2311.

NQHS Stay Out Committee Meeting Feb. 6

The North Quincy High School Stay Out Committee will meet Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 7 p.m. in the Trophy Room at the high school.

Parents of freshmen, sophomores and juniors are especially needed to volunteer to work at the all-night event which follows the Senior Prom.

All NQHS seniors, whether they attend the prom or not, are invited to the Senior Stay Out 2007, an all night, substance-free party at no cost to the student.

For more information, call Chris Guerriere at 617-328-6466 or by e-mail at redvw43@aol.com.

Mass. Lottery Topic For NARFE Chapter

The "City of Presidents", NARFE Chapter will meet Monday Feb. 12 at 1:30 p.m., at the Torre Dei Passeri Club, 252 Washington St.

The speaker will be a representative of the Massachusetts State Lottery who will discuss what the lottery does for cities and towns in Massachusetts.

All active and retired federal employees are invited to attend the meeting. There is ample parking in the rear of the building.

Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

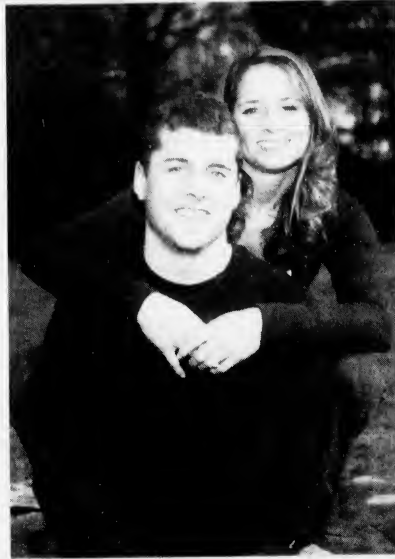
QHS Parent Council Meets Feb. 8

Quincy High School's Parent Advisory Council will meet Thursday, Feb. 8 at 7 p.m. in the Pride Room at the school.

Robert Newcomb On Dean's List

Robert Newcomb of North Quincy is on the Dean's List for the fall term at Johnson & Wales University, Providence, R.I.

Newcomb is pursuing a bachelor's degree in Sports/Entertainment/Event/Management from the Hospitality College at the Providence campus.



MICHAEL RAMPONI and ALICIA BROWN

Alicia Brown Engaged To Michael Ramponi

A July wedding is planned for Alicia M. Brown of East Greenwich, R.I. and Michael P. Ramponi. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown of Greenwich. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter C. Ramponi of Quincy.

Miss Brown is a graduate of Salve Regina University, R.I. and is employed by the Converse Corporation.

Mr. Ramponi is a graduate of Eastern Nazarene College, and is employed at Local 550, Sprinkler Fitters Union.

Danielle LaRose In London Study

Danielle LaRose of Quincy, a junior at Endicott College, spent three weeks in January participating in a London Internship program in education, her major at the Beverly school.

In England, Danielle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David LaRose, worked at individual internship sites by day, shared a "flat" with other Endicott students at night and made cultural excursions on weekends.

Six Scholarships At Squantum School

Applications are available for six scholarships to be awarded to high school graduating seniors who attended the Squantum School.

The scholarships are: Two \$250 Squantum PTO Scholarships, one for a male and one for a female recipient.

Two \$100 scholarships, the John J. Sullivan, Sr. Memorial Scholarship and the Maryrose Sullivan Memorial Scholarship.

Those two scholarships were established by Mrs. Barbara Arnold, a teacher at the Squantum School in memory of her father and grandmother.

Two other \$100 scholarships are the Virginia Marie Whalen Memorial Scholarships in memory of Virginia Whalen who was a lunch matron at the school for more than 30 years.

Applications are available in the guidance offices at North Quincy High School, Quincy High School/Center For Technical Education and the Squantum School office.

Applications must be returned to the Squantum School no later than March 31. The winners will be chosen by lottery drawing.

Author To Speak On Sexy Food For Seniors

Author Lorraine Seymourian will discuss her book, "Sexy Food for Seniors," at a meeting Thursday, March 22, from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1006.

Classmates Sought For 50th Reunion

The Class of 1957 at Hyde Park High School is seeking classmates who live in Quincy or the South Shore for a 50th anniversary reunion. Call Christine at 617-328-7927.

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80th Birthday, 55th Ordination Anniversary Double Celebration For Fr. William McCarthy Feb. 10

Fr. William McCarthy, Quincy's legendary Father Bill will celebrate his 80th birthday and the 55th anniversary of his ordination Saturday, Feb. 10.

He will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving at 4 p.m. at St. John's Church, Quincy Center. A reception and dinner will follow at 5:30 p.m. at The Lantana, Scanlon Drive, Randolph.

Fr. McCarthy, former pastor of St. John's Church, inspired the founding of Father Bill's Place, the Quincy Interfaith Shelter for the homeless which was named in his honor.

Fr. McCarthy, a native of Haverhill, was ordained in 1952 by Cardinal Richard Cushing.

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Fr. WILLIAM MCCARTHY

Chelsea and St. Gregory's in Dorchester before being named pastor of St. John's Feb. 1, 1977.

He retired as pastor after 18 years, but remains active with the operation of Father Bill's Place.

Tickets for the dinner are

\$55 per person and tables of 10 are available at \$500.

Deadline for tickets is Friday. They may be obtained by calling 617-770-3314.

Former Mayor Arthur Tobin, Clerk Magistrate of Quincy District Court, and a member of the committee, will be master of ceremonies.

Other members of the committee are:

Henry Bosworth, The Quincy Sun; Arthur Connelly, South Shore Savings Bank; Rose DiPietro, South Shore Hospital; Donna Foster, Century 21 Tullish & Clancy; Joyce Hogan and William Lawless, Father Bill's Place Board of Directors; Christine O'Brien and Tracey Phelan, Women's Shelter Committee.

Quincy Court Fourth Busiest With 33,644 Cases

The Quincy District Court was the fourth busiest in the state in Fiscal 2006, trailing only Worcester, Lowell and Springfield in the number of cases filed.

The courthouse on Dennis Ryan Parkway in Quincy handled more than 33,644 cases, earning plaudits from Chief Justice Lynda M. Connolly.

"The ability of the Quincy District Court to adjudicate the wide range of criminal, civil, housing, domestic abuse, mental health and

other types of cases speaks volumes about each of the individuals working in the Quincy District Court," she said.

"These dedicated employees undertake every day to improve our delivery of justice that is fair, impartial, timely and affordable.

"There is no doubt that the leadership exhibited by First Justice Mark S. Coven, Clerk Magistrate Arthur H. Tobin and Chief Probation Officer Michael A. Walsh has been instrumental in the

success of the District Court and its ability to better serve the communities of Braintree, Cohasset, Holbrook, Milton, Quincy, Randolph and Weymouth."

Worcester District Court handled the most cases with 38,400, followed by Lowell with 35,000 and Springfield with 34,500.

In all, more than 788,000 criminal and civil cases were filed in the state's 62 district courts in Fiscal 2006, an increase of 2.7 per cent over the previous year.

Quincy Post Office To Hold Special Passport Session Feb. 11

The Quincy Post Office will host a special passport application acceptance session Sunday, Feb. 11, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 47 Washington St., Quincy Center.

Since Jan. 23, citizens of the United States, Canada, Mexico and Bermuda have been required to present a passport to enter the United States by air from anywhere in the Western Hemisphere.

The cost is \$97 for adults 16 years of age and older with separate payments of \$30 to the US Postal Service as a processing fee and \$67 to the State Department for the passport application.

For persons under 16, the cost is \$82 with \$30 going to the Postal Service and \$52 to the State Department.

For expedited passport service, add \$60 for each

application, payable to the State Department. Two-way overnight delivery is encouraged with delivery costs payable to USPS.

The Postal Service recommends the following steps to make the application process go smoothly:

- Bring proper proof of American citizenship, like a certified birth certificate, a previous US passport, a certificate of citizenship, or a naturalization certificate. A hospital-issued birth certificate alone is not acceptable.

• Bring proof of identity, like a certified birth certificate, a certificate of citizenship, a valid driver's license, a government ID or a military photo ID.

• The passport application requires two recent identical photographs of you. Passport photos can be taken at the Quincy Post Office for a fee.

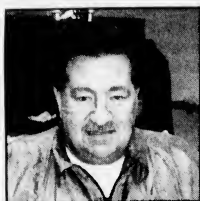
• To save time, a passport application can be downloaded at www.usps.com/passport to complete your application beforehand.

Dean's List At Fitchburg College

The following residents are on the Dean's List at Fitchburg State College.

They are: Ashley Nee, who received a BS in Middle

School Education; Julie Hanson, and Nicholas Pistorino, a BS in Communications Media; and Rita Shinnick, a BS in Nursing.



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Frederick Smith On Honor Roll

Frederick A. Smith Jr. of Quincy is on the honor roll for the fall semester at Wentworth Institute of Technology in Boston.

Smith, a 2005 graduate of Quincy High School, is a sophomore at Wentworth.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

Neighbors See Problem In Eventide Home Expansion

The City Council canceled Monday night's public hearing into the William B. Rice Eventide Home's bid for a zoning change but a dozen members of the Adams National Historic Neighborhood Association showed up just to make sure.

"Currently the site is zoned as Residential A and all the surrounding neighborhoods are also Residence A," said Jack Milgram of Pilgrim Drive, a spokesman for the Association.

"Our goal is to continue to have the neighborhood remain the same with residential zoning that has been there since zoning was first put in by the city."

The Eventide Home was seeking to have the land on Adams Street changed from Residence A with non-conforming rights to Planned Unit Development (PUD) to clear the way for a newer and larger assisted living facility

and nursing home.

The public hearing was canceled when the Eventide Home withdrew the plan without prejudice in order to examine other options.

"It's a beautiful historic neighborhood and we don't want to see any rezoning within that area so we are pleased that the Eventide Home has withdrawn their application," said Mike Linnane of Anderson Rd., another Association spokesman.

"Of course, it was withdrawn without prejudice which means they can come back, which means there is a long road still ahead. We hope there can be a resolution that will make the whole city happy."

Plans for the new building call for 52 one-bedroom apartments with dens, four two-bedroom apartments, 16 one-bedroom apartments and a 43-bed skilled nursing

facility with 64 parking spaces in a garage and 26 outside spaces.

The new three-story building would be built behind the 70-year-old current one, which would be torn down and replaced by lawn. The present home is a 65-bed nursing home.

"Basically," said Milgram, "the building would be twice as large as the current building which is non-conforming to the neighborhood."

"When we moved into the neighborhood we knew the building was there but now to have a development of that magnitude come in... would set a bad precedence that could spread across the entire city."

Some 130 protesters, many of them members of the newly formed association, showed up at a meeting called by City Councillor

Doug Gutro at the Bernazzani School last week to hear and denounce the plan.

Gutro opened Monday night's hearing, read the Eventide Home's withdrawal letter and closed the hearing without listening to any testimony.

"Eventide has withdrawn their request without prejudice and have taken a step back to see if they can pursue their development plans under a different kind of zoning that would be more compatible with the neighbors," he said.

"They are putting fresh

eyes on some of the zoning options and over the course of the next 30 days they may well come forward with an option that is more palatable to the neighbors."

He pledged to call another neighborhood meeting if and when a new plan is advanced.

Lydon Funeral Home Renews Lofty Oaks Affiliation

Lydon Funeral Home of Quincy has renewed its affiliation with Lofty Oaks Association, a New Hampshire organization dedicated to reforestation and conservation efforts in Massachusetts.

The firm arranges to have a tree planted for each service that they perform to provide a living memorial in

honor of the deceased and to renew the forest life of Massachusetts.

The memorial trees are planted in the spring and fall. This program is part of a large endeavor to restore the landscape and our environment with the eternal beauty of living trees.

After each service, close family members and friends

are informed that the memorial tree has been arranged for by Michelle and John J. Lydon, Jr. of the Lydon Funeral Home. When a certified nurseryman has planted the tree, the designated people receive a certificate of planting suitable for framing and keeping in the family's history.

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R. Joyce Welch, 76 Boston College School Of Nursing Graduate

A funeral Mass of Christian Burial for R. Joyce (Burke) Welch, 76, of Needham, will be celebrated Monday at 10 a.m. in St. Joseph Church, Needham.

Mrs. Welch died Jan. 29 at Hospice Atlanta in Atlanta, GA.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., she was the daughter of the late Ruth (Joyce) and John Burke.

She was a Needham resident for more than 55 years.

Mrs. Welch was a 1948 graduate of Quincy High School, where she was a drum majorette.

She graduated from Bos-

ton College School of Nursing in 1953. She was one of the first women to graduate from Boston College.

An avid supporter of Boston College and Boston College football, Mrs. Welch was a longtime B.C. football season ticket holder.

Beloved wife of the late John G. Welch, she is survived by two sons, Brian T. Welch of Lexington and Dennis J. Welch, M.D., of Atlanta, GA; two brothers, George G. Burke of Quincy, former Norfolk County district attorney and former president of the Quincy City

Council; and John Burke, Jr. of Cleveland, OH; a sister, Kathleen Burke of Yanketown, FL; three grandchildren, Matthew, Connor Michael and Thomas Welch; and many nieces and nephews.

Visiting hours are Sunday from 3 to 6 p.m. at the Eaton Funeral Home, 1351 Highland Ave., Needham.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The Flynn Fund, c/o BC Office of Athletic Development, Conte Forum Room 320, 140 Commonwealth Ave., Chestnut Hill, MA 02467.

Ward 6 Democrats To Caucus Saturday

Registered Democrats in Quincy, Ward 6 will hold a caucus at the Adams Inn Best Western, 29 Hancock Street, Quincy Saturday at 10 a.m. to elect 10 delegates and two alternates to the 2007 Massachusetts Democratic Convention.

Delegates will be divided equally between men and women in accordance with Democratic Party rules. Anyone, at least 18-years old and registered as a Massachusetts Democrat as of Dec. 30, 2006, is welcome to attend the caucus and run for a delegate position. Those attending are asked to arrive at the caucus 15 minutes of its scheduled time. No one will be admitted after 15 past the scheduled time.

This year's Action Agenda Convention will be

held Saturday, May 19 at UMASS Amherst. All Massachusetts Democrats chosen at their caucuses will gather to develop a new Action Agenda outlining grassroots, party-building initiatives to prepare us for the Presidential election in 2008. This year's Action Agenda will incorporate strategies that led to the Democratic victory in the gubernatorial election, and provide recommendations for attracting more people to the Democratic Party.

Candidates for delegate and alternate must be present at the caucus and consent to nomination in writing. Candidates may make a one-minute statement and may distribute materials on their behalf. All ballots will be

written, secret and recorded by the caucus teller. Those not elected delegate or alternate may apply to be "addon" delegates in the following categories: youth (35 and under), minority and disabled.

Discrimination on the basis of race, sex, age, color, creed, national origin, religion, ethnic identity, sexual orientation or economic status in the conduct of the caucus is strictly prohibited. Challengers to the Delegate-selection process must be filed with the Massachusetts Democratic Party, 56 Roland Street, Suite 203, Boston, MA 02120 within 10 days after the caucus.

For information, contact the Democratic State Committee at 617-776-2676.

Walking Tour To Highlight Quincy Center Architecture

The architectural jewels of downtown Quincy will be explored Saturday, Feb. 10, during a free walking tour of Quincy Center conducted by a trio of resident authorities.

The tour will begin at 10 a.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., and will include several buildings that are on the National Register of Historic Places.

The tour guides will be librarian Mark Clark, architect and Historic Commission Vice Chair Anthony Ricci and Dr. Edward

Fitzgerald, executive director of the Quincy Historical Society.

The tour will show the Romanesque beauty of the library's Richardson Building, the Greek Revival design of United First Parish Church and the High Victorian Gothic style of the

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Rain date is Saturday, Feb. 24, at 10 a.m.

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feet must endure a tremendous pounding—every step you take can give each foot a 180-pound jolt. This wear and tear can take its toll, sometimes causing stress fractures or even a broken bone. Combine this with poorly fitting shoes and you can end up with a lot of pain and an inability to move with ease. Don't let this happen to you. Teaching our patients preventative care is an integral part of our practice at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING. Office hours are also available at Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building. Please call us at 781-986-3668.

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Koch Names Campaign Chairman, Treasurer

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch has named community leaders to top posts on his campaign team.

Lifelong Houghs Neck resident Jack Nigro will be the campaign's chairman and Jim Fatseas of Adams Street will be the treasurer.

"Jim and Jack are great symbols of what this campaign is all about," said Koch. "They have a lifelong and energetic commitment to Quincy. They know how to bring people together, and they believe strongly like I that we can do better for this city. I'm excited and honored to have them both on board as we start to bring a positive new vision for our future to neighborhoods across Quincy."

Fatseas, originally from North Quincy, has no political background, but has history of community involvement that includes more than 10 years on the board of directors at Quincy Youth Hockey Arena.

He is currently an assistant coach for the North Quincy High School hockey team, and recently took a leadership role on several issues in his Hospital Hill

neighborhood.

A senior executive with Merrill Lynch & Co. for nearly 20 years, Fatseas, 50, decided to give up the travel and grind of the financial world in 2002 to spend more time with his wife, Patty, and their two children, Matthew and Robyn. He recently started his own communications company.

"The Koch family are lifelong friends, and Tom's character and his clear view of public service inspired me to join this campaign," Fatseas said. "I love this city, and I know we can make it an even better place to live and raise a family."

Koch last week resigned the position he held for 12 years as Director of Parks, Forestry and Cemetery and announced his bid for the mayor's office, saying he understood the personal risk involved but insisting that the opportunity to help shape a better future for Quincy was a chance worth taking.

Nigro, 64, is a long-time civic leader in his native Houghs Neck and around the city. A member of the Park and Recreation Board for the last six years, Nigro said

"watching first-hand Koch's leadership style of honesty, openness and respect for people" drove him to get involved with the campaign.

"Tom is just really an up-standing guy - his leadership skills and just how he handles himself with other people are a credit to this city," Nigro said. "During his time at the park department, he probably saved taxpayers hundreds of thousands of dollars because of his ability to lead and get things done."

A project manager for Harrington Brothers and a longtime member of the Sheetworkers Union Local 17, Nigro met Koch when the pair worked together on the city's Christmas Parade Committee more than 20 years ago. Nigro is still a member of that committee, and he is also a past president of the Houghs Neck Community Council and a member of the city's Beaches Commission.

His wife, Peg, is a former School Committee member and the couple live in the same Winthrop Street home where they raised two children.

For more information, residents should visit www.kochforquincy.com.



QUINCY CREDIT UNION participated in the Germantown Neighborhood Center Holiday Assistance Program during the recent holiday season. Credit Union Members and employees donated more than 100 gifts to the Giving Tree Program for families in need in the Quincy community. QCU employees volunteered their time at the center, assisting with the organization of thousands of toys, gifts and clothing. Volunteers from left are Helen Nelson, Joan Coffey and Karley Heine. As part of the Germantown Neighborhood Center located at the Snug Harbor School, the holiday assistance program provides holiday assistance to Quincy residents. Thanks to the generous donation of time and gifts, more than 500 families received assistance this year.

QPAC To Special Education Meets Feb. 13 At Broad Meadows Middle School

The Quincy Parent Advisory Council to Special Education will hold a general meeting Tuesday, Feb. 13 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Broad Meadows Middle School, 50 Calvin Rd., Quincy.

From 6:30 to 7 p.m., a volunteer from QPAC will be available to discuss any individual issue concerning children or a specific program.

For more information, contact Toni-Marie Mahoney, QPAC President, at 617-773-4558 or Andrea White, QPAC vice president, at 617-479-8776.

SHINE Counsel At Aging Office

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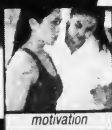
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By Samantha Mazzotta

Roof Leaks Can Be Tricky

Q. I have an attached garage with a flat roof. The area between the roof and the wall and chimney area of my house has been leaking. I put roofing cement along the joint between the roof and the wall, with no results. The flashing around the chimney appears deteriorated. What is a possible solution? — *Muri S., via e-mail*

A. Have the flashing repaired and sealed, and ask the professional about improving the seal (perhaps adding flashing) to the joint between the garage roof and the house wall.

A leak around the chimney could be the cause of the water leaking around the wall/roof joint — water could be running along a joist or down the wall frame, only appearing at a lower point, where it has a chance to pool and soak through the drywall.

While the contractor is there, a complete check of your roof, flashing and gutter system should be performed. A torn shingle or a

puncture in the sheathing underneath the shingles could be causing an unseen leak or even contributing to the leak you have found. Make sure the contractor gives you a detailed report and a price estimate before agreeing to have any work done, and that he gets your approval before doing any additional work that might be warranted.

You may also want to inspect the roof yourself, before and after the repair. Remember to use a sturdy ladder and have a partner on hand. Wear a safety rope and harness, secured to a sturdy point on the roof or held by your partner, in case you slip. While up there, inspect the shingles, all of the joints, the condition of the chimney (including the mortar and brick), and the gutters around the edges. Note any potential problem areas and pass them on to the contractor.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequincy2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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(NAPS) - Private mortgage insurance has always been an easy and predictable way for informed buyers to finance the purchase of their home. Now, it's also tax deductible, making it an even better choice in many cases.

Mortgage insurance allows borrowers with a less than 20 percent down payment to purchase a home by providing lender coverage against borrower default.

Savings for Families

For many first-time homebuyers, the biggest hurdle is saving up for the down payment. In today's high-priced real estate markets, 20 percent can amount of a significant chunk of change. But don't give up with private mortgage insurance, even if you've got a down payment of just 3 percent or less, you can still buy a home.

This new tax break passed by Congress gives you one more reason to consider purchasing or refinancing your home with private mortgage insurance. Steve Smith, chief executive officer of The PMI Group, Inc. and president of the Mortgage Insurance Companies of America, explains: "Making the cost of mortgage insurance tax deductible helps those who need it most - low-to-moderate income Americans, primarily first-time homebuyers, who are simply unable to save enough for a

20 percent down payment. This deduction will save homebuyers with insured loans hundreds of dollars."

If you or your family earns \$100,000 or less and purchases a home during 2007 with private mortgage insurance, Mortgage Insurance Companies of America, an industry trade group, estimates that this new law may save you \$200 to \$400 annually. Consult with your own tax advisor concerning the applicability of this new deduction in your particular circumstances under the Internal Revenue Code and the laws of any other taxing jurisdiction.

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Families earning up to \$109,000 can take advantage of a partial deduction. Your home will probably be the largest investment of your lifetime and every extra bit of money helps.

Good Reasons to Choose Private Mortgage Insurance

By making private mortgage insurance tax deductible, the new federal law allows more people to become homeowners. "There are lots of loan choices," explained John Taylor, president and chief executive officer of the National Community Rein-

vestment Coalition. "Mortgage insurance is straightforward. It is a reliable and prudent way for you to get the loan best suited to your needs. And you can cancel it as soon as your equity builds to 20 percent."

What's Right for You?

Over the years, many homebuyers have chosen private mortgage insurance because it's simple, safe and smart. Now it's also tax deductible. As you're considering your home-financing alternatives, consider private mortgage insurance. It may be a product that's right for you.

Neighborhood Housing Services First-Time Homebuyer Workshop

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore, in conjunction with Dedham Institution for Savings, will host a First-Time Homebuyer Workshop Monday, Feb. 12 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, Feb. 17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshop will be held at Dedham Institution for Savings, 55 Elm St., Dedham.

Attendance at both sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate.

The workshop is open to everyone throughout the state, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational

workshop. Participants will have an opportunity to speak with a lender at the workshop.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal aspects of the home buying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from real estate re-

lated professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person.

For more information, call 617-770-2227 ext. 31 or visit www.neighborhoodhousing.org.

Time To Invest May Be Now

(NAPS) - Home prices aren't appreciating as fast as they were a few years ago. Time to get out of the real estate investment game, right? Maybe not.

When it comes to playing the stock market, the mantra on Wall Street has always been "buy low, sell high." The same advice applies to real estate investment. If you have the income to cover an additional mortgage payment, you may be able to lock in a great investment

property at a low price and low interest rate.

Before you sit down with the Sunday paper and a highlighter, take a few minutes to understand how to succeed in property investment. Quicken Loans, the nation's largest online lender, offers "The ABCs of Successful Real Estate Investments."

The ABCs of Successful Real Estate Investments

Assess Your Market. Location really is everything. It determines how many tenants and buyers are available and it makes a difference in your profitability potential — so learn everything you can before settling on a market.

Be Prepared. Talk to a reputable mortgage banker who can get you prequalified today, so when you find your investment property, you'll be ready to make an offer.

Cash Reserves. Having funds for repairs and other expenses is a necessity. All profitable businesses need cash to operate effectively. Again, work with a reputable mortgage banker and discuss the possibility of financing your investment property using a mortgage program that minimizes your risk and monthly out-of-pocket burden, such as an interest-only loan.

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Hints For Homeowners

Home Improvements That Pay You Back

(NAPS) – Purchasing a home is perhaps the most significant investment that many Americans will ever make. One way that millions of Americans are increasing the return and value of their homes is through remodeling.

Remodeling is not only a great way to enhance your investment, but it can also provide you with greater satisfaction with your living environment. But before you call the contractor, there are a few other things to consider.

"Remodeling projects can offer significant rewards whether you are looking to put your house on the market in the immediate future or even if you are not interested in selling for years to

come," said Jim Ferriter, executive vice president, retail lending for GMAC Mortgage. "But before you get started, you need to identify which remodeling projects will increase both the resale value of your home as well as your day-to-day comfort."

Here are some ideas from GMAC Mortgage for home improvement projects that pay off:

Kitchens. Kitchen remodels are among the best for recouping the cost of renovations. Modernize with new appliances, countertops and cabinets.

Bathrooms. Adding a bathroom increases the value of your home. Upgrades such as light fixtures, vanities with plenty of storage, ceramic tile or marble and a

new coat of paint are just some of the ways to improve a bathroom.

Decks. Building a deck enhances your enjoyment of your yard and lets you recover approximately 85 percent of the project costs in added value.

New rooms. Converting an attic into a bedroom or adding a family room are great ways to add value and make your home fit your needs as your family grows.

Painting. One of the most affordable and effective improvements you can make to your home is painting both the interior and exterior. Painting the exterior not only helps maintain the beauty of the home, it also helps prevent damage to the siding.

Enhancing energy effi-

ciency. Replacing your old furnace, putting in new windows and doors and replacing your roof can help you improve your monthly energy costs as well as enhance the resale value of your home. Some states even offer credits for remodeling projects designed to enhance energy efficiency in the home.

So how can you pay for your remodeling projects? According to a recent nationwide study sponsored by GMAC Mortgage, over half of consumers would pay for their remodeling projects with cash from either their checking or savings. However, approximately 29 percent would use a home equity line of credit or home equity loan.

Why are more and more people turning to the home

equity option? One reason is that borrowing against the equity in your home is often cheaper than maxing out credit cards that usually carry higher interest rates. In addition, payments on a home equity loan or home equity line of credit may be tax deductible. How do you decide whether to get a home equity line of credit? GMAC Mortgage has these tips to offer:

• A home equity loan provides a flat amount of funds that you pay back in fixed monthly payments over a set period of time. If you like the idea of a fixed, nonadjusting rate of interest and a constant monthly payment and you are also certain of your total costs while allowing for some overbudgeting, a home equity loan might make sense for you.

• The home equity line of

credit is like a credit card by nature, with homeowners accessing cash when they have the need. The interest rate is usually variable, often tied to the fluctuation of the prime rate of interest. You can make minimum payments and allow for month-to-month decisions on cash flow. The home equity line of credit is a revolving line of credit that stays open as long as you haven't used up your credit limit.

With interest rates at historical lows, now is still a good time to tap into your home equity to get started on your remodeling projects. For more information about using your home's equity to finance a home remodeling project, visit <http://www.gmacmortgage.com> or call (800) 888-GMAC.

Quincy Community Action First-Time Homebuyer Workshop

Quincy Community Action Programs will hold a free first-time homebuyer workshop Thursday, Feb. 1.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 and Thursday, Feb. 8 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. in QCAP's office, 1509 Hancock St., fourth floor.

Speakers are real estate professionals. Participants will receive a workbook with valuable reference material and a certificate, which is a prerequisite for favorable soft second mortgages. Mass Housing mortgages and downpayment closing cost assistance.

For more information and to register, contact Ann Marie Casey, 617-479-8181 ext. 119 or visit QCAP's website, www.qcap.org.

Reverse Mortgage Topic At Council On Aging Office

Ed Barrett discusses reverse mortgages on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Reverse mortgage allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash. For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

Medical Equipment Collection At QMC

The Rehabilitation Services Department at Quincy Medical Center will host a used durable medical equipment drop-off Saturday, Feb. 10 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Outpatient Physical Therapy Department's entrance in the medical center's rear parking area, 114 Whitwell St.

Residents are invited to "drop off" gently used medical equipment, including rolling walkers, standard walk-

ers, folding walkers, straight canes, quad canes, wheelchairs, commodes, hoist lifts and raised toilet seats.

Equipment will be collected and inspected, cleaned and refurbished and donated to area physical therapy

equipment "loan closets." Crutches are not needed at this time.

Soiled and/or broken equipment will not be accepted. For more information, call 617-376-5303.

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to Southern Artery, will have four lanes and sidewalks on both sides.)

He said the estimated cost of the concourse from A.J. Wright to Revere Road is \$6 million.

Also speaking at the meeting was Peter Sleeper, an eminent domain and relocation specialist said he will help tenants who are displaced re-locate. He showed a long list of sites from Key

Realty ranging from Copeland St. in West Quincy to Adams St. Chestnut St. Hancock St. Coddington St. and several others.

Sleeper said the City of Quincy will pay for all the equipment the tenants have, plus stationery, phones and shelves. He said that if tenants find a location themselves, the city will pay them \$2,500.

Sleeper said that tenants will receive a letter tomorrow (Wednesday) and will be legally be given 120 days to move after receiving the letter.

Sleeper said they are not allowed to evict the tenant, but "probably allow a month or two extra to move."

Sleeper said he plans to open an office next Monday at 1598-1600 Hancock St. between Frantic Framers and the Holy Ground Restaurant, where tenants can begin to make plans to re-locate.

Council Committee Approves Ordinance To Ban Condos

(Cont'd From Page 1)

problems, health and safety issues caused by the sudden influx of new people into neighborhoods that are ill-equipped to handle them.

The moratorium, said the Council order, would allow time "to plan for the future development of the city (and) protect certain sections of the city from ill-advised, excessively dense and overly burdensome development."

A second amendment to the amendment, filed by Councillor Finn, that would have exempted a parcel of land at 771 Sea St. from the moratorium was rejected by the committee by a 6-3 vote.

Only Finn, Raymond and Councillor-At-Large Michael McFarland voted

for the exemption after Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly produced the signatures of seven abutters against the amendment.

The multi-family development planned for the Sea Street location would have had three units and a parking garage and was approved by the Conservation Commission Aug. 16 and the Zoning Board Nov. 28.

An all-purpose amendment that would have excluded all applications for building permits or special permits made prior to last Sept. 5 and since approved

was also shot down by a 5-4 vote.

Voting for it were Councillors Finn, Raymond, McFarland and McNamee.

A public hearing before the Council on that particular amendment, however, is still on for Monday, Feb. 5, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chamber.

The fourth and last of the amendments to the amendment, one that would create a new zoning district Residence B-1 to cover one to three family units, was not discussed and is still pending.

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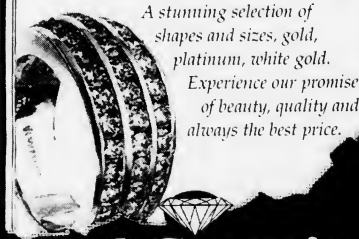
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Hearts Come In All Shapes And Sizes

By **DONNA ERICKSON**

Have a "heart to heart" talk with your kids this week to brainstorm all the cool ideas you can come up with for Valentine's Day fun!

Here are some easy, heart felt ideas coming to you in all shapes and sizes:

SEALED WITH A HEART

Once your children have signed and inserted their valentine cards into envelopes, they can seal them with a kiss- and even their thumbs! It's fun and easy. Show your child how to press her thumb onto an inkpad and then onto the closed flap of the envelope of a valentine card with the first print angled to the right. Make a second thumbprint to the left to create a one-

of-a-kind heart shape.

Tip: If you don't have an inkpad handy, make your own. Pour a small amount of liquid nontoxic red or pink poster paint on a small, clean household or makeup sponge. Set it in a dish and use as an inkpad for this activity.

STAINED-GLASS COOKIE HEART

When you bake a batch of sugar cookies, use a large heart cookie cutter for each cookie. Then use a tiny heart-shaped cookie cutter to cut out the center of each one. Arrange the large cookies on cookie sheets. Meanwhile, one of your kids will love putting red hard candies in a strong plastic bag and pounding them into small bits with a hammer. Sprinkle the bits

in the tiny heart centers of each cookie. As the cookies bake, the candy will melt and fill the space to create a heart window.

Tip: To hang them by a string near a window, poke a straw through each cookie before baking to form a hole for stringing once the cookies cool.

PLACE HEARTS

Before guests arrive for a Valentine's Day dinner, make a paper heart for each person. Tear or cut each heart in half in zigzags. Write a riddle or rhyme on one of each of the halves. Write a corresponding verse or answer on the matching half. Place one of the halves at each plate. Give guests the other half and let

them find the match at their plate.

If it's only your family

around the table, let your school-age child make the place cards for the rest of the

family to enjoy!

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Valentine's Dinner, Dance Feb. 10 At Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will hold a family friendly Valentine's Dinner and Dance Saturday, Feb. 10.

The evening will begin with a pasta dinner at 6 p.m. followed by a dj'd dance until 11 p.m. Tickets are \$12 and may be served by call-

ing the church office at 617-773-3319.

"Quincy Community is trying to put the emphasis on everybody," said the Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden, pastor of the church. "So much of Valentine's celebrates are focused on couples, that singles or families feel left out."

"Quincy Community's dinner dance offers everybody, of all ages, the opportunity to have a great time."

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BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 9:22 a.m., 24 Waban Rd. Dwelling. Caller states a white female entered house and had stolen a bag full of belongings. Caller got back of the belongings. Suspect white female, tight jeans, dark hair, unknown color windbreaker. Female fled towards Furnace Brook Parkway. Change, Canon digital camera, jewelry and medication was stolen but recovered when suspect fled.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:52 a.m., 15 LaFayette St. Truck keyed. Front right bumper, left driver's door, front right fender.

LARCENY, 12:33 p.m., 63 Stewart St. Possible.

SATURDAY, JAN. 20

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:18 a.m., 112 Chubbuck St. Eggs. Three cars hit by eggs. Caller reporting three cars were egged overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:06 a.m., 1637 Hancock St. Graffiti. Somebody spraypainted the side of the building.

LARCENY, 11:11 a.m., 8 Tinson Rd. Past. Theft of a laptop computer.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:40 a.m., 80 Main St. To swimming pool. Caller states pool was destroyed overnight.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 8:02 p.m., 72 Taffrail Rd. No entry made.

LARCENY, 8:16 p.m., 63 Hobart St. Past check.

SUNDAY, JAN. 21

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 12:19 a.m., 31 Binnacle Ln. Three males. Caller found a broken window and witnessed three males running out back door. One under arrest for breaking and entering nighttime.

LARCENY, 12:36 a.m., 250 Furnace Brook Parkway. Of fare. Drunk female went in house to get funds and did not come back out. Cab standing back to wait for unit. Advised.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:44 a.m., 133 Commander Shea Blvd. Car window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:45 a.m., 133 Commander Shea Blvd. Car windows.

LARCENY, 11:12 a.m., 205 Independence Ave. Just hired a cleaning company, now items are missing from home.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:31 a.m., 33 Furnace Ave. Motor vehicle stolen around 3 a.m. Vehicle is a rental. Reporting person is the renter 2006 Ford Taurus, color white.

MONDAY, JAN. 22

LARCENY, 1:04 a.m., 18 Hall Place. Lap top missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:15 a.m., 133 Commander Shea Blvd. Unclear if anything is missing from vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:05 a.m., Corner Food Mart, 1060 Hancock St. Past. Front door window. No break, vandalism to door.

LARCENY, 11:30 a.m., Advanced Auto Parts, 671 Southern Artery. Credit card.

LARCENY, 12:13 p.m., Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. Waller.

TUESDAY, JAN. 23

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:58 a.m., St. John's School, 28 Phipps St. Past. Three garages were tagged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:47 a.m., 14 Franklin St., rear. Tagging.

LARCENY, 11:27 a.m., River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St. Past.

LARCENY, 1:07 p.m., 121 Taffrail Rd. Via ATM card. States someone took ATM card and used it and put it back.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:24 p.m., 123 Elm St. Already located. Recovered prior to owner's knowledge of theft. Vehicle is at Freddie's Auto Body, unknown damages. No damage to motor vehicle. 1995 Ford van, color green.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:27 p.m., 72 Russell St.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24

LARCENY, 8:36 a.m., 6 Highpoint Cir. Past. Civil matter.

LARCENY, 9:51 a.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Over \$250.

LARCENY, 12:18 p.m., Dave's Automatic Transmission, 481 Quincy Ave. Past.

LARCENY, 1:54 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495

Southern Artery. Wallet. Owner of wallet called station back, advised. She has her wallet with all contents inside.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:41 p.m., 100 Stoughton St. Damaged motor vehicle. Panel and speaker pried up on right side of his car.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:40 p.m., 1 Odom St. Dwelling. Entrance gained, cannot find anything stolen; will call back.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:52 p.m., 58 Vane St. 1996 Jeep Grand Cherokee, color black.

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 1:48 a.m., 124 Main St. Dwelling. Female said someone was trying to break in.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:08 a.m., 142 Glendale Rd. Dwelling. Suspect arrested in Boston by Boston police for breaking and entering/nighttime, malicious destruction over \$250, unarmed burglary.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:03 a.m., 115 Burgin Parkway. Nails placed in driveway.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:09 a.m., 8 Murdock Ave. Since found. 2006 Toyota Tundra, color black. Vehicle equipped with its own GPS system. Traced to Winter St. and East Howard. Looks like it was taken for a joy ride.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:16 p.m., 179 Presidents Ln. Dwelling.

FRIDAY, JAN. 26

LARCENY, 1:16 p.m., Stop and Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Baby food. One party under arrest. Suspect charged with larceny over as well as 15 larceny warrants. Suspect two charged with larceny over.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 3:36 p.m., 69 Taffrail Rd. Possible attempt. Party noticed door knob has been broken. No signs of break, just old door knob.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:42 p.m., 56 Shea St. Right side back window smashed.

LARCENY, 6:51 p.m., Nova Psychiatric Service, 1261 Furnace Brook Parkway. Past.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:17 p.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Dedham Police recovered motor vehicle before entering TTY.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us -- Lt. Dan Minton.

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"Nice Work" goes out to City Clerk Joseph Shea pertaining to an incident recently at Starbucks in Quincy Square. Joe was in line at Starbucks when a customer yelled to employees that a man just walked out of the store with a pile of music CDs. Joe knew there was a side door at Starbucks so he went out the door when he came out ahead of the suspect.

Joe said he confronted the suspect against the wall of the building and asked him, "Do you always rip off your coffee shop?" The suspect immediately tried to flee but Joe grabbed onto him. The suspect squirmed, fell downward and stepping out of Joe's grasp as he fled -- without his coat and the CDs.

The suspect then came back toward Joe, wanting his coat back, then thought twice and ran into the train station. Joe brought the CDs and the coat back to Starbucks.

As he awaited the police, Joe searched the pockets and found identification of the suspect. The case was turned over to detectives and there is an outstanding warrant for the suspect!

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Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

Anonymous information via a letter or by leaving a message does not provide an opportunity for the detectives to ask questions to gain further knowledge. Even without identifying yourself, your information can be corroborated (validated) in many ways, such as surveillance, which was used in this particular case.

Some people are reluctant to report suspicious activity for fear of having to testify or of retaliation, but by calling the hot-line with detailed information, the Drug Unit will be working with you to eradicate drug users in your community.

A Job Well Done

On Friday, Jan. 12, at approximately 10:50 p.m., Officers Tom Loughlin and Don Allison were dispatched to Gilbert Street on a call of "breaking and entering in progress." The caller stated the suspect was in the basement.

The officers met with the owner/victim of the house. She said she heard someone in the basement and directed the officers to the bulkhead, which is in the rear of the house. Once Officer Loughlin was in place at the rear of the house, Officer Allison went to the basement stairs, located in the kitchen.



LT. DAN MINTON

Officer Allison opened the door and observed a male suspect at the base of the steps. The male complied with an order to come up the stairs. Once in the kitchen, Officer Allison asked the victim if she recognized the suspect and she replied that she did not. Officer Allison recognized the suspect from past incidents and knew that he had an extensive criminal record.

Detective Robert Clark arrived on scene. Officer Allison asked the suspect why he was in the basement and he said he thought the house belonged to a good friend of his. When asked the name of his good friend, the suspect said, "Alan." When asked for a last name of the friend, the suspect said, "I don't know." When asked why he didn't come in the front door of his good friend Alan's house, the suspect stared at this officer for a few seconds and stated, "I don't know, you got me."

At this time, Officer Allison placed the suspect under arrest. The officer noticed the suspect had fresh cuts on his knuckles. Detective Clark and Officer Allison escorted the suspect to a police cruiser and placed in the rear seat.

Detective Clark and Detective Menz then found a car parked, with the engine running a few houses away with people sitting in it. Officer Allison joined the detectives and found a female driver and a male front seat passenger. When asked for his name and who owned the car, the front seat passenger stated his name and said that a friend owned the car, but did not know his name. The officers asked this male what he was doing there and he said he and his friend, who he now named, went to a house on the street, pointing to the same house where the break-in was.

The officers then questioned the female driver and asked for her license and registration. She said she did not have her license with her. She appeared intoxicated and slurredly stated that she was from Rhode Island and had been drinking "a lot of whiskey tonight." She was placed in a cruiser as officers waited more information about her license status and outstanding warrants.

Officer Allison returned to the scene of the crime and interviewed the couple residing there. They said they called the police immediately and locked the basement door and secured the bulkhead door from the outside. After examining the basement, it was determined that entry was gained through an unlocked bulkhead door.

There was also a cellar window that had been broken from the inside, consistent with the suspect trying to get out of the cellar, which had heavy wire mesh on the outside. The broken glass and the bloody knuckles appeared to be linked.

Based on the statements made by the three suspects and evidence available, Officer Allison placed all of them under arrest. After booking the suspects, Sgt. Joe Lencki informed Officer Allison that the female's fingerprints were on file with the FBI and she had lied as to her identity.

The suspect found in the basement, a 35-year-old Cambridge resident, was charged with "breaking and entering in the nighttime, intent to commit a felony and malicious damage to property."

The male in the car, a 23-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with the joint venture of "breaking and entering in the nighttime with intent to commit a felony."

The female driver, a 39-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with the joint venture of "breaking and entering in the nighttime, intent to commit a felony and false name to a police officer following arrest."

Nice Work!

SUN FUN PAGE

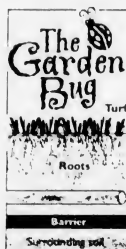
King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Engrossed
- 5 Upper limb
- 8 Freeway access
- 12 Entreaty
- 13 Cattle call?
- 14 A Great Lake
- 15 Phoe reduction
- 17 Confront
- 18 "A mouse!"
- 19 Worldwide
- 21 Unadorned
- 24 Tea time, maybe
- 25 Describe
- 26 Dog-eat, e.g.
- 30 Important numero
- 31 Obliterate
- 32 Court
- 33 March in place
- 35 Groovy
- 36 Hill troop
- 37 Weik's dance
- 38 Crazy one
- 41 -relief
- 42 Hollywood clashers
- 43 Distinguishing trait

DOWN

- 49 First lady
- 50 Killer whale
- 51 Antelope's playmate
- 52 Wield a needle
- 53 Command to Rover
- 1 Music edition of "Trivial Pursuit"
- 2 Carte lead-in
- 3 Apiece
- 4 Do some tailoring
- 5 Beyond control
- 6 Tier
- 7 Rikki-Tikki-Tavi is one
- 8 Improve
- 9 Speedy horse
- 10 Isinglass
- 11 Steed's co-Avenger
- 16 Lair
- 20 New Testament
- book
- Jack
- Horner's prize
- Director
- Wertmuller
- Cupid's specialty
- 24 Lathers
- 26 Pants
- 27 Off base
- 28 Castle
- 29 Caffeine-rich nut
- 31 Sicilian spouter
- 34 Bygone German ruler
- 35 Sagan's subject
- 37 Chum
- 38 Repair
- 39 Malaria symptom
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| Dog whistle | Movie | Protest | Vote |
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- FAMOUS QUOTES:** Who once said, "The whole art of government consists in the art of being honest?"
- PSYCHOLOGY:** What is the fear represented by anthropophobia?
- MUSIC:** Which country-music star's 1987 album was titled "Ocean Front Property"?
- ARTS:** What was the nationality of poet and dramatist Federico Garcia Lorca?
- LANGUAGE:** What is a unitard?
- NATURAL WORLD:** What is a group of clams called?
- GEOGRAPHY:** What country's flag is represented by a red maple leaf?
- TELEVISION:** What was the name of comedian Tim Allen's long-running TV show?
- GEOLOGY:** What forms igneous rocks?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** Who is Super Mario's archenemy in the video games?

Answers

1. Thomas Jefferson
2. A fear of men
3. George Strait
4. Spanish
5. A one-piece leotard and tights combination
6. A bed of clams
7. Canada
8. "Home Improvement"
9. Magma, once cooled
10. Bowser

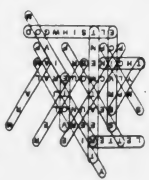
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You should be feeling very proud of the fine effort you've made to get that important project done. Now take some time out to celebrate with family and friends. You've earned it.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You're close to reaching your objectives. That's the good news. But be careful: Your aspects show lots of potential distractions looming. Stay focused and keep your eyes fixed on your goals.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Be careful not to let that suspicious Cancerian mind create a problem where none exists. What you might believe is an act of betrayal could be nothing more than a misunderstanding.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Your Lion's heart overflows with self-confidence. All you need to do is tap into it, and you'll be able to handle any change that must be made regarding that recent surprise development.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) The need to watch what you say becomes increasingly crucial this week. Be as temperate as you can with your comments and avoid arguments for the sake of controversy.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A longtime family problem presents new demands. But this time, you won't have to go it alone: Someone else is asking to help share your responsibilities. Let it happen.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A period of feeling vulnerable is about to give way to a stronger, more self-confident aspect. Use this new strength to reaffirm promises you've made to others and yourself.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A creative dilemma stalls your progress. Instead of letting it raise your ire, use the time to re-examine your aims and, perhaps, come up with a new target.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Your nimble will finds a way for you to work out those newly emerged problems plaguing your new project. Stay with it. The results will be well worth your efforts.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You might feel overwhelmed at having to decide which new opportunity you should follow. Best advice: Check them all out and see which offers what you really want.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Continue to tread water before you even consider plunging into something that never seemed quite right. Some facts will soon emerge that can help you make a decision.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are a natural-born peacemaker. You value truth and have little patience with those who lie to you for their own purposes.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. Apron is longer. 2. Eyebrows are missing. 3. Fence is shorter. 4. Door window is lower. 5. Footprint is missing. 6. Boy is added.

SPORTS

Presidents Prevail Over North, Near Share Of League Title

By SEAN BRENNAN

Rivalry games tend to bring out the best in both teams, and that was the case last Friday night in the first of two inter-city basketball games between the Quincy Presidents and the North Quincy Red Raiders.

Quincy, behind a 20-point/12 rebound game from junior center DeShawn Matthews, landed the first blow, defeating North Quincy by a score of 57-52. With the win, the Presidents are within one victory of securing at least a share of the Atlantic Coast League title with Whitman-Hanson High School. The team's record at the moment stands at 10-3 overall and 7-2 in the ACL.

North Quincy (4-8 overall, 2-6 in league play) gave Quincy all it could handle in the first half, and led going into the break at home, 31-29, but the Presidents made their adjustments in the locker room and stormed out to a 9-0 run to start the second half. The Red Raiders spent five minutes without scoring a point after halftime, and turned the ball over on five consecutive possessions.

"We really turned it up a notch to begin the second half," Quincy head coach Bob Fisher said. "We came out of the break very aggressive on defense and with some outstanding pressure in the first five minutes we were able to force some turnovers and go on our 9-0 scoring run."

"The referees were letting the two teams play in the first half and I thought we were playing too soft. We made some adjustments and were able to capitalize in the second half. It is always a good win to beat your rival on the road. Their (North Quincy) record does not indicate just how good of a

BOYS' BASKETBALL

team they are. And to win in your city rivalry game on the road is big."

The Red Raiders jumped out to their first half lead behind some solid inside play from junior Marcellus Lee. Lee finished the opening half with team high eight points, and the Raiders continually exposed some defensive mismatches in the paint. With a raucous home crowd supporting the team on each and every possession, North Quincy looked primed to gain the upset win, but their sloppy play to start the second half and Quincy's defensive adjustments put an end to that.

"We needed to make a defensive adjustment on Lee," Fisher said. "The way we accomplished that was to get better defensive pressure from our guards on the perimeter. This aggressive perimeter defense allowed our forwards to clog their passing lanes and it allowed Steve Connolly to keep Lee in check in the second half."

By shutting off the Red Raiders' interior offense (Lee scored just 4 second half points), the Presidents stifling defense and transitional offense took over the game. Sophomore guard Doug Scott (20 points) scored seven of his team's nine points in the opening minutes of play in the second half. Scott's ability to penetrate the paint and kick the ball out to an open teammate allowed Quincy to control the clock while constantly getting open looks at the basket.

Quincy bumped their lead up to seven points (42-35) on a Scott jumper with just over eleven minutes to go in the game, but the Red Raiders still had a little life left in them. A David Ray jumper at the 11-minute mark cut the deficit down to five, and after junior Dennis Martin scored to make it a three-point game, the Raiders suddenly found themselves in a dogfight.

But the night belonged to the Presidents. Consecutive hoops by Scott and senior Matt Boyle increased the lead back to seven, and North Quincy would get no closer than four points the rest of the way.

With Matthews and Scott both reaching 20 points, Quincy had both an inside and outside presence that North Quincy could not defend. Add in the solid defensive second half by Connolly (the also scored 9 points), and Quincy had the perfect recipe for a big league win.

Besides Lee's 12 points, the Red Raiders got 8 points from senior Terrell Johnson and 7 points from Martin.

"We are 10-3 and 7-2 in the league," Fisher said. "At the moment we are one game behind Whitman-Hanson (Quincy lost the two teams first matchup), and we play them for a second time next Tuesday. They are over and above the best team in the league. They have a lot of weapons, they can shoot, and they are a deep and talented veteran team. We are cognizant of the importance

Colin Evans District Champ In Elks Free Throw Contest

The Quincy Lodge of Elks is the home of a district champion in the Elks National Hoop Shoot Free Throw Contest.

Colin Evans, a student at Beachwood Knoll, won the boys' 10-11 age division in the recent Circle District Finals at Marshfield High School. Colin will compete next in the State Championship on Saturday, Feb. 10th at Maynard High School.

Evans made 19 out of 25 free throws to win the district championship.

Ryan Evans, Colin's older brother, came in second place in the boys' 12-13 age group and Taylor McKay finished in second place in the 12-13 year old girls' division.



COLIN EVANS, a Beachwood Knoll student, took first place in the Circle District Finals of the National Hoop Shoot Free Throw Contest at Marshfield High School. Evans will next compete in the state championship on Feb. 10th at Maynard High School.

QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame Seeks Nominations

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee are now accepting nominations for induction into the Quincy High School Baseball Hall of Fame on Tuesday, May 8, at the Sons of Italy hall.

Any Quincy High School graduate, who played baseball for at least two years and graduated before 1997 is eligible for nomination.

Also, for the first time, anyone who played baseball for the "Old" Quincy Trade School will also be eligible for induction into the QHS Baseball Hall of Fame.

To nominate a former player, send your nomination letter with player information to Joe Brill, Committee Chairman, 57 Woodliff Rd., Quincy, MA 02269.

For more information call Joe Brill at 617-777-0448.

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Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

You Auto Know
by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty
SHUDDER TO THINK

If it feels like your engine is jumping around underneath the hood, the shuddering may be due to worn engine mounts. Marks on the radiator are one indication that this might be the problem. In vehicles in which the engine faces forward with the cooling fan being driven by a belt, these marks are a likely indication that worn mounts are allowing the engine to lurch forward in the engine compartment. Unlike the old days, when engine mounts were composed of simple slabs of rubber, today's mounts are precisely engineered into specific shapes. Some may be filled with silicone fluid while others may be electronically controlled. The new mounts may be more expensive to replace, but replaced they must be.

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Fulfills Personal Goal While Raising \$3,400 For The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

Quincy's Alison Haddad Runs Disney Marathon

By SEAN BRENNAN

Alison Haddad, a lifelong Quincy resident and a 1999 graduate of North Quincy High School, recently completed her goal to run in and finish a marathon. Haddad traveled down to Orlando, Florida and took part in the annual Walt Disney World Marathon on Jan. 7.

Haddad's goal was a personal one, but was far from a selfish endeavor. She ran the marathon as a member of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Team In Training based out of Cambridge.

The Society is the world's largest voluntary health organization dedicated to funding blood cancer research and providing education and patient services. It is committed to a cure for leukemia and lymphoma. The Society's mission is to fund research, provide education and patient services, and to support the lives of patients and their families. The Society's programs include: research, education, patient services, and support for patients and their families.

Team In Training, founded by Bruce Celand in 1988, consists of more than 30,000 runners, walkers, cyclists and triathletes who participate each year in the world's major marathons, triathlons and century rides on behalf of The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Haddad, like every other member of TNT, was required to raise a set donation in support of the cause. The \$3,400 that Haddad was required to raise will go directly to help find a cure for these deadly diseases.

"I have always had a personal goal to run in and finish a marathon," Haddad



ALISON HADDAD, a Quincy resident, recently ran in the Walt Disney World Marathon. Haddad ran the marathon as part of Team In Training based out of Cambridge. She raised \$3,400 for The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

said recently over coffee. "A friend of mine told me about Team In Training and I went to an informal meeting and listened to cancer survivors talk about how by running I could make a difference. It was inspirational."

Haddad jumped right into the process of getting ready. She has been preparing to complete the marathon by running every Saturday on the Charles River with other members of Team In Training (not to mention on her own in Quincy).

"The team helped me realize that by helping yourself you can help others in need," Haddad said. "Running with the team every Saturday along the Charles gave me the structure and the motivation I needed to be ready."

Haddad's actual running preparation aside, she still needed to reach her set donation goal of \$3,400. Haddad sent out letters to friends and family asking for monetary donations, set up a website, had a yard sale and even raffled off a pair of New England Patriots game tickets.

"I knew that the fundraising aspect of my journey was going to be a challenge," Haddad added. "But I sent out the letter to friends and family. I raised \$800 by raffling off Patriots tickets and raised an additional \$350 by having a card sale. My employer, Anchor Capital (Boston), donated another \$700 to the cause."

Marathons, in and of themselves are difficult enough to finish, but the Walt Disney Marathon presented Haddad with more than its share of obstacles. The seasonably warm weather in Florida in the winter is not necessarily ideal conditions for running a 26.2 mile race, but Haddad had not only the support of her fellow Team In Training team members, but also the support of her parents, relatives and her friend Adam Goodrich.



HADDAD and 15 other runners from Team In Training who ran in the Disney Marathon raised over \$100,000 for The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Team In Training was founded in 1988, and today boasts a membership of more than 30,000 runners, walkers, cyclists and triathletes who participate in the world's major marathons, triathlons and century rides on behalf of the Society.

"My parents flew down to Orlando with me to offer their support," Haddad said. "And we have family in the area, and they came to Disney to offer their support as well. Adam (a former Quincy resident) who recently moved to Florida and lives in the area ran the race with me. Seeing my family at miles 9, 13 and 25 and knowing that I was running for a great cause really helped to keep me motivated to complete the marathon. I finished in a time of four hours and fifty-two minutes."

The marathon started on the outskirts of Walt Disney World, continued through the Magic Kingdom, Epcot and Disney's Animal Kingdom before finishing in the center of the park. Haddad was one of fifteen Team In Training members from the

Cambridge unit who ran in and finished the run. When all was said and done, Haddad and the other runners from TNT, raised over \$100,000 for The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

"Running and seeing how much we as a team raised has given me the motivation to run another marathon this June in Alaska," Haddad said. "This time around my fundraising goal will be \$3,800. I am also going to be a running mentor for the runners who will be training with Team In Training for the first time and plan on taking part in the Alaska marathon."

Haddad will fly out to Anchorage, Alaska in June to take part in the Mayor's Midnight Marathon. She will soon begin setting up her fundraising efforts for a

second time.

"I would like to thank every Quincy resident and business who contributed to my fundraising goal for the Disney Marathon and The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society," Haddad said. "You all helped me help others."

Haddad has already begun training for the June marathon, but she needs your help to raise the required \$3,800. Anyone who would like to donate money to Haddad, can send a check to Alison Haddad, 36 Hollis Ave., #2 Quincy, MA 02171. Make all checks payable to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

For more information about The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society of Team In Training visit www.teamintraining.org.

Players Praised At Quincy Golf Banquet

The Quincy High School varsity golf team recently held its end-of-season dinner at Pat Flanagan's. Twelve golfers and their families were in attendance along with Mr. Chris Barrett and Mr. Jack Cosseboom, who gave out awards to the top golfers in memory of family members.

Four-year varsity golfer and senior captain Steve Connolly was awarded the Steven Barrett Award for his outstanding play and dedication to the sport.

Connolly, a three-sport

letterman (golf, basketball and baseball), is a standout golfer who was twice named to the Atlantic Coast League All-Star team.

The Edward V. Cosseboom Award was given to senior Jeff Ohlson for his much-improved play and enthusiasm for the game of golf. Ohlson played in every varsity match last fall for the Presidents after picking up the sport just a few years ago.

Fellow senior Steve Palmater was recognized for his contributions to the

varsity team in his final year before heading off to college.

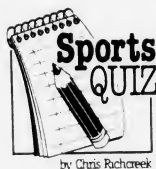
Head coach Lou Venturelli's team won just two times this past season, but the third-year coach is excited about the prospects of his junior class, which is loaded with talent.

"Junior captain Kevin Shea lives, eats and sleeps golf," Venturelli said. "He works extremely hard at the game and this year the fruits of his labor came to fore."

Shea qualified for the State Tournament this past fall, and he was named to the

Atlantic Coast League All-Star team and he has participated in many local junior golf events.

Along with Shea, the Presidents will have back juniors Ricky Salvucci, who recorded his first career hole-in-one this past season against North Quincy, Mike LeBel and Sean McDonald. Sophomores coming back include Evan Luongo, Bryan Ash, Will Head and Stephen Lamb. Freshman Tim Young, who saw action on the varsity level this season, will also be back for Quincy.



by Chris Richcreek

1. Name the last N.L. batting champ before Pittsburgh's Freddy Sanchez in 2006 who did not hit at least 40 home runs in that same season.
2. What is the highest total of victories the Colorado Rockies have recorded in any one season?
3. Who holds the New Orleans Saints team record for most career touchdown passes?
4. Name the NCAA career leader in free-throw percentage.
5. Only one Philadelphia Flyer played in all 82 games during the 2005-06 season. Name him.
6. When was the last time someone other than the U.S. had the most total medals at

- the Summer Olympics?
7. Name the only two PGA players to lose each of golf's four majors in a playoff.

Answers

1. Larry Walker of Colorado had 38 home runs when he led the N.L. with a .350 average in 2001.
2. The Rockies won 83 games in both 1996 and 1997.
3. Aaron Brooks, with 120.
4. Andy Enfield of Johns Hopkins hit 92.5 percent of his free throws for his career.
5. Mike Knuble.
6. The Unified Team (the former Soviet Union, minus the Baltic states) in 1992.
7. Craig Wood and Greg Norman.

Kerry Coughlin, Tara McFarland To Participate In Girls Sports Day Celebration

North Quincy High School's Kerry Coughlin and Tara McFarland have been chosen to participate in the Massachusetts celebration of

National Girls and Women in Sport Day at Faneuil Hall in Boston on Friday, Feb. 2 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Coughlin, a three-sport

athlete (soccer, basketball and softball), and McFarland, also a three-sport athlete (soccer, track and lacrosse), will take part in this ceremony, which is sponsored by New Agenda Northeast, the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association (MIAA) and the National Association for Girls and Women in Sport.

The event is held annually to honor female athletes in

the Commonwealth. The athletes were chosen because they are positive, contributing members of both their respective teams and their schools.

Nancy O'Neil, athletic director at Lincoln-Sudbury High School and the first female athletic director in the Bat State Conference, is slated to deliver the keynote address.

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North Takes Round One

By SEAN BRENNAN

The North Quincy girls' basketball team left little doubt last Friday night about which city program should be considered the best in Quincy. With the win, North Quincy's record stands at 13-2 overall and 8-1 in Atlantic Coast League play. The Presidents fell to 6-7 overall and 5-4 in the ACL.

Th Red Raiders, playing on their home court and in front of a packed house, opened the game with a starting lineup that featured veterans senior, Megan Therrien, Lauren Stille, Danielle Kelly, Shannon Malone and Caroline Cunningham brought the crowd to their feet with a dominating first-half performance, and although the Quincy Presidents tried to remain in the game, the Red Raiders' depth proved to be too much for Quincy. North Quincy entered the locker room with a comfortable 30-14 halftime lead.

The Presidents came out of the gate to start the second half on a mission to trim the Red Raider lead, but after scoring the first bucket of the half, the team's shooting went south. North Quincy, which took every opportunity in the game to increase the lead, began utilizing an uptempo, transitional game and went on a backbreaking 17-4 run to put the game out of reach.

Junior Rebecca Goreham continued her all-star play with a game-high ten points, to go along with a half dozen assists and rebounds, but on a night when everything was going North Quincy's way, Goreham wasn't asked to

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

carry her team to victory. The spoils were spread out amongst a handful of her teammates including Therrien (7 points, 8 rebounds) and sophomores Siobhan Carnell and Catherine O'Connell.

O'Connell came off the bench early in the first half and quickly made her presence felt. She scored six points in the half, and helped the Raiders limit any second-chance opportunities for the Presidents with her stellar play on the offensive and defensive boards. O'Connell finished the game with 8 points and 7 rebounds.

"She (O'Connell) and Carnell are two of the reasons we're 13-2," head coach Doug MacFarlane said. "With them scoring 19 points a night, it really takes the pressure off of Goreham."

The Presidents came into the game against their city rivals on a high note. Quincy had defeated a tough Marshfield High School team on Tuesday by a score of 41-40, and they were looking to ruin the party for the Raiders. Unfortunately for Quincy, they came out against North flat. Their 16-point halftime deficit was more a result of some sloppy ballhandling and poor shooting than anything North Quincy did. As a result, the Presidents were playing catch-up for the whole second half and never could make a game out of it.

Senior Brigid Kyle led all Quincy scorers with nine points. Junior guard Meagan Tobin played well all game and finished with seven

points of her own.

With just over two weeks remaining in the regular season, the North Quincy Red Raiders and the Quincy Presidents are two teams heading in different directions. The Raiders are in a great position to capture a league title and earn themselves a home game in the opening round of the post-season tournament, while the Presidents need to catch a fire to have any hope of playing in late February.

Quincy has the opportunity to make up some ground in the Atlantic Coast League as they still have games scheduled against Plymouth North and South. Whitman-Hanson, Marshfield and North Quincy again (Feb. 16 at home). They also have three non-league games against Fonthonne Academy and Norwell and Hanover High Schools.

Quincy plays tonight against Norwell at home before travelling down to Plymouth North on Friday.

On the other hand, North Quincy is in complete control of their destiny. The Raiders (which played Whitman-Hanson on Tuesday night) are already secured a spot in the post-season tournament, and they have three more league games to play. This Friday, the Raiders play host to Marshfield High School before hosting non-league opponent Brockton High School next Monday. The team finishes up their season with games at Plymouth North and at Quincy in the city rematch on Feb. 16

Quincy Ices North 4-1, Improves To 8-2-2

HOCKEY

called bragging rights, if not right now, maybe they'll get together somewhere 10 or 15 years from now and they'll remember their personal confrontations.

"It is intense. You could see that on both sides. You try to get them to understand that, yes, it's a big night, there is a crowd there... You saw more people at that game than you'll see at any other game. There are no other games that draw those kinds of people."

The Presidents and the Red Raiders came out of the gate with plenty of offensive pressure and multiple scoring opportunities for both sides, but it was the Red Raiders who got on the board first with a goal off the blade of senior defenseman Ken Patey. Patey's goal would end up being the lone score for the Raiders the rest of the evening. North Quincy finished the game with 15 shots on net, but could not solve the goaltending of Quincy sophomore Jeff Giordani. Giordani made 14 saves in the win and for the season he is second among the division's goalies with 3.28 goals-against average.

The Presidents turned up the heat to begin the second period. Quincy's put constant pressure on North Quincy goaltender Matt Connors in the period, and outshot the Raiders 15-6. Connors, who did all he could do to keep the score close early, could not prevent the Presidents from taking a 3-1 lead at the end of the first.

Junior forward Nick Masone scored twice in the period and junior captain Ted Walsh tallied one goal in the second. Junior Casey Conley finished the scoring for the Presidents with his 12 goal of the season.

On the year, Conley is second in Marshfield. Craig Neill is the most points in the North Division. He has 12 goals, 18 assists and 30 total points up the year. Teammate Ted Walsh is third in the division scoring with

a 7-18-25 point scoring line.

The win could not have come at a better time for Quincy. The Presidents were coming off their worst loss of the year, a 7-3 shellacking at the hands of Marshfield, earlier in the week.

"We can take a lot from this game, not because we beat North, but because of the way we played after being manhandled by Marshfield on Wednesday night," Sylvia said. "I'm so happy with the way the kids responded to that. It was a major step for us, and we can move forward."

For North Quincy and head coach Bob Doyle, the disappointment of the loss was coupled with what he saw as a lack of sportsmanship from his players. Doyle apologized to Sylvia after the game for the actions of his team.

"They outlasted us the entire game," Doyle said. "I've been around a lot of these North Quincy/Quincy tilts and I'm just disappointed with our effort."

"Quincy was just all over us. They were very physical, skated a great game and were more opportunistic than us. In the third period we did put up a little bit of a fight, but it was too little too late."

North Quincy will look to get back into the league title chase tonight (1/31) when they play host to Whitman-Hanson High School. On Saturday afternoon, the Red Raiders will play in a critical league game in the road against the division leading Marshfield Rams.

Quincy will also play tonight in a non-league game against Blue Hills Regional. The Presidents get back to ACL play on Saturday night with a home game against Plymouth North. Quincy will end its regular season with back-to-back games versus Marshfield and North Quincy.

The next scheduled rematch, the Presidents and Raiders is scheduled for Feb. 14 at the Quincy Youth Arena.



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Because even the best maintained vehicles can fall victim to frigid winter weather, AAA recommends every vehicle carry the following items to ensure safe winter travel:

Flashlight - A working flashlight should be stored where the driver can access it without leaving the vehicle. That will enable the motorist to see obstacles and be seen by other drivers when exiting the vehicle in an emergency. Also carry spare batteries.

Jumper Cables - Jumper cables can be an essential tool for starting vehicles with weak or dead batteries, but they should only be used by individuals familiar with the proper safety precautions. Vehicle owner's manuals should be consulted for instructions.

Abrasive Material - Sand or non-clumping cat litter can

be spread under the wheels to improve traction when a vehicle becomes stuck in snow or ice. Special traction mats and even floor mats also can be used for this purpose.

Shovel - A small shovel can be used to carefully dig snow away from the wheels.

Warning Devices - Flares or reflective triangles alert other motorists that you are broken down or stuck and helps give them enough time to slow down in order to pass safely.

Snow Brush/Ice Scraper -

It's important that windows and lights are clear of ice and snow in order to maintain adequate visibility. The entire vehicle should be brushed clear so blowing snow does not become a hazard for other motorists.

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OBITUARIES

Barbara M. DiCristofaro, 68 Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Barbara M. (Seaver) DiCristofaro, 68, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Monday in Saint Joseph's Church, 550 Washington St., Quincy.

Mrs. DiCristofaro died Jan. 24 at home after a long illness.

Born in Dorchester, she was raised and educated in Dorchester. She attended Quincy schools and was a graduate of Quincy High School.

She had lived most of her life in Quincy.

Mrs. DiCristofaro was a bookmaker but prior to her marriage, she had worked at the Raytheon Corporation for several years.

She was a seamstress and enjoyed sewing and needlepoint.

She enjoyed gardening and especially taking care of her many rose bushes.

Mrs. DiCristofaro also liked bowling and was a member of the Rag Dolls Club.

Wife of the late Joseph G. DiCristofaro, she is survived



BARBARA M. DICRISTOFARO

by three sons, James N. DiCristofaro of Quincy, William J. DiCristofaro of Quincy and Joseph A. DiCristofaro of Quincy, two daughters, Nancy A. Bohlin of Carver and Donna M. Colville of Weymouth, a brother, Robert N. Seaver of Largo, Fla., and six grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Caritas Carney Hospital, 2100 Dorchester Ave., Dorchester, MA 02124.

Dorothy J. Brooks, 57 Certified Nursing Assistant

A graveside service for Dorothy J. (LoCascio) Brooks, 57, of Quincy, a certified nursing assistant, was held Jan. 26 in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Mrs. Brooks died Jan. 21 at home after a long illness.

She worked at the family guesthouse business in Provincetown.

She was a gardening enthusiast and twice won the Quincy Sun award for the largest sunflower.

She enjoyed traveling and vacationing in the Manomet section of Plymouth.

Born in Cambridge, Mrs. Brooks lived in South Boston before moving to Quincy 27 years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Richard P. Brooks, Sr., a daughter, Kellianne Connors of Squantum; two sons, Richard P. Brooks of Braintree and Brad P. Brooks of Quincy; six sisters, Linda Peters of Squantum, Blue Hill, Applegate, Denise LoCascio



DOROTHY J. BROOKS

and Gemma Donahue of South Boston, Karen Wall of Braintree and Joanne LoCascio of Virginia; a brother, George LoCascio of South Boston; seven grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research, P.O. Box 50, Memphis, TN 38105.

Margaret M. Lynch, 94 Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Margaret M. (Dooley) Lynch, 94, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Jan. 25 at St. Elizabeth's Church, Milton.

Mrs. Lynch died Jan. 21 at Hancock Park Nursing Home.

While she raised her family, she also worked full-time for the Insurance Company of North America. She retired in 1977.

She previously worked at Whittier Milk Co., where she met her husband of more than 50 years, the late Charles O. Lynch Sr.

Born in Lawrence, she graduated from St. Mary's High School.

Mrs. Lynch was a self-taught quilter and knitter and made hangings and Irish knit sweaters for friends and family. She contributed many of her quilts to raise money for Winter Valley, an elderly housing development in Milton where she was a long-time resident and member of the Residence Council.

She lived in Hancock Park for the last three years.

She enjoyed walking and loved Martha's Vineyard, where, in her 80s, she could be seen riding around as a passenger in a dune buggy.

She was a fan of the Boston Red Sox and visited Disney World with her children and grandchildren.

Mrs. Lynch is survived by her four sons, Charles O. Lynch Jr. of Stoughton, John E. Lynch of Naples, Fla., Robert F. Lynch of Mansfield, and James R. Lynch of Westwood; two daughters, Florence Anderson of Beverly and Margaret A. Lynch of Belmont; 18 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, Dana Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th Floor, Brookline, MA 02445.

Anne M. Perrin, 84 Retired Secretary

A funeral Mass for Anne M. (Carnell) Perrin, 84, of Plano, Texas, formerly of Quincy, a retired secretary, was celebrated Jan. 27 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Perrin died Jan. 23 at Victoria Gardens of Allen in Allen, Texas.

Born in Boston, she had lived in Quincy most of her life before moving to Texas four years ago.

She was employed as a secretary for Stone and Webster in Boston for over 20 years. She retired in 1987.

Mrs. Perrin attended Boston Clerical School for Women in Boston.

She was very active with various organizations such as: Den Mother for Pack 27, Sacred Heart Parish from 1958 to 1968; and as a past member of the PTA at Atlantic Junior High School, the Parker Elementary School and North Quincy High School.

She was also a member of the Boosters Club at North Quincy High School and a member of the Francis Kane American Legion Auxiliary Post where she served as secretary.

She was a coffee chairman for Sodality of Sacred Heart Church, a chairperson for Sacred Heart Catholic Youth Organization, and a volunteer for cancer and



ANNE M. PERRIN

heart fund drives.

Mrs. Perrin, known as "Sport," was a great athlete, especially girls basketball and swimming.

She was an avid fan of the Boston Red Sox and Celtics.

Wife of the late John D. Perrin, Sr., she is survived by two sons, John D. Perrin, Jr. of Plano, Texas and Kenneth W. Perrin of Framingham; a brother, Charles Carnell of Arlington; a sister, Claire Cosgrove of Cape Cod; a grandson and several nieces and nephews.

She was the mother of the late Richard C. Perrin and the late Thomas E. Perrin; and the sister of the late John E. Carnell, the late Edgar Carnell and the late Marie Collins.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, 1309 Beacon St., Brookline, MA 02446-9918.

Vincent F. Jackmauh, 77 Retired School Counselor, Teacher

A funeral Mass for Vincent F. Jackmauh, 77, of Quincy, a retired teacher, was celebrated Jan. 19 at St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mr. Jackmauh died Jan. 16 at Massachusetts General Hospital after battling cancer.

He was a counselor and teacher at Boston Latin School for more than 35 years. He previously taught at Bicknell Junior High School in North Weymouth.

He was an Army veteran of the Korean War.

Mr. Jackmauh was a graduate of Boston College High School and Boston College. He took graduate

courses at Boston University.

He is survived by his wife, Irene (Kengris) Jackmauh; two sons, Philip Jackmauh of Tiburon, Calif., and Paul Jackmauh of Winthrop; a daughter, Carol Blake of Medfield; two brothers, Alphonsse Jackmauh of Mashpee and Anthony Jackmauh of South Windsor, Conn.; a sister, Helen Pavone of Arlington; six grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK



DON MCCARTHY
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Children today are faced with pressures and demands we adults sometimes either have forgotten and/or may never know. They are victims of peer pressures, broken homes, insecurities, identity crisis, society demands and much more. Parents and significant others must take time to listen to that God-given alarm bell when something is not quite right. Take time to listen to them, talk to them, and show interest in their activities and interests. Try to find times when you are not hurried or tense and can focus just on them. . .

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Margaret M. Harland, 86

Office Worker

A funeral Mass for Margaret M. (McCarthy) Harland, 86, of Framingham, formerly of Quincy and Boston, a retired office worker, was celebrated Monday in Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Harland died Jan. 25 at St. Patrick's Manor in Framingham.

Born in Boston, she grew up in Boston and lived in Quincy 45 years.

She worked for New England Telephone Company for more than 15 years. She retired in 1985.

Mrs. Harland enjoyed walking the beach and traveling to Florida, Hawaii, Ireland and Maine.

She was a member of the League of Women Voters.

Wife of the late George J. Harland, she is survived by two daughters, Meg (Harland) Potter of Quincy and Donna M. Perkins of



MARGARET HARLAND

Ashland; a son, Brad Harland of Pembroke; and eight grandchildren.

She was the sister of the late Katherine Casey and the late Jeremiah McCarthy.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Patrick's Manor, 863 Central St., Framingham, MA 01701.

M. Bertha Shea, 94

A funeral Mass for M. Bertha (Steele) Shea, 94, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Shea died Jan. 27 at Quincy Medical Center, Quincy.

Born in Dorchester, she had lived in Milton before moving to Quincy 80 years ago.

She was a member of the North Quincy Senior Citizens Group and the Legion of Mary at St. Ann's Parish in Wollaston.

Wife of the late Charles E. Shea, Mrs. Shea is survived by three sons, Charles E. Shea, Jr. of Hingham, David C. Kearney of Needham and Philip J. Shea of Stoughton; two sisters, Dorothy Steele of Milton and Evelyn McDonald of Milton;



M. BERTHA SHEA

three brothers, Edwin F. Steele of Easton, T. Earl Steele of North Quincy and Louis Steele of Milton; and four grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Ann's School, 1 St. Ann Rd., Wollaston, MA 02170.

Joseph J. Banks, 76

Retired Maintenance Worker

A funeral Mass for Joseph J. Banks, 76, of Quincy, a retired maintenance worker, was celebrated Jan. 25 at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Banks died Jan. 22 at home.

He worked for the Hotel Bradford in Boston for 13 years and later for the Quincy Adams Restaurant for several years. He retired several years ago.

Mr. Banks was an Army veteran of the Korean War and was a former member of the American Legion.

Born in Manchester, N.H., and raised in Quincy, he lived in Quincy most of his life.

He is survived by several nieces and nephews. He was the son of the late Andrew P. and Frances (Woodworth) Banks and the brother of the late James Banks.

Interment with military honors was in Milton Cemetery, Milton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals,

1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Daniel Cronin, 71

Real Estate Developer

A funeral Mass for Daniel Cronin, 71, of Ocala, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a real estate developer, was celebrated Wednesday in Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

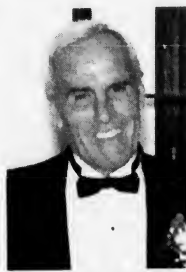
Mr. Cronin died suddenly Jan. 25 in Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Fla.

He was born in County Kerry, Ireland, he emigrated to the Boston area in 1956. He had lived in Quincy before moving to Ocala 14 years ago.

Mr. Cronin built a real estate business consisting of numerous apartment buildings.

His love and passion of horses led him to Ocala, Fla., where he bred and trained thoroughbred horses.

He is survived by his wife, Cathy Gonzalez of Ocala, Fla.; three daughters, Kathleen Cronin of Quincy, Christine H. Berry of Whitman and Patricia M. Cronin of Hingham; three stepchildren, Linda Daniszewski of Weymouth, William MacMeekin of



DANIEL CRONIN

Quincy and Cyrena Gonzalez of Quincy; seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews and many family members locally and in Ireland.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Handi Kids, 470 Pine St., Bridgewater, MA 02324 or to Cardinal Cushing Centers, 405 Washington St., Hanover, MA 02339.

Ann M. DiAntonio

grandnephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

A funeral Mass for Ann M. DiAntonio of Quincy, a retired secretary, was celebrated Jan. 26 at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Miss DiAntonio died Jan. 21 at Quincy Medical Center.

She worked for the American Presidents Line, a shipping company, for 10 years. After she retired, she worked in real estate.

Miss DiAntonio enjoyed traveling, reading and knitting.

She was a lifelong resident of Quincy.

She is survived by two brothers, John DiAntonio of Quincy and Robert DiAntonio of Clayton, Mo.; a sister, Virginia Lucier of Quincy; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and

Anthony R. Anshewitz, 43

Cab Driver

A funeral service for Anthony R. "Tony" Anshewitz, 43, of Quincy, a cab driver, was held Wednesday at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Anshewitz died Jan. 25.

Born in Boston, he was raised and educated in Quincy schools and was a graduate of Quincy Vocational Technical School.

He lived most of his life in Quincy.

Mr. Anshewitz was employed as a cab driver for the Manna Bay Taxi Company in Quincy. He was a volunteer with the City of Quincy's Civil Defense program.

He is survived by a daughter, Teresa Rose Anshewitz; his fiancée and longtime companion, Eileen M. Daly of Quincy; his parents, John E. and Katherine J. (Germano) Anshewitz of



ANTHONY ANSHEWITZ Epping N.H. and Ocala, Fla.; two brothers, John E. Anshewitz III of Epping, N.H. and Joseph J. Anshewitz of Quincy; two sisters, Joan E. McCauley of Jacksonville, Fla. and Robin M. King of South Carolina; a grandmother, Clara Anshewitz of Hyde Park; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Burial was in The Gardens of Gethsemane, West Roxbury.

Memorial donations may be made to the Teresa Rose Fund, c/o 22 Endicott St., Quincy, MA 02160.

Sandra E. Barnes, 59

A funeral service for Sandra E. (Bergman) Barnes, 59, of Quincy, a pharmacy technician at Stop & Shop in Quincy, was held Monday at McMaster Funeral Home, Braintree.

Mrs. Barnes died Jan. 22 at Quincy Medical Center.

She previously worked at CVS for 10 years. She was a member of Faith Lutheran Church in Quincy and

Women's Aglow in Braintree. Born in Weymouth, Mrs. Barnes was raised and educated in Braintree. She had lived in Braintree for 30 years before moving to Quincy 29 years ago.

She is survived by a son, Robert M. Barnes of Hyde Park, her former husband, Robert A. Barnes; and many nieces and nephews. Burial was in Braintree Cemetery.

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RELIGION

Dramatist At Bethany Church Feb. 25

Bethany Congregational Church, Spear and Coddington Sts., Quincy Center, invites the public, especially women of all ages, to a presentation by Dramatist, Linda Gray Kelley, Sunday, Feb. 25 at 2 p.m.

Kelley's topic will be Women of the Holy Bible, New Testament, as they lived through times of The Passion, the Good News and the Resurrection, a suitable contemplation for the first Sunday of Lent.

The 2 p.m. program will be followed by afternoon tea. A contribution of \$5 is requested for admission.

Reservations are suggested for church groups of more than six. Call 617-479-7300 or 617-472-6033.

Women's Prayer Breakfast March 31

The ninth annual Women's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 31 at St. Ann's School Hall, 1 St. Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and breakfast will

be served at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Using our gifts to serve God and others."

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ann Suzedell, pastor of Quincy Point Congrega-

tional Church. Tickets are \$12 each and may be purchased by calling 617-773-6203.

Proceeds will benefit the social service programs at Interfaith Social Services.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan E. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service. Lector will be Kelly Cobble. Ushers are Dottie Hahn and Joan Honig.

Coffee hour hosts are Liz Buccella, Nancy Ahonen and Ann Pierce.

A Valentine Dinner Dance will be held Saturday, Feb. 10. Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for more information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Communion Sunday worship, ISS Food Pantry collection and Sunday School at 10

a.m. The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service. His sermon topic is "Beauty and Peace."

Childcare is available for

infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome. The church is handicapped accessible.

New Youth Group Forms At Community United Methodist

A new youth group has formed at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The group, called "Beale Street Buddies," consists of youth from grammar school to early high school.

Under the guidance of co-leaders Brian and Nancy

White, the group meets once a month after worship for crafts and games.

Future events planned include mystery rides, picnics, and trips to Pawtucket Red Sox games.

The group's first major project will be Feb. 10. The Buddies, under the supervi-

sion of church adults and members of the New Women group, will prepare and serve a pasta dinner. This will be followed by a dj'd dance.

The group welcomes all to join in the fun.

For more information, call Quincy Community United Methodist Church at 617-773-3319.

Four Chaplains Sunday Observance Feb. 4

only 230 men were saved that awful night.

However, moving reassuringly among the frightened men were four chaplains: George Fox, Methodist; Alexander Goode, Jewish; Clark Poling, Dutch Reformed; and John Washington, Catholic. These chaplains worked to calm the men and handed out available life jackets.

Soon, the supply of extra life jackets ran out, calmly and without hesitation all four chaplains stripped off

their own life jackets, giving them to the frightened men near them, never asking whether they were Protestant, Catholic or Jewish. It is said that these men of faith linked arms, bowed their heads, and each in their own manner, led the men in prayer, putting their lives in the hands of God.

Survivors recounted the sight and sound of that terrible night picturing those four chaplains who performed a tremendously heroic act.

Hospice Seeks Volunteers

Vista Care Hospice is seeking volunteers to provide friendly visits, emotional support, or errands for hospice patients and families. Visit in Quincy or a

nearby community. Flexible training schedule and hours, ongoing support available.

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 phone: 773-9797
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 Royal Ranger Missionaries Eng. Junior H. Youth 7 p.m.
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 •Marriage & Family Group
 •International Fellowship
 •DivorceCare

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 Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am
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 Confessions
 Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory
St. Joseph's Church
 550 Washington Street
 Quincy, MA 02169
 617-472-6321
 SUNDAY MASSES:
 4 p.m. (On Saturday)
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 Weekday Masses 9am
 CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
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Congregational
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 310 Manet Ave., Quincy
 www.hncong.org
 Sunday, Feb. 4
 Worship Service 9:30 am
 Theme:
 'You Want Who?'
 Luke 5: 1-11
 Sunday School 9:30 AM
 Rev. John Castricum
 617-479-8778

Congregational
WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
 48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432
 Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford
 10 a.m. Worship Service
 Sunday, Feb. 4
 'WASHED IN LIGHT'
 Isaiah 6: 1-8; 9:13; Luke 5: 1-11
 Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching
 Family Communion,
 Installation of Church Officers
UNION CHURCH
 Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston
 Sunday Service 10 AM
 617-479-6661
 Rev. John Carl Swanson
 Pastor

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 Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor
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 (617) 472-5669
 On The Campus Of
 Eastern Nazarene College
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 7PM Brazilian A/G Service
 7PM Thursday Bible Study
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 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE
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 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP
 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY
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First Spiritualist Church of Quincy
 40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169
 (617) 770-2246
 Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM
 Coffee and Conversation following service
 (Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)
 Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H., C.M.

Mary J. Gould, 76**Registered Nurse**

A funeral Mass for Mary J. (Joyce) Gould, 76, of Quincy, a registered nurse, was celebrated Monday in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Gould died Jan. 26 at South Shore Hospital in Weymouth.

Born in Dorchester, she lived in Dorchester many years before moving to North Quincy in 1985.

She graduated from St. Matthew's Grammar School in 1944, St. Peter and Paul's High School in 1948 and the Carney Hospital School of Nursing in 1951.

Mrs. Gould was a member of the St. Matthew's Sodality, Sacred Heart Sodality, Sacred Heart Silver Citizens, Sen Fu Club of Boston and the Castle Island Association.

She was a Girl Scout leader for 15 years in St. Matthew's Parish.

She enjoyed writing, gardening, traveling, playing the piano and doing arts and crafts.

Mrs. Gould worked 40 years as a registered nurse at Massachusetts General Hospital. She retired in 1990.

Wife of the late John Gould, she is survived by six

**MARY J. GOULD**

daughters, Mary Weidner of Maryland, Kathleen Gould of Quincy, Noreen McLaughlin of Clinton, Ann Marie O'Donnell of Boston, Joanne Tlasek of Holbrook and Margaret Gould of Quincy; two sons, John Gould, Jr. of Boston and Michael Gould of Quincy; two brothers, Phillip B. Joyce of Florida and Frank F. Joyce of Quincy; a sister, Margaret M. Fox of Norwood; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Benedict Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy, The Boston Catholic Television Center and St. Matthew's Church, Dorchester.

Nancy Zona, 90**Stitcher, Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Nancy (Giarrappa) Zona, 90, of Quincy, a stitcher and homemaker, was celebrated Wednesday in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Zona died Jan. 26 at Quincy Medical Center, Quincy.

She was born in Boston and was raised in Messina, Sicily. She moved back to Boston at the age of 29.

She worked as a stitcher for Mario Sports Gear for 27 years and she retired in 1994.

She also worked as a lunch mother at the Parker Elementary School in Quincy from 1986 until 1996.

Mrs. Zona enjoyed cooking, gardening and walking. She was a talented seamstress.

She also loved to dance and sign and frequently visited Revere for the ballroom dances years ago.

She was a devote Catholic and a daily communicant at Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy.

She lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 28 years ago.

Wife of the late Anthony Zona, Mrs. Zona is survived by two daughters, Mary S. (Zona) Dobbins of Whitman and Joan Pepin of Quincy;

**NANCY ZONA**

two sisters, Caterina Giarrappa and Maria Giarrappa, both of Sicily; 15 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0016GI
In the Matter
Of JOSEPHINE BATTISTA OF QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

To JOSEPHINE BATTISTA of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said JOSEPHINE BATTISTA of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally ill person and praying that SUITABLE PERSON of in the County of or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 19, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/1/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0014EP
In the Estate of
JOHN J. COFFEY
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
December 15, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that FRANCES E. COFFEY of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 21, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 05P1775EP
In the Estate of
CLIFFORD S. CASELEY
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 29, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that CLIFFORD D. CASELEY of HUDSON in the State of NEW HAMPSHIRE or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 21, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 9, 2007.

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2/1/07

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-001

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, FEBRUARY 13, 2007 at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of MICHAEL CREMIN for a VARIANCE & FINDING to convert a single family dwelling to a two family dwelling in a Residence C zoning district in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.28 (PARKING) and Chapter 17.24 020 (NON-CONFORMANCE) on the premises numbered 56 FRENCH STREET, QUINCY

Jack Garland, Chairman

2/1/07

INVITATION TO BID

CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK ST., QUINCY, MA 02169

The City of Quincy invites sealed bids/proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City of Quincy:

TREASURER/COLLECTOR MAILING SERVICES FEBRUARY 20, 2007 @ 10:30 a.m.

Detailed specifications are on file at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Bids must state exceptions, if any, the delivery date and any allowable discounts. Bids. Proposals must be in a sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelope is to be clearly marked **"BID ENCLOSED"** with time/date of bid call.

Firm bid prices will be given first consideration. Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be publicly opened and read. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

If applicable, bids shall be in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, Chapter 149 as amended, and Chapter 30, Sections 39A, 39B and 39F-R.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the City and waive any informalities in the bidding if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

2/1/07

William J. Phelan, MAYOR
Laurie M. Allen, PURCHASING AGENT

Jean I. Fontaine, 78**Homemaker**

A funeral service for Jean I. Fontaine, 78, of Quincy, a homemaker, was held Wednesday in the Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Fontaine died Jan. 25 at the Blue Hills Alzheimer's Care Center in Stoughton.

Born and raised in Quincy, she was a graduate of North Quincy High School.

She had lived in Norwell, Hingham and Quincy before

**JEAN I. FONTAINE**

moving to Stoughton two years ago.

In her younger years Mrs. Fontaine was an avid dancer. She enjoyed skiing and was a member of the Mogul Meisters in Quincy and was a member of the Dorchester Yacht Club.

Wife of the late Emery C. Fontaine, she is survived by two sons, Mark E. Fontaine of Michigan and Keith L. Fontaine of Norwell; three grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was private.

Margaret 'Peggy' Gaughan, 89**Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Margaret 'Peggy' (Sullivan) Gaughan, 89, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Tuesday in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Gaughan died Jan. 25 at home.

Born in Boston, she grew up in Jamaica Plain and lived in South Boston before moving to Quincy 55 years ago.

She was a graduate of Ja-

maica Plain High School and attended Boston Clerical School.

Mrs. Gaughan loved caring for her family and also enjoyed cooking. She enjoyed traveling the world with her late husband, Charles.

She worked for Boston Gas Company as a book-keeper many years ago.

Wife of the late Charles

W. Gaughan, she is survived by two daughters, Marguerite 'Peggy' (Gaughan) McLaughlin of Quincy and Elizabeth J. (Gaughan) of Quincy; a son, Gerald L. Gaughan, M.D. of Milton; and two grandchildren.

Burial was in Forest Hills Cemetery, Boston.

Arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Wollaston.

woman to receive an academic scholarship to the Academy of the Holy Cross, where she graduated in 1961.

She earned a degree in nursing from New England Baptist School of Nursing in 1963.

She loved the ocean and enjoyed water-skiing in Marshfield, an activity during which she met her husband of 38 years, John Joseph Hannon.

She was an active mem-

ber of the Old Colony Yacht Club.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Jennifer Wright Turcotte of Lakeville; two sons, John Roper Hannon and Joseph Edward Hannon, both of Quincy; a grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, Wollaston.

Kathleen Ann Hannon, 63**Retired Nurse**

A funeral Mass for Kathleen Ann (Roper) Hannon, 63, of Quincy and Hollywood, Fla., a retired nurse, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Hannon died unexpectedly Jan. 24.

She worked as a nurse for 23 years at Cardinal Cushing in Brockton and New England Baptist Hospital. She was also a real estate agent.

Mrs. Hannon was the first

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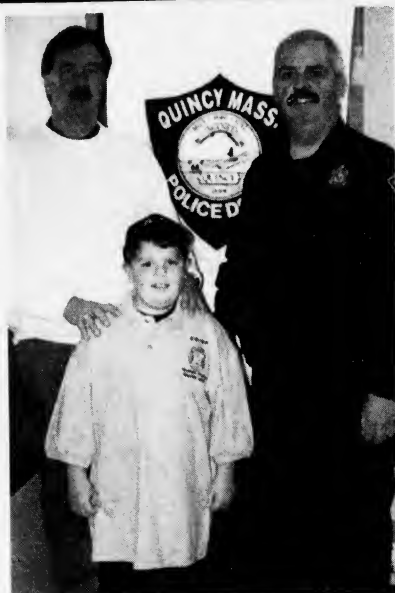
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'CHIEF FOR THE DAY'! Bo Levine, age 8, of Quincy was honorary Chief of the Quincy Police Department after winning the special event at the Beechwood Knoll School's annual Fall Festival. Bo enjoyed his day by riding in a cruiser, working in the station and his favorite part, taking a trip on the department's 41-foot Police Boat. Although Bo was sad to see the day end, he said, "It was one of the best days of my life." With the honorary chief are Quincy Police Chief Robert Crowley (left) and Sgt. Robert Gillan.

Quincy National Guard Armory Fundraiser For Troops Going To Iraq

Due to the recent order of 20,000 additional troops being sent to Iraq, the Quincy National Guard Armory is having a fundraiser on Friday, Feb. 2 to help raise money for the families of the troops who may be deployed.

A wrestling show, hosted by WWA Entertainment, and with former WWE superstars Goldust and Rosie, will raise funds for the Armory. Proceeds from the show and all concessions will go to the

troops. Tickets are available at the following Quincy locations: Ralph Pill Electric Supply, 219 Washington St., Quincy Tobacco, 1500 Hancock St., Barros Deli and Grocery, 7 School St., and the Quincy Armory, 1000 Hancock St.

Tickets are \$15 per admission and the opening bell-time is 7:30 p.m.

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SPIKE AND GIDGET, the pair of West Highland White Terriers that won 12 titles at the South Shore Dog Training Club awards night, are shown by Christine Forbes. Story, other photo on Page 11.

Mayor Re-Appoints 49 To City Hall Team

Mayor William Phelan re-appointed 49 members of his administrative staff for the upcoming year in a City Hall ceremony conducted on Monday.

The appointees include department heads, management, and administrative staff in various departments throughout the City.

"I am proud of what we have been able to accomplish by working together, but I have high expectations for the upcoming year," Phelan said. "I will challenge our City employees and staff to continue to find creative and innovative ways to improve city services and always keep an eye on the bottom line. We must never forget that we are in the public service business and we owe it

to our residents to continue to seek better ways to run our local government."

The following is a list of appointees and their positions for 2007:

- Marion Fantucchio, City Assessor.
- Jolanta Briffett, City Assessor.
- Stephen Roche, City Assessor.
- Thomas Clasby, Director, Council on Aging.
- Stephen O'Donnell, Commissioner, Public Works.
- Michael Ryan, Director, Building-Construction-Maintenance.
- Fred Happel, Program Manager, Public Works.
- Bill Griffin, Operations Manager, Public Works.
- Brian Carlisle, Superin-

tendent, Sewer, Water and Drain.

Tom Gorman, Director, Emergency Management.

George Clarke, City Engineer.

Drew Scheele, Health Commissioner.

Roberta Kety, Director, Human Resources.

Marie Brinkmann, Benefits Coordinator, Human Resources.

Lori Connolly, Assistant, Human Resources.

Patty McGowan, Assistant, Human Resources.

Tony Sansevero, Asst. Benefits Coordinator, Human Resources.

Ron Donovan, Director, Information Technology.

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A One-Year Moratorium City Council Imposes Ban On Multi-Family Units

The City Council took the first steps Monday night toward preserving, at least temporarily, some of Quincy's suburban charm.

Councillors passed by a 7-2 vote a year-long moratorium on the construction of multi-family dwelling units or the conversion of existing one-family homes in Residence B zones.

Councillor-at-Large John Keenan, who filed the moratorium as an amendment to the zoning bylaws, indicated it was aimed at developers who buy up single-family homes and convert them into condos.

The only opposition came from Councilor-at-Large Joseph Finn, who thought it might violate property rights, and Ward 6 Councilor Brian McNamee, who saw small

developers hurt by the ban.

The vote mirrored that of the Council's Ordinance Committee a week ago when Council President Doug Gutro reminded his colleagues:

"The city needs to get a hold of the reins in terms of development and insure we don't lose the character of the neighborhoods that have already started to erode."

"We're seeing condominiums and town houses crop up all over the city where single or two-family homes used to be."

Exempted from the moratorium was a parcel of land on Spence Avenue, Quincy Point, where Ryder Development Corp. has Zoning Board approval to build eight town house units.

Ward 2 Councilor Daniel

Raymond, who filed for the exemption, called the land a blighted area threatened by fast food franchises and experiencing drainage problems.

A second exemption, sought by Councilor Finn for 771 Sea St. and already rejected by the Ordinance Committee, was shot down again, 6-3 with Finn, Raymond and Councilor-at-Large Michael McFarland voting for it.

The year-long moratorium was instituted to give the city an unhurried chance to study its patchwork of zoning ordinances, reduce the size of its permitted structures and change open space and parking requirements.

It will take effect as soon as it is signed by Mayor William Phelan.

Phelan's \$4.5 Million Transfer For Tax Stabilization Approved

Mayor William Phelan's request for a \$4.5 million transfer to create a stronger financial outlook and stabilize taxes got a unanimous green-light from the City Council Monday night.

The money was transferred from the City's Free Cash Reserve which was certified by the State Department of Revenue last month, to the Stabilization Fund.

The transfer will increase the City's Stabilization Fund to \$12.5 million.

"In five years, we have grown our City's Stabilization account by more than \$12 million through aggressive collection of revenue that was due to our taxpayers and by tightening the belt on municipal spending," said Phelan.

"This money will be used effectively to ensure that Quincy taxpayers will not experience spikes in their taxes similar to when market factors caused large increases in the past. We are

doing our best to keep taxes down in the present and increase our ability to handle any threats of significant increases in the future."

Phelan said when he took office, the city had a fund balance deficit of \$5.4 million. With this transfer, the turnaround will be approximately \$18 million. The turnaround had also led to repeated upgrades in the City's Bond rating, saving taxpayers hundreds of thou-

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International Drug Bust Nets Five From Quincy

Approximately 100 pounds of marijuana and 85,000 Ecstasy pills were seized and 23 persons, five of them from Quincy, were indicted as authorities broke up a drug ring that crossed international boundaries.

The four federal indictments were the result of a 15-month investigation known as "Operation Polar Bear," led by the Drug Enforcement Administration in concert with other federal, state and local law enforcement agencies, as well as the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Quincy residents indicted include:

Binh Kiem Duong, 24, and Kimchau Thi Phan, 23, a/k/a Thao, both of 343 Newport Ave. and Binh Mong Duong, 34, a/k/a Bo, of 170

Farrington St.

Each was charged with one count of conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute Ecstasy and conspiring to commit money laundering. Each charge carries a maximum sentence of 20 years.

Hung Van Le, 56, of 58 Greenleaf St., charged with one count of conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute marijuana, which carries a maximum sentence of five years.

Diep Van Nguyen, 32, of 34 Harris St., charged with one count of possession with intent to distribute Ecstasy and methamphetamine, which carries a maximum sentence of 40 years with a mandatory minimum sentence of five years.

"Complete cooperation among federal, state and lo-

cal law enforcement partners made it possible to dismantle this drug dealing organization," said U. S. Attorney Michael Sullivan.

The investigation indicated that the main source of supply was a group of individuals in Canada and the several hundred pounds of hydroponic marijuana came in each week from both Canadian and American sources.

Investigative efforts included surveillance, wiretaps, undercover drug purchases, trash pulls and the seizure of drugs, firearms and other drug paraphernalia following traffic stops and searches of residences.

"(These) indictments demonstrate our resolve to make our neighborhoods safer by reducing the availability of drugs in our communities and prosecuting those who peddle their poison," said Sullivan.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Spiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person payable at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

For an appointment, call 617-676-1506.

Alfred Grazioso, Jr. Appointed Mass. Lottery Chief Of Staff



ALFRED GRAZIOSO

State Treasurer Tim Cahill announces he has named Alfred J. Grazioso Jr. of Quincy chief of staff at the Massachusetts State Lottery.

Grazioso joined Treasurer Cahill's administration in 2003 and served as assistant treasurer for Administration and Finance.

"I am excited and proud to name Al as the chief of staff for the State Lottery," Cahill said. "Al has been an asset to my office over the last four years, overseeing the budget as head of Administration and Finance. I look forward to his continued support at the Lottery."

Prior to joining the Treasury, Grazioso served as chief procurement officer for the City of Quincy. He also was the owner of Grazioso's Deli, worked for Savings Management Computer Corporation and was vice president of Kendall Furniture Company of Boston.

"I am truly honored that Treasurer Cahill has asked me to be chief of staff at the lottery. I look forward to working with the Treasurer and my new colleagues," Grazioso said.

Grazioso lives in Quincy with his wife Cathie and their three children: Nicole, Matthew and Kristin. He is active in his community, including as a coach and past president of Quincy Youth

million with investment firms that will create economic opportunity, jobs and housing.

- Returning \$3.7 billion in Lottery local aid to cities and towns in Massachusetts over the past four years.

- Creating a Job Growth Initiative, which leverages Treasury resources and works with banking partners to create jobs and affordable housing in Massachusetts. To date, \$1.25 billion has been committed, including \$590 million of leveraged capital from the Treasury. The Job Growth Initiative has created 2,588 new jobs and has the potential to create an additional 8,100 new jobs over the next four years.

Cahill was recently sworn in for a second term as Treasurer and Receiver General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Prior to his election in 2002, Cahill served as Norfolk County Treasurer from 1997-2002, as a Quincy City Councilor from 1987-2003, and was a successful small business owner and the author of a book about local businesses.

He is a graduate of Boston University and a recipient of the 2007 Eisenhower Fellowship.

Cahill lives in Quincy with his wife, Tina, and their four daughters.

Free Tax Help For Low-Income Taxpayers

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. (QCAP) is offering free tax counseling and tax return preparation for low-income taxpayers of all ages at the Learning Links Technology Center, 1511 Hancock St., Quincy.

Tax assistance is available in English and Cantonese.

IRS-certified volunteers will be on site to help taxpayers prepare both federal and state tax returns, and E-file for faster refunds.

A special emphasis will be placed on helping taxpayers claim credits for which they may be eligible, including the Earned Income and Child Tax Credits, and the Massachusetts Circuit Breaker Credit for seniors.

Additionally, volunteers

will assist taxpayers in claiming the new Telephone Excise Tax Refund. The telephone tax refund is a one-time payment available on 2006 federal income tax return, designed to refund previously collected federal excise taxes on long-distance or bundled services. It is available to anyone who paid such taxes on landline, wireless, or Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) services.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a regis-

tered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

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Coughlin Resolutions Aimed At Global Warming Concerns

Quincy would join the leaders in the fight against global warming if a package of three environmental resolutions filed by Ward 3 City Councillor Kevin Coughlin Monday night is enacted by his fellow councillors.

The first resolution calls for Quincy to join 393 other cities and endorse the US Mayors Climate Protection Agreement that is aimed at reducing global warming pollution levels to 7 per cent below 1990 by 2012.

The second resolution would have the city join more than 650 local governments as part of the International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI) Cities' Climate Protection Campaign, including observance of the Kyoto Protocol targets.

The Kyoto Protocol is an agreement among 178 nations, formulated in 2005, calling for the reduction of greenhouse gases in developed nations.

The third resolution would commit the city of Quincy to purchasing 20 per cent of its energy needs from clean and renewable energy sources by 2015, beginning such purchases as soon as possible.

"It is my intention to spur an open and public debate and discussion upon one of the most serious concerns to face our city, state, nation and world community and think about what more affirmative steps we can take locally," said Coughlin.

All three resolutions were referred to Mayor William Phelan, the Council's Environmental Committee and the

Special Committee on Energy, chaired by Councillor-at-Large John Keenan.

In his bid for support for the Mayors Climate Protection Agreement, Coughlin notes that a recent UN Panel on Climate Change found that "climate disruption is a reality and that human activities are largely responsible for increasing concentrations of global warming pollution."

His resolution notes that the Kyoto Protocol, an agreement that the United States has refused to sign, commits 38 countries that have signed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions an average of 5.2 per cent below 1990 levels by 2012.

"The United States of America," says the resolution, "with less than 5 per cent of the world's population, is responsible for producing approximately 25 per cent of the world's global warming pollutants. The Kyoto Protocol emissions reduction target for the U.S. would have been 7 per cent below 1990 levels by 2012."

"Local governments," adds the resolution, "greatly influence their community's energy usage and emission of greenhouse gases by exercising key powers over land

use, transportation, building construction, waste management and, in many cases, energy supply and management."

The city of Quincy, said Coughlin, has already begun to crack down on emissions and his resolution controlling municipal energy needs and purchases would take it a step farther.

"As a city government, we have over the last few years started down the path of taking positive steps by replacing our traffic lights with LEDs to draw less energy and begun auditing our energy consumption.

"(We have been) implementing energy saving measures, switching to low-sulfur diesel fuel, applying green technology to the anticipated construction of a new high school and placing solar panels on the roof of North Quincy High.

"But we can always do more and cities across the country from Boston to Seattle are taking bold steps to reduce greenhouse gasses."

Coughlin's energy resolution would commit the city to lead by example and encourage all businesses, institutions and households in Quincy to engage in energy and fuel efficiency measures,

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit

themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

The Council is mandated by law to do background checks on all volunteers.

Peter Gagne Has Lunch With Mayor Phelan

Peter Gagne, age 7, of Quincy, recently enjoyed an afternoon and lunch with Mayor William Phelan.

The lunch with the mayor was a prize bid on during a silent auction at the Beechwood Knoll Elementary School's fall festival.

Mayor Phelan ordered Peter's favorite lunch of pepperoni pizza, and gave him a personal tour of City Hall. The mayor joined Peter for pizza and answered the list of questions he had prepared for him.

After his visit, Peter said he would like to be mayor one day.



PETER GAGNE, age 7, of Quincy, recently sat down for lunch with Mayor William Phelan. The mayor joined Peter for pizza and afterwards answered a list of questions Gagne had prepared for him.

Sign Ups To Begin March 3 For Full Day Kindergarten

Phase One registrations for the Quincy Public Schools Full Day Kindergarten Program will be conducted Saturday, March 3, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at 11 elementary schools.

They are Atherton Hough, Beechwood Knoll, Charles Bernazzani, Clifford

Marshall, Montclair, Merrymount, Francis Parker, Snug Harbor, Squantum, Wollaston and Amelio Della Chiesa Early Childhood Center.

Registrations will be repeated Tuesday, March 6, from 12 noon to 3 p.m. at the same schools.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

- On Feb. 11, 1776, Georgia's royal governor, Sir James Wright, escapes from his residence in Savannah to the safety of a waiting British warship and returns to London. Governor Wright had been taken into custody and placed under house arrest nearly a month earlier by Patriots of the Provincial Congress.
- On Feb. 7, 1904, in Baltimore, a small fire in the business district is wind-whipped into an uncontrollable conflagration that engulfs an 80-block area of the downtown. More than 1,500 buildings were completely leveled and some 1,000 severely damaged.
- On Feb. 5, 1917, with more than a two-thirds majority, Congress overrides President Woodrow Wilson's veto of the previous week and passes the Immigration Act. The law required a literacy test for immigrants. Subsequent immigration to the United States sharply declined.
- On Feb. 8, 1924, the first coast-to-coast radio broadcast takes place. Bell Telephone's vice president and chief of research spoke at a

meeting of the Bond Men's Club in a Chicago hotel. The speech was broadcast in Providence, R.I.; New York; Washington; Oakland, Calif.; and San Francisco and was heard by some 50 million people.

• On Feb. 6, 1937, John Steinbeck's novella "Of Mice and Men," the story of the bond between two migrant workers, is published. The story brought national attention to Steinbeck's work, which had started to catch on in 1935 with the publication of his first successful novel, "Tortilla Flat."

• On Feb. 10, 1962, American spy-plane pilot Francis Gary Powers is released by the Soviets in exchange for Soviet Colonel Rudolf Abel, a senior KGB spy who was caught in the United States five years earlier.

• On Feb. 9, 1981, rock-music pioneer Bill Haley dies of a heart attack at age 56. Haley brought the existing genre of rock and roll into the spotlight with his chart-topping single "Rock Around the Clock" in 1955.

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PHELAN

Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

The Telephone's Ringing

The telephone is ringing around town. Pick it up and it might be Bill Phelan. Or, Tom Koch.

Some report hearing from both of them on the same day seeking their support. Which could make things a little awkward. You can't be with both.

But both are making an early pitch for support in this year's mayoral race and wasting no time.

Koch's resignation as executive director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments and announcement he will run for mayor landed like a grenade at City Hall.

How did Phelan take it?

"It energized him," said one source very close to him. "He's on the move."

Phelan obviously is taking Koch's challenge seriously.

"He should," says Frank McCauley, four-term mayor and veteran of many political battles. "And I'm sure he will."

McCauley sees Koch as "a responsible candidate" with experience in government (including five years as Mayor James Sheets' executive secretary) and with a well-known and respected name.

"If he gets the money, he'll make a race of it," says McCauley.

Phelan already has a campaign war chest. Koch needs to raise something like \$150,000 to wage an effective challenge.

Koch will take his first step toward that goal with his first fundraiser Wednesday, Feb. 28, 6 to 8 p.m. at the Quincy Neighborhood Club, Glendale Road. Tickets: \$125, \$250, \$500.

"Phelan has done a lot of positive things for the city since taking office," McCauley says. "He has to remind the voters of that."

McCauley and the late Paul Harold endorsed Phelan in 2001 when the latter upset Sheets, a six-term incumbent by a scant 17 votes in the closest mayoral race in the city's history.

He notes that Phelan did it with only two years experience as a school committee member, a virtual political unknown.

"And he didn't get into the race until June of that year," McCauley recalls.

Koch, better known than Phelan was in his first bid for the mayor's office, has more time to get his campaign

organized and rolling.

He's off to a fast start. He has a website up and running, is scheduling coffee hours and already has bumper stickers in circulation.

McCauley was one of those who received phone calls from both Phelan and Koch.

"I'll sit down and talk with both of them," he says.

Could a surprise third candidate step into the picture?

Maybe. But probably not a major name. Councillor Joe Finn has taken himself out of the ballgame "because of personal reasons and concerns."

It's doubtful Dan Raymondi will run although he would like to be mayor and has a campaign treasury to wage an all-out battle.

Meanwhile, he's keeping some observers guessing.

He was at the recent Wollaston neighborhood meeting regarding the Rice Eventide Home's plans to raze the present building and construct a larger one.

"What's the Ward 2 councillor doing in Ward 5?" some wondered. "Is he going to run for mayor?"

Ask Raymondi and he muses: "Well, I like Wollaston. But my heart is in Ward 2."

And besides, he adds, he and other councillors were invited to the meeting by Doug Gutro, the Ward 5 councillor who called the meeting.

Gutro, incidentally, is among those interested in the mayor's office. But not this year.

He's running for a fourth term as Ward 5 councillor and has a fundraiser-A Presidents Day Reception-set for Monday, Feb. 19, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at 1 Adams St. Suggested donations: \$200, \$100, or other.

There could be a third candidate yet. Not necessarily one intent on winning.

But one you might call a "barometer" candidate. One put in to create a preliminary election.

Usually major candidates aren't too keen about preliminary elections. Don't like to spend the extra money or the extra time campaigning.

But a preliminary election gives candidates an early reading on where they stand with the voters and the time to correct problems before the final election.

And then, of course, there's always the chance of someone jumping in for his (her) 15 minutes of fame. An interesting election year.

QMC Awarded \$10,000 Grant To Support Advanced Nurse Training

Quincy Medical Center was recently awarded a \$10,000 Specialty Nurse Training Program grant from the Brockton Area Workforce Investment Board and Bay State Works.

The grant, part of a state funded workforce development initiative, will be applied to training, education and orientation programs in critical care and advanced nursing practice for registered nurses at the medical

center.

The grant will also provide opportunities for additional diversity and nurse mentorship training for registered nurses working in Quincy Medical Center's emergency, intensive care, and critical care units.

"Across the country, there is shortage of qualified critical care and progressive care nurses," said Elizabeth Cadigan, RN, MSN, vice president of Patient Care and

Chief Nurse at Quincy Medical Center. "This grant will underwrite a full range of training, education, and orientation programs designed to further advance the nursing practice of our Quincy Medical Center's outstanding registered nurses."

Quincy Medical Center is a 232-bed acute care community-teaching hospital providing South Shore residents with comprehensive medical and surgical ser-

vices. The medical center's Alliance for Quality with Boston Medical Center, formed in 1999, brings academic medicine to the community.

Quincy Medical Center has earned outstanding quality scores from national, specialty and state accrediting agencies, including a top rating from the American College of Surgeons' Commission on Cancer.

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Scenes From Yesterday



Dam at Johnson's Lumber Wharf, Quincy, Mass.

THIS is a 1920 postcard showing the tidal dam that was located at the mouth of the Town Brook. It was used as the source of power for what is known today as the Souther Tide Mill. After the Civil War, the Souther family used the old grist mill as the center of their brokerage business that sold among other things 'XXX, stock and porter ale by the bbls. Halves and Quarters.' The old mill was located at the corner of Mill Street and Souther Place, which is now part of the Southern Ar-

tery. Later the mill was used for sawing wood by the Johnson Lumber Company and then by the Quincy Lumber Company who was the last occupant of the mill. The remnants of this dam are long gone, but the original historic tide mill building still stands and is now owned by the city. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Koch's Candidacy Will Energize The City

I was happy to read in the Quincy Sun (Jan. 25) that Tom Koch has decided to run for mayor of Quincy. His candidacy will energize the city and provide voters with a viable alternative to the current administration.

Tom Koch and his family have made substantial contributions to the quality of life in the City over the past few decades. I will never forget the experience of partici-

pating in the Koch Club as a child and later as a volunteer coach. Koch Club Baseball provided children of Quincy an opportunity to get some fresh air, exercise, and make some new friends in a nurturing, non-threatening environment. A few of them even learned a little about baseball.

There was no losing, everyone was a winner. I can

still see the kids laughing, running, and smiling. How proud they were when they made it to first base or caught a fly ball. Then to top it off, they got to march in the Flag Day Parade down Hancock Street. These memories will last a lifetime for me and many others in Quincy.

I believe the Koch Club experience typifies the Tom Koch approach. Get in-

involved, help out, focus on the kids and the families, treat people the way you want to be treated, and create safe and comfortable spaces for people to enjoy themselves. Of course, making this happen takes hard work and leadership. That is Tom's strength and that's what I think he will bring to Quincy as our next mayor.

Michael Coffey
51 Royal St.

With Deepest Thanks

With everything that has been going on, I have not had the time to properly thank all my angels for everything that you have done. Therefore, I would like to send a special thank you to all my family, extended family, aunts and uncles, and cousins, friends

and neighbors, the Houghs Neck Shower Groups, and the Steven V. Barrett Memorial Fund.

I am so thankful to be back home at this time in my life. My old neighborhood, the Houghs Neck family, is like no other community in

the world. You are the best!!

Secret Santa's, this Christmas Season, you quietly came each day, dropping a little gift at my door, warming my heart and putting a smile on my face. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

Words cannot express how deeply the continued

caring, love and support has touched my life. If prayers can be answered, I know I will have a happy and healthy 2007.

Love and thanks to all of you.

Karen Boussy
And Family
Pawsey Street

Thanks For Successful Central School Fundraiser

Central Middle School recently held a very successful candy house fundraiser, raising \$1000 at the event.

The PTO would like to

thank all parents and volunteers who made this event so successful. Ginger Betty's donated a gingerbread house

to be raffled off the night of the event and Barbara Jordan, a parent of a sixth grader, won the house.

All proceeds go to needy families within CMS.

Fiona Canavan
Central PTO

Citywide Parents Meet Feb. 12

The Quincy Citywide Parents' Council will meet Monday, Feb. 12 at 7 p.m. in the Broad Meadows Middle School, Calvin Rd.

Guest speakers will be Joanne Morrissey, director of Food Services, and Jane Kisielius, R.N., M.S., school health coordinator.

All are welcome.

Quincy's Yesterdays

Deegan To Recommend Changes In City Employees' Salaries

By FRANK McCAULEY

City Manager William J. Deegan, Jr., announced that he expects to make recommendations to the city council about the readjustment of municipal employees' salaries before the Finance Committee concludes its annual chore of cutting the budgets.

Deegan is now assembling data and analyzing the salary increases requested by various city employee groups. Following the completion of this work he will confer with the delegates from each group concerning their respective requests.

Meanwhile Councillor David J. Crowley, chairman of the Finance Committee, announced hearings on the 1952 city budget would start Feb. 12.

COUNCIL ASKED TO SET TAX RATES, CUT BUDGET TO FIT

Chairman David J. Crowley submitted to the Finance Committee a novel plan of municipal finance in which the council would set the tax rate in advance and then direct the city manager to cut the budget at his own discretion to meet this rate. Crowley suggested that the 1952 tax rate be pegged at \$47 or \$48. The 1951 tax rate is \$46.80.

Under Crowley's plan the council would approve salary increases not in the budget and then turn the budget back to the city manager with orders to make whatever cuts are necessary to hold the tax rate at the pegged figure. (Present Finance Committee Chairman John Keenan please take note).

QUINCY-ISMS

Post Commander James J. Ricciuti and Past Commander William J. Keefe, Morrisette Legion Post, are in charge of arrangements for the 25th annual memorial Mass for departed comrades to be held Feb. 22 at St. Mary's Church, West Quincy... Sgt. Donald W. Loud, a 20-year-old North Quincy soldier, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action while seriously wounded by enemy fire at Heartbreak Ridge Oct. 10, 1951... Edward T. Lewis, a past exalted ruler of the Quincy Lodge of Elks, will participate in the exemplification of the Elks ritual during initiation of a large class of candidates in the main lodge room of the Quincy Elks Home... Atty. John P. Flavin, former city councillor, school committee member and state representative, spoke at a meeting of the St. Mary's Holy Name Society. Flavin spoke on changes in the labor movement from 1895 to the present time... Mary Elizabeth Murdoch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Murdoch, 3 Moreland Rd., Merrymount, graduated recently from Tufts College where she was a dean's list student... The Quincy Cooperative Bank, 1259 Hancock St., Quincy Center, was advertising "Monthly Savings Accounts," paying an annual interest rate of 3 1/2 %... Sheridans of Quincy was offering a Wednesday Morning Special. Womens and Misses "Quality Shoes" regularly priced from \$9.95 to \$5.95 for only \$5... Six Boy Scouts from St. Joseph's parish scout troop, were awarded the Ad Altare Dei medal by Archbishop Richard J. Cushing. They were John Nason, Paul Rahaim, Gino Brucella, Louis Gangi, Harold Ecklund, and Robert Renard... Victor Packer, 13, 113 Atlantic St., was honored by the Parents Club of Boy Scout Troops 27 and 28 of North Quincy, for his bravery in rescuing Corinne McGarth of North Quincy from drowning in Teel Pond. Victim was awarded the National Medal for Bravery... The Mohican Market, 29 Chestnut St., Quincy Center, was advertising "Lean Meaty, Shoulder Lamb Chops for \$7.5 a lb..." Fore River Shipyard office workers voted 472 to 88 to be represented by the C.I.O. Union over an A.F.L. Union... James Coady, contact officer at the Quincy Veterans Dept., spoke on veterans' benefits at the weekly meeting of the Quincy Lions Club held at the Fox and Hounds Restaurant... Cpl. Paul Comi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pierino Comi, 46 Royal St., Quincy, who has been serving in the Far East since June 1950, recently broadcast with his all Japanese orchestra over a Kyoto radio station... Mrs. George F. O'Brien was serving on the Quincy Catholic Club committee planning the upcoming Mardi Gras ball to be held at the Neighborhood Club.

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BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Easy Does It Salmon Cakes

When we were growing up, one of our favorite dinners was salmon loaf with creamed peas. Although I still cook that entree, I recently came across a great easy recipe for salmon cakes. There's not many ingredients, because the flavor of salmon is so wonderful, it doesn't need a bunch of ingredients.

I still made creamed peas and topped the cakes with it, but eating them just as they are are equally as delicious. Lemon juice is also flavorful for a topping.

If you don't want to use salmon, you may substitute cod fish instead, but I prefer the

salmon for its unique flavor.

SALMON CAKES

- 1 large can salmon
- 2 egg whites (beaten slightly)
- 1 tablespoon fresh parsley (chopped)
- a smidgen of garlic powder
- 1/2 cup seasoned bread crumbs
- vegetable oil for sauteing

Place the salmon in a bowl. Add the egg whites, parsley, garlic and seasoned bread crumbs. Mix until well blended.

Form into round cakes and saute until golden brown. Drain on paper towel and if not served immediately, place on a cookie sheet in a warming oven.



GETTING READY FOR the Mardi Gras celebration at Quincy Point Congregational Church Feb. 10 are Deanna Van Schagen, seated at piano, and from the left, Joyce Romeri, Shirley Baker, Maggie Gosselin and David Baker.

Chinese Dance Featured At Crane Library Feb. 11

Dancer/Choreographer Chu Ling and her students will present a performance of traditional and contemporary Chinese dance Sunday, Feb. 11, from 3 to 4 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The program will include both solo and ensemble performances of a variety of pieces choreographed by Chu Ling, a graduate of the Beijing Dance Academy in China and founder of the Chu Ling Dance Academy in

Boston.

The performance is free and sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library. For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranepubliclibrary.org.

Mardi Gras Celebration At Quincy Point Congregational

A Mardi Gras Celebration will be held Saturday, Feb. 10 from 6 to 10 p.m. at Quincy Point Congregational Church 444 Washington St.

Entertainment will be by a Jazz Trio of saxophone, guitar and vocals.

A Silent Auction will include a men's leather

Patriot's jacket, membership to the Museum of Fine Arts, a handmade lampshade, family entertainment basket, an Italian basket, autographed photo of Red Sox pitcher Jonathan Papelbon, gift certificate and Valentine gifts.

There will be a variety of dinner selections said head

Chef Bob Pitts.

Proceeds from the silent auction will go to the church's handball program and for the music programs at Point Webster Middle School.

Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for children. For more information, call the church at 617-773-6424.

Quincy Symphony Orchestra Winter Concert Sunday

The Quincy Symphony Orchestra will present a Winter Family Concert Sunday, Feb. 11 at 2:30 p.m. in the North Quincy High School Performing Arts Center, East Squantum St., North Quincy.

The concert, under the direction of Yoichi Udagawa, conductor and music director, will feature a selection of

music from such composers as Bizet, Brahms, Dvorak, Beethoven, Johann Strauss, Copland and Tchaikovsky.

Tickets may be purchased at the door. Prices are \$17 for adults, \$12 for seniors and students, and \$5 for children under age 12 with an adult.

In the event of a snowstorm, the concert will be

held the following Tuesday evening, Feb. 13.

Fundraiser For Robotics Team

The Quincy Public Schools First Robotics team will hold a can drive fundraiser Saturday, Feb. 10, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the loading area of the Center for Technical Education, 107 Woodward Ave.

Proceeds will go to helping students raise funds for their upcoming robotics competitions.



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Quincy College Poet/Tutor To Read Work At Library

Dr. Kara Provost, a tutor at Quincy College, will read from her new book of poetry, "Nests," Thursday, Feb. 15, at 1 p.m. in the meeting room at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

"Nests" features poems about children, pregnancy and parent-child relationships presented in a manner that has been described as sometimes funny, sometimes intense.



DR. KARA PROVOST

The event is free and open to the public. There will be a question and answer session as well as refreshments to follow the reading.

36 Quincy Students On Archbishop Williams High School Honor Roll

Archbishop Williams High School lists 36 Quincy students on its second term honor roll.

They are:

Principal's List

Grade 12: Laura Bloomer.

First Honors

Grade 9: Lauren DiBona, Colleen Downing, Bobby Sudhu.

Grade 10: Kristen Bloomer, Jacqueline Bradley, Edward Kirby, Marc McCarthy and James McLaughlin.

Grade 11: Claire Feeney, Birago Osei.

Grade 12: Ashley Faiella.

Second Honors

Grade 9: Alysha Capone, Matthew Forbes, Lauren Patten.

Grade 10: Rachael Crifo, John Fallon, Brooke Lally, Allison McGrath.

Grade 11: Anthony DiBona, Ryan Doherty, Casey Halajian, Molly Licari, Lauren O'Rourke, MaryKate Plunkett, Michael Shaughnessy, Stephanie Ward.

Grade 12: Ashley Botticelli, Julie Davis, Erin Flaherty, Christel Lantin, Andrew Livingstone, Stephen Livingstone, Douglas Myers, Thomas Oliver and Cassandra Villa.

Big Sister Meeting Feb. 15

The Big Sister Association of Greater Boston needs more women who are at least 20 years old to become Big Sisters.

Orientation sessions will

Senior Bridge Club To Meet

The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive, corner of Channing Street.

All level players are welcome. For further information, call 617-376-1506.



MR. and MRS. SEAN GLENNON
Erin Driscoll Wed To Sean Glennon

Erin Driscoll and Sean Glennon, both of Quincy, were recently married at St. Gregory's Parish in Dorchester.

Officials of the Nuptial Liturgy were Rev. Thomas Corcoran, Rev. James DiPerri, Rev. John O'Connell, Msgr. Paul Ryan, and Deacon James Little.

The Maid of Honor and soloist was Meghan Driscoll, sister of the bride.

The Best Man was Brian Glennon, Sr., father of the groom.

Music ministry was provided by many close friends of the couple. The organist and trumpeter were James Busby and Patrick Stout, respectively.

The bride and groom were expected to have the Quantum Community Youth Choir sing at the wedding. The choir, which the couple established in November 2004, was formed after their former parish of Mary, Star of the Sea in Quincy was suppressed by Archbishop Sean O'Malley. The bride was the former wedding coordinator of the suppressed parish, while the

groom was the former music director and liturgical director of the parish.

Mrs. Glennon graduated from North Quincy High School in 1999 and received her bachelor of arts degree in visual arts from Curry College in Milton. She is employed as the graphic designer/publications coordinator at Newbury College in Brookline.

Mr. Glennon graduated from North Quincy High School in 1997 and received his bachelor of arts degree in government and masters degree in political science from Suffolk University in Boston. He is employed by the City of Quincy Department of Planning and Community Development.

The couple honeymooned in southeastern Maine.

Three Residents On St. Anselm Dean's List

Three students from Quincy have been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at St. Anselm College in Manchester, N.H.

Kevin M. Richardson, son of William and Claire

Richardson, is a sophomore; Elizabeth D. McEvoy, daughter of Anne McEvoy; and Bernard R. Stedman, son of Kathleen Stedman, are juniors.

Mr., Mrs. William Hoey Parents Of Daughter

William and Jessie Hoey of Quincy, are parents of a daughter Alexandra Marie born Jan. 17 at Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston.

Grandparents are Dianne Pratt of Quincy, and William Hoey of Newton; Rigoberto Ventura-Valdivieso and Flor Amanda de Ventura of El Salvador.

She is the great-granddaughter of Earl and Dorothy



ALEXANDRA HOEY

Barrus of Quincy.

Kimberly Gillis On Dean's List

Kimberly Gillis, daughter of Carolyn and Tim Gillis of Quincy, has been named to the dean's list for the fall se-

mester at Bridgewater State College, where she is a junior.

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Literacy Volunteers Adult Spelling Bee Fundraiser At Marshall School March 21

Literacy Volunteers of Massachusetts-Quincy at the Thomas Crane Public Library will hold its annual fundraiser Wednesday, March 21 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Clifford Marshall School, Moody St., Quincy.

This year's fundraiser will be an adult spelling bee, where teams of three spellers per table.

The event will not require people to spell out loud. Instead, each team will spell on a white board and hold up the answer for the judges to see.

Donation for the event is \$300 per team. There are also a limited number of corporate sponsorships available.

The evening will also feature a raffle, refreshments,

prizes and surprises.

D.J. Hank Morse of WROR-FM 105.6 will be the master of ceremonies.

Andrea J. Cabral, sheriff of Suffolk County, will be the word pronouncer.

Three judges will time the 30 seconds allowed for the answer and will also resolve any disputes about pronunciation or time.

All proceeds will benefit the literacy program and will be used to purchase reading and writing software to reinforce their learning and also teach a most necessary skill: using the computer to communicate and search for information.

Crane Library Literacy

program serves the South Shore community. Volunteers are trained and matched through LVM-Quincy and have provided free tutoring to adults in basic reading and writing since 1985.

For a registration form and more information about the spelling bee, call Elaine Kline at 617-376-1314.

Space is limited.

Line Dancing For Seniors At Clubhouse

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

Sacred Heart School Student Reporters Interview Cardinal Sean O'Malley



SACRED HEART SCHOOL'S After School Newspaper Club recently visited St. John's Seminary. The student reporters interviewed Cardinal Sean O'Malley for the school newspaper. Front row (from left): Claudelle Osias, Caoimhe Lavin, Brian Regan, Robert Hines, Deanna Leung, Alyx Patey, Lydia Blodgett, Rachel Dunphy, Amanda Lee, Michael Maranian, Aubrey Griffin, Jaime Anton. Back row: Michelle Griffin, Jack Faherty, Cardinal Sean O'Malley, Michael Milavec, Stephen Maranian, Sacred Heart School Principal Katherine Hunter, Victoria Lee, Dahlia Griffin and Jacque Patey.



STUDENT REPORTERS interview Cardinal Sean O'Malley for the school newspaper. They made a list of questions to ask, including "What are the responsibilities of a Cardinal?" "What do you do in your spare time?" and "Do you take a Bible with you when you travel?" After the interview, everyone had the opportunity to speak informally and enjoy a few refreshments together. The Cardinal graciously posed for several photographs and autographed a few reporters' notebooks. The Newspaper Club members were wonderful representatives of the school's student body. To read a copy of the Sacred Heart News and link to the Cardinal Sean's Blog regarding the visit go to <http://www.shsquinCY.org/activities/newspaperclub.html>.



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County Engineer Asked To Check Montessori Traffic, Parking Impact

In the absence of a city traffic engineer, the City Council Monday night asked Norfolk County for the loan of its engineer to assess the traffic and parking impacts of a Montessori School planned for 310 Adams St.

The Montessori School, which plans an addition to the former Columbian Fathers Home to serve 120 students, already has a traffic study by Rizzo Associates but the Council wants a new

evaluation and more data.

The resolution was filed by Ward 5 Councillor Doug Gutro, Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin and Councillor-at-Large John Keenan.

While it didn't question the accuracy of the data collected by Rizzo Associates, the resolution noted that it was based on a single day during the off-season of the nearby Adams National Historical site.

The councillors pointed

out that Mayor William Phelan has not filled the traffic engineer's position for 16 months.

"A good traffic engineer is somewhat of a rare commodity," said Coughlin.

The Montessori School was denied a building permit by the building inspector due to concerns with the setback of the proposed addition. Its appeal will be heard by the Zoning Board of Appeals Tuesday, Feb. 13.



THE BOSTON BOMB Squad was called to Sprague Oil on Southern Artery Monday when a suspicious red cooler with caution tape was spotted in a fenced off area. The cooler turned out to be one left by a company testing water in the area.

Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

City Council To Look Into Tobin Towers Concerns

The City Council is going to take a look at resident's concerns with plumbing and environmental health at Tobin Towers, the senior citizens complex at 80 Clay St., Wollaston.

The Council resolved

Monday night to hold hearings on complaints relative to water temperature, plumbing backups and associated health and sanitation concerns.

The resolution, filed by

Ward 5 Councillor Doug Gutro, was referred to the Council's Housing and Oversight Committees with copies to Mayor William Phelan and Housing Authority chief Jay MacRitchie.

March 20 Full Day For Elementary Students, Except Pre-School

Tuesday, March 20, will be a full day of classes for

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Emblem Club Meets Feb. 14

The Quincy Emblem Club will meet Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 7 p.m. in the Elks Lodge, 254 Quarry St., Quincy.

all Quincy Public School students at the elementary level, except those in pre-school.

Assistant Supt. Carmen Mariano said this will insure that all students in grade 4 have sufficient time to complete the long composition portion of the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System.

Pre-school sessions will not be held March 20, or on

other Tuesday.

School lunches will be served on that day and full-day bus schedules will be in place.

The middle and high schools will be in session all day, as originally scheduled.

Elementary report card conferences will be rescheduled for the afternoons of March 6 and March 13.

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84 Local Residents On Quincy College Dean's List

Quincy College announces 84 local residents are among the 400 students named to the Dean's List for the fall semester.

They are:

North Quincy: Lorry Ellis, Allison Mirra, Thu-Yen Tang, Gregory Holland, Ha Trae.

Quincy: Rosebert Ababio, Maria Aguilar, Noreen Anastasia, Noran Austin, Vanessa Baranello (Coronel), Sean Bosworth, Jennifer Burke, James Campbell, Paul Carroll, Kui Beng Chong, Matthew Coder, Edward Daley, Brian Defelice, Jennifer Denning, Rositsa Dineva, Joan Donovan, Imane El-Rifai, Helen Enckanwokeji, Iliana Escarra, Margaret Faretta-Antonucci, Nicole Ferraz, Laura Fraticelli, Michael Frontino, Alaudia Furtado, Ruth Gichinga, Veronika Gusakova, Kelly Hagan, Mohamed Hamed, Sioghan Henry, Michelle Holleman, Gentiana Hoti, Jinyan Hou, Elizabeth Hynes, Jennifer Hynes, Wassim Joseph Issa, Sushma Karki, Gurminder Kaur, Julie-Ann Keane, Frida Khoury, Dua Khraisat, Iyavlo Kirkov, Yuen Ling Lee.

Also from Quincy: Ronald Leung, Sean McCormick, John McCue, Beth McDonagh, Noreen Moran, Andrew Nguyen, Khanh Nguyen, Phuong Thanh Nguyen, Nhu, Krikor Nicolian, Danielle Niesner, Catherine Onyango,

Adoralyn Organo, Chang Yuel Park, Jonathan Pelletier, Deborah Powers, Mary Schweyer, Rita Senier, Jean Shearing, Jeanne Sheehan, Colleen Smith, Kathleen Spring, Christine Suarez, Lauri Sullivan, Michael Sullivan, Stacy Szczesuil, Janet Teehan, Elena Terekhina, Anthony Tran, Tara Valenti, Michael Viles, Pamela Wallace, Karen Walsh, Xiao Wen, Scott Whitehead, Michelle Young and Yan-Yan Yu.

Other students on the Dean's List are:

Abington: Kim McCCarthy and Jennifer Pacella.

Accord: Brian Bragg.

Arlington: Diana Nentirovsky and Ken Nguyen.

Avon: Kerri Crawford.

Belmont: Glayds Pachas Luna and Bijaya Pandey.

Boston: Victoria Bella, Patrick Byrne, Marie Carroll, Wasear Castillo-Feliz, Kristin Cox, Jessica Cummings, Jaleesa Dennis, Ligita Gavelis, Kerry Leard, Susan Long, Teresa Malek, Weiwei Qi, Ruben Ribeiro, Shiona Richardson-Botts, Christine Rubio, Fikre Tadele, Krystle Teamer, Yuk-Yuen Tsai, Sean Viera and Shannon Viera.

Easton Boston: Dennis Messina.

South Boston: Nicole Doran, Shauna Grady, Jahnaa Lacy, Loretta Petkinea, Megan Baker, Richard

McNeill and Harold Tibets.

Braintree: Marianne Amuzzini, James Carney, Jacqueline Donovan, Celina Gaytan, Kristen Gray, Imran Hasan, Man Ki Hui, Robyn Kenny Londergan, Janette Kingston, Marie Lydon, Matthew Mullen, Joseph Nabstedt, Marie O'Shea, Ronik Patel, Amanda Petitti, Colleen Ryan, Marie Shaddock, Rui Silva, Donna Twohig, Mohamed Wang'Enyl, Sarah Wilson, Qingqun Wu and Christian Young.

Bridgewater: Paul Damigella and Melissa Kendrick.

Brighton: Valentina Binshok, Nadege Hold, Dessislava Mladenova, Valeriya Mladenova and Thea Sobers.

Brookline: Vincent Jackson, Jana Linhart and Lisa Manuel.

Brookline: Pavel Hushcha and Jonathan Stevens.

Cambridge: Mariko Fernandez, Jennifer Homer, Emily Phillips, Christopher Ponte, Stephan Scott, Taro Taguchi and Sarah Thaler.

Canton: Thao Nguyen, Jill Ouellette, Vladimir Pourer and Pooja Singh.

Carver: Janet Carrara, Jill Lunette, Jacquelyn Maynard, Shawn Petrozziello and Michelle Willis.

South Carver: Marissa Santarpia.

Charlestown: Caroline Storey.

Chestnut Hill: Agnieszka Kusmierz.

Cohasset: Surcerat Deeto, Sara Osmanski and Robert Protulis.

Dedham: Clare Conroy and Stephen McLaughlin.

Dorchester: Shandalea Abdul-Hadi, Richard Anderson, Paul Barry, Catherine Hodges, Jacqueline Lydon, Catherine McLoughlin, Stefania Poland, Vi Tran, Aminata Traore and Dennis Walsh.

Duxbury: Shiu Fen, Julie Fitzgerald and Elisabeth

Moody.

Everett: Andrew Kong.

Foxborough: Christina Macdonald and Megan McGarry.

Halifax: John Taglini, Donna Trask and Katherine West.

Hanover: Ardeen Alexander, Susan Concannon, Megan Doolin and Kara Mosesso.

Hanson: Melinda Lagambina, Pamela Moreau and Ellen Shea.

Harwich: Tanya Atanasova.

Hingham: Michaela Benatanova, Jennifer Finnerty, Anne-Marie Fitzgerald, Meghan Fitzgerald, Pamela Francis, Cynthia Gargano, Julie Sorgi and Rosario Trogele.

Holbrook: Amanda Blake, Colin Mitchel and Ewelina Sterliska.

Holliston: Fabiola De Carvalho.

Hull: Elizabeth Klementovicz, Abbie Lydon, Tonya Mortensen, Victoria Peterson, Amber Reilly and Kenneth Thompson.

Hyannis: Silviya Petrova, Hyde Park: Cesar Abreu, Maurice Ekane, Jessica Landry, Valerie Lous, Joseph Medina and Basil Tabidi.

Jamaica Plain: Paulo Branco, Rachael Brandenburg, Diana Hincapie Marquez, Lorena Papa, Sun Yung Park and Carolina Solano.

Kingston: Susan McCafferty.

Lexington: Suchada Dron.

Malden: Xiaomin Chen, Amy Chui and Catherine Muhia.

Manomet: Vanessa Cloutier.

Marshfield: Erica Zaloumis.

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Mattapan: Sandra Brown and Shawn Donovan.

Maynard: Joanna Momot-Shulman.

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Millis: Erica Gottberg.

Milton: Emma Alexander, Jeanne Capone-McCabe, Cara Fay, Vanessa Martin, Angelina Ross, Amanda Scarpato and Huishan Yuan.

North Weymouth: Catherine Lee and Kevin O'Neill.

Newton: Orsolya Szucs. **Newtonville:** Nolan Casey.

North Dartmouth: Alfrid Dejesus.

Nowell: Michelle Devine and Kylie Mansfield.

Norwood: Hakeem Bowman.

Pembroke: Stephanie Barry, Phyllis Bopp, Philip Davasto, Denise Hebert and Kathryn Keegan.

Plymouth: Julie Bevilacqua, Leigh Cimorelli, Karen Cloran, Karen Cloggs, Cindy Cote, Julie Gaudreau, Christine Gendron, Denise Giaccaglia, Linda Gilbert, Edward Gillis, Denise Govoni, April Grant, Lynn Harlow, Yvonne Higgins, Jennifer Jones, Paul Jones, Mary Kelly, Ami Knight, Elise Lovejoy, Kathryn Marani, Michael McGowan, Jennifer Medhaug, Sarah O'Connor, Ingrid Pilkington, Daniel Ryan, Linda Sandhu Bilger, Suzanne Stone, Jeremy Sullivan, Rhiannon Tassinari, Scott Vecchi, Leslie Wharton, Matthew Whipple, Lorraine Wiley and Laura Yetman.

Randolph: Suzanne Coleman, Gunzel Davietshina, Sunkarie Konteh, Christopher Lydon, Christine Okwesili, Barbara Pickering, Nicholas Tropeano and Hiromi Yura.

Reading: Kate Van

Hatten.

Revere: Deolinda Daveiga, Christy Glover and Phoebe Khakali.

Rockland: Stephen Galley, Cheryl MacDonald, Sara MacDonald, Christine O'Connor, Kathleen Oram and Elisa Pollard.

Roslindale: Alyssa Cardozo, Maeve Gerechier, Chinyere Nwanesudu, John Schulte and Elise Tewksbury.

Roxbury: Vatasha Granberry.

South Weymouth: Theresa Szyozuk.

Scituate: Sarah Crowell, Carol McGurl, David Nelson, Jennifer Smith, Lindsay Stewart and Sarah Wheeler.

Sharon: Iris Rosenstein.

Somerville: Mohamed Azouz, Bishwas Bohara, Kenneth Boyd, Laxmi Kastii, Yoriko Saito and David Stoops.

South Easton: Keri Gothe.

South Weymouth: Paul Freeman.

Stoughton: Andrea Chaves, Robert Devine, Kathy McLaughlin and Olha Stasyshyn.

Sudbury: Maria Fiorino and Ulrike Schilling.

Taunton: Matthew Cohen, Patricia Connor, Leticia Figueroa, Edward Overby, Amber Seaton.

Waltham: Phantika Bamrungsuk and Gregg Scott.

Watertown: Petcharat Makulwong and Wimontip Sookler.

West Roxbury: Elisa Blando, Sumontha Meesubanun and Yulia Savinkova.

Weston: Agnieszka Bruj and Rosen Hristov Dikov.

Weymouth: Malin Agostino, Robert Blake, Jr., Deborah Carlson, Jennifer Carney, Christa Chapman, Elizabeth Dawyskiba, Kristin Dodd, Linda Dougherty, Robert Gallegos, Valerie Godwin, Michael Horrigan, Handan Isman, Eileen Johnston, Renee Jones, Mark Junkins, Kristen Kfoury, Marta Lacerda, Maria Lawler, Lauren Lenihan, Karen Litwinczuk, Kaitlin Lord, Michael Manesis, Jay Peckham, Tyson Sobloff, Anna Steinkrauss, Nathaniel Van Heuvelin and John Walsh, Jr.

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City's Winter Carnival In Quincy Center Feb. 19

Mayor William Phelan announces the city's annual Winter Carnival will take place on President's Day, Monday, Feb. 19 from 12 noon to 4 p.m. in Quincy Center.

The admission-free event kicking off school vacation week will feature magic shows, a performance by the Big Nazo band, face painting, caricature artists and other activities for children as well as live patriotic mu-

sic and entertainment.

There will be presidential and historical re-enactments, featuring George Washington, Abraham Lincoln and Abigail Adams.

All performances and entertainment will be spread across venues in Quincy Center including City Hall, Presidents Place and the Church of the Presidents. In addition, the National Parks Service will host activities at

the Visitors' Center focusing on life in Colonial America.

The majority of the events will take place indoors, but there will also be street performers, ice sculptures, hayrides and an outdoor miniature golf course (weather permitting).

For more information, contact the Quincy Park Department at 617-376-1251 or visit the city's web site, www.ci.quincy.ma.us

Bank Of Canton Donates Hats, Mittens To Quincy Salvation Army

The Bank of Canton's Quincy branch recently donated dozens of hats and mittens to the Salvation Army in Quincy.

This year, Bank of Canton asked local patrons to decorate the Bank's Christmas Tree with hats and mittens in lieu of ornaments.

During the holidays, the Salvation Army provides food, gifts, toys and clothing

to needy families. Its Quincy Corps offers services in adult healthcare, emergency assistance, holiday assistance and senior vacations, as well as youth programs such as Camp Wonderland and SunShine Pre-School.

"Keeping bundled up is essential to staying warm and healthy during the winter season," said Ken Anderson, assistant vice president

and branch manager of the Quincy branch located on Quincy Ave. "We are glad to donate to such a worthy cause."

Quincy residents are encouraged to donate hats and mittens to The Salvation Army in Quincy, located at 6 Baxter St.

For more information on how to make a donation, call 617-472-2345.

Multicultural Business Program Planned By Quincy Collaborative

Quincy 2000 Collaborative has unveiled a Multicultural Business Development Program designed to expand its outreach to the city's growing Asian and Brazilian business communities.

The program, underwritten by a grant from the State Department of Business and Technology and the city of

Quincy, was announced Tuesday by Mayor William Phelan at a news conference in the Neighborhood Club.

The program will create more than 25 workshops and seminars designed to help startup businesses and existing companies grow and prosper in the community.

Translation and bi-lingual support in Cantonese, Man-

darin, Portuguese and Vietnamese will be provided in all programs offered as well as publications in Chinese and Portuguese.

Bi-lingual one-on-one business counseling will also be available to help individuals create a business plan, prepare a business loan application and obtain the necessary permits and licenses.



PRIZE WINNERS at the South Shore Dog Training Club awards night included, left to right, Richard Fleck with Hannah, Jane Tully with Finn, Sue Ellen Healy with Ali, Joan Chrusciel with Tyla, Christine Forbes with Gidget and Spike, and Patricia Lydon with Sweat Pea.

Two Highland Terriers Top Dog Show Champs

Gidget and Spike, two West Highland White Terriers owned by Christine Forbes swept to 12 titles in the annual awards night held recently by the South Shore Dog Training Club.

In all, the active members

of the club, a non-profit organization dedicated to training people to train their dogs since 1945, earned 28 titles at the awards night held in the Quincy Armory.

Other awards were won by Susan Bain's Laika (1),

Keno (1) and Sitka (1); Joan Chrusciel's Teaka (2) and Tyla (1), Richard Fleck's Hanna (1), Sue Ellen and John Healy's Ali (2), Patricia Lydon's Sweat Pea (4), Joyce O'Connor's Bailey (2) and Jane Tully's Finn (1).

Nine Residents Inducted Into National Honor Society At BC High

Nine Quincy students at Boston College High School have been inducted into the Robert J. Fulton, S.J. Chapter of the National Honor Society at Boston College High School.

They are:

Seniors

Clarence

Demesier and Matthew McCabe; and juniors Stephen Coletti, Matthe Coughlin, Bohan Liu, Brian Mahoney, David Richards, Christopher Timmins and Michael Wright.

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By Samantha Mazzotta

Jacuzzi Woes

Q. A replacement panel on our Jacuzzi tub arrived with a big orange sticker on the front. The paper and the sticky glue cannot be removed. I know I could remove it with fingernail polish remover but I don't want to ruin the finish. I tried rubbing alcohol, but it didn't work. Do you have a suggestion about what I could use to remove it? — Wanda C.

A. Un-Du Adhesive Remover, a product found at craft stores, was suggested by one of my readers. Similar products like Goo Gone are available at home-improvement stores. And I've actually seen a suggestion to smear peanut butter over the sticker (my guess is the oil in the peanut butter soaks into the label). If you try this method, don't use the crunchy version.

Q. After purchasing an 8-year-old house, I noticed some scratches inside the Jacuzzi tub in the master bath. They don't seem too deep. How do I get rid of them? — Jesse in Plano, Texas

A. Depending on the extent and depth of the scratches, it may be possible to polish them out. However, this job takes a light touch and a lot of patience, because the fiber-

glass surface can be permanently damaged.

Purchase a polishing compound for automobiles. (This compound typically comes in two types: polishing and rubbing compound. Choose the polishing type only.) Apply in small circles using a soft, lint-free cloth. Don't scrub the surface or otherwise try to hurry the process.

Another option, especially with a large area of scratches, is to use a power drill with a polisher attachment and a soft polishing pad. Pay close attention to the surface as you work, stopping frequently to make sure the polisher is actually minimizing the scratches and not just adding more to the surface. Don't press down on the drill.

Complete the repair by rinsing and drying the surface, then applying a coat of wax (plain, not polishing, auto paste wax) over the scratched area to protect it and further hide remaining scratches.

If this doesn't work or if the scratches are extensive and deep, contact a professional refinisher.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeguruz2000@hotmail.com, or write This Is A Hammer, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Wall Repair 101: Mending A Crack

(NAPS) — With a little preparation and the right equipment, most cracks in plaster and drywall can be easily repaired. Plus, the project should take most do-it-yourself enthusiasts only a few hours and the materials are relatively inexpensive.

Try these tips for patching small to medium-sized cracks in plaster and drywall. They come from experts at United States Gypsum Company, a leading manufacturer of gypsum board and plaster products.

• **Prep the Area** — For plaster walls, begin by pushing against the crack to determine how soft the surrounding wall area is. Remove any loose material with a screwdriver and then clean the area with a slightly dampened paintbrush or sponge.

• **Gather Your Materials** — You'll need a utility knife; two drywall knives—one that's four to six inches wide and one that's eight to 10 inches wide; paper joint tape for wider cracks; a ready-mixed or powered joint compound

product such as SHEETROCK Brand Lightweight Setting-Type Joint Compound (EASYSAND); safety goggles and a dust mask; and either a fine, 150-grade sandpaper or a sponge.

• **First Coat** — Fine to small drywall and plaster cracks require only one application of joint compound, while deeper cracks require two or more coats of compound. Using the four to six inch wide putty knife, apply a generous amount of joint compound over the crack. Angle the knife to force compound into the crack and then smooth it out. Let the compound dry completely before sanding or applying additional coats (for deeper cracks).

• **Reinforce** — Deeper or wider cracks need to be reinforced with paper joint tape. Apply a thin coat of compound over the crack. Then embed a strip of paper joint tape into the compound to bridge the crack to tightly embed the tape. Let the coat dry completely.

• **More Compound** — Apply a coat of joint compound over the tape to level the repair. Then apply a generous amount of compound with a drywall knife and smooth and feather the compound out along the edges of the repaired area. Let the repair harden and apply another coat of compound, if necessary.

• **Finish** — Smooth the surface once the wall is completely dry. Lightly smooth the edges of the repaired area with fine

sandpaper or a damp sponge. Prime the patched area with a high-quality primer or a flat wall paint. Wait until the primer dries completely before applying a new coat of paint.

To obtain a free step-by-step guide detailing how to install, finish and repair drywall, contact United States Gypsum Company, 125 S. Franklin St., Chicago, IL 60606-4678, call (800) USG-4YOU or visit www.usg.com and request installation guide J371.

Metal Roofs Attractive To Many Homebuyers

(NAPS) — A growing number of homeowners who want to protect a home against severe weather are finding a metal roof to be an attractive investment.

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To learn more, visit www.metalroofing.com.

Neighborhood Housing Services First-Time Homebuyer Workshop

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore, in conjunction with Dedham Institution for Savings, will host a First-Time Homebuyer Workshop Monday, Feb. 12 from 6 to 8 p.m.

and Saturday, Feb. 17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

s. 55 Elm St., Dedham. Attendance at both sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate.

The workshop is open to

everyone throughout the state, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. Participants will have an opportunity to speak with a lender at the workshop.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal aspects of the home buying process, how a home inspection

works, and other presentations from real estate related professionals.

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Gauging The Difference

In Home Wiring, Lower Gauge Means Greater Power

Someday you may need new electrical wiring in your home and the electrician may ask if you want 12 AWG or 14 AWG (American Wire Gauge.)

You may not know what this means, but opt for the lower number. When it comes to electrical wiring, a lower gauge number means larger wires with lower electrical resistance, and that translates into greater load-carrying capacity.

It also means better power quality. Fatter wires produce less waste heat and less "voltage drop," which simply means they can transmit full, unimpeded power for critical applications such as home entertainment and the home office. With 12-gauge wiring, lights will flicker less. Moreover, fatter wires provide room for growth — that is, they allow homeowners to increase electricity use without the need to rewire.

Consider this: One thousand feet of 14 AWG solid wiring has a resistance of 2.53 ohms. The same length of 12 AWG has a resistance of 1.59 ohms. That 0.94-ohm

difference equals a 37.5 percent drop in resistance, and less resistance means less chance that your home's circuits will overload because too many appliances are drawing too much power. And make sure your circuit breaker matches the wire size: 20 Amps for 12 AWG or 15 Amps for 14 AWG. Otherwise, you negate the protection the circuit breaker provides.

The Truth About Gauges

The American Wire Gauge (also spelled "Gage") numbering system may be counterintuitive, but it is worth knowing to ensure that your home's wiring infrastructure is equipped for the future as well as the present. In this system, resistance doubles every time the gauge number increases by 3. Oddly enough, only even gauge numbers are commonly available. It is easy to see this doubling effect in a table that shows resistance quadrupling when the gauge numbers goes up by 6.

For the math perplexed, it is enough to know that fatter wires can carry more electricity with less heating and

Electrical Resistances of Wire Gauges Typically Found in a Home*		
Wire Gauge	Cross-sectional Area of Wire (mm ²)	Electrical Resistance (Ohms per 1,000 ft)
10	5.2	1
11	4.2	1.25
12	3.3	1.6
13	2.6	2
14	2.1	2.5
15	1.6	3.2
16	1.3	4

* Resistance values here are rounded. Also, resistance depends on the kind of wire (stranded or solid), the wire temperature and the frequency of the electrical current. Odd-numbered wire gauges are not commonly available. Most wiring found in homes is either 12 or 14 AWG with 10 AWG sometimes used for heavy appliances.

less voltage drop. With today's increasingly sophisticated — and expensive — home entertainment and home computing systems, power quality becomes a very important consideration.

Safety and Capacity
Residential building codes often allow 14-gauge wiring in branch circuits (for lighting, as an example), but it's not the best choice. Codes are concerned only with fire safety and personal safety. They represent the minimum acceptable size. As a result, many homebuilders furnish new homes with 14 AWG wiring for most branch circuits.

prove your family's safety is to upgrade the wiring," says Dave Brender, national electrical program manager for the Copper Development Association. "There is a vast difference between lower-resistance 12 gauge and higher-resistance 14-gauge. Do what many electricians do for themselves and insist on 12-gauge wiring for all of your circuits."

Just for fun, ask any electrician what gauge wiring he currently uses in his own home, or what he would install in his home when rewiring. Most likely, he would choose 12 AWG as the minimum size for most branch circuits.

"If you have an older home, one of the most effective things you can do to im-

prove your family's safety is to upgrade the wiring," says Dave Brender, national electrical program manager for the Copper Development Association. "There is a vast difference between lower-resistance 12 gauge and higher-resistance 14-gauge. Do what many electricians do for themselves and insist on 12-gauge wiring for all of your circuits."

For more information about copper electrical wiring and power quality, visit www.copper.org HP



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The Citizens Bank Winterization Loan is offered

during the winter months to assist homeowners who might not otherwise qualify for loans. Often projects to improve a home's energy efficiency are either postponed until the necessary funds can be saved or finance with a higher rate credit card. This new product will save consumers money, help homeowners conserve energy, and may increase a

home's value.

The loan is generally designed for applicants with incomes less than 80 percent of the area median income or who live in a low- or moderate-income census tract.

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A Love Affair With Roses 100 Million Of Them

(NAPS) A Valentine's Day classic, roses have symbolized love, friendship and beauty across cultures throughout time. More than 100 million roses in more than 1,000 different varieties are sold each year on this special holiday.

Whether one's taste leans towards the subtle, the flamboyant or the delicate, there is a rose to please. Red roses, however, are symbols of romantic love and dedication, and continue to be the most popular choice for Valentine's Day.

The floral experts who can be found at 1-800-

FLOWERS offer the following tips to help extend the life of your roses this Valentine's Day:

- If your roses are delivered in a box, open it immediately and place them in water. If this cannot be done, place the entire box in a cool, dark place.
- To arrange the roses, fill a deep vase with lukewarm water and mix in the floral preservative provided by the florist.
- Remove any leaves that may fall below the waterline when the roses are placed in the vase.
- Use a sharp knife or

shears to cut an inch from the bottom of each stem while holding it under water.

- Place roses loosely, yet evenly spaced in the vase.
- Place the vase in a cool spot, away from direct sunlight, heating and cooling vents and appliances that give off heat.
- Add warm water to the vase every day, always keeping it full. Change the water and re-cut the flower stems every three or four days.
- Give roses a face-lift by gently removing discolored or drooping petals to give them a fresh appearance even after several days.

Don't Let A Greeting Card Do The Talking For You

(NAPS) — With approximately 1 billion valentine cards sent each year, Valentine's Day is the traditional date when couples are prompted to express their affection for each other, usually through a romantic greeting card. Unfortunately, a recent national survey conducted by Harris Interactive found that, for most couples, the conversation stops there.

The Pill Lo Talk survey found that couples reported difficulty in discussing relationship expectations (52 percent) and feelings (51 percent), the very topics both men and women want to talk about more often with their

partners. Instead, couples are finding a safe haven in work (86 percent) and finances (81 percent), the topics they reported discussing most frequently. Even more surprising is the fact that birth control and family planning fall last on a couple's conversation agenda.

To help reignite mutually beneficial and rewarding relationships, Ortho Women's Health & Urology has partnered with nationally recognized life coach Lauren Howard to launch Pill Lo Talk, an educational program that helps couples to bridge the gap between the topics they want to discuss more often and those they actually are discussing on a regular basis.

"No matter whom you're talking with — your husband, your best friend or your doctor — conversations about important topics can be difficult," Howard said. "Unlike concrete subjects such as who's picking up the dry cleaning, people tend to invest their hearts into more emotional topics like relationship expectations, feelings and family planning."

The Pill Lo Talk program aims to provide women with the tips and tools to help them venture outside of their conversation safe zones so that they can achieve deeper talks with their partners, family and friends. The program features a series of free, online guides that are customized to women in different life stages.

"The guides are fun, user-friendly resources that give women simple but effective steps to initiating and setting the stage for the conversations they really want to be having," Howard said.

The Pill Lo Talk Guides are available at the website www.ThePill.com.

Why is deeper communication so important? The Pill Lo Talk survey found that women who share frequent, meaningful conversations with their partners have significantly greater satisfaction in their relationships than those who don't talk as frequently.

Valentine's Dinner, Dance Saturday At Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will hold a family friendly Valentine's Dinner and Dance Saturday, Feb. 10.

The evening will begin with a pasta dinner at 6 p.m. followed by a dj'd dance until 11 p.m. Tickets are \$12 and may be served by calling the church office at 617-

773-3319.

"Quincy Community is trying to put the emphasis on everybody," said the Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden, pastor of the church. "So much of Valentine's celebrates are focused on couples, that singles or families feel left out."

"Quincy Community's

dinner dance offers everybody, of all ages, the opportunity to have a great time."

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Spice Up Your Valentine's Day With Creative Gifts

(NU)—To surprise a loved one on Valentine's Day, try one of these creative gifts:

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- Show up at your honey's door with a gift that marries two of life's greatest pleasures — rich wine and

deep, dark chocolate. Viansa Winery and Italian Marketplace in Sonoma, Calif., can coat any of their award-winning wine bottles with fine Guittard milk or dark chocolate.

- For a more cerebral sweetie, create a custom crossword puzzle or word scramble. Come up with clues and answers that only the two of you would understand, such as

memories, each other's attributes and events from your relationship.

- To put a twist on the usual dozen red roses, buy 11 red roses and one white rose. On the card, write "There's always one who stands out in every bunch... and it's you."

- If you're in a long-distance relationship and can't meet up for Valentine's Day, send your partner a wishbone, gift-wrapped in a jewelry box. Include a hand-

written note that says, "Wish you were here."

- Buy several hundred Hershey's Kisses and remove

the little paper strips. Put the chocolates in a box for your partner, and give him the

paper strips, to be used as coupons for real kisses when the chocolate is gone.

Rosy Tips For Valentine's Day

(NAPS) — A stunning floral bouquet can express a range of feelings, from romantic to friendly to something in between. Not only will your wife or sweetheart love to receive a gift of flowers, so will our mother, daughter, sister and friends. From roses to tulips to orchids to lilies, there are flowers to please all the important people in your life.

The most popular Valentine's Day flowers are roses. For many people, roses are a well-known statement of love, the perfect way to say, "I love you." To make this loving gift a long-lived one, recipients should follow some simple steps:

- Roses delivered in a box need to be opened at once and placed in water. If water

isn't immediately available, place the open box in a cool, dark place.

- To arrange the roses, fill a vase with luke-warm water and mix in the floral preservative.

- Fill a sink or bowl with water. Using a knife or shears, cut an inch from the bottom of the stem while holding it under water. Remove the foliage that may fall below the waterline to help keep the water clear.

- Immediately place roses, loosely yet evenly spaced, in the vase.

- Place the vase in a cool spot, away from heat.

- To keep roses looking fresh, add warm water to the vase every day. Completely change the water every three days and re-cut the stems.

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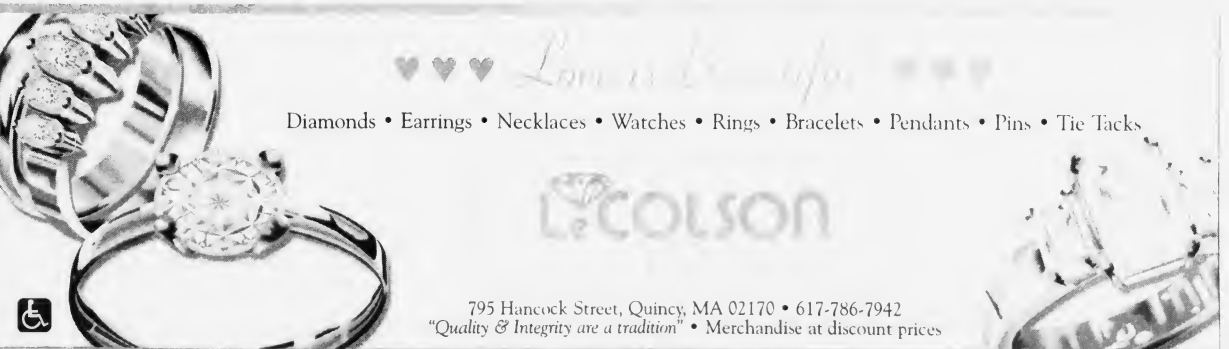
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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Jan. 26 - Feb. 2

Total Calls for Service: 1,080

Total Arrests: 42

Total Stolen Cars: 5

FRIDAY, JAN. 26

LARCENY, 1:16 p.m., Stop and Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Baby food. One party under arrest. Suspect charged with larceny over as well as 15 larceny warrants. Suspect two charged with larceny over.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 3:36 p.m., 69 Taft Rd. Possible attempt. Party noticed door knob has been broken. No signs of break, just old door knob.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:42 p.m., 56 Shea St. Right side back window smashed.

LARCENY, 6:51 p.m., Nova Psychiatric Service, 1261 Furnace Brook Parkway. Past.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:17 p.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Dedham Police recovered motor vehicle before entering TTY.

SATURDAY, JAN. 27

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:46 a.m., 10 Station St. Spraypaint. Paint on the driver's side of vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:18 a.m., 51 Garfield St. Vehicles egged overnight.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 5:11 p.m., 123 Billing St. Past/dwelling. Second floor screen damaged.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:38 p.m., 19 Lawrence St. 1993 Jeep Cherokee, color green.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 11:32 p.m., 33 Turning Mill Ln. Past. Male beaten outside of house.

SUNDAY, JAN. 28

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:01 a.m., 333 Victory Rd. Fight outside and a car was keyed.

LARCENY, 10 a.m., 221 Winthrop St. Garden hose taken from yard.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:30 a.m., Presidential Estates, 1020 Southern Artery. Window smashed - driver's side rear window.

LARCENY, 5:42 p.m., 825 Southern Artery. Pocket book.

LARCENY, 9:16 p.m., 32 Spear St. Arrest made.

MONDAY, JAN. 29

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:41 a.m., 28 Atherton St. To car. Rear driver's side window broken. Alarm sounded sometime during the night.

LARCENY, 9:02 a.m., Bob's Speed Auto Parts, 240 Willard St. About 70 batteries taken, they were core returns, about \$7 to \$9 for each one.

LARCENY, 10:18 a.m., 1419 Hancock St. Past.

LARCENY, 10:32 a.m., 33 Buckingham Rd. Past/ATM.

LARCENY, 11:10 a.m., 177 Willard St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:48 p.m., Vo Tech CTE High School, 107 Woodward Ave. Past.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 3:19 p.m., 11 Woodbine St. Arrest made. All black clothes, 5'8", tattoo on throat, bald head.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:50 p.m., 107 Water St. Dwelling.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:24 p.m., 245 Water St. 2001 Merz S500, color black. Vehicle taken sometime within the last week. State Police Middleboro attempted to pull motor vehicle over which fled.

TUESDAY, JAN. 30

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:53 a.m., Atlantic Middle School, 86 Hollis Ave. Car. Occurred in the teachers' parking lot.

LARCENY, 10:52 a.m., Bank of America, 440

Hancock St. ATM card funds.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:06 p.m., 134 Washington St. 1997 Chevy Malibu, color green.

LARCENY, 12:45 p.m., 97 Crabtree Rd. Past.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:46 p.m., Fuji Restaurant, 1546 Hancock St. Gone on arrival.

ARMED ROBBERY, 6:16 p.m., 290 Quarry St. Knife point. Took female's pocketbook. White male wearing a hat hooded sweatshirt fled on foot towards Quarry St. Held knife to her neck. Occurred in rear of building. Female got out of motor vehicle walked toward house door. Suspect came up, placed knife to her neck. Pocketbook was a gray Aldo. White male, dark blue shirt sweatshirt, light colored jeans.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31

LARCENY, 11:18 a.m., Sovereign Bank, 1150 Hancock St. Past.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:12 p.m., 704 Furnace Brook Parkway. Residence, front door kicked in. Relative secured door, report filed.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 8:40 p.m., 47 Grafton St. On child. Four-year-old child has burns on arm that occurred on way home in school bus.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:38 p.m., 269 Water St. 2001 Nissan Altima, color brown.

THURSDAY, FEB. 1

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:08 a.m., 56 Harrison St. Past. Caller states window was smashed in.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:53 a.m., Tom O'Brien Hyundai, 479 Washington St. Cars keyed. At least two cars damaged.

LARCENY, 9:57 a.m., Bank of Canton, 275 Quincy Ave. Past.

LARCENY, 11:55 a.m., Quincy Police Department, 1 Sea St. Arrest. Suspect arrested by Det. Willard.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:33 p.m., 32 Yardarm Ln. To motor vehicle. Malicious damage, windows smashed on Yellow Cab, rear window broken with rock

FRIDAY, FEB. 2

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:24 a.m., 724 Willard St. Tires.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton.

Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

Anonymous information via a letter or by leaving a message does not provide an opportunity for the detectives to ask questions to gain further knowledge. Even without identifying yourself, your information can be corroborated (validated) in many ways, such as surveillance, which was used in this particular case. Some people are reluctant to report suspicious activity for fear of having to testify or of retaliation, but by calling the hot-line with detailed information, the Drug Unit will be working with you to eradicate drug users in your community.

A Job Well Done

On Monday, Jan. 29, Officers John O'Donnell, Kristen Bowes and Kevin DiMatteo were dispatched to Woodbine Street for a "Breaking and Entering" in progress. While enroute, units were advised that the caller/victim was following the suspect on Hancock Street towards Ferndale Road.

The suspect was described as "a white male dressed all in black, approx. 5'8" and bald with tattoos on his neck." Dispatch then updated the officers that the suspect was running down Ferndale Road towards Oxenbridge Road. Officer O'Donnell arrived on scene and observed a male running up Ferndale Road, pointing towards Oxenbridge Road. Since this person did not match the description of the suspect, the officer turned left onto Oxenbridge Road.



LT. DAN MINTON

As Officer O'Donnell scanned the area for the suspect, he spotted a male in black clothing in his rear view mirror running across the street with someone chasing him. The officer reversed direction and saw the suspect run into the rear of 138 Oxenbridge Rd. Dispatched was advised of where the officer was going out on foot. The officer found the suspect attempting to climb a fence between yards and ordered him to the ground.

The suspect dropped to the ground and Officer O'Donnell handcuffed him. When the officer got a good look at the suspect's face, he recognized him from an earlier medical call at the Wollaston CVS, where the suspect had fallen. The suspect refused medical assistance at that time, stating he was under the influence of Xanax, a prescription medication. At that time, the suspect was able to get up and walk away on his own.

Officer O'Donnell then interviewed the caller/victim, who said he arrived home and noticed and the front door was unlocked. He walked into the house and observed the suspect lying on a recliner with a child's doll on his lap. He confronted the suspect, who fled the home, leaving a black coat and with identification on the porch.

There were no signs of a forced entry. The rest of the house was checked to see if anything of value was missing, but everything looked in place. The suspect, a 41-year-old Quincy resident, was transported to the station by Officer Bowes and charged with "breaking and entering in the daytime with the intent to commit a felony."

Nice Work!

In this case, officers could not find any sign of forced entry into the home, which means most likely that the door was left unlocked. The situation could have been much worse if someone was home when the suspect entered the residence. The fact that the suspect was holding a doll in a recliner would be an indication that he was mentally unstable and therefore, unpredictable.

The victim/caller acted wisely by following the suspect while updating the police, keeping a safe distance so that the officers could apprehend the suspect.

NEED INFORMATION: Citizens are reporting they are receiving calls from organizations stating they are law enforcement agencies, seeking donations. Partial names of these groups are "Fraternal Organization of Police" and "New England Law Enforcement Association." I have been told their number does not show up on caller I.D.

If you happen to get a call from a telemarketer from a law enforcement agency, try to get as much information from them as possible, like their telephone number, their address and what percentage of the donation actually goes to law enforcement.

For those who have asked these questions, the other end of the line goes dead. If you happen to get any of this information, please give me a call so I can follow up on this group. I can be reached at 617-745-5719.

As always, ask for literature before giving and don't be fooled by a "smooth talking" sales pitch.

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Koch Launches Grassroots Campaign With Coffee Hours

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch has launched a series of informal coffee hours in homes across the city to listen to the concerns of residents and share his hopes for Quincy's future.

"People should feel connected to the government they elect and know that they have a voice and vital role in the direction of our city," Koch said. "There's no better way to make that connection than with face-to-face, personal conversation. I want people to get to know me; I want to listen; and I want to start proving that by working together we can do better for Quincy."

The informal coffee hours are designed to bring between 20 and 30 people together in a social setting. The

first one was held last week in Wollaston.

"It was a great night," Koch said. "No one wants to come out on a Friday night to listen to a political speech. So these events really give you a chance to learn about people, their interests and concerns, and at least lay the foundation for the positive new vision that this campaign is all about."

Several more coffee hours are scheduled throughout the month of February, but there are still dates available. Any resident who is interested in hosting a coffee hour, is asked to call Koch campaign headquarters at 617-472-1306, visit www.kochforquincy.com, or email tkoch2007@comcast.net.

Koch described the coffee hour as a starting point for a broader grassroots campaign he hopes to spread across the city in coming months.

In addition to naming his campaign leadership team last week, Koch held his first organizational meeting in Ward 6, which he said, attracted nearly 100 people from North Quincy and Squantum. Organizational meetings continued this week in Ward 1, Koch said.

"We couldn't be happier with the response so far," Koch said. "I think our optimistic message of treating people with honesty and respect and working together to solve our problems is gaining a strong foothold around the city."

Screenings Are Scheduled For Integrated Pre-Kindergarten

Screenings for the Quincy Public Schools "Integrated" Pre-Kindergarten Programs will be held Tuesday, March 27, and again Tuesday, April 10, if necessary.

The programs serve children with special needs and typically developing peers. They must be 3 years old before Aug. 31, 2007. Classes are half day sessions held on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Appointments may be scheduled by calling the school that meet your eligibility requirements no later than Wednesday, March 31. Appointments must be made in advance.

Title I Integrated Pre-Kindergarten Program — Children who reside in the following school districts are eligible for these classes:

Snug Harbor,
617-984-8951
Clifford Marshall,

617-984-8721
Della Chiesa ECC,
617-984-8777

City Wide Integrated Pre-Kindergarten Program — Children who reside in a non-Title I district are eligible for this program. There is a tuition fee for this program.

Snug Harbor,
617-984-8951

CPC Integrated Pre-Kindergarten Program — Children who reside in a non-Title I district and meet the CPC work/income eligibility requirements. Tuition is based on income.

Snug Harbor,
617-984-8951

CPC Pre-Kindergarten and Extended Day — Children with Limited English Proficiency (LEP) and students serving as language models. These classes offer an extended day option. Quincy Community Action

Program at Wollaston School,
617-471-8181.

Special Education Screening — Consistent with the Special Education Act Chapter 766, the Quincy Public Schools conducts a screening for 3-and 4-year-old children in order to identify those who have special needs.

Snug Harbor,
617-984-8951.

For more information, visit www.quincypublicschools.com.

Help With Simple Wills Monthly

Atty. Ed Conroy will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy, every third Friday of the month to assist the elderly with a free explanation of simple wills.

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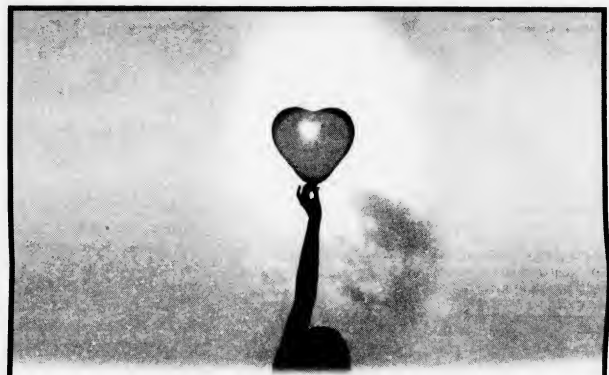
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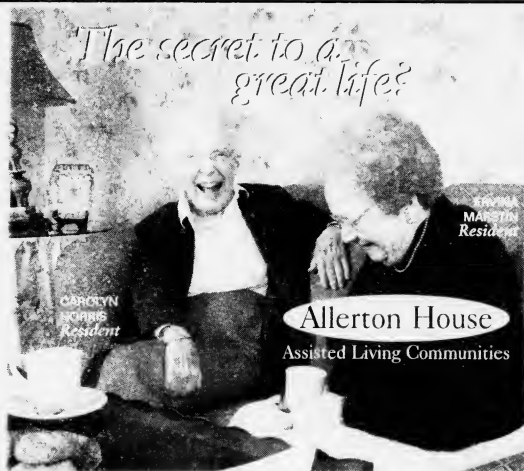
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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Boot Camp Workouts Are Intense

Have you ever wanted to train with the intensity of the military but without the commitment or risk? Many exercisers are finding a way to become involved in this type of intense training through boot camp-inspired classes. The basic principles found in the traditional boot camp have been modified for the average civilian.

Classes often incorporate many of the same exercises that are required during actual boot camp. Push-ups, pull-ups, abdominal exercises, running and obstacle courses are just a few of the exercises used. Classes are structured to include muscular strength, cardiovascular strength and endurance, balance, coordination, body weight training and flexibility.

Many participants not only find these workouts fun, strenuous and challenging, but also effective. The group aspect of boot camp classes also can be intriguing. Added as part of a balanced fitness and nutrition program, boot camp workouts can surely help you reach your fitness goals.

One of the major factors in boot camp classes is the instructor. You will find highly motivated and demanding instructors who will challenge you to push yourself to complete each

workout. Please remember to check the credentials of your instructor to ensure that he or she is qualified to conduct a group and has the knowledge to safely design exercise programs, is CPR and first-aid certified, and is educated and trained in teaching. It is extremely important for your safety to participate in a program that has been designed as an effective workout with minimum risk for injury.

You may find group boot camp classes offered at many fitness facilities, through privately owned group training studios or on home video and DVD. The settings for boot camp classes range from indoor group exercise studios to the beach, parks and converted playgrounds.

If you feel like you have what it takes join the ranks of a boot camp-type training class, why not enroll in a class in your area?

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. Andrea Renee Wyatt, M.S.S., C.S.C.S., is a certified personal trainer with an extensive background in strength and conditioning as well as therapeutic recreation. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@heartsinc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Health Awareness

Stress Affects Body And Mind

(NAPS) -- Stress matters. At least that's what health research tells us. Recent studies have shown that stress can affect your body and mind and not in a good way.

Our bodies evolved to be finely attuned to a predator's attack. When we sense danger, our bodies quickly release hormones into our bloodstream that increase our heart rate, focus our attention and cause other changes to quickly prepare us for coming danger. Stress was and still is crucial to our survival.

The type of stress we're adapted to deal with, however, is the short, intense kind-like fearing a bear will make a lunch of us. The

stresses of modern life-like money trouble, difficulties at work or bad traffic-may not be as extreme, but we often have little time between periods of stress to recuperate. The chronic stress can eventually take both a mental and physical toll.

It's long been known that blood pressure and cholesterol levels go up in people who are stressed. Studies have now linked chronic stress with cardiovascular problems like hypertension, coronary heart disease and stroke.

The immune system is also affected by stress. When your immune cells are bathed in high levels of stress

hormones, they get tuned down. People under a lot of stress, like caregivers of people with Alzheimer's disease, are more likely to get the flu or a cold.

Chronic stress affects the brain, too. Brain cells bombarded by stress signals eventually start to shrink and cut connections to other brain cells. The network that coordinates our thoughts, emotions and reactions starts to rearrange. That may explain why studies have linked high levels of stress hormones with lower memory, focus and problem-solving skills.

You can take several steps to help you cope better with stress. First, get enough sleep.

Sleep deprivation throws your stress hormones off balance.

Develop a network of people you can talk to when life gets difficult. People who have larger social networks live longer.

Keep yourself healthy and fit so your body's better able to deal with stress. Exercise regularly, eat a healthy diet, don't smoke and don't drink to excess.

If your stress seems too much to manage, talk to your health care professional. Many therapies can help you deal with stress and its consequences. The effects of being chronically stressed are too serious to simply accept as a fact of modern life.

Exercise Made Easy

Many Find Customized Workouts Help Them Achieve Fitness Goals

(NAPS) - If losing weight and getting fit has become an important subject to you, these fitness facts may be just the help you need to get started.

The first thing to remember is that moving is good for your body, and you don't need a gym or a personal trainer to get you started. You can simply make it a daily challenge to find ways to move your body.

Climb stairs if given a choice between that and escalators or elevators. Take your dog for a brisk walk; the next time you have to go to the post office, try leaving the car at home and ride a bike instead.

Anything that moves your

limbs is not only a fitness tool, it's a stress buster. Think "move" in small increments of time. Working out doesn't have to be an exhausting two hours at the gym with the added stress of actually getting there and back. In order to make your workout plan stick, your exercise routine has to be flexible and easy to maintain.

Interestingly, more than 80 percent of those who make the resolution to lose weight and get in shape never follow through. The most-cited hurdles relate to time and money. For some, getting to the gym is a chore, or the exercise class may be at an inconvenient time. For those people, a new exercise

television network has been created.

The network, called ExerciseTV, gives viewers who have not followed through on their resolutions to get fit an easy solution to keep them. Anyone with a digital cable subscription can access the network easily using their On-Demand feature and anyone with the Internet can access the Web site at www.exercisetv.tv - all for free. The programs are customized to a viewer's specific goals and the only piece of equipment you need is a remote control.

The network brings viewers original programming and content dedicated to fitness, sports instruction and motivational programming, where top trainers and coaches share their tips, strategies and techniques 24/7. Viewers can choose from hundreds of workout titles for free and get the latest exercise tips and trends. Men and women alike can find workouts and training sessions to suit their individual needs.

ExerciseTV is launching a new, year-round "prescription-based" program called "Your

Resolution Solution" that will let viewers choose from five customized workouts to help them keep their resolution. "Your Resolution Solution" workouts provide a combination of workouts to address the most common fitness goals, from Getting Started to the Stress Reliever Plan and all the way to Beach-Ready Body. Each quarter, the network will introduce a new prescription addressing other common workout goals.

ExerciseTV offers users access to some of the world's leading instructors and coaches. To learn more, including tips for planning workout schedules and full-length workouts, visit Exercisetv.tv.

Remember, before starting any exercise program, it's a good idea to check with a health professional first, especially if you're over 40. And before any exercise, always warm up for a few minutes by performing some arm movements. Then be sure to do some stretches.

Stop exercising if you feel any pain in your joints. Be especially cautious if you've had previous knee pain or injury. After you exercise, always cool down for a few minutes. Then stretch.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

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SPORTS

'League-Title' Rematch For Presidents

By SEAN BRENNAN

By the time you read this, the Quincy boys basketball team will either be tied for the league lead in the Atlantic Coast League North Division with Whitman-Hanson High School, or the Presidents will be in a second place position with two league games remaining and will have to move forward.

Quincy, which currently boasts an 11-3 overall record and an 8-2 league mark, set themselves up for the "league-title" rematch against the Panthers with a convincing 79-47 victory over Plymouth North last Friday. Quincy lost to Whitman-Hanson earlier in the season.

Leading the way for the Presidents was sophomore

BOYS' BASKETBALL

guard Doug Scott. Scott finished the league game with a team high 20 points. Quincy led early and often and held a 43-18 halftime lead.

DeShawn Matthews (10 points, 13 rebounds) and senior captain Steve Connolly (10 points, 10 rebounds) each recorded double-doubles in the win.

"It was just a nice win to get us ready for the big game," head coach Bob Fisher said.

The big game (which was played Tuesday night) will go a long way in deciding which team; Whitman-Hanson or Quincy will have the advantage in the Atlantic Coast League North

Division.

With a win, the Presidents will be on track for their second first-place tie in as many years. Quincy finished last season tied at the top of the league standings with North Quincy. A Whitman-Hanson win would give them a least a share of the division crown with two games to play.

Quincy plays this Friday night against Marshfield High School at home (6:30 tip-off), and will host non-league opponent King Philip High School next Tuesday before closing out their regular season with a rivalry game against North Quincy a week from Friday.

Quincy Youth Basketball Highlights

The following are highlights from the Quincy Youth Basketball league for games that were played on Sunday, Jan. 21.

In the grade 6-8 boys division, Greg Nelson and Torrey Gustin each scored 18 points to help lead Colonial Federal (6-0) to a 45-35 win over Atty. George G. Burke (3-3). Ian Dunphy (5 points) and Alex Dolan (4 points) also scored for Colonial Federal.

For Atty. George G. Burke, Alex Bottari-Mortel scored 16 points, Dillon Beazley scored 11 points and Bobby Kozlowski added 2 points.

In other action, Century 21 Annex Reality (2-4), prevailed over Quincy Fire Fighters, 29-21. Josue Ordonez led all scorers with 24 points. Zachary McLaren contributed 3 points and Jesse Kennedy scored 2 points. Quincy Fire Fighters (1-5) got solid games from Jack Kozlowski (8 points), Brian Gibson (4 points), Brendan Haines (3 points) and Mike Haley, John Jones and Marco Yeung (2 points each).

In the grade 6-8 girls division, Tobin's Tigers topped Rep. Bruce Ayers, 28-14. For Tobin's Tigers (3-3), Kayla Graham scored a game high 16 points. Samantha Minor added 6 points, Alana

DeBello, Patricia Brennan, Nathalie Pham and Ciana Bonfiglio contributed 2 points each and Alana DeBello added 1 point.

For Rep. Bruce Ayers (0-6), Samantha Albanese scored 5 points. Also scoring were Enxhi Taho (3 points), and Michelle Murphy, Lindsey Nazzaro and Alisica Bray (2 points each).

JET Realty prevailed over Quincy Credit Union, 21-17. Leading all scorers was Melissa Linskey with 8 points for JET Realty (6-0). Mariah Anastasi added 7 points, Presley McLaughlin had 4 points and Kathleen Jarrell added 2 points.

Scoring for Quincy Credit Union (3-3) were Melissa McKinnon with 4 points, Rachel Chu with 3 points and Mallory Devoe, Mallory McKinnon, Shannon Leary, Abrar Ahmed and Marisa Foley contributed 2 points each.

In the Cosgrove Division (boys, grades 3-5), Feenan Financial edged Councillor Kevin Coughlin, 24-22. Scoring 8 points each for Feenan Financial (4-2) were Dave Cooper and Alex Linskey. Michael Gendreau added 6 points and Aaron Clancy contributed 2 points.

For Councillor Kevin Coughlin (2-4), Darius Norris scored a game-high

12 points, Anthony Gustin scored 6 points and Rich Ryan added 4 points.

Led by Kyle Richardson scoring 12 points, Morrissey Scantors topped Cosgrove, Eisenberg & Kiley, 28-18. John Grasselli posted 10 points and Tom Furtado 6 for Morrissey Senators (5-1). For CE & K (1-4), Andrew Bell scored 10 points, George Lima scored 6 points and Joe Yacano added 2 points.

McGrath Highway Realty Trust beat Flavin & Flavin, 22-14. Stephen Scolaro led all scorers with 12 points. Padraig Geany added 8 points and Colin Jones 2 points for McGrath Highway (3-3). Matthew Pham scored 8 points for Flavin & Flavin (1-5). Nick Pham added 4 points and Cameron White 2 points.

Yellow Cab fell to Dunkin' Donuts, 36-20, despite Matt Kozlowski sinking both free throws and scoring 16 points for Yellow Cab (2-4). Also scoring for Yellow Cab were Paul Ford and Tim Durgin with 2 points each.

Michael Bina scored 16 points for Dunkin' Donuts (6-0), Steven Quinn and Shamus Hill-Torres each scored 6 points, Jonathan Bain scored 4 points and Kevin Wu and Gianni Hill-Torres with 2 points each.

Lady Presidents Defeat Hanover

The eighth grade Lady Presidents Travel Team played their best defense all season against Hanover, and won their game, 26-22.

Playing in a close game, all the girls showed their pride at both ends of the court and played together as a team.

The Lady Presidents had eight of ten players with two

or more baskets. Christina Cahill, Courtney Peters and Julia White all finished the game with season high in scoring.

Quincy Wrestlers Down North For First Time In 3 Years

The Quincy Presidents' varsity wrestling team defeated their cross-town rivals the North Red Raiders for the first time in three years last week, 40-32. With the win, the Presidents' record stands at 6-13-1 overall and 2-4-1 in Atlantic Coast League action.

Sophomore Liam Keogh's pin-win in the 189-

pound weight class gave the Presidents the duel team victory.

"It was a tremendous win," head coach Pat Lane said. "Definitely a back-and-forth match. This was a big step toward improving the team. We are on the right track now, we just need to keep working hard."

Other winners for Quincy

included freshman Josh Gerry (pin-win at 112-pounds), senior captains Joe McDonald (by decision/130-pounds) and Danny Sok (by decision/135-pounds) and Lewis Chin (by decision/152-pounds).

"The kids are proud and obviously ecstatic and I couldn't be happier for them, they earned it," Lane said.

Quincy-North Track Teams Post Second Victories

The combined Quincy/North Quincy boys and girls track teams both earned their second victories of the winter season with duel meet wins over Norwell High School last week.

The Quincy/North Quincy girls' team defeated Norwell, 55-45, to finish their duel meet schedule with a 2-3 overall record.

Sophomore Rachael Kananoff won the one-mile event in a personal best time of 5:55.1. Sophomore Jessica Davis took home a first-place finish in the two-mile race with a time of 13:51.3. Other winners for Quincy/North Quincy included senior Kelly

Pineo in the shot put (31-3 feet) and junior Rebecca Stanton in the high jump event (4-5 feet).

The Quincy/North Quincy boys' team dispatched of Norwell, 52-44, to finish their duel meet season at 2-3 overall.

Junior Danny Jackson won the 55-meter dash with a time of 7:16. Jackson will compete in this event at the States.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame Seeks Nominations

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee are now accepting nominations for induction into the Quincy High School Baseball Hall of Fame on Tuesday May 8, at the Sons of Italy hall.

Any Quincy High School graduate, who played baseball for at least two years and graduated before 1997, is eligible for nomination.

Also, for the first time, anyone who played baseball

for the "Old" Quincy Trade School will also be eligible for induction into the Quincy High School Baseball Hall of Fame.

To nominate a former player, send your nomination

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by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

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North Quincy Improves To 14-3 Record

The North Quincy girls' basketball team upped its regular season record to 14-3 overall and 9-2 in the Atlantic Coast League with a one win/one loss record last week. The Raiders currently sit in second place in the Atlantic Coast League's North Division, one game behind the league leading Whitman-Hanson Panthers.

North Quincy had the opportunity to wedge its way into a first-place tie with Whitman-Hanson with two league games remaining, but the Red Raiders lost to the Panthers early last week by a score of 67-60. North Quincy had defeated Whitman-Hanson in the two teams first meeting, 47-42, on Dec. 19.

The first ten minutes of the game was filled with missed scoring opportunities for both teams, and neither team could hold on to the basketball. The Panthers finally gained their footing and pulled out to an eight-point halftime lead.

North Quincy's Rebecca Goreham (14 points, 15

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

rebounds) was continually challenged in the paint by the Panthers' offense and as a result she quickly got herself into foul trouble, and the Red Raiders' deficit went from eight to 16 points early in the second-half.

"I told the girls going in they need to take away Whitman-Hanson's postplay and offensive rebounding," head coach Doug MacFarlane said. "They (Whitman-Hanson) got big offensive boards when they needed it."

North Quincy is not one of the best team's on the South Shore for nothing, and a late comeback attempt that cut the Panthers' lead down to seven points with 2:30 to play showed the resiliency of this Red Raider team. Leading the second-half surge for North Quincy were sophomore Siobhan Carnell (14 points, seven rebounds) and senior point guard Lauren Stille (10 points), but when

Goreham fouled out with 1:13 left, the game was decided.

North Quincy rebounded from the Whitman-Hanson loss with a huge Atlantic Coast League win over Marshfield High School later in the week. The Raiders won 54-35 to keep their faint league title aspirations alive.

Goreham once again dominated all aspects of the game. The all-star finished the game with a 12 point, seven rebound, seven steal and five assist scoring line.

The Red Raiders played non-league opponent Brockton High School on Monday (Senior Night) and traveled down to Plymouth North on Tuesday night for an ACL contest against the Eagles. The team will take a ten-day layoff before finishing up their regular season with the second of two games against Quincy High School on Feb. 16.

Raiders Bow To Marshfield

By SEAN BRENNAN

As the North Quincy Red Raider hockey team discovered this past Saturday, it is always tough to beat a good team twice in one season.

The Red Raiders lost to Marshfield High School, 4-3, in a well-played high school hockey game at the Quincy Youth Arena. The Raiders had previously handed the Rams their only league loss of the year in the second week of the season.

With this league loss, the Raiders can all but kiss any hopes of a league title goodbye. At 5-5-3 overall and 5-3-3 in Atlantic Coast League play, North Quincy needs to return to form over their last four games (two initial shot was blocked, he gathered the deflection and buried it into the back of the net for a 3-2 lead. But the Rams, who outshot North Quincy 18-7 in the period, tied the game at 3-3 on another Nichols goal at 8:46 of the second period.

Nichols' third and final goal in the third period shut the door on the Raiders, and after one last scoring chance in the final minute, the Raiders fell, 4-3.

Senior captain Nash Winters responded to the Rams' opening goal with one

of his own just two minutes later. Senior defenseman Ken Patey assisted on the goal. North Quincy took the early 2-1 advantage in the closing minute of the first period on a goal by senior captain Jimmy Fitzpatrick (assists went to Patey and sophomore Brandon Gilmore).

The Rams responded to the late Raider goal in the first period with a quick strike of their own in the second. Marshfield's Craig Nichols (hat trick) scored off a rebound and just like the score was tied at 2-2.

The feisty Red Raiders once again took a lead almost immediately after Nichols' goal. At the 2:28 mark, Gilmore streaked up the middle of the ice and after his initial shot was blocked, he gathered the deflection and buried it into the back of the net for a 3-2 lead. But the Rams, who outshot North Quincy 18-7 in the period, tied the game at 3-3 on another Nichols goal at 8:46 of the second period.

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"We did play a nice first

period, when you saw two evenly-matched teams going at it," head coach Bob Doyle said. "But we were flat-footed in the whole second period, and Marshfield was taking it to us. But the big thing to me is that we stemmed that tide, regrouped, and had a chance to win it in the third period. That third period was great up-and-down hockey."

North Quincy, which had been on a six game losing streak, broke through with a win early last week in a league game versus Whitman-Hanson High School. The Red Raiders defeated the Panthers by a 1-0 score.

Jimmy Fitzpatrick tallied the only goal of the game just 30 seconds after the opening face-off. Assists on the goal went to Patey and sophomore defenseman Joey Vialpando.

Senior Max Adams made 21 saves for the shutout.

The team's final push for a post-season spot depends on the results of their final four games against Plymouth North (tonight), Hanover (Sat.), Quincy (next Wed. at 7:10) and Silver Lake (2/17). The Red Raiders need to finish with a .500 record or better to qualify.

Quincy Girls' Basketball Dribbles Past Norwell, Plymouth N.

The Quincy girls' hoops team may have ended the month of January on a down note (losses to North Quincy and Fontbonne Academy), but their hot start to the month of February may have salvaged their post-season dreams.

Quincy defeated Norwell High School on Feb. 1 by a score of 58-38 and then came back the next day with a big league win over Plymouth North, 60-41.

The modest two-game winning streak puts the Presidents' overall record at

8-8. The team is 6-4 in the Atlantic Coast League.

In the game that was called by the coaches as "the biggest game of the year," Quincy avenged their season-opening loss by thoroughly handling an unsuspecting Norwell team.

The team's tri-captains all played major roles in the victory.

"Meagan Tobin started out cold, but quickly heated up by scoring 13 first-half points and finishing with a season-high 22 points (including four three-

pointers)," head coach Jeff Bretsch said. "Marybeth Torpey also played a huge game scoring 11 points and directing the offense. Bridhid Kyle hit several key jumpers early on and finished with 11 points as well."

The team's offense was complemented by a strong defensive effort from the whole team and the effort did not go unnoticed by Bretsch.

"The story of the night wasn't the shooting, it was the improved intensity of the Quincy defense," Bretsch boasted. "The white jerseys

were everywhere, diving, scrapping and hustling to every loose ball. Marybeth Torpey set the tone with her tremendous individual man to man on Norwell's superstar Katelyn Stravinsky."

The entire team effort carried over into their next game against Plymouth North the following night.

Quincy outscored the Eagles 24-30 start the game, and their stingy press defense only allowed Plymouth North to get past half-court four times in the game's first

eight minutes.

"The hot first half shooting of Torpey (3 threes) and Tobin (2 threes) was too much for the Eagles to handle," Bretsch said. "Our defense and hot shooting gave us a 35-13 halftime lead."

The second half was more of the same for the Presidents and when the final whistle blew, Quincy was right back in the mix for a post-season spot.

The leading scorers for Quincy in the game included

Torpey (18 points, 7 assists), Tobin (13 points), Kyle (8 points), juniors Kathryn Carella (5 points) and Julie Kisielius (5 points) and sophomore Alyssa Mullen (4 points).

The Presidents, who played on Tuesday against Whitman-Hanson, travel down to Marshfield this Friday, before traveling down to Plymouth South next Tuesday.

The team will host North Quincy a week from Friday. Tip-off is scheduled for 5:00 p.m.



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of service. Technicians must be certified by the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE).

- Decide what kind of shop can best handle the work. You may not necessarily go to the same place for all repairs.

- Ask friends, family members, and others for recommendations of technicians they trust.

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(NAPS) - Growing

evidence shows American consumers are turning to diesel-powered vehicles to help them save money on fuel costs without having to sacrifice power and performance.

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Schaeffer of the Diesel Technology Forum. Diesel vehicles are inherently fuel efficient, typically getting 20 to 40 percent more miles per gallon than gasoline vehicles.

According to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, America could save up to 1.4 million barrels of oil per day, an amount equivalent to the oil we currently import from Saudi Arabia, if one-third of U.S. cars, pickups and SUVs were diesel-powered.

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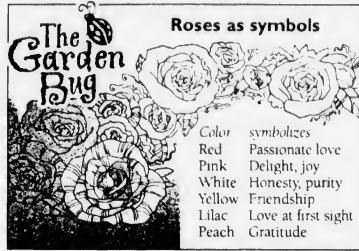
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 - 5 Taxi
 - 8 Pub refreshments
 - 12 Press agent?
 - 13 Dos Passos trilogy
 - 14 Stick in the mud
 - 15 Languid
 - 17 Largest of the seven
 - 18 Pianist-composer Erik
 - 19 Tea Party figure
 - 21 One-on-one battle
 - 24 Conk out
 - 25 Cheat on a test
 - 28 Faction
 - 30 Thanksgiving abbr.
 - 33 Monokini's lack
 - 34 Argonauts' skipper
 - 35 Cain's mother
 - 36 D.C. VIP
 - 37 Anise-flavored liqueur
 - 38 Boast
 - 39 Comic-strip squeal
 - 41 Small combo
 - 43 Topped
 - 46 Seedy bars
 - 50 Pelvic bones
 - 51 Believer in perfection
 - 54 Hit ABC series
 - 55 Sticky stuff
 - 56 Differently
 - 57 Apportion
 - 58 Coop
 - 59 Profound
 - DOWN**
 - 1 Rembrandt's creations
 - 2 Met melody
 - 3 Emcee
 - 4 Sloppy
 - 5 Poolroom need
 - 6 Ninny
 - 7 Wild party
 - 8 Cremona craftsman
 - 9 Audience member
 - 10 Pennsylvania port
 - 11 Burn somewhat
 - 16 Romanian money
 - 20 Mideast gulf
 - 22 Birthright barter
 - 23 "Mephisto Waltz" composer
 - 25 "60 Minutes" home
 - 26 Raw rock
 - 27 "Meet the Press" participant
 - 29 Entrance
 - 31 Eggs
 - 32 What couch potatoes do
 - 34 Monologue component
 - 38 Prepared lobster
 - 40 Cheer up
 - 42 Mrs. McKinley
 - 43 Movie
 - 44 Lotion additive
 - 45 Almost here
 - 47 Contemptible
 - 48 Being, to Brutus
 - 49 Dance lesson
 - 52 A female deer
 - 53 A billion years



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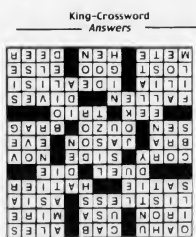


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2. MUSIC: Which rock singer's nickname is "The Boss"?
3. LANGUAGE: Who are the cognosciti?
4. GEOGRAPHY: Which province of Canada lies directly north of Washington state in the U.S.?
5. LITERATURE: Who coined the phrase "nerd"?
6. MOVIES: Who starred in the film "City Slickers"?
7. NATURAL WORLD: What order in the animal kingdom do sea mammals like manatees belong to?
8. HISTORY: "Baby Doc" Duvalier was dictator of what country before he was overthrown?
9. TELEVISION: In what comedy series did the robot Hymie appear?
10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Who was Gumby's sidekick in the animated series?

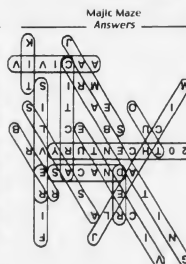
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 2. Bruce Springsteen
 3. Intellectuals
 4. British Columbia
 5. Dr. Seuss (Theodor Geisel)
 6. Billy Crystal
 7. Order Sirenia
 8. Haiti
 9. "Get Smart"
 10. Pokey

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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) An apparently friendly offer comes with some strings attached. Be careful not to get tied into something you don't really want. Thoroughly examine all your options before making a choice.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) If you're not careful, distractions can interrupt your best efforts. Continue to focus on what you need to do. You'll soon have lots of time to enjoy the rewards of your dedication.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Knowledge replaces suspicion as you begin to learn more about that "act of betrayal." On a lighter note, someone close to you might be planning a pleasant surprise.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Control your sometimes-overactive jealousy gene before you find yourself saying or doing something that you could later regret. Best advice: Stop obsessing and move on.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) It's a good time to loosen up and do something wonderful and exciting before your more reserved nature resurfaces. A message brings news of imminent change.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Cheer up. Things begin to improve significantly by mid-February. However, you might still need help to get through the rest of this sometimes-difficult period.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Something you learned last week takes on new meaning as you begin to relate it to another situation in your life. It's best to keep this matter to yourself for now.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your energy level is climbing, and so is your self-confidence. Good for you, because you'll need a good dollop of both to tackle an exciting challenge on the way.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A family issue might interrupt a career-linked project. Try to give the matter the attention it needs, but be careful not to jeopardize your workplace situation.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Some self-doubt shows up this week, causing you to question your ability to handle a new challenge. But you know you can do it, and this is your chance to prove it.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A personal matter requires you to be as clear and forthcoming as possible in order to avoid misunderstandings. A career move is eased with the emergence of new facts.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a way of reaching people that makes them feel good about themselves. You would be a splendid motivational speaker.

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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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OBITUARIES

Bethany S. Jones, 58

Retired Bank Of Boston Employee

A funeral service for Bethany S. (Sears) Jones, 58, of Quincy, formerly of Hull, Boston and Taunton, a retired bank employee, was conducted Feb. 2 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mrs. Jones died Jan. 30 at home after a long illness.

Born and raised in Taunton, she was educated in Taunton schools and was a 1966 graduate of Taunton High School.

She graduated from Northeastern University in 1971 and from the Suffolk University School of Business Management.

She had lived in Quincy for two years. Previously, she had lived in Hull for 12 years and also in Boston and Taunton.

Mrs. Jones was employed for 26 years with the former Bank of Boston. She retired in 2000.

She later worked for several years for the Korb & Associates in Boston.

She enjoyed art, music



BETHANY S. JONES and traveling.

She is survived by her husband, Gerald A. Jones; a step-son, Zachary P. Jones of Plymouth; her mother, Virginia (Barry) Sears of Taunton; two sisters, Sarah Rickey of Bath, N.H., and Jane Sears of Taunton; and a brother, Joel Sears of Taunton.

She was the daughter of the late David Sears.

Burial was private. Memorial donations may be made to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th floor, Brookline, MA 02445-7226.

Alfred J. DeLuca, 84

Retired Letter Carrier

A funeral Mass for Alfred J. DeLuca, 84, of Quincy, a retired letter carrier, was celebrated Feb. 1 at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Mr. DeLuca died Jan. 28 at Milton Hospital.

He worked for the Postal Service at South Postal Annex in Boston.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Born in Cambridge, Mr. DeLuca lived in Quincy.

Husband of the late Rose M. (Polliatti) DeLuca, he is

survived by a son, Michael A. DeLuca of Weymouth; a daughter, Maryanne Hamaty of Quincy; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Dana Farber Cancer Research Institute, 44 Binney St., Boston, MA 02215 or the American Heart Association.

Toy Har Lee, 90

Worked In Family-Owned Laundry Service

A Chinese funeral rite for toy Har (Gee) Lee, 90, of Quincy, was held Feb. 2 at Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Mrs. Lee died Jan. 28 at home.

Born in Toishan, China, she immigrated to the United States at the end of World War II to join her husband, the late Soon Lee, who has joined the U.S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee were married for 65 years. Their marriage had been arranged for them in China.

Mrs. Lee became a U.S. citizen of June 25, 1981, in a ceremony at Faneuil Hall in Boston.

She lived most of her life on Sydney Street in the Savin Hill section of Dorchester, where she and her husband worked in their family owned laundry service for nearly 30 years and raised six children.

When the laundry service closed, she worked in a clothing factory for 10 years before retiring.

Mrs. Lee was a member of the Lee Association of New England in Chinatown.

She knew little English



TOY HAR LEE

when she first came to the United States, but she embraced the culture and was a fan action films starring Sean Connery.

She was also a fan of the Boston Red Sox.

Mrs. Lee maintained Chinese traditions and enjoyed cooking and celebrating the holidays. She also enjoyed maintaining her vegetable garden.

She is survived by three daughters, Mary Fuller of Hanson, Fay Lee and Mary Lee of Quincy; three sons, Vincent Lee and Gene Lee of Quincy and Leon Lee of Hingham; six grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

She was the mother of the late Hong Lee.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Mary C. MacDonald, 74

Retired Secretary

A funeral Mass for Mary C. (McDonald) MacDonald, 74, of Weymouth, a former secretary, was celebrated Monday in St. Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Mrs. MacDonald died Feb. 1 at home.

She worked for the Estabrook Company in Boston and Glazon Sales in Quincy.

Born and raised in Quincy, she was a graduate of Quincy High School.

She enjoyed cooking and entertaining, especially at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Mrs. MacDonald also enjoyed ceramics and trips to Foxwoods.

She is survived by her husband of 37 years, Neil F. MacDonald; a daughter, Kerry A. MacDonald; four brothers, Frank McDonald of



MARY C. MACDONALD

Lakeville, John McDonald of Weymouth, and Tom McDonald and Philip McDonald of Quincy; a sister, Susan McDonald of Dorchester; and a granddaughter.

Burial was in Old North Cemetery, Weymouth.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, Quincy.

Faith M. McLarnon, 87

Retired Dance Teacher

A memorial service for Faith M. (Eddy) McLarnon, 87, of Wells, Maine, formerly of Quincy, a retired dance teacher, was held Feb. 2 at Johnson Funeral Home, North Berwick, Maine.

Mrs. McLarnon died Jan. 26 at Harbor Homes in York, Maine.

She owned and operated the Faith McLarnon School of Dance in Quincy for 29 years. She choreographed many local productions and created and designed costumes for the Boston Ballet's first production of "The Nutcracker."

Born in Somerville, she was raised in Quincy and attended North Quincy High School.

Mrs. McLarnon lived most of her life in Quincy and Weymouth before moving to Wells.

She and her husband, the late Douglas McLarnon, owned a cottage for more than 35 years on Bauneg Beg Lake in North Berwick.

Burial will be in the

Maine.

She enjoyed playing the piano, gourmet cooking, knitting, painting, sewing, quilting, rug braiding, gardening, golfing, painting and photography. She won a scholarship to the School of the Museum of Fine Arts.

Mrs. McLarnon was a troop leader for the Camp Fire Girls and a camp counselor. After they retired, she and her husband of 56 years traveled the world, including trips to Thailand, China and Australia. During her travels, she collected art, clocks and dolls.

She is survived by three daughters, Fern Gladstone of Waltham, Nanci Palmer of Weymouth and Beth McLarnon of Maine; a son, Brian McLarnon of West Virginia; a sister, Patricia Gesler of Delaware; a brother, Melvin Eddy of Florida; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Burial will be in the

Josephine F. Ditty, 89

Retired School Cafeteria Manager

A funeral Mass for Josephine F. (Koch) Ditty, 89, of Quincy, a retired school cafeteria manager, was celebrated Feb. 3 at St.

Joseph the Worker Church, Hanson.

Mrs. Ditty died Jan. 26 at home.

Born in New York City, she had lived in Flushing, N.Y., before moving to Quincy.

Wife of the late George Ditty, she is survived by a daughter, Loretta Coogan of Middleboro; a son, Robert Ditty; a brother, Eugene Koch; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Old Colony Hospice, One Credit Union Way, Randolph, MA 02368.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

It is the time of the year to pay homage to a great American... the 16th President of the United States - Abraham Lincoln.

"Honest Abe's" fundamental strength - as a human being, as a politician, and as chief executive of our nation - was his love of his fellow man and, conversely,



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Lincoln was more than a great American. He was a great humanitarian who made his way to immortality through the force of his own intellectual powers and faultless character.

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Carl H. Erickson, 85

Retired Sheet Metal Worker

A funeral service for Carl H. "Swede" Erickson, 85, a retired sheet metal worker, was held Tuesday at Quincy Point Congregational Church, Quincy.

Mr. Erickson died Jan. 31 at Southwood at Norwell Nursing Center.

He worked for Bethlehem Steel and General Dynamics for 45 years.

Born in Sweden, he lived in Quincy for most of his life.

He was a 1939 graduate of Braintree High School where he played baseball, football and basketball.

He was an avid golfer and bowler and played local semi-professional sports.

Mr. Erickson was a member of Rural Lodge of Masons in Quincy and a past president of both the Swedish Square and Compass Club of Boston and the South Shore Viking Club of Braintree.

He was a past chief of Stenil Lodge of the Independent Order of Vikings.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Evelyn (Mastico) Erickson; four daughters, Carol Malm of



CARL H. ERICKSON

Norwell, Nancy Shapiro of Norfolk, Janet Guimond of Hanover and Susan Harris of Kent, England; two brothers, Robert Erickson of West Yarmouth and Arthur Erickson of New Port Richey, Fla.; 18 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; and 11 nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree. Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Danielle E. Oliverio, 25

Former Waitress

A funeral Mass for Danielle E. Oliverio, 25, of Quincy, a former waitress, will be celebrated Friday at 10 a.m. in Saint Joseph's Church, 550 Washington St., Quincy.

Ms. Oliverio died Jan. 29 in Wilmington.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Quincy and was a lifelong resident of the city. She was educated in Quincy schools.

She was a former waitress at several restaurants in Quincy.

Ms. Oliverio enjoyed music and swimming.

She is survived by a son, Anthony J. Oliverio of Quincy; her parents, John G. Oliverio of Quincy and Kimberley A. (Griffin) of Brockton; a brother Brendan J. Oliverio of Quincy; her grandparents, Jane A. Oliverio of Quincy and Gloria B. Griffin of Quincy; and many aunts, uncles and



DANIELLE E. OLIVERO cousins. She was the granddaughter of the late Robert J. Oliverio and the late Eugene P. Griffin, Lt. Q.F.D., Retired.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery.

Visiting hours are today (Thursday) from 4 to 8 p.m. at Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy Teen Mother's Program, c/o 18 Spear St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Laura B. DeCristofaro, 78

Former Quincy Parking Control Officer

A funeral Mass for Laura B. (Lutes) DeCristofaro, 78, of Quincy, a former Quincy parking control officer, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Joseph Church, Quincy.

Mrs. DeCristofaro died Feb. 3 at Boston Medical Center.

She was one of the original three women hired as parking control officers, or "meter maids," for the city. She spent 26 years at the job.

Born and raised in Quincy, she was a 1946 graduate of Quincy High School.

She was chairwoman of her 60th-year class reunion, succeeding her classmate and late husband of 58 years, Jim DeCristofaro.

Mrs. DeCristofaro was a former member and past prefect of the Ladies Sodality at St. Joseph Church in Quincy.

She enjoyed volunteering at the 1000 Southern Artery senior housing, where she lived. She also enjoyed spending time at her summer home in Littleton, N.H., and traveling to Florida during the winter.

She is survived by three sons, Paul J. DeCristofaro of



LAURA DeCRISTOFARO

North Easton, Robert J. DeCristofaro of Braintree and David F. DeCristofaro of Rockland; two daughters, Linda A. Marani of Halifax and Joan M. Dunne of Walpole; a sister, Marie Hultin of Rockport; 11 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Ann Marie DeCristofaro Memorial Scholarship, Coyle and Cassidy High School, 2 Hamilton St., Taunton, MA 02780.

Edith F. Dillon, 79

Insurance Broker

A funeral Mass for Edith F. (Feeley) Dillon, 79, of Quincy, an insurance broker, was celebrated Monday at Immaculate Conception Church, East Weymouth.

Mrs. Dillon died Feb. 1 at Quincy Medical Center.

She was an insurance broker for many years for agencies in Weymouth.

Born and raised in Dorchester, Mrs. Dillon lived in Weymouth for 21 years before moving to Quincy.

She enjoyed the howling league at Timberlanes in Abington.

She is survived by her

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husband, Matthew J. Dillon; three sons, Matthew J. Dillon of Los Angeles, Calif., Richard J. Dillon of Weymouth, and William M. Dillon of Merrimac, Maine; a daughter, Eileen M. Allen of Weymouth; her twin sister, Evelyn Maguire of Weymouth; and eight grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were by McDonald Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Phillip F. Fisher, 70

Counselor

A funeral Mass for Phillip F. Fisher, 70, of Quincy, a retired counselor, was celebrated Wednesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Fisher died Feb. 2 at the New England Medical Center in Boston after a brief illness.

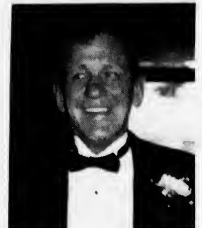
Born in Boston, he was raised in South Boston and attended South Boston schools. He had lived in South Boston before moving to Quincy 10 years ago.

Mr. Fisher was a counselor for many years, assisting with drug and alcohol rehabilitation. He retired several years ago.

He was a Friend of Bill.

Mr. Fisher served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War.

He is survived by his former wife, Elizabeth A. "Betty" (Harding) Alvarado of Quincy; a daughter, Virginia A. "Ginny" Gilmartin



PHILLIP F. FISHER

of Hanover; a son, Phillip F. Fisher, Jr. of Quincy; two brothers, Raymond Fisher of Dorchester and Russell Fisher of Belmont; and three grandchildren.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Pine Street Inn, 444 Harrison Ave., Boston, MA 02118.

Margaret P. Duffy

A funeral Mass for Margaret P. (Kline) Duffy, 91, of Chestnut Hill, formerly of Quincy and Freeport, Maine, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Theresa's Chapel, West Roxbury.

Mrs. Duffy died Feb. 2 in Chestnut Hill.

Wife of the late Paul F. Duffy and Michael C. Mahoney, she is survived by

a son, Michael T. Mahoney of West Roxbury; two sisters, Anne Cunningham of Jamaica Plain and Kay Cameron of Amesbury; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Arrangements were by William J. Gormley Funeral Home, West Roxbury.

Bereavement Support Group

Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy, will host a free, seven-week bereavement support group on Wednesdays from 4 to 5:30 p.m. beginning in February.

The support group will meet Wednesday afternoons for seven consecutive weeks and is designed to help

people coping with the recent loss of a loved one to alleviate feelings of grief and begin the healing process.

The program is free. Pre-registration is required.

For more information or to register, contact the Quincy Medical Center Pastoral Care Department at (617) 376-5502.

Helen A. Del Vecchio, 89

Quality Control Inspector For Gillette

A funeral Mass for Helen A. (Stadulnikas) Del Vecchio, 89, of Marlborough, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Feb. 3 at Immaculate Conception Church, Marlborough.

Mrs. Del Vecchio died Jan. 31 at Coleman House Nursing Home in Northboro.

She was a quality control inspector for the Gillette Co. in Boston, retiring in 1975.

Born in Norwood, she lived in Quincy for many years and moved to Marlboro in 2003, following the death of her husband,

Michael Del Vecchio. Mrs. Del Vecchio was a former member of St. Joseph's Parish in Quincy.

She enjoyed dancing and traveling. She visited throughout the U.S., Europe and Japan.

She is survived by a daughter, Carolyn A. Sardella of Spring Hill, Fla., and four grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were made by the William Robert Short and Son Funeral Home, Marlboro.



The family of Dorothy Brooks would like to thank the many friends and families who expressed their sympathy for the loss of our mother, wife, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend. All of the support we've received through this difficult time has helped us cope with our grief.

Grandpa loved gardening, baseball, and playing the harmonica.



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Catholic Women's Prayer Group Meets Monthly

The Catholic parishes of Quincy are sponsoring a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group.

The meetings are being held the third Tuesday of

each month. The next one will be Feb. 20 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. at St. Joseph's Conference Room, Washington St., Quincy Point.

Women of other faiths are

welcomed to attend.

For more information contact Sister Pat Boyle at St. Ann's, 617-479-5400 or Dorothy Ruggiero of St. Joseph's at 617-472-6321.

Dramatist At Bethany Church Feb. 25

Bethany Congregational Church, Spear and Coddington Sts., Quincy Center, invites the public, especially women of all ages, to a presentation by Dramatist, Linda Gray Kelley, Sunday, Feb. 25 at 2 p.m.

Kelley's topic will be Women of the Holy Bible, New Testament, as they lived through times of The Passion, the Good News and the Resurrection, a suitable contemplation for the first Sunday of Lent.

The 2 p.m. program will be followed by afternoon tea. A contribution of \$5 is requested for admission.

Reservations are suggested for church groups of more than six. Call 617-479-7300 or 617-472-6033.

Women's Prayer Breakfast March 31

The ninth annual Women's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 31 at St. Ann's School Hall, 1 St. Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and breakfast will

be served at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Using our gifts to serve God and others."

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ann Suredell, pastor of Quincy Point Congrega-

tional Church.

Tickets are \$12 each and may be purchased by calling 617-773-6203.

Proceeds will benefit the social service programs at Interfaith Social Services.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service. His sermon topic is "You Light Up My Life."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Morrisette Post 78th Annual Memorial Mass Feb. 19

Morrisette Legion Post will hold its 78th annual memorial Mass Monday, Feb. 19 at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Church, Crescent Street, West Quincy.

Past Commanders Henry Bradley and Lawrence Norton will read the roll call of deceased members from 2006-2007. A list of names

of all the deceased members will be distributed to families and guests to take home. Tom Stansbury is chief marshal.

Honored guests will be the families of the deceased veterans.

Morrisette Post members, veterans' organizations and the general public are urged

to attend the special ceremony honoring all deceased veterans.

Prayers will be offered for all uniformed men and women who are deployed overseas particularly in Iraq and Afghanistan.

New veterans and their families are welcome to join Morrisette Post.

New Youth Group At United Methodist

A new youth group has formed at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The group, called "Beale Street Buddies," consists of youth from grammar school to early high school.

Under the guidance of co-leaders Brian and Nancy

White, the group meets once a month after worship for crafts and games.

Future events planned include mystery rides, picnics, and trips to Pawtucket Red Sox games.

The groups' first major project will be Feb. 10. The Buddies, under the supervi-

sion of church adults and members of the New Women group, will prepare and serve a pasta dinner. This will be followed by a dj'd dance.

The group welcomes all to join in the fun.

For more information, call Quincy Community United Methodist Church at 617-773-3319.

Free Financial Advice At COA

Mark Bossey of the Boston South Financial Group will be at the Council on

Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., Quincy, on the fourth Friday of every month to of-

fer free financial advice to seniors.

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Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church

550 Washington Street
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617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES:
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Weekday Masses 9am
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Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
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Daily Masses: 9:00 AM
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Children's Class 10 a.m.
Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m.
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email: info@quantumcf.org

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QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
40 Beale St., Wollaston
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Angelina A. Cingolani, 88

Sales Associate At Jordan Marsh

A funeral Mass for Angelina A. (DeLongo) Cingolani, 88, of Quincy, a retired sales associate and homemaker, was celebrated Wednesday in Saint Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mrs. Cingolani died Feb. 2 at the Colonial Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Weymouth after a brief illness.

Born in Cohasset, she moved to Quincy at an early age and was a Quincy resident most of her life. She attended Quincy schools and graduated from Quincy High School.

She was a devoted homemaker and was also employed at the former Jordan Marsh as a sales associate.

She enjoyed dancing; she and her husband would go dancing every weekend.

Mrs. Cingolani enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She also enjoyed gardening and yardwork.

She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the

Quincy Sons of Italy.

Wife of the late Dante "Danny" Cingolani, she is survived by a daughter, Ellen Obshatkin of Quincy; two sons, Daniel P. Cingolani of Abington and John M. Cingolani of Bourne; three sisters, Janet Baldassini of Braintree, Lorraine Lecomte and Dorothy McDonough, both of Wilmington; a brother, Michael DeLongo of Randolph; seven grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Liver Foundation, NE Chapter, 88 Winchester St., Newton, MA 02461; the Brain Aneurysm Foundation, 612 East Broadway, South Boston, MA 02127; or to the Children's Hospital, P.O. Box 414421, Boston, MA 02241.

Catherine B. Mullin, 93

Homemaker



CATHERINE B. MULLIN
1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

A funeral Mass for Catherine B. (Hickey) Mullin, 93, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Monday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. Mullin died Feb. 1 at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Quincy after a long illness.

Born in Quincy, she was a lifelong Quincy resident. She lived most of her life in the Quincy Point section of Quincy.

Mrs. Mullin was educated in Quincy schools and graduated from Quincy High School.

A devoted homemaker, she enjoyed spending time with her family.

She also enjoyed sewing and was an avid Boston Red Sox fan.

Wife of the late Reginald S. "Reggie" Mullin, she is survived by a daughter, Patricia A. Mullin of Randolph and a son, Kevin M. Mullin of Trustin, Calif. Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals,

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0135EP**

In the Estate of
GEORGE C. SMITH JR.
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
December 26, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that KEVIN F. SMITH of READING in the County of MIDDLESEX and STEPHEN G. SMITH of MARSHFIELD in the County of PLYMOUTH and BARRY F.X. SMITH of N READING in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 7, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 24, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0114EP**

In the Estate of
JOSEPH M. PUZINAS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
August 9, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that MARTHA B. PUZINAS of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 7, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 22, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/8/07

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The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
Norfolk Division
Docket No. 05P1085AT**

Notice of Fiduciary's Account

To the persons interested in the estate of Harold F. McCormack late of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st and final account(s) of Jan W. Whiting as special administrator (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the **6th day of March, 2007** the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at Canton this 25th day of January, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/8/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0151EP**

In the Estate of
JEAN G. TAYLOR
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
October 21, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that F. STEPHEN TAYLOR of CONCORD in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 7, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 24, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/8/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 06-099
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, FEBRUARY 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of 92 SEA AVENUE, LLC for a VARIANCE to subdivide the existing lot and construct two new single family structures in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (height, lot size, frontage) on the premises numbered 92 SEA AVENUE, QUINCY.

Noreen Brenzi, Clerk

2/8, 2/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

September 5, 2006

ORDER NO. 2006-223
ORDERED:

Be it ordained by the City Council that the Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.12, Signs, Signals and Markers
Section 10.12.040 Stop Signs Authorized where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

STREET	INTERSECTING WITH	DIRECTION	TYPE OF REGULATION
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ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

2/8/07

Salvatore A. DellaBarba

Retired Machinist

A funeral Mass for Salvatore A. DellaBarba, 79, of Quincy, a retired machinist, was celebrated Wednesday at Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy Center.

Mr. DellaBarba died Feb. 3 at Quincy Medical Center. He worked for many years at Bethlehem Steel and General Dynamics at the former Fore River shipyard in Quincy.

He served in the Navy during World War II and on occupation duty in Japan.

Born in Quincy, Mr. DellaBarba was a lifelong resident of Quincy. He was a graduate of Quincy High School.

He is survived by a sister, Theresa Chella of Quincy; a brother, Dan DellaBarba of Virginia; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Bolear-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, Quincy.

Tax Assistance For Low, Middle Income Payers

The Council on Aging will again sponsor the AARP Tax Aide Program to provide free, personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers.

Special attention is given to those 60 years old and older.

The assistance will be provided, by appointment, each Monday beginning Feb. 12 and lasting through the tax season at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, contact the COA at 617-376-1508.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their income care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-002
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, FEBRUARY 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of OMNIPONT COMMUNICATIONS, a wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile for a SPECIAL PERMIT to amend the existing Special Permit on ZBA case #4352 in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.06 (wireless communications) on the premises numbered 3-5 BILLINGS ROAD, QUINCY.

Noreen Brenzi, Clerk

2/8, 2/15/07

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FIRE SAFETY

by Captain Tom Lyons
Fire Prevention Bureau
Quincy Fire Department

Nicole's Law Revisited

It's actually a good time to discuss the Nicole's Law again.

If you recall, Nicole's Law pertains to the installation of carbon monoxide (CO) detectors within all residential properties. Residential properties include 1 & 2 family homes, multi-family buildings, apartments, condominiums, townhouses, etc. They're required within any residential structure that contains fossil burning fuel equipment, including fireplaces, or contains attached or enclosed parking. Fossil fuel burning equipment is any equipment utilizing oil, gas, wood, coal, pellets or combustibles.

Within these residences, the law requires the presence of a CO detector on each level of habitation, and within 10 feet of a bedroom

door on a level with a bedroom. The CO detector must be installed as per the manufacturer's instructions. It can be a battery-powered detector, a plug in with a battery backup or a hardwired combination with a smoke detector, if the smoke detector portion is of the photoelectric type.

These detectors were to be installed by March 31, 2006 in all of these occupancies with limited exceptions. Those exceptions being those residences eligible for, and choosing an alternate compliance option. This option pertains to owners of residential buildings that have existing fire alarm systems that directly notify the fire department when in alarm.

In these instances, CO detectors target specific areas, rather than being installed in each unit. For instance, if in a multiunit residential building, there is no fossil fuel burning equipment in each unit, but there

is a centrally located fossil fuel burning furnace, hot water heater, laundry or generator, the option allows owners to target the CO alarm detection in only those areas and adjacent areas, as long as they are tied into the building's alarm system.

In this instance, CO detection must be present in the room containing the furnace, hot water heater, laundry or generator, and all adjacent spaces to this room, for instance, apartments next to and above. This option, if chosen, was mandated to be installed by January 1, 2007.

We currently inspect residences prior to their sale. We then check for proper placement of smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors, and upon the completion of the inspection, produce a certificate for the owner to be presented at the passing. However, as these deadlines indicate, don't wait for the sale of a home to install CO detectors, conform to the requirements of Nicole's Law and install these detectors now for your own protection, if you haven't done so already. Meanwhile we at the fire prevention bureau are ready to assist you and answer any questions you may have.

Be safe!

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

SWAP Earns Tax Abatements For Seniors

The Council on Aging has a SWAP (Senior Workers' Abatement Program) that enable the elderly to work 89 1/2 hours a year and earn \$600 towards their real estate tax bills.

For further details, call Dorothy Dow at 617-376-1508.

Phelan's \$4.5 Million Transfer For Tax Stabilization Approved

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sands of dollars in reduced debt payments.

"Much like it is managing household finances, Phelan said sometimes the toughest thing to do is to put money in the bank", Phelan

said. But in municipal finance, putting money into reserves will save us hundreds of thousands of dollars in the long-run and will ensure that our taxpayers have the resources necessary to avoid any major tax in-

creases in the future. We have developed a plan, committed to that plan, and have seen early successes. I will continue to manage the City in the best interests of the overall financial health of the city."

Mayor Re-Appoints 49 To City Hall Team

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Jay Duca, Director, Inspection Services.

Rob Conlan, Plans Examiner, Inspection Services.

Tom Pecoraro, Chief Plumbing Inspector.

Tom Purpura, Chief Wiring Inspector.

Mike Shaheen, Director, Weights and Measures.

Tom Largey, Chief of Staff, Mayor's Office.

Dave Murphy, Director of Operations, Mayor's Office.

Elizabeth Allard, Executive Assistant, Mayor's Office.

Diana Kang Ong, Executive Assistant, Mayor's Office.

Kim Dibona, Secretary to the Mayor.

Tom Fabrizio, Director, Constituent Services.

Linda Stice, Associate, Constituent Services.

John Chen, Asian Outreach Advocate.

Carol Joyce, Associate, Constituent Services.

Kristen Keohane, Program Manager, Park Department.

Laurie Allen, Director, Purchasing Department.

Rose Sansevero, Secretary, Police Department.

Gary DiNardo, Financial Manager, Police Department.

Michelle Raimondi, Secretary, Police Department.

Barry Welch, Director, Recreation Department.

Monica Conyngham, City Solicitor.

Robert Quinn, First Assistant City Solicitor.

Jonathan Green, Assistant City Solicitor.

William Sullivan, Assistant City Solicitor.

Carol Colletti, Legal Counsel.

Marsha Golden, Secretary to the City Solicitor.

David Grunebaum, Labor Counsel.

Ann McLaughlin, Director, Thomas Crane Public Library.

Les Brown, Operations Manager, Traffic and Parking.

Gloria Williams, Treasurer/Collector.

Hank Bradley, Director, Veterans' Services.

Other key positions, such as Fire Chief, Police Chief, City Auditor, School Super-

intendent, and Planning Director are not part of the annual appointment process.

"Our goals are high for 2007," Phelan said. "I expect that major projects such as the development of downtown Quincy, construction of a new Quincy High School, the restoration of the Broad Meadows marsh, and the creation of a vibrant waterfront area at the Southern Tide Mill site among others, will not affect our ability to continue to provide the valuable city services that residents depend on daily. Above all else, we will remain focused on keeping our neighborhoods safe, clean and welcoming."

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats.

Call the Council at 617-376-1506.

PUBLIC NOTICE!

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OPEN LETTER FROM
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To all things there is a season. After much thought and careful deliberation, I have decided to pursue other interests and therefore have made the difficult decision to close PHASE II DIAMONDS & FINE JEWELRY. I want to thank you for your loyalty. I want to give you the opportunity to save during the largest sale in our history.

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First Co-Recipients In 22 Years

Vincent Moscardelli, P.J. Foley Share Sun Citizen Of Year Honors

The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year is not one-but two.

Patrick J. "P.J." Foley and Vincent "Vin" Moscardelli are the first co-recipients of the award since it was established 22 years in 1985.

Both were selected for their outstanding volunteer community service.

Moscardelli, former principal of Central Junior High School, for his generous support of high school and youth sports and other worthy causes.

Foley for his environmental and conservation efforts and accomplishments.

They were among 36 nominated for the award by Quincy Sun readers.

The final voting by a panel of judges resulted in a deadlocked tie between Moscardelli and Foley.

"We decided we should honor both of them rather than try to break the tie," said Sun publisher Henry Bosworth. "Both are very deserving."

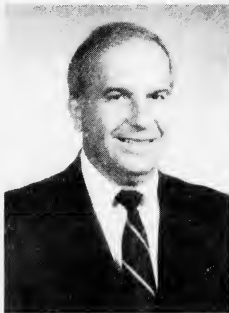
They will receive their awards at a reception in April at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center.

"We congratulate P.J. and Vin for their selection and also the other 34 nominees," Bosworth said. "Being nominated is an honor in itself."

It only takes one nomination to be considered for The Sun Citizen of the Year Award.

Foley was nominated by William Weed of Curlew Rd., "for his dedication and hard work in saving the salt marshes in Quincy and securing federal funding for these projects."

Moscardelli received 27 nominations citing his contributions to the city as a teacher and principal, a business leader and for "hundreds of good



VINCENT MOSCARDELLI

deeds" over many years. Nominating him were: Paul Phillips, president of the Quincy Education Association; Frank Santoro, Quincy High School principal; Lou Ioannilli, North Quincy High School principal; Jim Rendle, Quincy Public Schools Athletic Director; Dr. John Franceschini, Jr., director of Physical Education and Health, Quincy Public Schools; Ken McPhee, director of Safety and Transportation, Quincy Public Schools; Peter Chrisolm, former North Quincy High School principal; Ron Ivil, president of Quincy-North Quincy Football Hall of Fame; George Burke, 339 Hancock St., Quincy; Thomas F. Williams, Esq., 21 McGrath Highway; Mario Casali of Braintree; Andrew Mercanto, 12 Hunt St.; Al Moscantolo of South Weymouth; Raymond Papile of Scituate; Tony Green, 12 Hunt St.; Priscilla Ivil of Weymouth; Joseph Lydon, Governors Rd.; Carl Soderstrom, Jr., German Ave.; Fred Cobban, 86 Exeter St.;



P.J. FOLEY

Scott Simpson, Davis Rd.; James Moscardelli Weymouth; Qi Li Tan, Hancock St.; Jian Zhi Tan, Tyler St.; Arlene Connolly, Colby Rd.; Lorraine Fratalia, Hancock St.; John Boey, Hancock St.; Victoria Kosliu of Norwell. VIN MOSCARDELLI In addition to his involvement in high school and youth sports, Moscardelli has given considerable time to other causes. Among them sponsorships of golf tournaments that have raised \$85,000 to fight muscular dystrophy. Moscardelli, now a Braintree resident, grew up in Quincy and was in the Quincy public school system 20 years as a teacher, coach and principal. Parents and peers saw him as a role model for students and teachers. His last 12 years was as principal at Central Junior High School from where he retired in 1982. But he did not really retire. He just changed careers. He had such great affection for that school that when he opened a real estate firm in 1986 no one was surprised when he named it Central Real Estate.

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Beginning In Spring

\$7 Million For Sidewalk, Street Water Projects

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Hard hats and jackhammers will be commonplace in nearly every neighborhood this summer as the Department of Public Works earmarked \$7 million for projects sprucing up sidewalks, road and improving antiquated water mains.

DPW Commissioner Stephen J. O'Donnell outlined the multiple projects Monday at the City Council's Public Works Committee meeting. He noted that funds are available through the state's Chapter 90 and the mayor's budget.

"We're looking at a good season," O'Donnell told the committee after submitting lists of 18 road improvements and neighborhoods and residential areas.

O'Donnell noted that there's been "a major major slowdown in state work" so contractors are vying for jobs in cities and towns. In fact, he said that he's had 13 bid-

ders on one project.

"Nobody's getting any money in plowing. It's been a tough winter," O'Donnell said, adding he expects a "very productive Spring."

According to O'Donnell, DNR of Stoneham has already been awarded a \$1.6 million contract for the road improvements. The sidewalk improvement program, estimated at \$2 million, will go out to bid in the next few weeks. Additional projects will be handled by city crews.

Another \$4 million has been earmarked for two water main replacement projects, one labeled "Willard Street" and the second "Hancock St." Nearly all of the existing water mains in both projects are over a century old, dating back to the late 1800's or 1900's. The oldest at St. Ann's Rd. was constructed in 1883.

O'Donnell told city councillors

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Package Store License Suspended 21 Days

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

The License Board voted 4-1 Tuesday to suspend the license at Franklin Beer & Wine, 55 Franklin St. for 21 days with all days to be serve for delivering alcohol to minors.

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele voted against the suspension.

On a second motion, the board voted unanimously to ask the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission (ABCC) to revoke the delivery of alcohol license.

According to Chairman Joseph Shea, the License Board does not issue delivery of alcohol licenses, but it is the matter of the ABCC he said.

A report on the violation was made by Lt. Peter Turowski with Officer Ken Yee who observed the delivery of beer and cigarettes to a 16 year old at home with no adults present. He said it had become a "pattern" of Franklin Beer & Wine not to ask for an ID.

Both motions were made by Police Chief Robert Crowley, who told manager Mai Do that she has "full responsibility" for how the alcohol is delivered.

Crowley said he based his decision on the suspension because Franklin Beer & Wine had been cited in 2005 for delivery to a minor. At that time they were issued a six day suspension, but in lieu of the

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\$7 Million For Sidewalk, Street, Water Projects

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that the two projects address most of the "low flow" areas of the city where water pressure is low at hydrants and in homes. At \$1,310,300,

Blume Construction was awarded the contract for the Hancock Street project. The second project estimated at \$2.3 million is currently out to bid.

Councillor Joseph G. Finn is chairman of the Public Works Committee with vice-chair Brian McNamee and members James H. Davis, Kevin F. Coughlin, and Leo Kelly.

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THE SIEGEL FAMILY recently donated money to the City of Quincy to purchase a portable defibrillator for emergency responders. The gift was a gesture of deep appreciation after police and firefighters saved Vernon Siegel's life after he suffered a heart attack. From left are Firefighter Stephen Sweet, Vernon Siegel, Police Lt. Charles Santoro and Mrs. Leila Siegel.

A Thank You For Saving Vernon Siegel's Life Siegel Family Donates Money For Portable Defibrillator

The Siegel family is deeply grateful to the City of Quincy and its police and fire department officers for the outstanding job they did Nov. 14, 2006.

The quick-thinking, training and selflessness of Police

Lt. Charles Santoro, Officer Michael Sullivan, Officer John Leuchte and Firefighter Stephen Sweet literally saved Vernon Siegel's life.

After suffering a heart attack behind the wheel of his car, Siegel, accompanied by his wife, Leila Siegel, crashed their motor vehicle through a fence at the corner of Quincy Avenue and Southern Artery. At that time, Lt. Santoro was traveling behind the Siegels, exited his vehicle and approached the

crashed vehicle and realized that Mr. Siegel had no pulse. He began rescue-breathing CPR and brought back Mr. Siegel's pulse.

Moments later, Officer Michael Sullivan, Officer John Leuchte and Firefighter Stephen Sweet arrived on scene. At that time, it was determined that a defibrillator may be required.

While working in unison, these individuals prepped the victim, attached the device and activated the defibrillator. After analyzing the victim, the appropriate shock was given. The victim's pulse and breathing were re-established.

As a thank you for saving Mr. Siegel's life, his family donated money to the City of Quincy to purchase a portable defibrillator for its first responders. The City Council accepted this donation at their Feb. 5 meeting.

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Succeeds Tom Koch

Mark Jaehnig Sworn In As Park Commissioner

Mark C. Jaehnig, a life-long Quincy resident and youth sports organizer and coach, was sworn in Tuesday as executive director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments.

Jaehnig took his oath from City Clerk Joseph Shea in Mayor William Phelan's office. Attending the ceremony was his wife, Christine, his parents, Charles, Sr. and Joan; his brothers, Dan, Fox 2225 newsman, Charles, Jr., Stephen and Michael.

Mark and his wife have four children, Patrick, David, Matthew and Andrew and currently live in North Quincy.

"I am excited about having Mark Jaehnig bring a fresh perspective and energy to the Park Department," said Phelan. "Mark has shown a life-long commitment to our community through his volunteer involvement in a wide number of programs that benefit

young people. He brings to the position a unique combination of business experience and familiarity with our city and its park system. I am impressed by his professionalism and his love for our community. I think he's going to do a great job."

Jaehnig succeeds Tom Koch who resigned as executive director to run for mayor.

Jaehnig operates his own chiropractic office in North Quincy. He graduated Magna Cum Laude from Palmer College of Chiropractic. Prior to that, he received a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science with a Minor in Public Administration from Stonehill College, where he graduated Cum Laude. He is a 1975 graduate of Boston College High School.

Jaehnig is the founder and director of the Sacred Heart Basketball program, which helps 800 children learn the game. He has coached soccer, football, baseball and

basketball at a number of Quincy youth leagues for the past 18 years and was instrumental in starting the travel baseball program in Quincy. He received the Applebee's "Good Neighbor" award for his work with Sacred Heart basketball in 2004. In 2005, he received the Richard J. Koch Youth Service Award for his volunteer service to the youth of Quincy.

"It is an honor to be chosen to head the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Department and join the Phelan administration," said Jaehnig. "The position currently presents a host of both opportunities and challenges and I am excited about adding some new fresh ideas to the department."

Jaehnig cited his respect for the Park Department employees as a reason for accepting the position.

"As a coach, I have seen the tremendous effort put

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MARK JAEHNIG is congratulated by City Clerk Joseph Shea who swore him in Tuesday as the new executive director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments. Mayor William Phelan, who appointed him, applauds at right. Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

Montclair Elementary School To Celebrate Dr. Seuss's Birthday

Montclair Elementary School students and staff will join students nationwide in celebrating Dr. Seuss's 103rd birthday Friday, March 2 from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Student ambassadors dressed as their favorite book characters will escort local and state elected officials, Quincy Public Schools ad-

ministrators, Rotary Club members, officials from the Quincy Police and Fire Departments, local businesses, and members of the Montclair community, past and present, to classrooms to share their own favorite book characters with students in grades kindergarten

through 5.

The day will conclude with Quincy native Bill Arment introducing the newest addition to his Tales of Faxon Park Series.

The day the culmination of a week of activities in celebration of "Read Across America" week.

C'Mon Down For The Hancock Plunge

The John Hancock Plunge is set for Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Mound Street Beach in Quincy Point.

Proceeds will go to the Interfaith Social Services. Registration fee is \$10.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly, chairman of the sponsoring Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, says the plunge is open to all ages.

The names of those reg-

istering will be entered into drawings for prizes. There will be hot refreshments.

Those taking the plunge are asked to make a \$10 check payable to Interfaith Social Services and send it to the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission care of Chickie Abdallah, 48 Silver St., Quincy, MA 02169.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Feb. 15, 1903, toy-store owner and inventor Morris Michom places two stuffed bears in his shop window, advertising them as "Teddy" bears. Michom had earlier petitioned President Theodore Roosevelt for permission to use his nickname, "Teddy."

• On Feb. 12, 1924, American composer George Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue" is performed for the first time. Gershwin later collaborated with his brother, Ira, on hit songs including "I Got Rhythm" and on musical comedies and revues that included "Lady Be Good" (1924) and "Of Thee I Sing" (1931), the first musical comedy to win a Pulitzer Prize.

• On Feb. 14, 1938, Hedda Hopper's first gossip column appears in the Los Angeles Times. The following year, Hopper launched a radio version of her column. Her radio show ran until 1951.

• On Feb. 13, 1949, actor-director Jack Webb, creator of the hit radio and TV series "Dragnet," gets his start in realistic crime drama with the radio show "Pat Novak

for Hire," which makes its national network debut on ABC. The television debut of "Dragnet," four years later, marked the beginning of realistic TV police dramas.

• On Feb. 16, 1950, the TV game show "What's My Line" debuts. The show, produced by game-show magnates Mark Goodson and Bill Todman, became the longest-running prime-time game show in television history, running for 18 years.

• On Feb. 18, 1964, the United States cuts off military assistance to Britain, France and Yugoslavia in retaliation for their continuing trade with the communist nation of Cuba. The action was chiefly symbolic, as the amount of aid denied was approximately \$100,000 in assistance to each nation.

• On Feb. 17, 1972, the 15,007,034th Volkswagen Beetle rolls out of the Volkswagen factory in Wolfsburg, Germany, surpassing the Ford Model T's previous production record to become the most heavily produced car in history.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Esther And Valentine's Day

Well, I let Valentine's Day slip by me. But if you don't mind, I'd still like to mention it while the flowers received Wednesday, are still fresh.

Thought you would like to know (in case you don't) that if it hadn't been for a spinster who lived her later years here in Quincy, Valentine's Day might be just plain Feb. 14. Just another cold, ho-hum day in the middle of winter.

Esther A. Howland, who apparently never found her own true love, was the mother of the American valentines we know today.

Because of her, Feb. 14 is now the day to be sure to tell that someone special "I love you" with a valentine, flowers, candy or jewelry, etc.

Esther lived most of her life in Worcester and graduated from Mount Holyoke College in 1849.

That year, she came across a number of valentines sent from England to her father who owned a Worcester stationery and bookstore.

Esther, as the story goes, didn't think much of them and decided she could create better and more romantic ones.

She designed some samples and before long was on the way to a \$100,000 a year business which was pretty hefty for those days. That in turn, sparked the nationwide industry of today.

Esther lived in Worcester until 1886 after both her mother and father died. She had given up her valentine business in an act of love to care for her bedridden father.

She came to Quincy to live with her brother, Charles

at 2 Adams St. And died there March 15, 1904 at the age of 75.

She never married, apparently never finding her own valentine.

But she did live to see the nation-wide industry that she spawned with her creations back in 1849.

And she must have smiled whenever she thought of the instructor at Mount Holyoke College, who back around the time she was creating her valentines, was warning his students against sending "any of those foolish notes called valentines."

But how did Feb. 14 get to be Valentine's Day?

Legend takes it back to the year 270 and a man named Valentinus, believed to be a Roman priest who helped Christian martyrs persecuted under Emperor Claudius II. That was a crime punishable by death.

Valentinus, as the story goes, was arrested and brought before the Emperor whom he tried to convert to Christianity.

Claudius was so impressed by Valentinus, he tried to save his life by converting him to the Roman gods. Valentinus refused and was condemned to be beaten, stoned and beheaded.

According to the legend, while awaiting execution, Valentinus became friends with the blind daughter of his jailer and restored her sight.

On the eve of his execution, he supposedly wrote her a farewell note and signed it, "From your Valentinus."

The next day he was beheaded. The date: Feb. 14. But let me close on a lighter note, especially for you men.

Roses are red.

Violets are blue.

If you forgot her

I pity you.

Budget Cuts Knock Out Sheriff's Youth Programs

Overcrowding at the Norfolk County jail and a stagnant real estate market is costing the sheriff's office two of its most popular youth programs, at least for a year.

Sheriff Michael Bellotti recently announced that the Youth Leadership Academy and After School Program will not be in operation this year due to serious budget considerations.

"It's unfortunate we have to shut down these programs this year, but we're hopeful we can bring them back in 2008," said Bellotti.

"We have to take this budget crisis seriously and do everything we can within the office to close the gap."

"It's still not going to be enough but we would never go to the Legislature for help without first doing everything in our power to ease the

burden."

The sheriff's office gets more than one-third of its operating budget from county and state deeds excise taxes so the correctional center has taken a big hit from the gloomy housing market.

The inmate population of the jail, designed to hold 302 when it was built in 1992, reached an all-time high of 745 in November, creating a shortfall of more than \$5 million.

Seaside Gardeners Offering Scholarship

Applications are available for the Edith B. MacDonald Scholarship given by the Seaside Gardeners of Squantum.

Any high school senior currently living in Squantum and any relative of a mem-

"Revenue is down 30 per cent and costs in some instances are up by more than 100 per cent," said Bellotti. "This creates a significant challenge for us operationally."

The sheriff's office has also been forced to layoff and furlough management employees, freeze hiring and equipment purchases as well as terminate outside contracts.

The youth programs have been very successful in the

past several years. The Youth Leadership Academy saw its 3,000th participant last year with a record 800 children, ages 10 to 14, in the summer.

There were nearly 200 children on a waiting list to participate in both programs in 2007.

"It's not easy making these decisions," said Bellotti. "We're all hoping that our sacrifices now will help us come back strong in the near future."

ber of the Seaside Gardener's planning to attend a two year or four year college is eligible for the \$500 award.

To be considered, appli-

cations must be postmarked by March 20. Contact Laurie Kelliher at 617-773-2434 or email her at lauriekelliher@verizon.net.

SWAP Earns Tax Abatements For Seniors

The Council on Aging has a SWAP (Senior Workers' Abatement Program) that enable the elderly to work 89 1/2 hours a year and earn \$600 towards their real estate tax bills.

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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1939 postcard view of Coddington Street from its intersection with Washington Street in Quincy Square. A master plan developed by the city's Planning Board in the 1920's called for lining both sides of this street with large buildings all the way down to Sea Street with the then new police headquarters as the anchor on the far end. A number of buildings were built in accordance with that plan, including the Court House on the left, the High School and the Vocational School. On the

right were built the Bethany Church, a medical building and the YMCA. Not built was a large city-owned sports coliseum that was to be located on Faxon Field. The old Court House was torn down in the mid 1980's and the site is now home to an apartment complex at President's Place. Note the angle parking that provided many more spaces than what is there today. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Houston, We Have A Problem

Thirty-seven years ago in April of 1970, I remember being riveted, like many Americans, to the news stories of an unfolding event that was capturing the world's attention. It was real television connecting us to real life, the story of three young astronauts named James A. Lovell, Jr., John L. Swigert, Jr., and Fred W. Haise, Jr., men whose lives hung in a delicate balance 200,000 miles from earth for the better part of four days on a space ship crippled by a burst tank line to a cryogenic oxygen tank.

The incredible events of April 11 to 18, 1970 were later dramatized in the movie Apollo 13, a hand-drawn favorite of my son Matthew who as a six year old when it was released in 1995, watched it enough to know the characters' lines. That movie was on Saturday afternoon as we ate lunch together, and he turned to me, now as a very bright 16 year old, and he said, "Dad this story holds a metaphor for what we are dealing with today. The astronauts found themselves on a small spacecraft damaged by an unin-

tended consequence of human action, floating in space with a dwindling supply of energy, for which they had to make great sacrifice to conserve what they had left, with rising levels of CO2 gases, a problem that they needed to correct in order to survive."

Their survival he said, "required them to adapt to their circumstances, sacrifice their comfort, think creatively and apply scientific knowledge. It's a microcosm of what our small planet is grappling with, damaged by the unintended consequences of human activity, faced with a finite and dwindling supply of certain resources for energy, and confronted with ever increasing levels of CO2. We need to adapt to our circumstances, sacrifice a little comfort, think creatively, apply scientific knowledge and do something."

I'll say one thing when he watched it at age 6 it was just a great movie and not a metaphor. But he is absolutely right. Because, to take a line from that time, "Houston, we have a problem." Just like 37 years ago there is a riveting story of survival that is to-

day capturing the attention of the world.

That story is depicted in the 2006 movie "An Inconvenient Truth," narrated by former Vice President Al Gore. That story of survival is our own. I suggest the movie as recommended viewing irrespective of your political persuasion. The movie will provoke you to think and consider the many changes that are occurring to our environment here and across the globe.

The Feb. 2, 2007 released United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change report concludes in specific detailing current and projected effects of global warming-including sea-level rise, vanishing alpine glaciers, and increases in severe-weather events-prompting calls for more-concerted action to reduce carbon-dioxide (CO2) emissions, and the need for a conscious control over the environment and a unity of purpose that humans have yet to achieve on such an enormous scale. To steal a line from "An Inconvenient Truth" this report is a canary in the coal mine, a dire warning and a call to

action.

As a city, we have undertaken some positive steps to effect change in small ways. We have replaced our traffic lights with LEDs to draw less energy and last longer, begun to audit our energy consumption and implement energy saving measures, switched to low-sulfur diesel fuel, apply green technology to the anticipated construction of a new high school, placed solar panels on the roof of North Quincy High and hopefully will do the same at Quincy High in the near future, and we recycle 26% of our waste stream.

But there is much more we can and must do individually. We can conserve energy, buy only Energy Star related products, reduce driving, purchase electricity from energy renewable sources, recycle more, and drive less. As a city, we can add to that and require green building technology, protect our urban forest, plant more trees, and take a host of other actions, because in this survival story, our survival story, "Houston, we have a problem."

Kevin Coughlin
Small Street

Commends Coughlin For Global Warming Resolution

I would like to commend and thank Councillor Kevin

Coughlin for putting the issue of global warming on the

Council's agenda. By filing three environ-

mental resolutions last week, Coughlin not only underscores the importance of this issue, but also the significant role local government can play in making a difference.

I hope our City Council will support the resolutions. Maura O'Gara
Chickatabot Rd.

Tax Assistance For Low, Middle Income Payers

The Council on Aging will again sponsor the AARP Tax Aide Program to provide free, personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers.

Special attention is given

to those 60 years old and older.

The assistance will be provided, by appointment, each Monday beginning Feb. 12 and lasting through the tax season at the Richard

Koch Park and Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, contact the COA at 617-376-1508.

Quincy's Yesterdays

Nurses Reported To Plan March On City Hall

By FRANK MCCAULEY

Reports were circulating that nurses at Quincy City Hospital would march on City Hall in support of two petitions through which they are seeking readjustment of both wages and vacation time.

Dr. Joseph P. Leone, director of the hospital, said that he heard reports that nurses would go to the City Council meeting.

Dr. Leone and two of his nursing administrators, Miss Mary O'Gara and Miss Ann Morin, will confer with Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa and the City Council with regards to the nurses' requests.

PUBLIC HEARING SLATED ON BUDGET

On a resolve offered by Council President James R. McIntyre, the City Council set March 9th as the date for a public hearing on 1959 city budget. The hearing will give citizens the opportunity to express their thoughts and opinions on the \$18,000,000 budget.

QUINCY-ISMS

Five students from Eastern Nazarene College attended a three-day seminar on federal service in Washington D.C. The students included **Cinda Gilchrist**, **John Weslow**, **Larry Singell**, **Charles Novy** and **Robert Seyfried**. Accompanying the students was **Dr. Frank Gery**, faculty sponsor. **Dr. Frank Bauer**, pastor of Wollaston Lutheran Church, was the guest speaker at the combined women's club meeting at the Lutheran Church in Framingham. The Germantown Improvement Association voted to actively oppose passage of a bill by the legislature calling for the construction of a seawall off Prescott Terrace on the Fore River side of Germantown. **Bruce Alexander** of Explorer Post 19, sponsored by the Wollaston Baptist Church, received his Eagle Scout Award. Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander. The beautification of Manet Lake will be discussed at an upcoming meeting of the Houghs Neck Community Council. **Henry E. Kilduff** is the Council president and **David L. Kneeland** is civic affairs chairman. **Representatives Joseph E. Brett**, **James R. McIntyre** and **Charles L. Shea**, all spoke in favor of proposed legislation, which would require the payment of real estate and personal property taxes in four yearly installments. A committee planning the 10th anniversary reunion of the North Quincy High School classes of 1949, met at the home of Mrs. **Esther Thimot Eranio**. **Arthur C. Hood, Jr.**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Hood, Sr., 191 West Squantum St., received the silver wings of an Air Force jet pilot and a commission as a second lieutenant at Greenville Air Force Base, Miss. The Art Theatre, Hancock St., Quincy Center, was featuring "Two Hitchcock Thrillers" **Farley Granger** in "Strangers On A Train" and **Vera Miles** in "The Wrong Man". The Republican City Committee of Quincy elected former state representative and city councillor **William W. Jenness** as its new chairman. Jenness's challenge to Committee Members was "Get across the message of Republicanism." **Raymond C. Warrington**, Norfolk County treasurer and former Quincy School Committee member, received the "Brotherhood Citation" from the Quincy B'nai B'rith Lodge. Making the presentation was **Lester H. Glasser**, community relations chairman of the Lodge. **Mrs. Edmund Genevieve** was the chairperson of the committee on sponsors for the Quincy Symphony Orchestra, which will present a "Pops" concert at the Masonic Temple. **Robert J. Campbell**, 43 Island Ave., Houghs Neck, was certified by Civil Service for the position of City Hospital ambulance driver. Ten Quincy residents were nominated to fill five positions on the board of directors of the Quincy Historical Society. They included **Mrs. Murray Brittain**, **Russell DiMatteo**, **William P. Farrar**, **William Ferrazzi**, **John P. Flavin**, **Mrs. Robert O. Gilmore**, **Mrs. I. Francis Murdock**, **Russell Scammell**, **Heslip Sutherland** and **Rev. Thomas J. Tierney**. **Sam Mele**, former member of the Boston Red Sox, recounted his experiences as a major league baseball player to the Summer Men's Group of the First Church of Squantum. **Norman Lundin**, Bayview Ave., Houghs Neck, was named to the Dean's List at Newbury Junior College where he is a freshman.

This Week
1959
48 Years Ago

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Martin Luther King Topic For Folksinger At Historical Society

Boston-area folksinger and storyteller Ben Tousley will present a program of songs and stories on the life and work of Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. at a meeting of the Quincy Historical Society, Thursday, Feb. 22 at 7 p.m. at the Adams Academy, Quincy Center.

Martin Luther King and the Struggle for Freedom tells the story of the African American quest for freedom from the days of slavery through the Civil Rights movement with music from the spiritual and freedom



BEN TOUSLEY

song tradition and excerpts from Dr. King's speeches. The program is recommended for school-age children and adults.

Tousley has been performing throughout New England and the nation for the past 22 years and has performed at the JFK Library, and at Boston First Night. Previously at Quincy Historical Society he has presented a Holiday concert and a program on Irish-American heritage. He has recorded six albums of original songs, including his children's album, Looking for a Rainbow, and his recent CD release, Take My Hand.

The public is invited to attend. There is no admission charge.



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'Made In China' Films At Crane Public Library

The Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy, will host a special "Made in China" Film Fest for adults this month.

Five films will be screened from Saturday, Feb. 24 through Tuesday, Feb. 27, highlighting a variety of genres including comedy, romance, drama, and martial arts.

Here's the schedule and a brief description of each film title:

NOT ONE LESS (1999)
Directed by Yimou Zhang
Saturday, Feb. 24 at 11 a.m.

Wei Minzhi is a stubborn 13-year-old who takes a substitute teaching job in a tiny provincial town because they can't afford anyone else. When one troubling boy heads off to the city to help support his starving family, Wei sets out to bring him back because she won't receive her bonus if any students are missing.

• Rated G / Mandarin with English subtitles.

HAPPY TIMES (2001)
Directed by Yimou Zhang
Saturday, Feb. 24 at 2 p.m.

Zhao is an aging bachelor who hasn't been lucky in love. Thinking he has finally met the woman of his dreams, Zhao leads her to believe he is wealthy and agrees to a wedding far beyond his means. His simultaneous efforts to sustain this imposture and to raise money set the movie into motion.

• Rated PG / Mandarin with English subtitles
MAGNIFICENT BUTCHER (1979)

Directed by Sammo Hung Kam-Bo and Woo-Ping Yuen
Sunday, Feb. 25 at 2 p.m.
When a kung master's goddaughter is murdered by his own lustful son, Wong Fei-hung's mischievous student Butcher Wing is blamed.

Wing's brother is killed in an attempt to cover up the truth. Now he must fight to clear his name and get revenge. This movie brings together two of the greatest martial arts filmmakers in their only creative collaboration, with an A-list cast that includes several legendary kung fu actors.

• Rated PG-13 / Cantonese with English Subtitles
QUITTING (2001)

Directed by Yang Zhang
Monday, Feb. 26 at 7 p.m.
This is the story of Jia Hongsheng, a rising Chinese movie star of the early 1990s, from the cutting edge of China's artistic movement, through a period of conflict with himself and his parents, to a mental institution and finally on the quest to rediscover himself and his family.

The role of Jia Hongsheng is played by the actor himself, and nearly all of the other characters in the film, from his parents to his fellow inmates at a psychiatric hospital, also play themselves.

• Rated R / Mandarin with English subtitles
2046 (2004)

Directed by Wong Kar-Wai

Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m.
2046 is a hotel room, a futuristic story, and a state of mind. Starting in 1966, we see ladies' man and newspaper hack Chow on various Christmases as he lives, loves, and writes in a decrepit hotel and nearby restaurants. After an affair with old flame who lives in the Oriental Hotel, Chow moves into the adjacent room and meets the two women whose stories will cast shadows over his own.

• Rated R / Cantonese with English subtitles

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'BeatleMania' Live To Benefit Schools March 16

The Quincy School-Community Partnership will present its fifth annual benefit concert "BeatleMania Live" – the best revival show ever – Friday, March 16 at 8 p.m. at the Boston Marriott Quincy Hotel, President's Grand Ballroom, 1000 Marriott Dr., Quincy.

Doors open at 7 p.m. General seating is \$30. "BeatleMania" features authentic sound, manner-

isms, costumes and original instruments which captures the audience and takes them on a "magical" trip through the entire career of The Beatles.

For more information and tickets, call 617-984-8888.

Tickets may also be purchased at any Quincy public school.

All proceeds will benefit the Quincy Public Schools programs.

NQHS Dance Company Performance Thursday

The North Quincy High School's Renaissance Dance Company is hosting the performances by the NQHS Dance Team, Atlantic Middle School's Dance Theater, and Pembroke School of Performing Arts today (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. at the NQHS auditorium.

Styles to be performed

Senior Bridge Club To Meet

The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy

include ballet, jazz, modern, hip-hop, lyrical, tap and salsa. Choreography is by Meghan McLyman, Kathleen Kelbie, Erica Limoncelli and Kelly O'Brien.

Tickets are \$7 each, and may be purchased in NQHS main office or at the door. For more information, Call 617-984-8745.

Shore Drive, corner of Channing Street.

All level players are welcome. For further information, call 617-376-1506.

Jackie Loud Honored For QHA Service

JACKIE LOUD recently retired as assistant director of the Quincy Housing Authority. She was honored with a plaque presented by Ed Smelcer, chairman of the Harborview Residents Committee.

Board members of the Harborview Residents Committee, Inc. (HRCI) recently held an appreciation dinner for Jackie Loud, who recently retired as the assistant director of the Quincy Housing Authority (QHA).

She worked there for many years.

Loud, formerly the acting director of QHA, was honored for her "sincere concern regarding tenants" with a plaque and a bouquet of flowers. Also present at the

ceremony were Rose Cameron, treasurer; Bev Thomas, corresponding secretary; and Jessica Flannery, recording secretary.

Mr., Mrs. Ralph Ippolito Parents Of Son

Laura and Ralph Ippolito of Brantree, are parents of a son Joseph William born Jan. 28 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Brighton. He joins a brother Michael Joseph.

Grandparents are Mary and Ralph Ippolito and Marion and Bill Colclough, all of Wollaston.



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Koch Urges Phelan To Name Traffic Engineer

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch this week urged Mayor William Phelan to fill the long-vacant traffic engineer position, calling the job vital to protecting neighborhoods and easing the traffic mess on the city's streets.

"It is unacceptable and more damaging every day for a city of our size, already facing so many development changes, to be without a traffic engineer for so long," Koch said in a letter to Phelan. "This is an issue that begs for leadership and only

you can resolve it. I respectfully ask you to do everything in your power to hire a full-time traffic engineer as soon as possible."

The city has gone 18 months without a full-time traffic engineer, a department head Koch said plays a crucial role in public safety, helping neighborhoods deal with major projects, and finding ways to ease congestion on traffic-choked streets. While acknowledging the difficulty of finding a qualified candidate for the job,

Koch said the sheer length of the vacancy "suggests that simply not enough has been done to find the right person."

Koch said discussions at coffee hours, neighborhood meetings and individual encounters with residents showed him that traffic stands as one of the top concerns of residents of the city, adding that filling the long-empty office is a simple way to start addressing those concerns.

Koch pointed to one neighborhood group he recently visited that, he said, was forced to pay for its own traffic engineer rather than accept the findings of a consultant hired by the developers of a major project.

"These are taxpayers, and it is unconscionable that they are forced to pay for a service their tax bills are undoubtedly expected to cover," Koch said, adding that the city's inability to hire a traffic engineer highlights a much broader disconnect between residents and the mayor's office.

Koch said the number of large projects either in the planning stages or already under construction makes the absence of a traffic engineer even more glaring.

Teachers Picket Over Contract Delay, Issues



MEMBERS OF THE Quincy Education Association, the teachers union, protested outside City Hall last week. Teachers have been without a contract since August. They say that a proposal for them to pay a larger share of health insurance premiums amounts to a three-year pay cut.

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Winter Carnival, Presidents' Day Festivities Monday

Mayor William J. Phelan announces the entertainment lineup for the "City of Presidents" 11th annual Winter Carnival and Presidents' Day Celebration on Monday, Feb. 19 from noon to 4 p.m. in Quincy Center.

Festivities will include a variety of entertainment including presidential and historical reenactments, magic shows, live music, hay rides, ice sculptures and much more.

Admission is free. The entertainment schedule:

City Hall Council Chambers, 1305 Hancock St.

• Noon and 2 p.m.: **George Moore as George Washington**
Join actor George Moore in his portrayal of George Washington: Revolutionary War Hero, America's first president and Father of the Country.

• 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.: **Columbia's Musick - Washington & Adams: Music for Our First Presidents**

This program will featuring wide-ranging and seldom-heard music from the life and times of George Washington and John Adams. The concert will in-

clude presidential marches, festive songs performed during presidential tours, dance music (Washington was an exquisite dancer), chamber music from the collection of Washington's step-daughter Nelly Custis, and birthday songs for Washington and Adams.

Columbia's Musick is a vocal and instrumental ensemble dedicated to music heard in America from the 1720s through the 1920s. The group concertizes widely, with appearances at The Metropolitan Museum in New York, the USS Constitution Museum, Peabody Essex Museum, John Carter Brown Library at Brown University, Heritage Museum & Gardens, Washington College (MD), the Mississippi Academy of Ancient Music, and Old Sturbridge Village, among other venues. Columbia's Musick is Ensemble-in-Residence at Boston's historic King's Chapel.

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Peter Panic

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• Noon - 3 p.m.

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• 1 p.m. - 2 p.m. - Abraham Lincoln, "Settin' the Record Straight"

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tions and pose for photographs with the audience after the presentation.

• 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.

Abigail Adams

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1 p.m. - 2 p.m. - Abraham Lincoln "Settin' the Record Straight"
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12 noon to 4 p.m. - Tours of the Presidential Crypts

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Jane Griffin, RD, LDN, a Quincy Medical Center-affiliated clinical and outpatient dietitian, and Kristen Lavoie, RN, CWON, a wound/ostomy clinical nurse specialist, will review strategies to help people better manage their diabetes, including diet recommendations and proper foot and wound care.

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Other berries can be substituted, but this one features blueberries, cherries and strawberries. And a great pie to make on President's Day. If not fresh, frozen can be used.

3 SISTER'S PIE

- 1 1/2 cups blueberries
- 1 1/2 cups cherries
- 1 1/2 cups strawberries
- 1/4 cup orange or apple juice
- 3/4 cup sugar

3 tablespoons tapioca

1 tablespoon flour

2 tablespoons butter

Pie crust for bottom and lattice top

In a large bowl add the juice and the berries.

Prepare pie crust on a nine inch pie plate. Mix together the flour, tapioca, sugar and sprinkle some of this on the bottom of the crust. Then fill the pie shell with the fruit mixture. Sprinkle the rest of the sugar, tapioca, flour on top and dot with the butter.

On top, make strips, (lattice) on top.

Bake in a 425 oven for 15 minutes, then 350 for 45 more minutes.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

•Granted a change of managers at Hannaford Supermarket, 475 Hancock St. from John Frontiero to Benjamin Theriault.

•Granted a permit to Louis Tozzi to hold a 10th annual ALS "AKA" Squirrel Run, Saturday June 9 at Pageant Field.

•Granted a one day all alcohol license to Michael Shields, St. Ann's, 575 Hancock St. for their St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance, March 10 from 7 p.m. to

midnight.

•Granted a transfer of the common victualer/all alcoholic restaurant & entertainment license now held by Garrett's Tavern LLC, to CJMK Inc., doing business as Trattoria Alba, Nardi

Keka, manager.

•Granted a transfer of the common victualer, beer and wine restaurant license from S.W. Kwong Ent. Corp. doing business as Asian Cafe, 21 Scammell St. to Philip & Sophia Hui, Inc.

Foot Screening For Seniors

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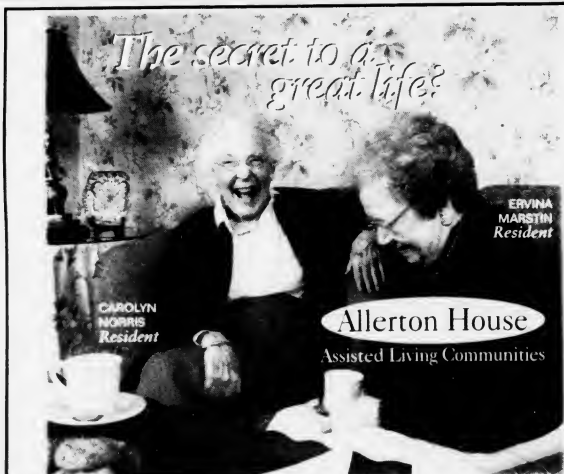
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Lt. Governor Murray Visits Marshall School Quincy Model For Full-Day Kindergarten

By TERRY COGSWELL

Quincy's successful full-day kindergarten program is serving as a model for those planned statewide.

Lt. Gov. Tim Murray and Mayor William Phelan visited Kerry Connolly's kindergarten class at the Clifford H. Marshall School last Friday and were impressed.

"Reestablishing all day kindergarten is a top priority of this administration," Murray, former Worcester mayor, said.

The challenge, he said, lies in funding the full day programs, especially considering Chapter 70 cuts in education.

He thinks the full day program will be an opportunity for children across the Commonwealth, but cautioned it will not happen overnight.

When the lieutenant governor and mayor arrived at the school, they were informed by 14 active and engaged youngsters that the best part of school is "Learning, Legos and playing outside."

Murray and Phelan met with school administrators and teachers to recognize the progress made in the modeling of all-day kindergarten classes.

Last spring, a Phelan's initiative, Quincy implemented the all-day kinder-

garten program in all elementary schools. Prior to that the program was in six schools only.

Phelan said Quincy faced numerous challenges in facilitating and implementing the program. One challenge included renovating six classrooms.

School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro said there is a specialist in each school, an integral part of the Integrated Learning Team, determining the best intervention for struggling readers.

Edith Hughes, and Early Childhood Coordinator said, "The advantages are staggering for the full-day kids."



THE PROGRESS IN Quincy's model full day kindergarten program brought Lt. Gov. Tim Murray and Mayor William Phelan to the Clifford Marshall School last week. They are shown here with Norman Sienna, 6, and Kristen Topalli, 5. Behind them is School Committee Vice-chairwoman Elaine Dwyer.

Quincy Sun Photo/Noreen O'Shea

Board Approves Beer, Wine On Clam Box Patio

The License Board at Tuesday's meeting voted unanimously to alter the premises at The Clam Box, 789 Quincy Shore Drive allowing them to serve beer and wine outside on the patio.

One abutter said she had concerns over the fact that there will be a children's playground across the street. The other abutter said he observed a fight and said he thought the police should've been called.

Chairman Joseph Shea read a letter from Council President Doug Gutro who said it was important to have an access and egress into the restaurant and added he would defer the decision to Police Chief Robert Crowley.

Crowley said as far as concern over children is concerned there is "no problem as children would not be using the playground at 11 p.m."

He said that Schwanke Brothers, owners of The

Clam Box have a "well run, family type restaurant" and said he saw "no problem if a patron wanted to have a beer outside."

Calling it a "well run es-

tablishment" Crowley said he was "in support" of extending the premises.

Atty. Louis Cassis was counsel for the Schwanke Brothers.

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34 Other Nominations For Sun Citizen Of Year

There were 34 other nominations for *The Quincy Sun* Citizen of the Year for 2006.

They are, with a description of the nomination and those submitting the nomination, in alphabetical order:

Cynthia Antonopolis, who is very active in gardening as well as activities in Houghs Neck. She presents flower programs. *Nominated by Anne Condon, Belmont St.*

State Rep. Bruce Ayers, for his work with Helping Hands and securing equipment for the physically challenged. He is an outstanding person in this city, not just in politics but in private life as well. He is kind, concerned and just a great guy to be around. *Nominated by Barbara Burke, Ocean Ave. and Ann C. McAuley, Beechwood St.*

Paul Baharian, who has followed his father's footsteps in helping senior citizens live longer at the 1000 Southern Artery in Quincy, which is rated in the top 10 in the U.S. *Nominated by Helen Seidel, 1000 Southern Artery.*

George Burke, who has always demonstrated excellence in leadership in his professional and local life, going out of his way to care for, and about, those around him. The large monetary donation is just one aspect of this man's citizenship. *Nominated by Jean Whalen, Prospect Ave. and Don Uvanite, Pelican Rd.*

Mary Bradley, director of the Southwest Community Center food pantry, for her determination and unconditional passion for the

people she services. She always greets the clients with a smile, and really goes that extra mile. *Nominated by Anne Connolly, Granite St.*

Chet Curtis, television newscaster, who always donates his time and talent to so many Quincy charities. *Nominated by Kathy Gould, Bowdoin St.*

Mario D'Olimpio, a lifelong Quincy resident who has a passion for helping people. He is loved by so many. *Nominated by Janice Delaney, Grogan Ave. and Jodi Ducharme of Braintree, Jodi Ducharme of Braintree and Louis Morrell of Braintree.*

Peggy Doyle and Jennifer Smith, for coordinate the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library Book Sale. They are masters of multitasking and create a win-win experience for the citizens of Quincy. They money the sale earns is reinvested in the community to support the museum pass program, children's activities, concerts and other special library programs. *Nominated by Maureen LaFrance, South St.*

Maureen Sullivan Durkin, who has touched a life forever during her 30 years of teaching figure skating for young girls ages two through high school. She is also a great mom, nurse, and coach who has touched us with her grace. *Nominated by students, parents, staff and instructors of the Quincy Youth Arena.*

Matthew Edgerly, who represents the very best of what our young people can become in the City of Quincy. His record of community involvement as a coach and

role model to the youth of our city is second to none. Matt is a person of the highest character both on and off the playing field or court. *Nominated by Mark Jaehning, Hancock St.*

The late William "Bill" Flynn, former editor of The Patriot Ledger, who kept Quincy informed with his weekly column. He was a respected and fair editor and the founder of Quincy Youth Soccer coach for many years. *Nominated by Elizabeth Flynn, Palmer St.*

Rev. William C. Harding, pastor of Bethany Congregational Church, who recently returned to Quincy after a 14-month deployment with the U.S. Army Reserves, including a year in Iraq. He is a good citizen in every aspect of his life, his family, his friends, his church, the Quincy community, the United States and the world. He is a man who truly walks with God. *Nominated by Jean Ann Phinney, Brunswick St.*

Sean Hannon of the Quincy Outback Steakhouse, who has given his time and energy to the Quincy After School Program and for supporting the Susan G. Komen 3-Day Walk for Breast Cancer Research. He has helped raise money to help countless other people fighting a horrible disease. *Nominated by Diana DeForge, Beach St.*

John Gillis, former city clerk, a compassionate, considerate, honest and devotedly generous person. John understands the importance of civic virtue and that we all have a vital role to play in government and public service. He made the clerk's

office an accessible, welcoming, and vital civic resource. *Nominated by Guido "Budzie" Pettinelli, Hardwick Rd.*

Michael Jovanovic, who has been an active member of the community since 1971 as a candidate for political office and as a newspaper letter writer on issues facing individuals, community and the world at-large. *Nominated by Lisa Melo, Quincy.*

Leo Kelly, for the many years he has been active in all the community affairs and he still is. *Nominated by Eleanor Murphy, Martensen St.*

Dr. Thomas Lyons, for his excellent care. "He is a nice person. I like going to him." *Nominated by Ellen Sweney, School St.*

James Morgan, the best neighbor anyone could ask for. This retired mail carrier checks up on ill people on the street and is truly a good Samaritan through his kindness. Every neighborhood needs a Mr. Morgan. *Nominated by Diane McQuade, Spear St.*

Robert and Gloria Noble, for their 50 years of devotion to family, community and country. They have volunteered their time, talents and energy to numerous boards and service organizations. Bob and Gloria instill by example, the value of volunteerism and the importance of giving back to the community to make life better for all. *Nominated by Elizabeth Campbell, Conant Rd.*

Quincy Elder Services Transportation Department Staff, they are the most considerate people. They get us to every appointment on time, no matter what the weather. They deserve some honor. *Nominated by Richard Higgins, Barham Ave.*
Cathy Quigley, director

of the Germantown Neighborhood Center, a dedicated individual who begins each budget year with \$0.00 and fulfills holiday wishes for anyone who is in need. She never stops working. *Nominated by Michelle Stenberg, Caledonia Ave.*

Mary and Gene Raux, who have dedicated countless hours to the children who attend Sacred Heart School. The run weekly bingo games, which have raised in 10 years more than \$1 million, the money benefits 300 to 400 students annually by reducing tuition rates. *Nominated by Cindy Brandt, Independence Ave.*

Zaida Shaw, a very caring, kind friend to all those living in Quincy by the Fore River and to members of the Islamic Mosque. *Nominated by Helen Scurtis, Weymouth.*

Former Mayor Jim Sheets, for tireless efforts during his administration to make Quincy a better place and for his dedicated work to keep Quincy Hospital (now Quincy Medical Center) open. There is such a sense of reassurance knowing that the hospital is so close by, and that is thanks to Mayor Sheets' efforts. *Nominated by Fiona Canavan, Sprint St.*

Charles G. Smith, for his support of public and private schools, the church and the development of children in all sports including his own growing up in the city. He still dedicates himself at the age of 79 and shows no signs of slowing down. *Nominated by Paul and Debbie Smith, Quincy Shore Dr.*

The late Jane Farrell Smith, for her positive influence with the children fortunate to have crossed her path, gave them balance and a basis for comparison of what's right and wrong. She was a sign post in their lives they

will read forever. *Nominated by Mark Chamberlain, Elm St.*

Linda Stice, who as director of Quincy's Commission on the Family, sees the hardships that unfortunately fall on families and the devastating effects that such hardships can have on individuals. She goes above and beyond to resolve each family in a discreet matter. *Nominated by Rep. Bruce Ayers, Wilhams St.*

Rev. Ann Sziedell, pastor, Quincy Point Congregational Church, who gives freely of her time to worthy projects and charitable causes, including the planting of trees in Germantown and producing a musical CD which raised money for homeless children's services. She is the best person in her vocation to lead us at Quincy Point Congregational Church. *Nominated by Jean Kane, Hamilton Ave.*

Rosemary Wahlberg, who has devoted her entire life to raising a family of 10 children while at the same time she helped many unfortunate in need. After serving as executive director for Quincy Community Action Programs for 26 years, she continues to advocate for the agency's mission within the community. *Nominated by Gloria and Robert Noble, South St.*

Lorraine Wright, a mother who works two jobs and still finds time to teach CCD and help out at shelters. *Nominated by Johanna Wright, Stedman St.*

John Yazwinski, executive director of the Quincy Interfaith Sheltering Coalition, for the work he does providing shelter for the homeless and less fortunate. Truly, this is God's work. *Nominated by Bernice Ann Murphy, Plymouth.*

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Vincent Moscardelli, P.J. Foley Share Sun Honors

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The firm has contributed over \$30,000 to Quincy public school programs.

Moscardelli is one of the spearheads of the Quincy High School 50's Alumni Club, comprising QHS football players of the 1950's who are involved in many worthy causes.

The group, for example, raised \$18,000 to aid former Quincy High School quarterback Kevin Moore who has been in a coma since 1998 after being injured when a car plowed into a parked one he was sitting in.

The group also raises funds for scholarships.

And has held tributes to legendary Quincy Coaches Munroe MacLean and Bill Sullivan and North Quincy's Pete Zoia, and had their football jersey numbers retired. They also donated display cases for Zoia memorabilia outside the NQHS gym.

Ron Ivil, president of the QHS 50's Alumni Club notes, "Vin has been active in all of these efforts. And he does so many other good things but doesn't tell anybody."

Moscardelli, a QHS 1955 graduate, was active in sports himself. He is in the Quincy-North Quincy Football and Baseball Halls of Fame. He also coached basketball and soccer at Atlantic Junior High School and baseball at NQHS.

He is a graduate of Tufts University and Boston State College and received his Masters Degree at Bridgewater State College.

He is past president of the Quincy Education Association and the ERA Broker Council and was the South Shore Realtor of the Year in 1996. He received the Campbell Award for community service and the

Clifford H. Marshall "Attitude is Everything" Award.

His mother, Nancy Burke, 97, still lives in the family home on Virginia Rd., Merrymount.

His wife, Leah, whom he married in 1960 died four years ago. Their two daughters, Merilee Trenholm and husband Gary, and Susanne Hegarty and husband, John and their two daughters all live in the same Braintree neighborhood as Vin.

P.J. FOLEY

Foley, a lifelong Quincy resident and a 1976 graduate of Quincy High School, lives in Houghs Neck with his wife, Julie.

He started his crusade to restore salt-water marshes in 1959 in the backyard of his Sea Street home. While cleaning the yard he discovered household articles buried under the adjoining seaweed.

He sought permission from the city to expand the cleanup and organized neighbors and friends. The volunteer group, calling itself "Marsh Madness" went on to restore 300 acres of salt-water marshes along Houghs Neck.

A \$4 million project to restore Broad Meadows marshes was tackled next with the money coming from grants.

Foley estimates some 1,000 acres of marsh have been restored.

"It is the largest restoration project in the state," he says. "And I have been working with some great people"

Among them he cites the volunteers, members of the Beaches and Coastal Commission, Mayor William Phelan, Congressman William Delahunt, state Senator Michael Morrissey,

state Rep. Steve Tobin and Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly.

Foley says the goal of restoring the marshes is to:

"Restore tidal flow to long neglected areas of marsh while improving flood, fire and mosquito control.

"We are creating hatcheries for fish and habitat for birds not seen here for generations. Proper marsh management can eliminate 99 percent of mosquito problems."

Foley is now working with state and federal agencies to establish a commercial lobster fishery here in Quincy.

A new project for him is determining whether renewable wind energy is feasible for Quincy.

Last August, wind-measuring detectors were mounted on the 180-foot tower at the Quincy police station and on the 700-foot Quarry Hills tower to collect data. A wind station on Thompson's Island is part of the network.

The project, paid for by grants, is being carried out with the cooperation of the UMASS Amherst Wind Studies Program. The data collecting is expected to be completed by May, at which time Quincy will have a good idea if renewable wind energy is a future possibility.

Foley, who attended UMass Boston, has been a Verizon technician for more than 25 years. He is a member of IBEW Local 2222 and political director for IBEW.

He is a member of the Beaches and Coastal Commission, Open Space Committee, Tourism Advisory Commission.

Foley has been recognized for his work by the EPA, the National Oceanographics and Atmospheric Administration, Boy Scouts of America and is the



MEMBERS OF THE judging panel for The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award who selected Vincent Moscardelli and Patrick "P.J." Foley as co-recipients. From the left (seated) Jacqueline Gardner, executive director American Red Cross South Area; Harold Crowley, president of the Friends of the Thomas Crane Library and Sun publisher Henry Bosworth. Standing, Maralin Manning, executive director Quincy Business Council; Anthony Agnitti, chairman Quincy Medical Center Foundation and owner Agnitti Insurance Agency, George White, immediate past recipient of the award and Sun editor Robert Bosworth, who served as moderator.

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recipient of the Houghs Neck Community Council's Good Neighbor Award.

He enjoys speaking with Quincy public school students on issues relating to

the environment and renewable wind energy.

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Mark Jaehnig Sworn In As Park Commissioner

(Cont'd From Page 3) Park Department. These employees care about their jobs and our parks. I look forward to learning from them how I can help them do their job more efficiently."

Jaehnig listed some of his goals for the upcoming year:

- Building a new track facility.
- Meeting with stakeholders and more input from park-users on how we can improve the park system.
- Making sure the city is kept clean and beautiful.
- Completing the formal garden facility.
- Ensuring that the diamonds at Kincaide, LaBrecque, O'Rourke and Bishop are repaired

and paid similar attention to Adams Field.

- Finishing the restroom facility at Mitchell/McCoy Fields.
- Reviewing the policies concerning the use of Veterans' Stadium now that new turf has been installed.
- Improvements to Mount Wollaston Cemetery.
- Capital equipment upgrades to help workers perform their jobs better.

"Mayor Phelan is investing

more than \$4 million in the upgrade of our park system and I am fortunate enough to join the team in the process of this historical improvement effort," Jaehnig said. "I look forward to working with our community to make sure we spend our available dollars in a manner consistent with what the community is asking for."

Jaehnig said he will spend the coming weeks meeting with employees, coaches and other stakeholders to learn

more. "We need to open the line of communication with our constituents. Ultimately, we work for them and we should respond to their input and needs."

"I have known Mark for many years through his involvement in youth sports," said Geoff Hennessy, Director of the Quincy Track Club and the track coach for Quincy and North Quincy High Schools. "Based on my experience, I look forward to working with him."

Package Store License Suspended 21 Days

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suspension, they chose to pay a fine of \$1313.

Do had said she had "no

control" over whether or not the drivers had asked for an ID. She said she "trusted" them to make sure that they did ask for one.

Crowley said Do how many regular customers have their alcohol delivered. She answered "about 50".

He asked why so many have it delivered. She said some have a disability and some do not own cars.

Shea said he would inform the ABCC and would send a letter to the owner of Franklin Beer & Wine regarding the suspension.

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ALCOHOLIC PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY

Alcohol can be toxic to the nerves in the body. Excessive use can cause neuropathy in the foot that is characterized by a loss of sensation that is similar to diabetic neuropathy. A person without good sensation in his or her feet cannot feel cuts or ulcers on the feet that are then susceptible to infections. If you have neuropathy, examine your feet frequently, and look for any cuts or ulcers. Do not walk barefoot or soak your feet in hot water. Examine the insides of your shoes before wearing them. See your podiatrist frequently for any foot issues at all. Neuropathy is permanent, although some medicines can be prescribed that can reduce the burning sensation associated with neuropathy.

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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Feb. 2 - Feb. 9

Total Calls for Service: 1,115

Total Arrests: 46

Total Stolen Cars: 2

FRIDAY, FEB. 2

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:24 a.m., 724 Willard St. Tires.

LARCENY, 10:28 a.m., Eastern Nazarene College, 23 East Elm Ave. Past. Laptop computer taken.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:09 p.m., 91 Montclair Ave. Past. One party to Quincy Medical.

SATURDAY, FEB. 3

LARCENY, 1:35 a.m., Dunkin' Donuts, 1462 Hancock St. From person. Arrest made. Citizen reports a Hispanic male just stole a pocketbook from a female party and fled towards Family Dollar. One in custody at the Stop & Shop headquarters.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:27 p.m., 8 Helene St. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 8:09 p.m., 465 Centre St. Past. **VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:20 p.m., Lisa's Pet Salon, 649 Hancock St.** Broken front window.

SUNDAY, FEB. 4

LARCENY, 12:11 a.m., Quincy Police Department, 1 Sea St. Of fare. Taxi pulled into back lot and flagged down 773L with a party refusing to pay the fare. Party paid cab fare what he had and was sent on way.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:22 p.m., 85 Baxter Ave. To motor vehicle. Driver's side passenger window was smashed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:59 p.m., 28 Kidder St. Dwelling. In vacant house.

MONDAY, FEB. 5

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 7:57 a.m., Presidents Place Assoc. Property Management, 1250 Hancock St. Past. Caller states she was attacked at the Galleria by another female.

LARCENY, 12:31 p.m., Pilgrim Shoe Machine Co., 21 Nightingale Ave. By check. Counterfeit check was cashed in New Jersey. An attempt was made to cash a second counterfeit check at the same bank in New Jersey.

LARCENY, 1:37 p.m., 25 Watson Ter. Of wallet. Containing credit cards, driver's license and \$70 in cash.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:46 p.m., South Shore Day Care Center, 146 East Squantum St. Theft report shows keys were left in motor vehicle. 1997 Mitsubishi Montero, color white.

TUESDAY, FEB. 6

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 12:38 a.m., 53 Revere Rd. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 7:24 a.m., Leo's General Store, 263 Water St. Quarters. Woman just left after taking quarters. Suspect described as white female, early 30's, blonde, blue eyes, 5'8", 130 lbs, black ski hat and blue jeans.

LARCENY, 8:44 a.m., Travelers Insurance, 300 Crown Colony Dr. Past. Laptop computer taken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:28 a.m., RSM McGladrey Inc., 2300 Crown Colony Dr. Business. Several laptop computers taken. Pry marks found on office doors.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:49 a.m., Most Blessed Sacrament Church, 1000 Sea St. Past. In the hall behind the church have been scratched and the building has been spraypainted.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:31 p.m., 112 Chubbuck St. Motor vehicle egged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:45 p.m., 214 Quincy Shore Dr. Brick thrown at car.

LARCENY, 2:29 p.m., 30 Copeland St. Debit card. Debit card stolen from mail, already used.

LARCENY, 8:26 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Keys stolen from locked locker.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7

LARCENY, 11:27 a.m., Market USA Credit Union,

1211 Hancock St. \$38,000 missing from vault and ATM machine.

LARCENY, 5:08 p.m., Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. Checks/cash.

THURSDAY, FEB. 8

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:38 a.m., 81 Longwood Rd. Car windshield. Back windshield was smashed overnight. Nothing taken from vehicle - no entry gained.

LARCENY, 9:55 a.m., 124 Crabtree Rd. Possible breaking and entering dwelling.

LARCENY, 11:33 a.m., 147 Beale St. \$800 and lock box stolen.

LARCENY, 1:57 p.m., TJ Maxx, 100 Granite St. Someone's purse stolen. Arrest made.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 6:53 p.m., 32 Bradford St. Past. Someone tried to break into cellar.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:27 p.m., 29 Glenview Rd. Dwelling.

ARMED ROBBERY, 8 p.m., 25 Independence Ave. With knife. White male, scruffy beard, navy sweatshirt, ski mask, jeans. Fled up Franklin. Butcher knife shown. Dollar bills taken @ \$100.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:03 a.m., Rags Tavern, 375 Washington St. 1997 Saab, color green.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton.

Current, Upcoming Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit Programs

The Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit offers many programs throughout the year to Quincy residents of all ages. The programs listed below are programs that are running now or will be in the weeks to come. For additional information of available programs, check out the Quincy Police Crime Prevention website at [HYPERLINK "http://www.ci.quincy.ma.us/police.asp"](http://www.ci.quincy.ma.us/police.asp)

QUINCY POLICE TO OFFER RAD (Rape Aggression Defense) PROGRAM:

The Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit will again be offering the highly acclaimed RAD program for women ages 18 and over, and age 16 with an accompanying adult.

The program is a hands-on, women's only course that begins with awareness, prevention, risk reduction, and avoidance, while progressing on to the basics of hands-on defense training. The program runs for four consecutive Thursday nights: March 8, 15, 22, & 29 from 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM. Participants must attend all four classes (although Class 4 simulation is voluntary) and pre-registration is required. If you would like to register, please email your name, age, and phone number to [HYPERLINK "kbarkas@ci.quincy.ma.us"](mailto:HYPERLINK)

A confirmation email will be sent to all registered participants. If you have any questions, please contact Detective Karyn Barkas at (617) 745-5753.

BASIC BOATING SAFETY: The Quincy Police Marine Unit will be offering this boating course over a period of three Saturday mornings, commencing on February 17.

The program will be held at the Marine Center at 137 Bayview Avenue, adjacent to the Quincy Yacht Club. A second course will begin on March 10. For more information, contact Sgt. Robert Gillan at (617) 745-5860.

STRANGER AWARENESS: Officers are conducting seminars in all 2nd and 3rd grades in both public and parochial schools about the dangers of having contact with people they do not know. The course covers scenarios as well as how to report incidents to teachers, parents and the Police. Officers involved in this program are Bob Bell, Mark Folan, Jim Detremont and Sergeant Mark Kennedy.

INTERNET SAFETY FOR CHILDREN: This course is being offered to all 4th and 5th grade public and parochial students, discussing the appropriate use of the Internet. The Officers cover a wide range of problems associated with various sites and recommend guidelines for proper use. Lt. John Steele, Sgt. Sean Duggan, Officer Brian Flaherty and Detective Karyn Barkas are the Instructors.

ANTI-BULLY PROGRAM: This is a pilot program at Central Middle School, in cooperation with Guidance Counselors and Teachers, set to begin this week and then be offered to the other middle schools this spring. The

course will cover five aspects of bullying and cyber-bullying: Identifying the Bully, the Victim, the Bystander, the schools' policy and related criminal offenses. The initial program is being presented by the team of Capt. Paul Keenan, Guidance Counselors Steve Sylvia and Maura Tenaglia and Health Teacher Kaitlin Powers.

MIDDLE SCHOOL EARLYBIRD BASKETBALL PROGRAM:

The basketball program runs for 10 weeks before school (7:00 A.M.) and finishes with a championship. Depending upon the school, the league is either coed or separate leagues are created for boys and girls. Although there were play-offs and champions crowned, the program stresses relationship building between the police and the students, between students of varying grades and getting students involved in healthy activities. The program is currently running at Broad Meadows, with Det. Dennis Maloney, Atlantic Middle School (School Resource Officer Steve Burgo) and Central Middle School (Lt. Minton) will begin after the February school vacation.

CENTRAL MIDDLE SCHOOL CITIZENSHIP PROGRAM:

The purpose of this bi-monthly course is to encourage 8th graders to become involved in the community and volunteer for programs. The Teacher, Mr. Jim Phelan, promotes many of the volunteer activities in the school that benefit those in need. As part of the program, guest lecturers from a wide range of occupations speak about their commitment to the community.

QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT POLICE ACADEMY:

In its 15th year at Quincy High School, under the direction of the teacher Mr. Flaherty, this full year program links students and Police Officers together in an academic setting.

Police Officers go into the high schools and present a wide range of law enforcement topics to the students. This program helps students determine if this is a field that they may be interested in pursuing. Police Officers and students interacting helps break down communication barriers and promote better understanding. There are field trips to prisons, police academies and tours of the police station. Each student is required as part of his or her curriculum to participate in a "Ride Along" on either a Friday or Saturday night to see "the job" in person. Safety is a priority for the students. There is also a K-9 Unit demonstration.

NORTH QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT POLICE ACADEMY: now in its 8th year under the direction of the teacher, Mr. Ambraziejus, this half year course, starting next week, offers the same opportunity as the above mentioned program.

GOALS PROGRAM: The GOALS program is for students who have had difficulty in high school. Police Officers speak at this program with a focus on improving relations and helping students who may have had a brush with the law.

RAD HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM: This was a pilot program in early 2006 offered at North Quincy High School.

The RAD (Rape-Aggression-Defense) program was a success and is in session now. The courses' focus is on female seniors who are going away to college. Being away from home, most likely for the first time and vulnerable to new surroundings, this program will compliment the students' preparedness as they go on to their next challenge. The program educates the student on awareness of their surroundings and teaches them self-defense.

For additional information, contact Det. Karyn Barkas at 617-745-5753.

SENIOR CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY:

Since 1990, this academy has presented various courses to residents living in the 11 senior complexes. Each four-week program meets once a week for two hours and the subjects change each year. Ward Councilors are invited during the final week, along with the K-9 Unit. The Academy will be at Drohan Apartments in February, O'Brien Towers and the Towne Brooke House in March and at Tobin Towers in April. For more information, contact Sgt. Richard Potter at (617) 984-4262 or Lt. Minton at (617) 745-5719. Some of the courses offered:

Department history, Elder Abuse, Scams, Criminal Investigations, Crime Update, Driving Safety, Prescription, Drug Safety, Fire Safety, Personal Safety, Anti-Terrorism, Domestic Violence, Self Defense.

SAFETY SEMINARS: on a wide range of topics, the Crime Prevention Unit will be at Beechwood on the Bay on March 7, at 9:00 A.M. discussing "A Day of Safety" and at the Bethany Congregational Church the same afternoon to discuss "Scams."

QUINCY POLICE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM:

Each semester the Police Department provides an opportunity for college students to perform an internship for credits, learning about the many facets of the department. For more information, contact Lt. John Sullivan at (617) 745-5712.

PROJECT LIFESAVER: Teaming up with the Norfolk County Sheriff's Office, Project Lifesaver is part of a national program to locate and rescue missing persons who have wandered due to Alzheimers or related conditions such as autism or memory related disabilities. Electronic monitoring is used to track those enrolled in the program.

For additional information, contact Lt. Minton at (617) 745-5719 or Carol Flynn at (617) 479-1212.

PROJECT H.E.L.P.: This ongoing program, created by Quincy Police Dispatcher Carol Flynn, is available to all who have memory problems or have a tendency to get lost. This free program makes it easier for the Police to locate a person who is missing. To enroll in this simple program, a photo (taken by a Police Officer) and an application are required, and will only be used if the person has been reported missing.

For additional information, contact Lieutenant Minton at (617) 745-5719 or Carol Flynn at (617) 479-1212.

For information on any of the above programs, contact Lieutenant Dan Minton at (617) 745-5719.



LT. DAN MINTON



REAL ESTATE



By Samantha Mazzotta

Flushing Out Trouble

Q. I happened to read about the guidance you offer in the matter of fixing problems related to plumbing. The flush-out system in my house is defective. When the lever is operated, water from the tank keeps flowing into the toilet instead of stopping and letting water fill up the tank again. This does not happen every time the lever is operated, but it does happen frequently. Could you please let me know what should be done to rectify the defect? — *Bashker A.K., via e-mail*

A. The main culprit in this case is probably the flapper valve. This large rubber valve (which literally operates like a flap, or in some cases looks like a little plunger or cap) is located at the bottom center of the reservoir tank. Its job is to allow water to flow into the toilet bowl for flushing, and to stop the flow of water when the flush is complete.

Watching how this valve works is actually kind of neat. Remove the lid of the tank and flush the toilet a few times, observing the valve at the bottom of the

tank. When operating properly, a chain or metal rod lifts the valve up when you depress the flush lever (which is hooked to a simple lever system). The valve stays up while the tank empties — pushed up by a small vacuum created by the water flowing rapidly out of the tank. When enough water has flowed out of the tank, the vacuum is no longer sustained, and gravity takes over, allowing the valve to fall back down in place over the outlet. The water then refills the tank and stops thanks to another leverage process in the flush assembly.

When this fails to work, it's almost always because the flapper valve is getting hung up somehow. Sometimes the pull chain is too long and gets twisted, making it too short to let the valve down properly. Adjust the length of the pull chain so that it is not too slack and test the flush again.

Send questions or home-repair tips to home-r2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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'Hardscaping' Can Increase Your Home's Value

(NU) — Want to increase the value of your home? If so, invest in hardscaping.

Most people are familiar with the term "landscaping," but may not be familiar with "hardscaping," which describes the use of concrete products designed to serve a landscaping function.

Two studies, by Clemson University and the University of Florida, found that hardscaping contributes to higher resale value in single-family homes.

Since the return on investment is contingent on the quality of the hardscaping job, it's important that you find the right hardscaping

contractor for your project and use high-quality materials like segmental retaining walls and interlocking concrete pavers.

Homeowners should consider the following when choosing a hardscaping contractor:

- **The scope of the project:** Make sure the contractor understands your vision and will be able to implement it. You may want to ask the contractor to design your hardscaping project. Many hardscape contractors have in-house design services.

- **Proper licensing:** Your contractor should be properly

licensed, bonded and insured for the work proposed. Many regions require special licenses to conduct earthwork, grading and plumbing operations. The contractor also should have liability and workers' compensation insurance.

- **Solid references:** Check references and make sure the contractor has experience on projects of similar size and scope.

- **Certification and training:** Inquire about the contractor's experience with the products being installed. Ask if the contractor has been certified or trained by the product supplier or achieved recognition from a local or national trade association.

Such certifications are provided by the National Concrete Masonry Association for segmental retaining wall installation and by the Interlocking Concrete Pavement Institute for paver installation.

- **Guarantees:** Many contractors or nurseries will guarantee plant materials for up to one year and hardscaping installations for one year or more. Find out what is covered by the guarantee.

For more information about segmental retaining walls, visit www.ncma.org. For information about concrete pavers, visit www.icpi.org.

Flavin & Flavin Realty Among Top Real Estate Companies In Quincy

Edward P. Flavin, owner of Flavin & Flavin Real Estate, 1085 Hancock St., Quincy, announces his firm had ranked among the top real estate companies in Quincy consistently for a number of years, according to MLS-PIN.

In addition, the MLS Property Information System indicates Michael Flavin, Marguerite Flavin and Steve Fishman were all top producers for all agents in Quincy in 2006. Michael Flavin finished sixth in all of Quincy.

Flavin & Flavin Realty is a full service agency which

has been a continuous family-owned business since 1925. All agents are full-time, college educated and committed to quality professional real estate service.

"Our primary objectives are to be knowledgeable in all aspects of our business, be honest and fair in all our dealings, be interested in people and their problems and treat each client's needs as if they were our own," Flavin said.

For more information on the firm's pricing strategy and marketing strategy, call 617-479-1000 or visit the office at 1085 Hancock St.

Dress Up A Drab Room With A Personal Mural

(NU) — From vacation souvenirs and knickknacks to family photographs, nothing makes your house feel more like your home than personal mementos. Imagine a room where a treasured family photo is the focal point-plashed larger than life across the walls.

Whether it's your child's finger-painting masterpiece or a candid shot snapped on the beach, it's now possible to turn those memories into murals. Murals Your Way, owned by the Hopkins, Minn.-based Environmental Graphics, can turn personal photographs into wall murals.

"Murals are a hot trend right now," said Jackie Just, public relations director for Environmental Graphics, adding that the company's

mural business has more than doubled in the past year.

Murals Your Way has created custom murals for clients of all different backgrounds. Several golf scenes have been used as backdrops for in-home putting greens and professional golf shops alike.

The owner of Four Generations Pizza, a small pizza shop, used black-and-white family photos of the generations in murals on the walls all around his shop. In another creative twist on personalized décor, a photo of 5-year-old quadruplets posed in front of the Magic Kingdom at Disney World was turned into a mural for their playroom.

In addition to customized murals, Murals Your Way also offers more than 4,000 stock images that can be turned into murals, from Tuscan villas to Hawaiian sunsets. All murals can be custom-made to fit any wall from 4 by 6 feet and larger—there is no limit to the size that can be produced.

Artwork or original photos for custom murals can be mailed to Murals Your Way or submitted via compact disc, e-mail, negative or slide. Digital photos or art should be sent as a JPEG file. All original images are stored in a safe, dry, fireproof environment and returned in mail-safe packaging immediately after use. Custom murals take seven to 10 business days to produce and ship.

For more information on Murals Your Way, visit www.muralsyourway.com.

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Save Money By Sealing Windows, Doors

(NU) - If you want to save money in the winter months, checking the condition of your home's windows and doors should be high on your to-do list.

With the average household spending half of its energy dollars on heating and cooling, it pays to plug all the air leaks you find.

Officials with World Energy Solutions (stock symbol: WEGY), an energy services company based in St. Petersburg, Fla., note that homeowners who take such measures also ultimately help reduce air pollution by lessening the demand placed on power companies.

"Homeowners who save an average of \$25 on their monthly electric bill will reduce greenhouse gas emissions from their power company by roughly 6,000 pounds per year," said Jeff Stokes, World Energy

Solutions vice president.

The first thing to do is to check windows to ensure they are well-sealed, and caulk any small openings along the frames and sills, both inside and out. Also, consider installing door sweeps to block outside air.

Larger openings, such as exterior holes for plumbing and electrical wires, should be sealed with spray foam. Attic doors and hatches are a major source of unwanted cold air, so be sure to carefully apply weather-stripping in those areas.

Another problem area is the seam where basement walls meet the home's foundation. Any gaps should be caulked to keep unwanted air from entering.

And when it comes time to replace windows and doors, climate is an important consideration.

Energy-efficient windows and doors employ special glazing between the layers of panes to handle the job.

Consumers should consider a window's U-value, a measure of insulating ability.

It is also important to find out how much daylight and heat the window lets in. Glazing can be chosen to allow high, moderate or low heat gain. Framing materials have improved, too, offering better insulation than in the past.

The type of window you buy also makes a difference. Casement windows typically provide a tighter seal than double-hung windows.

For information on energy-saving approaches from World Energy Solutions and how the company is helping businesses use energy wisely, visit www.wesinc.net.



CENTRAL REAL ESTATE of Quincy recently announced its award-winning agents at the company's annual banquet held at the Honey Cafe at Presidents Plaza. From left are Central Real Estate partners Jian Zhi Tan, Patty Sullivan, Vin Moscardelli, founder; and John Boey. Award winners announced were: Lin Choi, Shirley Chu, Sue Leung Chu, Fred Cobban, Susana Engwu, John Hegarty, Ricky Huang, Joseph Lydon, Edward Mak, Thomas McMahon, James Moscardelli, Carl Soderstrom, Whitney Sullivan, Yong Tan, Robert Tran, Betty Wong and Chik Sang Yip. Two "Top Sales Volume" awards went to Jian Zhi Tan for \$12 million and John Boey with \$7 million in sales.

Baby Food Collection For Crisis Center

Century 21 Annex Realty is sponsoring a baby food collection drive for the Quincy Crisis Center through Feb. 28.

Coordinating the collection is Realtor Theresa Repoff.

Those interested in participating in the collection drive may be bring donations to Century 21 Annex Realty's Quincy office, 49 Beale St. Monetary donations are also accepted.

For more information, contact Repoff at 617-472-4330.

The Quincy Crisis Center serves the needs of the marginalized and forgotten people while promoting social justice, biblical compassion and solidarity with

the hungry, the hurting, the poor and the homeless. The Center offers a 24-hour emergency hotline, emergency foot services and advocacy programs, free hot meals, emergency grocery delivery and crisis counseling.

AARP Offers Free Tax Counseling

The AARP is offering free tax counseling to assist local taxpayers with the preparation of basic federal and state income tax returns through April 17.

Available to middle- and low-income taxpayers, with priority given to those age 60 and older, AARP Tax-Aide program provides face-to-face tax counseling services at more than 300 sites across the state, including senior and community centers, libraries and other convenient locations.

More than 250 AARP Tax-Aide volunteers have been trained in conjunction with the Internet Revenue Service and the Massachusetts Department of Revenue to perform this

services.

AARP volunteers are well-versed in federal and state tax rules, including the new refund for excise tax paid on long-distance telephone service, energy efficient credits for homeowners, and the "Circuit Breaker" tax credit with is available for Massachusetts residents age 65 and older who meet certain

criteria.

To find an AARP Tax-Aide site in Quincy, call 1-888-AARP-NOW or log onto www.aarp.org/ma.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



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Is Your Exercise Partner a Cell Phone?

The prominence of cell phones has more than tripled in recent years. An estimated 2.14 billion people in the world are cell-phone subscribers, making it an integral part of the lifestyle of most people, including those who use the gym.

The awkward looks and stares a person may have received 10 years ago if seen talking on a mobile phone while exercising have changed dramatically. Today, it's become common to see someone answering a phone call while walking on the treadmill, text messaging a client in between sets or using their phone as an MP3 player.

This has changed the culture of many fitness facilities — and not always for the better. Risk for injury, quality of workout and maintaining a positive workout environment can all suffer at the hands of cell phone users at the gym.

Any distraction to someone exercising, especially while using equipment, can increase the risk of injury for them and anyone around them. Walking on the treadmill while using one hand to hold the phone, or focusing on reading text messages can keep someone from being aware of what is going on around them, potentially causing a misstep due to a lack of attention to details such as speed and intensity.

The quality of your workout also may decrease if your focus is more on your conversation than on the proper technique of the exer-

cise. Even if using a wireless earpiece to talk, not focusing on proper breathing or body awareness can lead to an ineffective workout.

At most fitness centers there is not an enforced policy about talking on your cell phone while exercising. Many facilities try to discourage members from using their phones while working out, but may not be 100 percent successful. Loud talking and inappropriate conversations can cause a frustrating environment for other exercisers.

There are instances due to work or family emergencies that the use of a cell phone is necessary. The key is to be courteous, respectful and understanding of the people exercising around you. Keep your calls to a minimum and move to an area away from exercise equipment and other people working out while talking, texting or checking e-mails on your mobile device.

It may be true that exercising with a cell phone is better than not exercising at all. But exercise can also help with stress management in addition to helping you reach your fitness goals. Taking time away from a hectic schedule to exercise without your mobile device can give you just the break you need.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Expanded Supervised Gym Program During School Vacation Week

The Quincy Recreation Department will conduct an expanded day schedule of supervised gym programs during the upcoming school vacation period. Gyms will be supervised from 9 a.m. to 12 noon for free activities for boys and girls from age 8 through high school. School gyms will be open in all neighborhoods of the city and will feature activities such as basketball, floor hockey, gym games and dodge ball, Barry J. Welch, Director of Recreation, said.

Registration is done at each location and those ages 8 through grade 5 will attend from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Those in grades 6 through 12 will attend from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Participants may attend the program of their choice.

Some minor changes in times may occur in some locations to accommodate differences in enrollment. In addition to the day schedule, the ongoing night gym program will also be conducted in selected locations and all regular Saturday morning programs will be conducted on Saturday, Feb. 17 and Feb. 24.

"The department expects these programs to be well attended and have always been beneficial to

participants and working parents," Welch said.

Participants are requested to wear sneakers at all locations.

The schedule is as follows:
No programs on Mon., Feb. 19 due to the Presidents Day holiday.

The gyms scheduled to open 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Tues., Feb. 20 are Atherton Hough, Bernazzani, Merrymount, Montclair, Squantum and Atlantic.

The gyms scheduled to be open 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Wed., Feb. 21 are Atherton Hough, Beechwood Knoll, Snug Harbor, Wollaston and Point Webster.

The gyms scheduled to be open 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Thurs., Feb. 22 are Merrymount, Montclair, Squantum, Snug Harbor and Atlantic.

The gyms scheduled to be open 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Fri., Feb. 23 are Beechwood Knoll, Bernazzani, Wollaston and Point Webster.

Saturday-Regular Gym Programs from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Additional information can be obtained by calling the Quincy Recreation Department at 617-376-1394.

Quincy's Kathy O'Brien Featured In 'Go For Red Women' Radio Ads

Kathy O'Brien of Quincy, marketing services manager for Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, is featured as one of six representatives from the company who pledge a com-

mitment to the American Heart Association's Go Red For Women campaign in a series of advertisements airing on Oldies 103.3 FM.

The ads encourage

women to join Go Red For Women, a national initiative that encourages women to understand and reduce their risk of heart disease, their number-one killer.

The series of advertisements, which tout Harvard Pilgrim's support of the Go Red For Women movement through its presenting sponsoring of the Boston Go Red Luncheon, features Harvard Pilgrim Health Care CEO Charlie Baker introducing one employee — each declaring the unique ways they "love their hearts" — in each 60-second spot.

O'Brien, formerly Kathy Hussey, a mother of four who is a lifetime resident of Merrymount, coaches her twin daughters' Squirt hockey team for Quincy youth on the weekends. O'Brien is an avid runner, including five Boston Marathons — one of which she ran while her children cheered her on at Heartbreak Hill.

She considers it her mission to foster a healthy lifestyle for her children, stay fit and have fun doing it. In her segment, she discusses how her winter outdoor fun with her kids helps her stay active and fit. Her message reinforces one of the core components of the Go Red For Women movement, which emphasizes that physi-

cal activity and time spent with family are not mutually exclusive.

An excerpt follows:
"Hi, I'm Kathy O'Brien from Harvard Pilgrim. I choose to Go Red with my children. During the winter, we spend a lot of time outside. We go skiing, and sledding and ice skating, and even build snowmen! Getting active with them is a great stress reliever. Plus I'm able to exercise while having a great time with my family."

The "Go Red For Women" advertisements are currently airing on Oldies 103.3 FM, which, along with Mix 98.5 and Women's Business, supports the Go Red For Women movement in Boston as an official media sponsor.

Daffodil Days March 19-21

Daffodil Days, the American Cancer Society's annual event, has begun, with daffodils on sale now through March 2 and delivery to take place March 19-21.

A bouquet of 10 daffodils is \$7. A Gift of Hope — bouquets of daffodils delivered anonymously to a local cancer patient — is available for a minimum donation of \$20.

A "Bear and a Brunch TM" is also available for a donation of \$25, featured Hugh R. Hope, the newest Boyds BearTM designed for the American Cancer Society's Daffodil Days program, and 10 stems of fresh-cut daffodils.

Last day to place an order is Friday, March 2.

To purchase daffodils, or for more information, call 1-800-ACS-2345.

Red Cross Offers CPR, First Aid Courses

The American Red Cross, South Area Office, is offering the following courses at its Quincy location, 1495 Hancock St., third floor, from Feb. 21 through Feb. 27.

- Adult CPR/AED & First Aid, Wednesday, Feb. 21 and Feb. 28, 6 to 9 p.m., cost \$75. Two sessions. Completion of this course awards an Adult CPR certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

- Adult CPR/AED, Friday, Feb. 23, 1 to 5 p.m., \$55. The course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

- Adult CPR/AED & First Aid, Saturday, Feb. 24, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$75. Completion of this course awards an Adult CPR/AED certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

- Adult CPR/AED, Monday, Feb. 26, 6 to 10:30 p.m., \$55. This course teaches

bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

- CPR for the Professional Rescuer Review, Tuesday, Feb. 27, 6 to 10:30 p.m., cost \$60. Pre-requisite: current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Also, registration is being accepted for a day-time Home Health Aid and Certified Nursing Assistant course starting March 19, and an evening course starting March 19. Cost is \$800.

Pre-registration is required for all courses. Call 617-770-2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for more information.

The American Red Cross will train qualified applicants to become certified classroom instructors in CPR and First Aid. Classes will be offered at the Quincy location. For more information call the Quincy office at 617-770-2600.

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by Steven A. Brustlin, D.M.D.

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SPORTS

Torpey's 3-Pointer Paces Quincy Past W-H

By SEAN BRENNAN

Three was the magic number last Tuesday night for the Quincy girls' basketball team.

The Presidents won their third straight game against a Whitman-Hanson team that has won the past three Atlantic Coast League titles.

Quincy (9-9 overall, 7-5 in the ACL) never lead until junior Marybeth Torpey buried a three-pointer with five seconds left in regulation to give the Presidents the upset win, 52-49.

In the two teams first meeting of the year on Jan. 9, the Panthers rolled to a 22-point victory, and early on in this game, the Presidents once again found themselves in a deep hole. Whitman-Hanson (14-5, 9-2) opened the game on a 14-3 run, but this time around; Quincy eventually found its rhythm.

Junior Meagan Tobin's hot shooting (three 3-pointers and 13 first-half points) got the Presidents back to within seven points at the break, and the team used the half-time intermission to regroup on the defensive side of the court. The strategy worked. Whitman-Hanson could not figure out Quincy's defensive effort and scored a total of 14 second-half points.

"We found our rhythm at the end of the first-half, and Tobin took her play to another level by relentlessly attacking the hoop and hitting her outside jumper," head coach Jeff Bretsch said. "At halftime, the girls refocused on defense and came out to start the second-half determined not to back down. The team responded by holding the Panthers to only

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14 second-half points."

The defensive star of the second-half was Torpey. Her tireless defensive effort made it tough on Emily Trapp, the league's leading scorer, to get her hands on the ball in crunch time.

"Despite her five-inch height difference on Trapp, Torpey shut her down," Bretsch said. "The rest of the team amped up the ball pressure and good things started to happen. We gradually cut into their big lead and the team narrowed it to a razor thin margin for much of the last three minutes of the game."

The team's defensive focus translated into a much-improved offensive effort in the second-half. Taking advantage of a mismatch of her own, the Presidents' Leslie Campbell came up with two clutch baskets in the second half to give her nine offensive rebounds (11 points, 10 rebounds total). The post play of senior Hope Collins proved to be the straw that broke the Panthers' back. Collins scored all four of her points late in the game, and it was her final hoop with the 49 seconds remaining and no time left on the shot clock that tied the game at 49-49. It was the first time all game that Quincy had not trailed.

"After Collins' hoop tied the game, the girls responded with a big stop at the other end," Bretsch said. "With 24 seconds remaining, the team worked the ball around to allow time to tick away, and it eventually found its way into the hands of all-star point

guard Marybeth Torpey. Without hesitation, she stepped up and drilled a monumental 3-pointer with six seconds to go. Despite their best efforts, Whitman-Hanson was unable to get a shot off in the final ticks. For the second straight year, Quincy acted as the spoiler."

The Presidents traveled down to Marshfield High School last Friday night looking for a fourth consecutive win, but a slow start doomed the Presidents and they lost, 46-40.

"We started out cold against the Rams, and trailed 27-10 at the end of the first-half," Bretsch said. "We had a hard time stopping them (Marshfield had two players score 26 out of 27 points) and we need to do a better job early in games."

Quincy almost made it two comeback victories in a row against a league foe, but the closest the Presidents got was to within three points. Down by three with :41 seconds remaining, Quincy had to foul and Marshfield made their free throws and sealed the win.

"We nearly came back, but we ran out of time," Bretsch said. "One positive was that our free throw shooting was great (14 for 19). We have three games left and need just one win to make the post-season, so we should be in good shape."

Leading the way for the Presidents were Campbell (16 points/14 pts. in the 2nd half) and senior captain Brigid Kyle (10 points).

Quincy played last night against Plymouth South. The Presidents play host to North Quincy High School this Friday night (5:00 p.m.) and the team finishes up its regular season against Hanover High School on 2/21.



QUINCY'S KEVON MASON (center), a senior at Xaverian Brothers High School, recently signed a letter of intent to play football at the University of New Hampshire. Sitting from the left, his parents Calotta and Deryck Mason, and his younger brother Colin. Standing from the left, Xaverian assistant football coaches Jim McPhillips and Dennis Lozzi, head coach Charlie Stevenson and Xaverian Principal Domenic Lalli.

Xaverian Brothers Standout From Quincy Signs Letter Of Intent With Wildcats

Kevon Mason UNH-Bound On Football Scholarship

Kevon Mason, a Quincy resident and a senior at Xaverian Brothers High School, signed a letter of intent on Dec. 7 to play football at the University of

New Hampshire.

Mason, a wide receiver, was a Catholic Conference All-Star in 2006. He caught 38 passes for 688 yards and seven touchdowns this past

season. Mason is also the defending Division I triple-jump champion and he helped lead Xaverian to the Div. I All-State team title last year.

Quincy Lady Presidents Basketball Highlights

The Quincy Lady Presidents 5th grade travel basketball team was lead by Elena McDonough, Cassidy Toldness, Emma Papile, Kelsey Tucker and Lauren Gambon. The girls played Weymouth to go to 8-0 on the season.

The 6th grade team also won and has a record of 8-0.

The 7th grade team has a 5-0 league record and a 7-1 overall record for the season. The starting five players included Erin Chiochio, Lizze Kelly, Julia Tomer, Donna Niosi and Olivia Toldness. The team jumped out to a quick lead and set the pace for the rest of the team.

The Lady President 8th grade team had eight of its ten players score. The team was lead by Kaleigh

McKeon, Christina Cahill and Kori Sorensen.

E-Mail Game Results To The Quincy Sun

The Quincy Sun is now accepting game results by email.

The Sun publishes game results from varsity sports at Quincy and North Quincy High School, as well as summaries and highlights from local sports programs and articles about past high school athletes who are

suiting up for their college teams.

Please identify any athletes in the write-ups by first and last names.

If you would like to send in game highlights, ideas for feature stories or any other sports related topics, feel free to send any information to quincysunnews@verizon.net.

Three Red Raiders Qualify For Div. II Wrestling Tourney

The North Quincy Red Raiders had three wrestlers qualify for the Division II state tournament at last Saturday's Metro Sectionals. The Quincy Presidents had two wrestlers qualify.

North Quincy's Jon Tan (119) and Phil Kelly (285) both took first place in their respective weight classes, while Jack Leung took third at 140.

Also competing for the

Red Raiders were Dennis Leung (sixth at 112), David Duong (fifth at 125), Danny Sok (sixth at 130) and Louis Chin (sixth at 145).

Quincy's Camillo Arredondo finished first at the 171-pound weight class and Paul Reggianianni came in fourth at 135.

All five wrestlers will compete for a state title in the Division II state tournament that begins this Friday.

Women's Softball League Preseason Meetings

The Quincy Women's Softball League will hold its 2007 preseason meeting on Monday, Feb. 26, March 26 and April 23. Openings may be available for recreational

C division teams as well as for players in all divisions.

Contact Ginny at 617-328-0620 for specifics or visit www.QWSL.net for more league information.

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by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

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North Quincy Eyes Share Of ACL North Crown

The North Quincy Red Raider girls' hoop team has put themselves in position to earn a possible share of the Atlantic Coast League North Division championship.

The Red Raiders defeated Plymouth North High School last Tuesday (2/6) by a 69-39 margin. With the win and a Quincy victory over league-leading Whitman-Hanson the same night, North Quincy is currently tied with Panthers for the North Division lead. The two teams split their two games this season. Both teams held serve on their home courts.

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"Somebody called it in (Quincy's victory) to the girls on the bus, they were going nuts," head coach Doug MacFarlane said.

Leading the way for North Quincy were senior Megan Therrien and sophomore Jess Howlett. Both scored eight points in the victory. Junior Rebecca Goreham contributed five points, 10 rebounds and six assists.

At 15-4 overall and 10-2 in the Atlantic Coast League, the Red Raiders have one

game left on their regular season schedule. And it is a big one.

This Friday evening at 5:00 p.m., North Quincy will travel down Hancock Street to play Quincy High School. The Raiders won the first game of the year against the Presidents, and they will need to bring their A-game if they hope to earn their 16th win of the season as the Presidents have won four out of their last five games.

Presidents Tie W-H, Await Post-Season Seed

The Quincy High School boys' ice hockey team played two games last week, and with only one regular season game remaining (tonight against North Quincy), the Presidents just have to sit back and wait to see where they will be seeded in the post-season.

Quincy (9-3-4 overall, 6-2-4 in Atlantic Coast League play) skated to a 2-2 tie against Whitman-Hanson High School last Wednesday night.

ICE HOCKEY

Senior Anthony Gilbody and sophomore Zach McCaul each scored for the Presidents.

Junior defenseman Mike Lebel assisted on both goals.

On Saturday, the Presidents played host to the league-leading Rams of Marshfield High School (10-6-1 overall, 9-1-1 in league play), and came away with a hard-fought 3-3 tie.

Scoring for the Presidents were Ted Walsh and Anthony Gilbody.

Quincy and North Quincy will face-off tonight at 7:10 p.m. at the Quincy Youth Arena in the second of two games between the schools this season. The Presidents defeated the Red Raiders, 4-1, in the first meeting on Jan. 27.

Q-NQ Athletes In MIAA Meet

The Quincy/North Quincy cooperative track team will feature eight athletes at Friday's MIAA Division I Championship to be held at the Reggie Lewis Center.

Shot-putters Joe Page and Kelly Pineo lead a squad which includes sophomores Jeff Pereira in the 55-meter hurdles, freshman Mary Schwartz in the 1000-meters and Rebecca Stanton in the high-jump. The boys' relay team of Pereira, Danny Jackson, Wilson Araujo and Pat Watkins will compete in the 4 x 200-meter relay race.

The squads are coming off a very successful meet in the Atlantic Coast League championships also held last Friday at the Reggie Lewis Center.

Scoring for the boys' team were Jackson (55-meters), Pereira (hurdles/long jump),

Rongfu Zhen (long jump), Page (shot put) and the 4 x 200-relay team (Pereira, Jackson, Araujo and Watkins).

Point getters for the girls' team included Schwartz (1000-meters), Pineo (shot put) and Erin Collins (shot put).

Many of the girls also got their personal bests of the season despite finishing out of the scoring. Mikayla Shruhan (55-meters/8.52 sec.), Jen Nhan (55-hurdles/10.80 sec.), Lily Man (600-meters/1:51.3 minutes), Allison Figueroa (600-meters/2:00.4 minutes), Schwartz (1000-meters/3:17.17 minutes), Tara McFarland (1000-meters/3:40.2 minutes), Caitlin McCarthy (1-mile/6:08.1 minutes) and Jess Davis (2-mile/13:06 minutes) made

the meet a rewarding experience for the entire team.

"John Fidalgo and Andrea Bomar did a great job working with these kids whether it be middle or long distance, or hurdles, these kids were ready and the fact that only Page, Araujo and Pineo are seniors bodes well for the future," head coach Geoff Hennessy said.

Both the boys and girls teams finished at 2-3 in the Atlantic Coast League, with both teams wins coming against Sandwich and Norwell High Schools.

The ACL also announced its league all-stars last week. Joe Page and Jeff Pereira were named to the North Division all-star team on the boys' side, and Kelly Pineo and Rebecca Stanton were named to the North Division all-star team on the girls side.

Raiders Ice Plymouth N., Take Step Toward Tourney

The North Quincy (6-5-3) boys hockey team edged its way closer to qualifying for a post-season berth with a convincing 4-0 victory over Atlantic Coast League foe Plymouth North last

Wednesday night on the road.

Senior captain Nash Winters scored the game-winner in the first period and sophomore sensation Brandon Gilmore had a goal and an assist for the visiting Red Raiders.

Winters' game-winner was assisted on by senior captain Ted Walsh. Senior forward Matt Martin and senior defenseman Ken Patey also found the back of the net for North Quincy.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River

Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every

Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.



WINTER CAR CARE

Tips for Emergency Winter Driving Situations

(NU) - Severe winter weather can make driving a challenge for even the most experienced motorists.

Extreme cold temperatures make vehicles more likely to break down if proper maintenance has not

been preformed. Heavy snowfalls and icy road conditions can lead to vehicles sliding off the road and becoming stuck in the snow.

"Prevention is key to avoiding vehicle

breakdowns," said John Nielsen, director of AAA's Approved Auto Repair Program. Drivers should have a certified technician inspect their vehicles, including the ignition system, antifreeze, lights, heater, windshield wipers and washer fluids.

Should motorists find themselves stranded in the

snow with no help in sight, AAA cautions drivers not to needlessly spin the tires; this only digs the vehicle deeper in the snow. To properly free your vehicle, AAA experts suggest the following:

1) Clear away as much snow as possible from around the tires, under the vehicle and near the vehicle exhaust pipe.

2) Improve traction by scattering sand around the front tires for front-wheel drive cars, and around the rear tires for rear-wheel drive cars. Vehicle floor mats may work in a pinch.

3) Place the car in low gear (automatic transmissions) or second gear (manual transmissions) and gently press the accelerator. Ease off if the tires begin to spin.

4) If still unable to free the vehicle, try slowly rocking the car. Ease forward with the car in low gear (automatic transmissions) or second gear (manual transmissions). When the car will no longer go forward, release the accelerator to allow the car to roll back.

5) When the vehicle stops its backward motion, apply minimum pressure to accelerator again. Repeat these actions in rapid succession until the vehicle.

6) If others are available to

help, have them push to assist the car's rocking motion. People pushing the vehicle should not stand directly behind the wheels because of the risks of flying gravel, sand and ice.

7) If you are unable to free your vehicle, set up reflectors, flares or other signal devices to alert passing motorists.

8) If you stay in your car, tie a bright cloth to your antenna to alert rescuers. If you run the engine for warmth, make sure snow does not block the exhaust pipe, which could cause dangerous fumes to back up inside the car.

9) If you can leave your vehicle and reach shelter safely, contact your local AAA auto club for assistance. AAA members can request roadside assistance by contacting their club or visiting www.AAA.com.



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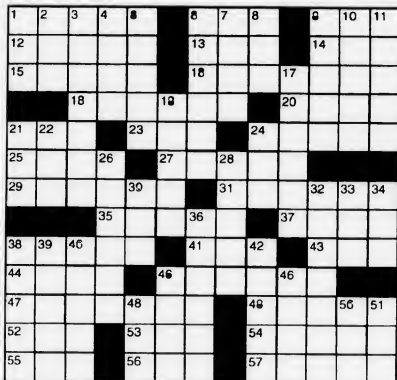
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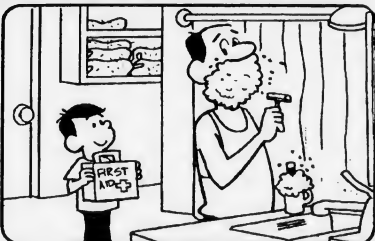
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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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- LANGUAGE: What does the Latin prefix "brevi" mean?
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- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the name of the University of Tennessee's mascot, a Blue Tick hound?
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- MEDICINE: Hemophilia is an inherited disorder of what?
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Job commitments call for the tidy Taurean to charge into those problem-plagued projects and get them into shape. Then go ahead and enjoy the fun and friendships of your expanding social life.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) The pressures of the workplace are beginning to ease. While you still need to stay connected to your ongoing commitments, you'll be able to take more time to relax with family and friends.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You might feel that you need to prove how much you can do. But be careful not to take on more than you can handle, or your risk being bogged down. An Aries has a message for you.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Financially it could be a little tight for a while. So resist the urge to splurge on things you don't really need. There will be time enough to indulge yourself when the money squeeze eases later this month.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You demand trust from others. But someone is creating a situation that could put your own trustworthiness in question. Be sure to keep all lines of communication open.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) A problem delays the recognition that you hoped to receive for your hard work. But all will soon be resolved. Remember to make patience your watchword this week.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Those wonderful ideas could expand your workplace prospects and ultimately lead you on a new career path. Your personal life also opens up new vistas.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) So much seems to be swirling around you these days that you might find it hard to focus on priorities. Best advice: Take things one at a time, and you'll get through them all.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Work out situations with what you have, and avoid the temptation to create complications where they don't exist. This applies both at home and in the workplace.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Keep your keen senses open to possible changes in personal and/or professional situations. Knowing what might lie ahead gives you an edge on how to handle it.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Personal pressures at work could create a problem with your performance. Best advice: Focus on the job ahead of you. If necessary, you can deal with the other issue later.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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OBITUARIES

Gerald W. Furlong, 78

Retired Mechanic

A memorial service for Gerald W. Furlong, 78, of Whitman, formerly of Quincy, a retired mechanic, was held Feb. 9 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Furlong died Feb. 3 at home.

He worked for Colonial Provision Co. of Boston for 25 years.

Born and raised in St. Johns, Newfoundland, he came to the United States in 1962. He had lived in Quincy for more than 40 years before moving to Whitman three years ago.

Mr. Furlong enjoyed working and rebuilding things in his home.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Rose M. (Cestnick) Furlong; two daughters, Geraldine L. Fur-



GERALD W. FURLONG

long of Warwick, R.I., and Barbara A. Bausemer of Whitman; a sister, Diane Harder of Vancouver, Canada; a brother, Buddy Palmer of Toronto; and two grandchildren.

He was the father of the late Rosalie M. Malone and grandfather of the late Ryan Callahan and Brandon Callahan.

Burial was private.

Anna Cicerone, 94

Homemaker, Seamstress

A funeral Mass for Anna (Pasquale) Cicerone, 94, of Quincy, a homemaker and seamstress, was celebrated Monday at St. John's Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Cicerone died Feb. 8 at John Scott Housing Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Braintree.

She worked for Silin Clothing Manufacturing Co. in Boston.

Born in Prezza, Italy, she came to the United States in 1957 and settled in the North Edn of Boston. She moved to Quincy in the 1980s.

Wife of the late Domenico

Cicerone, she is survived by two sons, Luigi Cicerone and Ezio Cicerone of Braintree; two brothers, Salvatore Pasquale of Medford and Bartolomeo Pasquale of Italy; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the John Scott House Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, 233 Middle St., Braintree, MA 02184.

Paul Clemente Sr., 97

Musician, Guitar Teacher

Private funeral services were held for Paul Clemente Sr., 97, of Quincy, an accomplished artist, guitar teacher and musician who entered generations of greater Bostonians, who died Feb. 2 at the John Adams Nursing Home in Quincy.

Mr. Clemente played guitar, bass and banjo. He started his own band when he was 17, Clem's Commodores. He also played with several other bands including the Hughley Connor Band, the Brown Derby and the Jimmy McHale Band.

He played with the Bob Allen band in New Jersey, with whom he toured the South.

In the 1940s, he formed The Paul Clemente Trio, playing at many venues, including the Copley Plaza Hotel in Boston. In 1986, Mr. Clemente played banjo with the Boston Concert Orchestra for a performance of Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess" in Symphony Hall in Boston.

He also taught guitar for many years at the Charles Bean Music Studio in Quincy and in Braintree.

Mr. Clemente opened the Brick Oven, a pizza shop in North Quincy, in 1955.

He was born and educated in Worcester and attended the Worcester Art Museum School. In the early 1930s he



PAUL CLEMENTE SR.

moved to Quincy where he met and married the former Elsie Alden, a direct descendant of John Alden and Priscilla Mullins.

Mr. Clemente last performed, at the age of 92, at a variety show held at 1000 Southern Artery in Quincy. He played his ukulele and sang his favorite song, "Hey, Has Anybody Seen My Sweet Gypsy Rose."

He is survived by his wife of 70 years, Elsie Clemente; a son, Paul Clemente Jr. of Milton; three daughters, Carol Dykstra of Braintree, Valerie Clemente of Brentwood, Tenn., and Karen Clemente of Hull; a brother, Peter Clemente of Worcester; a sister, Mary Consiglio of Shrewsbury; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by Cremation Society of Massachusetts, Quincy.

Donald S. Concheri, 74

Retired School Bus Driver

Funeral services for Donald S. Concheri, 74, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, a retired school bus driver, were conducted Feb. 10 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Concheri died Feb. 6 at the Quincy Medical Center after a long illness.

Born in Quincy, he was raised in the city and attended Quincy schools. He was a 1950 graduate of Quincy High School.

He had lived in Quincy before moving to Braintree 54 years ago.

Mr. Concheri was employed as a school bus driver for the City of Boston for 15

years. He retired in 2005. He enjoyed camping, fishing and trips to Canada.

Husband of the late Mary F. "Dolly" (Guillemette) Concheri, he is survived by two sons, Donald S. Concheri of Weymouth and John L. Concheri of North Attleboro; a daughter, Donna M. Peri of Hyannis; a brother, David Concheri of Duxbury; a sister, Joyce Kerrisey of Weymouth; and four grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Memorial donations may be made to the Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation for Autism, Inc., P.O. Box 767, Framingham, MA 01701.

Mary M. Greene, 82

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Mary M. (Duggan) Greene, 82, of Braintree, formerly of North Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Feb. 8 in St. Francis of Assisi Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Greene died Feb. 4 at home.

She was a secretary at Wright and Potter Printing Co. in Boston and later worked for her husband's company, William Greene Trucking, where she managed the books and the office.

Born in Boston, she grew up in North Quincy and graduated from North Quincy High School in 1943.

Mrs. Greene was a devout Catholic. She enjoyed cooking, gardening, making floral arrangements and taking trips to Cape Cod.

Wife of the late Earl S. Greene, she is survived by three daughters, Cheryl Greene of Braintree, MaryAnn LaHive of Sharon and Sally Hall of Walpole; a son, Earl Greene of California.



MARY M. GREENE

nia; two brothers, Robert Duggan and Joseph Duggan, both of Quincy; four sisters, Barbara Marotta of Marion, Joan Morris of Braintree, Carole Duggan of Quincy and Jane Foulsham of Milton; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Richard Greene and the late Lawrence Greene.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the South Shore, 100 Baystate Dr., P.O. Box 9060, Braintree, MA 02184.

Arthur P. Tonucci, 55

Financial Manager

A funeral Mass for Arthur P. "Chip" Tonucci, 55, of Hingham, formerly of Quincy, a financial manager, was celebrated Feb. 10 at the Church of the Resurrection, Hingham.

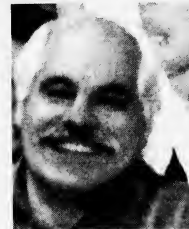
Mr. Tonucci died Feb. 6 at South Shore Hospital after a long battle with lung cancer.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Quincy. He graduated from Boston College High School in 1969 and from Northeastern University in 1975.

He worked for Tyco Electronics in Lowell for 19 years. Previously, he worked at General Dynamics for five years.

An avid golfer, Mr. Tonucci enjoyed sports and coached Little League. He enjoyed watching his children's sporting events.

He is survived by his wife, Cynthia J. (Olszewski) Tonucci; a daughter, Jennifer J. Tonucci of Weymouth; a son, Phillip Tonucci of



ARTHUR P. TONUCCI

Hingham; two sisters, Donna Tonucci of Scituate and Cynthia O'Connell of Weymouth; a niece and a nephew.

Burial was in High Street Cemetery, Hingham.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Pyne Keohane Funeral Home, Hingham.

Memorial donations may be made to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 55584, Boston, MA 02205-5584, or to Roxbury Latin Scholarship Fund, 101 St. Theresa's Avenue, West Roxbury, MA 02132.



DON MCCARTHY
Managing Director

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Valentine's Day is for children, lovers and romantics. Well, essentially, yes, but when it comes to affairs of the heart, everyone is included.

Valentines need not be expensive. A happy note written in your own handwriting... a telephone call to someone who might not otherwise

receive a call.

Some people find it hard to say "I love you," but on Valentine's Day they express that sentiment with special remembrances or gifts. It is also a day that "mushy" sentiments on brightly colored paper are not really taken seriously (i.e. Valentines exchanged by children at school.) The serious thing is the number of valentines received, not the sentiment. As people mature, the sentiment becomes more important than the number.

It takes only a little time to send a valentine, or a note, or to make a telephone call to someone, especially someone who is a little "out of circulation" these days. A little surprise gift will make that someone feel special, and you'll feel good, too!

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Robert L. Quintiliani, 67**Retired Quincy Police Sergeant**

A funeral Mass for Robert L. Quintiliani, 67, of Foxborough, formerly of Quincy, a retired Quincy Police Department sergeant, was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mr. Quintiliani died Feb. 9 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston.

He worked for the Quincy Police Department for 24 years and retired in 1985. He was a hostage negotiator and assisted in a special case in Boston, for which he received the American Legion Medal of Valor Award.

Mr. Quintiliani later was employed as director of operations for Quincy Fire Extinguisher Service, Inc., a business started by his father-in-law.

He served in the U.S. Marines from 1957 to 1959.

Born in Quincy, he graduated from North Quincy High School in 1957 and from Suffolk University.

He enjoyed recreational vehicles and began with his first mobile home in 1998 and traveled extensively throughout the United States.

Mr. Quintiliani was involved with the activities of his four daughters and was presented with an award by the instructor for attending 21 consecutive years of a daughter's dance recitals.

He enjoyed cooking, being "Mr. Fix It," and playing hockey with the Executive Hockey League.

He was also active in Sa-

**ROBERT L. QUINTILIANI**

cred Heart Parish in North Quincy. He volunteered as a Eucharistic minister with his wife and taught Pre-Cana, a Catholic course on marriage, for 12 years.

He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Anne M. (LeBlanc) Quintiliani; four daughters, Susan M. Nasson of Wrentham, Sheila Stringfellow of Foxboro, Stacey Stringfellow of Wrentham and Sherrin Gallagher of Foxboro; two sisters, Elizabeth "Betty" Bodine of Tampa, Fla., and Joan Zaiger of Needham; and 11 grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Levine Cardiac Unit, c/o Development Office, Brigham & Women's Hospital, 116 Huntington Ave., 5th floor, Boston, MA 02116 or St. Mary's Church, 83 Central St., Foxborough, MA 02035.

Dolores Anne Della Lucca, 75**Medical Technician**

A funeral Mass for Dolores Anne (Dolan) Della Lucca, 75, of Quincy, a retired medical technician, was celebrated Feb. 10 in Saint Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Mrs. Della Lucca died Feb. 7 at the Radius Healthcare Center in Braintree.

Born in Peterborough, N.H., she was raised and lived most of her life in Quincy. She attended West Quincy schools and graduated from Quincy High School.

She was employed as a medical technician for the Granite Medical Group of Quincy for 30 years. She re-

tired 10 years ago.

She is survived by her husband of 48 years, Edwin J. Della Lucca; a son, Denis E. Della Lucca of Shirley; two daughters, Kathleen E. Jennette of Sudbury and Cynthia A. Kyller of Hanson; seven grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Elpis Passalis, 87

A funeral service for Elpis "Yiayia" Passalis, 87, of Tampa, Fla., formerly of Quincy, will be held today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in St. Catherine's Greek Orthodox Church, 119 Common St., Braintree.

Mrs. Passalis died Feb. 7 in Tampa.

Born in Moria Mytilene, Greece, she came to Quincy in 1961 in order to have a better life for her daughters.

She enjoyed knitting afghans for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren,

cooking Greek food, going to the beach and listening to Greek radio.

Wife for 35 years of the late Elias V. Passalis, she is survived by two daughters, Effie Kalantzis of Quincy and Lily DiSciullo of Tampa; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Burial will be in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Arrangements were made by Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Philip M. Sheldone Jr., 40**Manager At J.N. Phillips Auto Glass**

A funeral Mass for Philip M. Sheldone Jr., 40, of Quincy, a manager at J.N. Phillips Auto Glass, was celebrated Tuesday at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

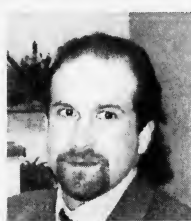
Mr. Sheldone died Feb. 7 after suffering injuries in an automobile accident in 2006.

He was a regional manager at J.N. Phillips Auto Glass in Quincy. He worked for the company for 16 years.

He was born in Boston.

Mr. Sheldone was an avid motorcycle rider.

He is survived by his wife, Patricia J. (McManus) Sheldone; three sons, Anthony J. Sheldone, Tyler F. Sheldone and Attilio D. Sheldone, all of Quincy; his parents, Philip M. and Lucille A. (Marino) Sheldone; a sister, Cheryl M. McManus of Quincy; and a brother,

**PHILIP M. SHELDONE JR.**

Frederick Sheldone of Raynham.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Brain Injury Association of Mass., 301 Lyman St., Ste. 10, Westborough, MA 01581.

William F. Wright, 51**Retired Quincy Police Officer**

A funeral Mass for William F. Wright, 51, of Quincy, a retired Quincy police officer and a Marine Corps veteran, was celebrated Feb. 10 at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, 1000 Sea St., Quincy.

Mr. Wright died Feb. 6 at Boston Medical Center.

He was a police officer for 24 years. Most recently he worked for Trammell and Crow Co. as a service maintenance technician.

Born and raised in Quincy, he graduated from Quincy schools. He earned his bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Springfield College.

Mr. Wright was a staff sergeant in the Marines. He was a member of the William R. Caddy Marine De-

tachment Post and served there as a chaplain.

He is survived by his wife, Angela Beth (Munies) Wright; three daughters, Jennifer A. Porter of Hingham, and Michaela Angela Wright and Jessica Elizabeth Wright, both of Quincy; a son, William J. Tinney of Quincy; his mother, Edwina Florence (Salvesen) Wright of Quincy; two sisters, Anne T. Houlihan of Plantation, Fla., and Edwina F. Deane of Newport, N.H.; two grandchil-

dren; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

He was the son of the late William F. Wright Sr.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Frank A. Curreri, 90**Retired State Investigator**

A funeral Mass for Frank A. Curreri, 90, of Weymouth, formerly of North Quincy, a retired state investigator, was celebrated Monday at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mr. Curreri died Feb. 8 at Radius Health Care in Braintree.

He worked for the state Attorney General's office for 10 years and retired in 1985. He also established his own wholesale and retail seafood business in Dorchester called Frank's Seafood.

He was an Army veteran of World War II and fought in the Pacific. He served from April 20, 1942 to Nov. 15, 1945. He received the Good Conduct Medal, Philippine Campaign Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal and World War II Victory Medal.

Born and raised in Boston's North End, he worked with his brothers on their father's fishing boat

called the "Fred Henry."

He lived in North Quincy before moving to Weymouth nine years ago.

Mr. Curreri was a member of the Moose Lodge.

He enjoyed the sun, ocean and singing.

Husband of the late Claire P. (Charboneau) Curreri, he is survived by a son, Leonard F. Curreri of Weymouth; two daughters, Mildred Warner of Brockton and Diane Cunto of Quincy; a brother, Jerome P. Curreri of St. Petersburg, Fla.; eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Central NE Region, 18 Tremont St., Suite 700, Boston, MA 02108.

Jean M. (Argus) Doherty, 70**Former Supervisor**

A funeral Mass for Jean M. (Argus) Doherty, 70, of North Quincy, a former supervisor, was celebrated Monday in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Doherty died Feb. 6 at Massachusetts General Hospital after a long illness.

She worked for Kemper Insurance in their Boston offices.

she was a member of The Kegglersettes of Quincy, a bowling club.

She is survived by her husband of 46 years, Raymond P. Doherty; three daughters, Jean Powers of Bridgewater and Debra Doherty and Linda

**JEAN M. DOHERTY**

Doherty of North Quincy; a son, David Doherty of North Quincy; and two grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Stanley A. Osborne, 85**Banker**

A funeral service for Stanley A. Osborne, 85, of Quincy, a banker, was held Feb. 10 at Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, 116 Franklin St., Quincy.

Mr. Osborne died Feb. 6 at Blue Hills Alzheimer's Center in Stoughton.

Born in Millinockett, Maine, he moved to Quincy in 1948. He graduated from Stearns High School in Millinockett, Bentley College and Northeastern University.

Mr. Osborne worked for the former First National Bank of Boston. He was also a postal worker at the South Boston Annex for more than

30 years.

He served in the Army Air Force during World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Mary (Seymore) Osborne; four sons, Stanley Osborne of California, Stephen Osborne of Quincy, Stuart Osborne of Kingston and Scott Osborne of Rhode Island; a daughter, Catherine Ingram of Oregon; a brother, Kenneth Osborne of Maine; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was the father of the late Cheryl Brown.

Burial was private in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Alice D. Anderson, 77

A funeral service for Alice D. Anderson, 77, of South Easton, formerly of Quincy, was held Monday at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 308 W. Squantum St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Anderson died Feb. 7 in Quincy after a long battle with cancer.

She is survived by her husband of 50 years, Ralph E. Anderson; two sons, Kenneth R. Anderson of Lake

Ariel, Pa., and Norman K. Anderson of Moultonborough, N.H.; a daughter, Carol A. Taylor of South Easton; a sister, Evelyn Harris of Lauderdale Lakes, Fla.; and eight grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

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RELIGION

Dramatist At Bethany Church Feb. 25

Bethany Congregational Church, Spear and Coddington Sts., Quincy Center, invites the public, especially women of all ages, to a presentation by Dramatist, Linda Gray Kelley, Sunday, Feb. 25 at 2 p.m.

Women's Prayer Breakfast March 31

The ninth annual Women's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 31 at St. Ann's School Hall, 1 St. Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and breakfast will

Kelley's topic will be Women of the Holy Bible, New Testament, as they lived through times of The Passion, the Good News and the Resurrection, a suitable contemplation for the first Sunday of Lent.

be served at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Using our gifts to serve God and others."

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ann Suzedell, pastor of Quincy Point Congrega-

tional Church. The 2 p.m. program will be followed by afternoon tea. A contribution of \$5 is requested for admission.

Reservations are suggested for church groups of more than six. Call 617-479-7300 or 617-472-6033.

Chinese New Year Celebration Feb. 25

Tickets are \$12 each and may be purchased by calling 617-773-6203.

Proceeds will benefit the social service programs at Interfaith Social Services.

Fellowship will follow the service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship, Baptism service and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service. His sermon topic is "Great Joy."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Susan F. Jarek-

Glidden will conduct the service. Lector will be Jeanne O'Connor. Ushers are Brian and Nancy Shite. Coffee hour hosts are Kathy Emerson, Karin Paul and Linda Johnson.

Family Movie Night will be held Saturday, Feb. 17.

Featured film is *Ice Age 2: The Meltdown* begins at 6 p.m. Admission, popcorn and soda are free.

Ash Wednesday service with a potluck supper will be held Feb. 21. Call 617-773-3319 or further information.

Morrisette Post 78th Annual Memorial Mass Feb. 19

Morrisette Legion Post will hold its 78th annual memorial Mass Monday, Feb. 19 at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Church, Crescent Street, West Quincy.

Past Commanders Henry Bradley and Lawrence Norton will read the roll call of deceased members from 2006-2007. A list of names

of all the deceased members will be distributed to families and guests to take home. Tom Stansbury is chief marshal.

Honored guests will be the families of the deceased veterans.

Morrisette Post members, veterans' organizations and the general public are urged

to attend the special ceremony honoring all deceased veterans.

Prayers will be offered for all uniformed men and women who are deployed overseas particularly in Iraq and Afghanistan.

New veterans and their families are welcome to join Morrisette Post.

Chinese New Year Celebration Feb. 25

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church and the Episcopal Quincy Chinese Center will celebrate the Chinese New Year Sunday, Feb. 25 at the church, 1 Linden St., Wollaston.

The morning service will

begin at 10 a.m. and the Rev. Dr. Thomas Pang will be the preacher.

A youth choir from St. Paul's Cathedral in Boston will sing and a Chinese children's dance group will perform at the coffee hour,

immediately following the service.

Chinese pastries and delicacies will be served.

Everyone is welcome at the event.

The church is located at the corner of Linden and Hancock Sts. in Wollaston.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic parishes of Quincy are sponsoring a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group.

The meetings are being held the third Tuesday of each month. The next one will be Feb. 20 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. at St. Joseph's Conference Room, Washington St., Quincy Point.

Women of other faiths are

welcomed to attend.

For more information contact Sister Pat Boyle at St.

Ann's, 617-479-5400 or Dorothy Ruggiero of St. Joseph's at 617-472-6321.

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Vista Care Hospice is seeking volunteers to provide friendly visits, emotional support, or errands for hospice patients and families. Visit in Quincy or a

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For more information, call 781-407-9900.

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Glad Tidings 158 Washington St., Quincy phone: 773-9797 Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m. Christian Ed 10 a.m.; Senior H Youth 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study, Royal Ranger Missionettes, Friday Junior H Youth 7 p.m.		Catholic Sacred Heart Church <i>"A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"</i> 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy) 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am Handicapped Accessible Confessions Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory		Congregational HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org Sunday, Feb. 18 Worship Service 9:30 am Theme: 'Who Is Jesus?' Luke 9: 29-36 Transfiguration Sunday Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Castricum 617-479-8778		St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy (617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Hefling Sunday School 9 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m. Nursery Care During Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME	
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Unitarian UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy 1306 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T Worship Service & Church School SUNDAYS, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister • A Welcoming Congregation • 617-773-1290 • www.ulpc.org		Congregational ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH 550 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-472-6321 SUNDAY MASSES: 4 p.m. (On Saturday) 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. Weekday Masses 9am CONFESIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm Handicapped accessible & Handicapped parking, side entrance air conditioned		Evangelical QUANTUM CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP 50 HUCKINS AVE., SQUANTUM 617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew Children's Class 10 a.m. Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m. Handicap Accessible email: info@squantumcf.org			
Congregational First Church of Squantum 164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649 Pastor: Michael S. Robertson Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson 10 a.m. Sunday Worship All Are Welcome		Congregational BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Spear & Coddington Sts., Quincy Center • 617-479-7300 10 AM Sunday Worship and Sunday School Rev. William Harding 'Great Joy' Fellowship Follows Service in Allen Parlor All Welcome • Church is handicap accessible		Evangelical QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor			
Congregational ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST 44 School St., Quincy 617-773-1021 Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy) Weekday Masses Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Handicapped Accessible Saint Ann's Church 757 Hancock St., Wollaston • 617-479-5400 Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM Daily Masses: 9:00 AM Handicapped Chairlift Available		Congregational QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424 Worship and Church School 10 am Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor visit us at www.QPCC.org		Evangelical THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY			
Congregational First Church of Christ, Scientist 10:30 AM Sunday Service & Sunday School 7:30 PM Wednesday Evening Meeting 20 Greenleaf Street Quincy off Hancock St. 617-472-0055		Congregational COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Whitwell & Granite St. Sunday Worship 10:00 AM Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor 9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages Child Care Available - All Are Welcome Children's Pantry Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon 617-479-5728		Evangelical THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY			
Congregational Wollaston Church of the Nazarene 37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston (617) 472-5669 On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College Pastor: Rev. Fred Fullerton Sunday Services 8:30 am - Holy Communion 9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School 11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service Come Worship with Us!		Congregational QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424 Worship and Church School 10 am Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor visit us at www.QPCC.org		Evangelical THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY			

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Rocco Fanuele, 96

Former Union Waiter, Restaurant Owner

A funeral Mass for Rocco Fanuele, 96, of Quincy, a former union waiter and restaurant owner, was celebrated Monday at St. Joseph's Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy.

Mr. Fanuele died Feb. 9 at Milton Hospital.

He opened an Italian Restaurant, The Venice, on the corner of Dorchester and Savin Hill Avenues in Dorchester when he was 53.

He sold the restaurant two years later and opened the Roma Restaurant in Codman Square, which he operated for eight years until it was destroyed by a fire in 1978.

Mr. Fanuele was a union waiter until age 75.

Born in Italy, he came to the United States when he was 12. He attended Boston schools.

Mr. Fanuele was a member of the Local 26 of the Hotel and Restaurant Em-

ployees and Bartenders Union.

Husband of the late Carmela (Viglietti) Fanuele; he is survived by two daughters, Isabella A. Lobosco of Albany, N.Y., and Rosemary Elliott of Sharon; two sons, Vincent J. Fanuele of Hull and Anthony Fanuele of Swansea; a brother, Charles Fanuele of Stoneham; three sisters, Porzia Lobosco of Norwood and Isabella DeBellis and Carmella Verelli of Italy; 11 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Milton Hospital Fund, 92 Highland St., Milton, MA 02186.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled seniors to get around.

If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0241EP**
In the Estate of
MARION ANDREWS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

December 25, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that RALPH J. ANDREWS JR. of STOUGHTON in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 14, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 2, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0291EP**
In the Estate of
DAISY C. DUPE
AKA DAISY DUPE
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

December 15, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that CATHERINE M. WILLIARD of WEYMOUTH in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 21, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 7, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 03P2744EP**
In the Estate of
VICTOR JOHNSON
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

October 26, 2003

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that TERRY V. JOHNSON of BAGLEY in the State of MINNESOTA or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **FEBRUARY 21, 2007.**

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WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 11, 2007.

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QUINCY SUN NEWSCARRIERS WANTED

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice of Hearing

The Massachusetts Division of Occupational Safety will conduct a license hearing on March 6, 2007 at 3 p.m. at 399 Washington Street, 5th Floor, Boston, Massachusetts, pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 140, Section 46D, concerning the application of Best of Care, Inc., of 1245 Hancock Street, Suite 33, Quincy, MA 02169 to conduct an employment agency in the name of Best of Care, Inc. at the same address.

Interested parties or duly authorized agents thereof, may submit signed written protests specifying why the license should not be issued, to: Robert J. Prezioso, Commissioner, Division of Occupational Safety, 399 Washington Street, 5th Floor, Boston, MA 02108.

Date: February 6, 2007

2/15/07

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

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CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK ST., QUINCY, MA 02169

In accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, the City of Quincy requests proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City: **SCHOOL DEPARTMENT PUBLICATION OF A DISTRICT NEWSPAPER FEBRUARY 26, 2007 at 3:00 p.m.** The City of Quincy, on behalf of the School Department, a department of the City, is requesting proposals from qualified vendors to prepare and produce three issues of a District Newspaper related to school policies, projects, personnel, and students in order to promote the cable and technology programs offered by the school system by publicizing the cable and technology programs in the context of all the other programs ongoing in the system. It is projected that the document would be a newspaper type publication of approximately 25 pages per issue on 50-pound paper-stock with a distribution of approximately 15,000 copies per issue. A copy of the specifications may be obtained at the Purchasing Department, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169, after February 9, 2007, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Non-Price Proposals must be in a sealed envelope and price proposals must be in a separate sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelopes are to be clearly marked "RFP - NON PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED" with time/date of RFP and "RFP - PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED" with time/date of RFP opening.

Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be opened and registered. Late proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

The right is reserved to reject any or all RFP's or to accept any part of an RFP or the one deemed best for the City, and waive any informalities in the bidding, if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

2/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0174EP**
In the Estate of
ALDO DIMECO
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

December 30, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that DARLENE EAGLES of HANOVER in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 7, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 25, 2007.

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2/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0208AD**
In the Estate of
VICTOR S. ROBB
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

May 27, 1987

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR DBN

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that IRENE ROBB of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 14, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 30, 2007.

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2/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department**

**NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0242AD**
In the Estate of
ROBERT E. TROUP
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

December 29, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that JAMES S. TROUP of BRAINTREE in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

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WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 2, 2007.

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2/15/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 06-099

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, FEBRUARY 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of 92 SEA AVENUE, LLC for a VARIANCE to subdivide the existing lot and construct two new single family structures in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (height, lot size, frontage) on the premises numbered 92 SEA AVENUE, QUINCY.

Noreen Brienzi, Clerk

2/8, 2/15/07

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-002

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, FEBRUARY 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of OMNIPONT COMMUNICATIONS, a Wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile for a SPECIAL PERMIT to amend the existing Special Permit on ZBA case #4352 in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.06 (wireless communications) on the premises numbered 3-5 BILLINGS ROAD, QUINCY.

Noreen Brienzi, Clerk

2/8, 2/15/07

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

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City of Quincy

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

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William J. Phelan, MAYOR

Laurie M. Allen, CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER

2/15/07

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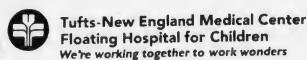
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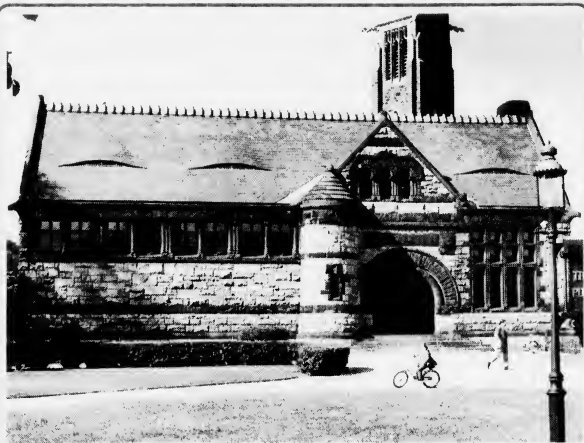
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THE RICHARDSON BUILDING, the original Thomas Crane Public Library, ranks high nationwide for its architectural beauty a recent poll shows.

*Ranks 43rd Among Top
150 In National Poll*

Thomas Crane Library Takes High Honors As Architectural Beauty

The Richardson Building, the original Thomas Crane Public Library, is highly ranked nationwide in America's Favorite Architecture public poll.

The Romanesque style, built in 1882 and designed by famed architect Henry Hobson Richardson, placed 43rd among 150 structures considered the best works of architecture.

The recent poll was conducted for the American Institute of Architects by Harris Interactive.

Photographs of 248 different structures including the Richardson Building was placed on a website (AIA 150.org) and viewers asked to vote.

Some 1,804 people voted for a final best 150.

The Empire State Building took top honors, followed in the first 10 by: The White House.

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Lincoln Memorial.
Biltmore Estate/
Vanderbilt Mansion.
Chrysler Building.
Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

The 43rd placed Richardson Building was just behind the Sears Tower in Chicago in the voting and ahead of such architectural notables as:

Waldorf Astoria (46).
Carnegie Hall (48).
Rockefeller Center (56).
Faneuil Hall Marketplace (64).
New York Times Building (68).
Yankee Stadium (84).
Boston Public Library (90).
Radio City Music Hall (100).
Fenway Park (113).
John Hancock Tower (142).

"We are honored to learn that the American people love our Richardson library as much as the people in Quincy," said Ann McLaughlin, director of the Thomas Crane Library.

"The library has been a favorite place for generations of Quincy people. How wonderful to know that this beautiful building is so universally loved."

The building is considered Richardson's masterpiece in library architecture.

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2006 Report Issued

Rooming House Task Force Finds Violations At 40 Properties

The city's Illegal Rooming House Tax Force cited 40 properties for violations in 2006 according to a report issued Tuesday.

The violations included 15 for operating an illegal lodging house, 20 for having an illegal apartment and five miscellaneous.

The Task Force also cleared 58 other properties of any violations. Inspections of 98 properties were carried out.

The Task Force was formed by Mayor William Phelan as part of his "Neighborhoods First" initiative.

Members include the building inspector, code enforcement officer, health commissioner, and representatives from police and fire departments.

The group investigates all

calls and reports of illegal lodging received by the Building Department and code enforcement officer.

"This has been an area of concern for our residents and we have approached the problem with a comprehensive solution involving the range of laws, ordinances, and personnel necessary to enforce a range of codes," said Mayor William Phelan.

"An illegal house can have a dramatic impact on a neighborhood and we are determined to ensure that our neighborhoods are protected from such activity."

The Task Force still conducts regular investigations of calls. Residents who suspect an illegal rooming house in their neighborhood are asked to call (617) 376-

1456.

"We remain responsive to concerns people have about the quality of life in their neighborhoods by responding to every complaint and continuing our unannounced inspections," said Jay Duca, Director of Inspectional Services.

The city issued a "Good Neighbors Guide" in 2006 to help educate residents about the various ordinances and codes that impact our neighborhoods.

"Education and enforcement are companion efforts to ensure that our neighborhoods are protected," Phelan said. "The strength of our city lies in the quality of our neighborhoods and we will continue to work to protect that quality."

47,780 Census Forms In Mail

Some 47,780 forms for the city's 2007 census went into the mail Wednesday. City Clerk Joseph Shea announces.

A four-page "Quincy View" newsletter from Mayor William Phelan was included in the mailing.

The census will determine Quincy's population, which Shea says currently, is 90,342.

"I think we could reach the 91,000 mark this year," he says.

In addition to determining



JOSEPH SHEA

the population, the census information helps calculate

the city's federal aid, and establish a jury list.

The mayor's newsletter provides neighborhood updates, and information on the energy saving program in municipal buildings, streets and sidewalks improvements, and a waterfront park to be built at Broad Meadows.

There is also a suggestion box inviting residents to submit ideas to help the city provide better services or to save money. The winner will have lunch with the mayor.



THE MOUND STREET Beach in Quincy Point made a pretty winter scene Saturday but the ice and snow forced postponement of the John Hancock Plunge. It is rescheduled for March 3.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

John Hancock Plunge Reset For March 3

The John Hancock Plunge still hasn't even had a toe dunked.

The event, sponsored by the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission was postponed for the second time Saturday because of safety reasons and has been rescheduled for Saturday, March 3.

The Mound Street Beach in Quincy Point was covered with ice, forcing the postponement.

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele, a member of

the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, was at the beach and expressed concern for safety on the slippery beach.

He said that the sheet of ice covering the normally sandy area even extended five or six feet into the water, making conditions very dangerous.

Proceeds from the event will go to the Interfaith Social Services of Quincy. Fee to take part is \$10.

Ward 1 Councilor Leo

Kelly, chairman of the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, said entries will still be taken.

Those interested, are asked to write a \$10 check payable to the Interfaith Social Services and mail it to Chickie Abdallah, commission treasurer, 48 Silver St., Quincy, MA 02169.

The event was originally scheduled for Jan. 20 to coincide with Hancock's birth Jan. 23, 1737 here in Quincy.

QMC To Host Free Health Lectures

Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy, will host a free HealthMatters health education lecture series designed to help area residents become better informed about their health.

•Got Diabetes?

On Wednesday, March 14 from 5:30 to 7 p.m., Jane Griffin, RD, LDN, a QMC-affiliated Clinical and Outpatient Dietitian, and Kristen Lavoie, RN, MSN, a Wound/Ostomy Clinical Nurse Specialist will review strategies to help people better manage their diabetes.

•Got Chronic Back Pain?

On Wednesday, March 21 from 5:30 to 7 p.m., Dr. Brian Kwon, a QMC-affiliated Spine Surgeon in practice with the Boston Spine Group, will present a review of the causes of and treatment programs for chronic back pain.

•Got Aching Knees?

On Thursday, April 5 from 5:30 to 7 p.m., Dr. Eric

Berkson, a QMC-affiliated Orthopedic Surgeon in practice with Orthopedic Surgery of Quincy, will present a review of treatment and surgical advances for the most common knee injuries.

The free lecture series is open to the public, and light refreshments will be served. Space is limited, and advance registration is requested and available, 24 hours per day and seven days a week, by calling the QMC Physician Referral Service at 1-877-479-CARE (2273)

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ART 118-85	Photography I	Th	6:00p-10:00p	3/1	5/10
BIO 106-85	Nutrition	T	6:00p-10:00p	2/27	5/8
CHN 102-85	Chinese I	S	8:30a-12:30p	2/24	5/12
MAT 160-85	College Math	T	6:00p-10:00p	2/27	5/8
MAT 103-85	College Algebra	W	1:00p-4:50p	2/28	5/9
MAT 113-85	Pre-Calculus	M	1:00p-4:50p	2/26	5/7
MAT 204-85	Calculus IB	T	1:00p-4:50p	2/27	5/8
PSY 216-85	Growth & Development	W	2:00p-5:50p	2/28	5/9
SCI 121-85	Human Body	W	1:00p-4:50p	2/28	5/9
SOC 101-85	General Sociology	S	8:30a-12:30p	2/24	5/12
5-Week Semester Session Two					
ACC 102-80	Accounting II	MW	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
CJS 117-80	Crisis Intervention & the Police	TTh	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
CSA 232-80	Microsoft Office II	MW	6:00p-10:00p	3/1	4/10
CSI 102-80	The Internet	MW	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
ECO 202-80	Economics II	MW	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
ENG 102-16	English Composition II	TTh	8:00a-11:50a	3/1	4/10
ENG 102-80	English Composition II	MW	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
ENG 202-80	English Literature II	TTh	6:00p-10:00p	3/1	4/10
ENG 222-80	World Literature II	MW	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
HIS 102-80	United States History II	MW	6:00p-10:00p	2/28	4/4
PSY 101-80	General Psychology	TTh	9:00p-10:00p	3/1	4/10
3-Week Semester Session Three					
CJS 101-81	Juvenile Delinquency	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/9
CSA 213-81	Database Management/Access	TTh	9:00p-10:00p	4/12	5/10
CSI 101-81	Introduction to Computers	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/9
ENG 111-81	Speech	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/9
ENG 202-18	English Literature II	TTh	8:00a-11:50a	4/12	5/10
ENG 202-80	Principles of Finance	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/9
GOV 211-81	State & Local Government	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/14
MAT 207-81	Statistics	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/9
PSY 205-81	Psychology of Change	TTh	8:00p-10:00p	4/12	5/10
PSY 216-81	Growth & Development	TTh	6:00p-10:00p	4/12	5/10
SOC 101-81	General Sociology	MW	6:00p-10:00p	4/9	5/9
Random Session Two					
BIO 132-88	Anatomy & Physiology I Lab	MW	8:00p-8:30p	3/26	5/14
BIO 142-88L	Anatomy & Physiology II Lab	MW	4:00p-5:50p	3/26	5/14
BIO 142-98L	Anatomy & Physiology II Lab	Th	2:00p-5:50p	3/28	5/10
BIO 132-88	Anatomy & Physiology II Lab	TTh	5:30p-8:00p	3/27	5/10
BIO 142-98L	Anatomy & Physiology II Lab	TTh	8:30p-10:15p	3/27	5/10
Non Credit Life Skills					
NCP 133-31	QuickBooks	MW	6:00p-9:00p	4/2	4/20
NCP 136-30	Introduction to Microsoft Office	T	8:15p-8:15p	3/6	4/17
NCH 200-31	Real Estate Salesperson Preparation	F	1:30p-5:00p	3/8	3/17
NCH 200-32	Real Estate Salesperson Preparation	F	8:00p-10:00p	5/4	5/12
NCP 226-31	Microsoft Excel	S	9:00p-9:00p	3/5	4/2
NCH 445-38	Junior Bookkeeping EXD	T	9:00p-1:00p	4/14	4/28
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NCH 450-64	Medical Administrative Assistant	MW	8:00p-9:00p	3/28	5/14
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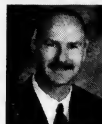
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Coughlin Proposes Mandatory Recycling

Councillor Kevin Coughlin proposes that the city make recycling mandatory.

Coughlin introduced an ordinance at Tuesday's City Council meeting that would require all residents living in single-family and multi-family dwellings of up to eight units and who have municipal trash collection to participate. Those not complying would risk having their trash not collected.

Recycling has been on a voluntary basis for more than a decade.

"Mandatory recycling makes a lot of sense," Coughlin said. "And will save taxpayers a lot of money."

The proposed ordinance was referred to the Ordinance Committee for study.

Under it, residents would separate paper, cardboard, glass, plastic bottles and jars and aluminum and tin cans for recycling.

None of those materials could be placed in regular trash containers.

Montclair School To Celebrate Dr. Seuss' 103rd Birthday

Montclair School students and staff are joining students nationwide in celebrating Dr. Seuss' 103rd birthday Friday, March 2 from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Students ambassadors dressed as their favorite book characters will escort local and state elected officials, school administrators, Rotary Club members, officials from the Quincy Police and Fire Departments, local businesses, and members of the



KEVIN COUGHLIN

"It shall be the policy of the City to reduce the amount of solid waste generated and to require the recycling of recyclable materials to the fullest extent possible," the ordinance reads.

The program would be carried out in three steps:

On April 1, the Department of Public Works would begin an educational program regarding the recycling requirements.

On July 1, the DPW would begin placing notice tags on trash containers with significant amounts (10 percent by volume or more) of

paper, cardboard, glass and plastic bottles and jars and aluminum and tin cans.

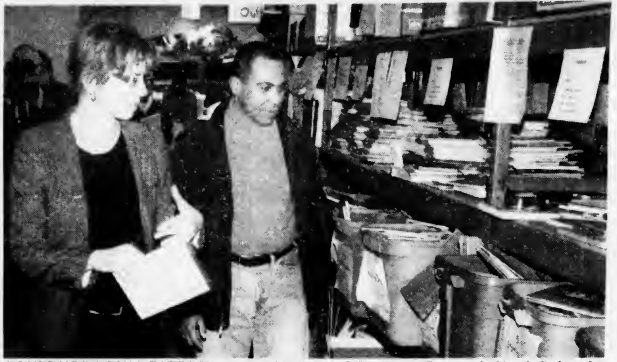
Beginning Jan. 1, 2008 violations would result in refusal of curbside trash collection services. Customers would be required to remove those items from trash containers before they would be collected.

Quincy's recycling rate is around 25 to 26 percent, Coughlin says.

"I believe it's time for Quincy to codify our residential recycling program and look at both regulatory and creative incentives to double our recycling rate within the next five years."

"We save \$82.35 per ton for each ton of recycled material diverted from regular trash presently averaging 11,000 tons per year. Imagine what we can save taxpayers if we double that while doing so many good things for our environment."

Coughlin also proposes that the city council encourages all restaurants, supermarkets and other food handlers to participate in a comprehensive plan to recycle and compost food waste and other organics. Such waste, he says, accounts for 30 percent of all commercial waste disposal.



GOVERNOR DEVAL PATRICK gets a guided tour of Cradles to Crayons in North Quincy by founder and CEO Lynn Margherio during his visit last week. The governor helped sort and pack footwear that will be distributed to needy students in the Quincy Public Schools. The shoes were collected by the Deval Patrick - Timothy Murray Inaugural Committee.

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BROAD MEADOWS SCHOOL students, also known as "workerbees" together with Gov. Deval Patrick at Cradles to Crayons in North Quincy. From left are: Kristen Fung, Colleen Kelly, Jacob Rich from the Rashi Jewish Day School in Newton; Jessica Dowling and Brittini Shaheen. Cradles to Crayons was honored by the governor's visit for serving as a model for civic engagement.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On Feb. 24, 1836, Texas Colonel William Travis sends a desperate plea for help for the besieged defenders of the Alamo, ending the message with the famous last words, "Victory or Death." Only 32 men responded to Travis' call for reinforcements. On March 6, the Mexican army stormed the Alamo, and Travis, Jim Bowie, Davy Crockett and about 190 of their comrades were killed.

• On Feb. 19, 1847, the first rescuers reach surviving members of the Donner Party, a group of California-bound immigrants stranded by snow in the Sierra Nevada Mountains. Eighty-nine people had set out from Springfield, Ill., the previous July. Only 45 of the original party reached California.

• On Feb. 21, 1885, the Washington Monument is dedicated in Washington, D.C. The monument remains today, by District of Columbia law, the tallest building in the nation's capital.

• On Feb. 22, 1923, the 1 millionth Chevy is produced. Chevrolet began when William Durant hired

Louis Chevrolet, a Swiss race-car driver and star of the Buick racing team, to design a new car to challenge the success of the Ford Model T.

• On Feb. 25, 1938, Miami's first drive-in movie theater opens. Admission was 25 cents per car and 25 cents per individual, with no car paying more than \$1. The drive-in craze would peak in 1963, when 3,502 theaters were in operation across the country.

• On Feb. 20, 1943, movie-studio executives agree to allow the Office of War Information to censor movies informally. World War II led to a proliferation of war-themed films, and the government feared that vital information might be disclosed through movies.

• On Feb. 23, 1954, a group of children from Arsenal Elementary School in Pittsburgh, Pa., receive the first injections of the new polio vaccine developed by Dr. Jonas Salk. Globally, there are now roughly 250,000 cases of polio each year, mostly in developing countries.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Is That All There Is?

Remember Peggy Lee's hit lament, "Is That All There Is?"

Some are wondering if that title might have a political version here this election year.

We are sure of a good mayor's race between three-term incumbent William Phelan and former Park Commissioner Tom Koch for voters to chew on.



PHELAN



KOCH

That's a lot right there. The best mayoral race since 2001 when Phelan upset six-term incumbent James Sheets by a scant 17 votes.

But, is that all there is?

Could that be the only race this year? No council or school committee battles?

Right now all seems quiet on that political front.

And observers are wondering if nine city councillors and three school committee members could go on the ballot unopposed?

Don't know if that has ever happened before, but could it this year?

Some think so.

The three school committee members up for re-election this year are: Vice Chairwoman Elaine Dwyer, Linda Stice and Dave McCarthy. No challenger seems to be stirring.



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mean he will.

And the city council?

Publicly, all's quiet at the moment. But it seems quite unlikely that nine councillors could get a free ride to re-election.

Former Councillor Mike Cheney indicated he might run. But that doesn't

There's speculation there could be a woman candidate running at large. She is well known, has held a local appointed office here and reportedly is "thinking" about it.

The council is again an all-male body.

There have been only four women elected to the council in the city's history: Edna Austin, Joanne Condon, Patricia Toland and Alicia Gardner, the last. She was elected in 2003, served one term and stepped down.

And many, today, feel the council could use a woman's touch.

There's some speculation two or three ward councillors might have opposition. But right now that's all that is speculation. No bodies have stepped forward.

Up for re-election in the council this year are:

Councillors at-large Joseph Finn, John Keenan and Michael McFarland and Ward Councillors Leo Kelly (1), Dan Raymondi (2), Kevin Coughlin (3), Jay Davis (4), Council President Doug Gutro (5) and Brian McNamee (6).

Another question: Could any of them decide not to seek re-election. Possibly one.

And Raymondi is still keeping 'em guessing about possibly getting into the mayor's race. He ain't saying yes, he ain't saying no. All you get from him is that Raymondi smile.



RAYMONDI

All the guessing on who's running and who's not will be over fairly soon.

Nomination papers will be available at the Election Department in City Hall in early May.

But the possibility that the mayor's race could be the only one this year is intriguing.

Is that all there is?

We'll soon find out.

139 On Sterling School Honor Roll

Sterling Middle School lists 139 students on its second quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 8: Jun Chen, Eddie Huang, John Hughes, Linda Li, Nicole Ngoon, Elizabeth Pyle, Erica Santiago, Jaimie Shaughnessy, Eddie Tsai and Vinny Wang.

Grade 7: Aris Bega, Felicia Bertoldi, Juliette Callahan, Marquis Chase, Erin Chiochio, David Coletti, Patrick Conroy, Loan Do, Lisa Marie Flora, Alexander Ha, Jesse Huang, Theresa Hughes, Kameron Kaplan, Elizabeth Kelley, Emily Kelley, Jeffery Law, Caitlyn Lowry, Devin McDonough, Shannon Moriarty, Akshat Nagpal, Emily Nguyen, Phi Nguyen, Nicole Parry, Erin Richardson, Hoi Man Helen Sze, Tommy To, Malia Tupe, Jose Vasquez, Zorah Walker and Fanny Zhou.

Grade 6: Sean Bleiler, Jonathan Calla, Jackson Li, Phu My Amy Luong, Robert Lydon, Christina Noble, Joan Palo, Alicia Shuman, Emily Xie and Ya Fen Zhen.

Honors

Grade 8: Nneoma Agugo, Winifred Akoury, Alex Bergstrom, Julia Bettiol, Katelyn Breen, Emily Chapman, Julie Chernicki, Eryk Diorio, Sydney Huynh, Courtney Hyman, Kimberly Jordan, Dimitrios Kalogeras, Adam Lenar, Kathleen Lesslie, Jeffery Lim, Ori Maci, Kaitlyn Mahn, Michael Meng, Giulia Murphy, Corey O'Connor, Matthew Oliver, Jennifer Palmer, Jessica Palmer, Mary Parker, Justin Ricciarelli, Caitlin Rooney, Alexandria Shuman, Cindy Tran and Vivian Tran.

Grade 7: Yousef Abuhajeb, Amanda Anderson, Hilliary Baker, Victoria Brill, Michael Caruso, Sean Clark, Elizabeth Do, Kelsey Fair, Elizabeth Folan, Nicole Garcia, Ilirjana Glozhene, Shalyn Hirl, Kevin Huang, Kathleen Jarrell, Brianna King, Jitong Liu, Sarah Monteiro, Sandy Nguyen, Claire O'Neill, Christopher Peveronis, Wantip Phet-lam, Kelsey Pudder, Sarah Sacchetti, Elizabeth Smith, Elizabeth Stevens, Ryan Timcoe, Olivia Toldness, Don Tran and Michael Yuen.

Grade 6: Sean Armand, Madison Barnwell, Cole Barrett, Nicholas Boczkowski, Jahkwon Bowie, Shu Chen, Kadijah Dansby, Dillon Darcy, Leslie Marie David, Laura Donahue, Alysha Dunbar, Thomas Hardy, Daniel Keeley, Kelvin Lee, Jonathan Leveille, Melissa Linskey, Luke Mackin, Christopher Marshall, Jr., Joseph Moriarty, Alexandria Neuman, Kayla Neuman, Mekhi Pearson, Emily Picot, Brendan Reardon, Stephen Rodeck, Robert Routhier, Jarret Smith, Sarah Spargo, Alex Sweeney, Mai Trinh Tang and Allan Tran.

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Barrett, Nicholas Boczkowski, Jahkwon Bowie, Shu Chen, Kadijah Dansby, Dillon Darcy, Leslie Marie David, Laura Donahue, Alysha Dunbar, Thomas Hardy, Daniel Keeley, Kelvin Lee, Jonathan Leveille, Melissa Linskey, Luke Mackin, Christopher Marshall, Jr., Joseph Moriarty, Alexandria Neuman, Kayla Neuman, Mekhi Pearson, Emily Picot, Brendan Reardon, Stephen Rodeck, Robert Routhier, Jarret Smith, Sarah Spargo, Alex Sweeney, Mai Trinh Tang and Allan Tran.

Basic Boating Course At Houghs Neck Maritime Center

The Massachusetts Environmental Police is offering a basic boating course entitled "Boat Massachusetts" at the Houghs Neck Maritime Center, 137 Bayview Ave., on March 10, 17 and 24 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

"Boat Massachusetts" is offered to the public at no charge. The primary purpose of the course is to foster safe boat operation through increased awareness of

required safety equipment, safe boating practices and legal responsibilities.

Youths 12 through 15 years of age who successfully complete the course, will be issued a Safety Certificate allowing them to operate a motorboat without adult supervision, as required by state law. This course will also satisfy the state requirements for personal watercraft users who are 16

or 17 years of age. All graduates will be issued a course completion diploma and a Safety Certificate. Taking the class as a family is encouraged and has proven to be highly rewarding.

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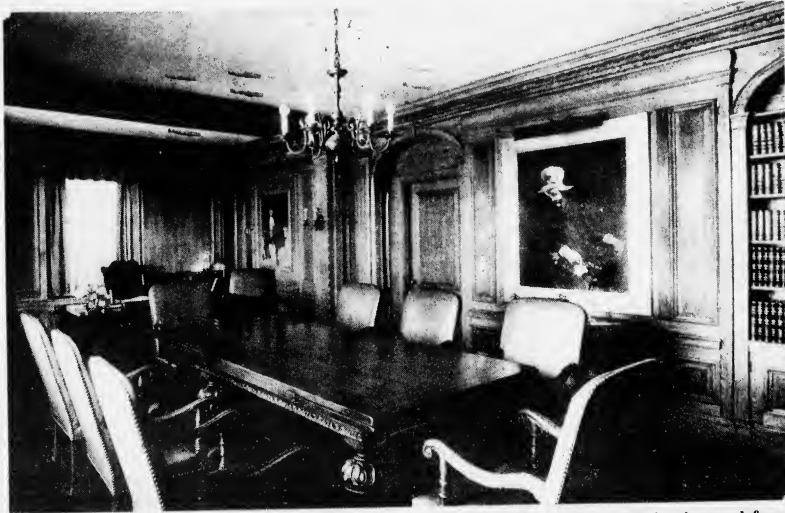
ROMEO: all black 8 y.o. FIV+.

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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS 1929 POSTCARD was one of a series published by the Granite Trust Company to mark the opening of their new 10-story art-deco bank building in Quincy Square. This is a view of the bank's president, Theophilus King. King had come to Quincy as a young man and served as president of the bank for 50 years. He was involved in many other businesses including being president of the Quincy Quarries Company that

owned and leased out many of Quincy's now defunct quarries. Along with his son, Decevere, who succeeded him at the bank, King was also one of Quincy's most generous philanthropists. The King Family Trust continues to provide annual gifts to dozens of Quincy's churches and service organizations. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Honor The Legacy Of The Civilian Conservation Corps

This coming year, 2008, shall be the 75th anniversary of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which, in my opinion, marked the start of the "Greatest Generation."

The years 1933-1942 were of the "Greatest Generation" created in this United States of America. At the time of the Great Depression, employment for family providers was nil. During this catastrophic Depression era, a piece of federal legislation was created for the purpose of improving the economic structure of our waning country while also aiding in conservation efforts. This was created to help the United States of America cultivate the usefulness of their able-bodied youth to expand the

workforce, thus improving our economic condition.

Three million young boys, aged 17-25, agreed to serve their country in a time of economic depression and were paid a small salary to do so. This made these three million young men become the "bread winners" for their families in a great many cases. One hundred thousand of the three million enrolled in the Civilian Conservation Corps were from Massachusetts and served in more than 28 Camps throughout this Commonwealth and several other states throughout the nation.

When the next national emergency came about (World War II), 85 percent of the three million served in one of the Armed Services.

The U.S. Navy and Coast Guard were appreciative of the Civilian Conservation Corps for the Merchant Marines and asked for their help during and after the service in the Civilian Conservation Corps. Gallups Island, here in Boston Harbor, served as a radio school for the Merchant Marines.

The first 10 classes of 200 hundred predominantly CCC guys. Many of them perished at sea before they were 18 years of age during the Murmansk Run (the history of the Murmansk Run is flimsy, however, a little searching for its history will be gratifying.)

In summary, the Civilian Conservation Corps provided opportunities for the

youth of our nation to improve our economy and environment and lift us out of the darkest of times. This is an absolute example that every economic and emergency situation that our nation has endured has been solved by the youth of the United States of America.

March 31, 2007, has been declared "Civilian Conservation Corps Day" with the governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and he has requested the citizenry to recognize this observance annually.

Please join with me this year in honoring the legacy of the three million youths who helped shape the face of our great nation.

Francis J. Derwin
Clay Street

'Spring Fling' Dinner, Dance To Benefit Homeless Children

The Weymouth Elks and Black Rock Concierge of Hingham will co-host "Spring Fling," a dinner, dance and raffle Saturday, March 24 at the Holbork and Perry Halls of the Elks Lodge, 1197 Washington St., Weymouth.

Cocktails begin at 6 p.m. and dinner is at 7:30 p.m., followed by music, dancing, silent auction and raffles.

The event will benefit the Veterans Services of Weymouth and Hingham and Project ACCESS, a program in the Quincy Public Schools which helps Quincy homeless children.

Through Project ACCESS, homeless children are able to receive many types of supportive services to help

them during this difficult time. Included in these services are: tutoring, mentoring, before and after school programs, summer

programs, school supplies, transportation, and access to food and clothing.

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Quincy's Yesterdays

Jamaican Compost Plan To Be Evaluated

By FRANK McCAULEY

The results of the Jamaican composting trip taken by Quincy city officials last week will be evaluated at a conference to be held next Monday night at his office, Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa.

Della Chiesa said that he drew the following conclusions as a result of his trip to Kingston, Jamaica:

**This Week
1964**

43 Years Ago

One, the operation at Kingston is successful in that it converts a waste material to a marketable product at less cost to the city than incineration.

Two, the evidence indicates that the end product is a valuable soil rebuilder and conditioner.

Three, the indications are that there will be an adequate market for the product as it is promoted and advertised and as it becomes better known.

DELLA CHIESA TO SEEK MORE SNOW REMOVAL FUNDS

Mayor Della Chiesa planned to ask the City Council at its next meeting for an additional \$50,000 for snow removal operations. Since the first of the year the city has spent \$212,000 for snow removal while only \$180,000 was placed in the 1964 budget.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REVIEWS DPW BUDGET

One hundred jobs have been cut from the Public Works Department budget since 1958 through Mayor Della Chiesa's "No hire, no fire" policy. DPW Commissioner Charles R. Herbert told the Council's Finance Committee. The Finance Committee cut a total of \$12,995 from the \$2,314,000 Public Works budget requests.

QUINCY-ISM

The Data-Tech School of Business, 1601 Hancock St., was advertising "Girls, Time to Think, Enroll Now- I.B.M. Key Pinch Courses,"... **Dennis A. Carini**, 82 Sagamore Ave, North Quincy, who planned to attend Boston University, and **Jeffrey C. LaPointe**, 45 Bennington St., South Quincy, who planned to attend Boston College, were among 116 area students who were awarded scholarships by the Mass. Board of Educational Assistance... **PFC Thomas P. Tarmey** of 19 Sterling St., Quincy, was recently selected Soldier of the Month for U.S. Army Special Troops, Ryukyu Islands at Okinawa... First National Stores was advertising Porterhouse or N.Y. Sirloin Steak for \$.79 a lb.... **Richard J. Koch, Sr.**, founder of the Koch Club, presented awards to **Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lambert** and **Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Delmonico** in recognition of their charitable work for the club. The awards were presented at the 16th annual dinner dance held at the Fore River Clubhouse... **John R. Herbert**, editor of The Patriot Ledger, was selected to sit on a jury to select possible recipients for Pulitzer Prize awards in International Reporting... Old Colony Liquors, 515 Southern Artery, was advertising Thomas Morton Blended Whiskey for \$3.99 a full quart... **Wilbur B. Lewis**, 33 Samoset Ave., Merrymount, has been appointed as a sales representative at the Baintree office of the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company... "Strait Jacket." A film that "sets a new high in harrowing shock and suspense" starring Joan Crawford, was playing at the Strand Theatre... **Paul Jacobs, Jr.**, of 60 Rock Island Rd., Houghs Neck, has been named to the Dean's List at Boston University... **Miss Linda Harding**, of Florence St., Wollaston, has been named to the Dean's List at Bridgewater State College. She is a sophomore majoring in elementary education... The Board of Managers of the Quincy City Hospital voted to promote **Herbert Cole**, a statistician at the hospital, to the newly created post of Comptroller... The Quincy Knights of Columbus was planning its annual Communion breakfast for March 15th. Deputy Grand Knight **Leo F. McLaughlin** is the general chairman and Past Grand Knight **Adolph J. Concheri**, ticket chairman... The Quincy School Committee appointed **Robert Dolan**, 46 Macy St., and **Eben "Buster" Robertson**, 1154 Sea St., as junior building custodians at \$77.63 per week.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



HENRY HUDSON, alias Steven Weisse, lines up his crew during a visit to the Wollaston School. Left to right, Simon Belcher, Dionne Zhen, Tony Zheng and Amanda Dumas.

'Henry Hudson' Visits Wollaston School

Henry Hudson, who explored the New York area at the time of the Pilgrims, re-

cently visited the Wollaston School in the person of Steven Weisse from the New Netherlands Museum in Albany, N.Y.

Fifth graders made navigational tools and learned about Hudson's voyages up the Hudson River and around

Hudson's Bay in Canada in a presentation by the museum.

Many artifacts from Henry Hudson's ship, "The Half Moon," were discussed and students got to sample "hardtack" a sort of ship's biscuit that was a staple food on long voyages.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

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At North Quincy High School

19th Annual Quincy Lunar New Year Festival Feb. 25

Quincy will host a major celebration of Asian culture with the 19th Annual Quincy Lunar New Year Festival on Sunday, Feb. 25 at North Quincy High School from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The festival is a free event organized by Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. (QARI) under the leadership of the event's chairmen Frank Poon and David Yi Zou.

Backed by the City of Quincy and several local sponsors, it follows the highly successful Quincy August Moon Festival and underlines the links between Quincy and Asia.

"Last year's festival was a great success with more than 4,000 people attending, and with additional activities being planned this year's Lunar New Year Festival promises to be bigger than ever," said John Brothers, Executive Director of QARI. "The festival has grown as the Asian community in Quincy has grown. We are pleased to feature many Asian cultures at the event and invite all members of the community to celebrate with us."

The Asian Lunar New Year is celebrated at the end of the annual cycle of new moons and each New Year is named for one of the twelve animals. According to ancient legend, the Lord Bud-

dha once summoned all animals to come to him. When only 12 came, he rewarded them by naming each year for them. This year - 2007 - is the Year of the Pig.

Lunar New Year celebrations are held in Asian communities throughout the world. Traditionally, the New Year is a family holiday where families come together to visit, share meals and present gifts of "lucky" red envelopes to children. Quincy's celebration will reflect this tradition.

"The New Year Festival is a family-oriented event which represents the involvement of more than one hundred local businesses, government and social service agencies and individuals, all working to bring together several generations of the community to celebrate the new year," said event co-chair Frank Poon.

These many different groups include students of Quincy High and North Quincy High Schools; Grand Sponsors Mohegan Sun and Sunshine Travel; QARI institutional members such as South Shore Elder Services and Quincy Community Action Programs; and volunteers from the community.

As a family event, the festival will offer entertainment to delight all ages. There will

be performances of Asian music and dance and exhibits featuring the work of local Asian artists. There will also be a children's area with Asian games and crafts. Local restaurants will serve different types of Asian cuisine including Chinese and Japanese foods.

New additions to the festival are a reading corner where elders will engage and entertain children by reading popular stories. This activity is being carried out in coordination with Project RISE which strives to increase parents' understanding of the importance of reading to their young children as a critical component of school readiness.

The festival will also work to bridge the past and present by showcasing traditional Asian garments and modern costume characters, such as Minnie and Mickey Mouse, all of which will be worn by local teens.

Quincy Asian Resources Inc. is a not for profit organization dedicated to promoting the development of the Asian-American community. For more information about the Lunar New Year Festival or QARI, please contact QARI at 617-472-2200 or visit HYPERLINK "http://www.qari.info" www.qari.info.

Friends Of Music To Meet Feb. 28

The Friends of Music in the Quincy Public Schools will meet Wednesday, Feb. 28 at 7 p.m. in the Hunting Room at the Office of the Superintendent, 70 Coddington St., Quincy.

With the encouragement of Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro, this organization helps to support and nourish the continued growth of the music programs and students in the Quincy Public Schools.

The Friends of Music also raise awareness of the choral, instrumental and string

programs in the community and promote musical excellence for its student performers.

This Feb. 28 meeting is open to all Quincy residents with a child, grandchild, niece or nephew in the music program of the Quincy Public Schools, or to those

who simply have a love for and an interest in music and the valuable role it can play in the development of a child.

Those who have questions, or cannot attend the meeting are asked to call the Curriculum Office of the Quincy Public Schools at 617-984-8760.

Senior Scrabble Every Monday

Elderly devotees of the game "Scrabble" meet every Monday from 12 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive at the

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171 On Point Webster School Second Quarter Honor Roll

Point Webster Middle School lists 171 students on its second quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 8: Stacey Almario, Lisa Chan, Alvin Chen, Martin Conroy, Brendan Dodd, Christina Elisio, Wynnona Nicole Enano, Chia An Lee, Matthew Peterson, Ossama Senhaj, Armanag Sezer, Maria Vazquez, Marvin Wong and Samson Yu.

Grade 7: Neil Adrian Banoe, Jessica Bowe, Molly Brennan, Dylan Brodeur, Molly Cunha, Chelsea Gallagher, Hoda Hindiye, Amber Jones, Farheen Khatri, Stephanie La, Peter Lieu, Samah Marhamo, Joanna McGroarty, Justin Riley, Timothy Saunders, Hope Spargo, Andi Trebicka and Emily Troy.

Grade 6: Hilary Chen, Kathleen Conroy, Kelly Kung, Megan Lieu, Matthew Roach, Saipriya Sagiraju, Nam Thai, Vicky To, Thien-Thanh Tonnu and Lawrence

Tran.

Grade 5: Steven Bowe, Aaheli Chattopadhyay, Sharon Chia, Alana DeBello, Ashley Desire, Anwesha Ghosh, Jingwan Gu, Yongjia Guo, Thomas Hanrahan, Shamus Hill-Torres, Matthew Kozlowski, Michelle Kung, Huan Luong, Kathryn McGroarty, Christina Micinoti, Tyler Morani, Rohan Pahwa, Rachel Papile, Steven Simons, Kevin Truong, Jessica Wong and Michelle Zeng.

Honors

Grade 8: Aisha Ahmed, Jaida Almeida-Graves, Billy Brancaccio, Nicholas Daniels, Nicholas Dellamano, Charlene Duggan, Melissa Falcone, Maggie He, Kelsey Ingemi, Diamela Kodra, Robert Kozlowski, John Luong, Giuliana Morales, Anthony Mormino, Kellie Newman, Calvin Nguyen, Carol Onyeokoro, Josue Ordenez, Kaio Silva, A Vay Su, Michele Tran, Steven Tran and Andy Xie.

Grade 7: Joshua Alberti, Waleed Alrifai, Ghizlane Bandariya, Jason Barbosa, Kristina Berfield, Julie Broadbent, Zachary Campbell, Henry Chen, Caitlyn Conneen, Stanley Cruz, Keenan Daniels, Blair Hajjar, Keila Knapp, John Kozlowski, Benjamin Li, Danilo Lopes, Annie Maloney, Charbel Matta, Kayla Melanson, Indah Ngum-Wie, Andrew Pugsley, Ravi Varma Sagiraju, Burak Sezer, Heather Spargo, Mikele Thano, John Tran, Kiana Truong, Michael Wray and Onur Zorteymur.

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Grade 5: Antonio Agcaoili, Claudia Barzola, Letisha Blakely, Micayla Bresnahan, Katelyn Burns, Andrea Cedrone, Kristin Condon, Brett Cullen, Michael Guarino, Tony He, Briana Herron, Guang Huang, Lindsey Lo, Alyssa Lydon, Brendan Maloney, Micaela Maloof, Danya Marhamo, Hodan Musse, Jacqueline Portillo, Steven Quinn, Iqrah Tauhid, Jason Thi, Mackenzie Tierney, Joanne Tsang, Collin Wilson and Kaitlyn Wray.



THE HISTORIC MENDI Bible was recently on display at the State House. Gov. Deval Patrick used the Bible during his swearing in ceremony on Jan. 4. Admiring the Bible are (from left) Rep. Allen McCarthy (D-Whitman), Rep. Geraldine Creedon (D-Brockton), Senator Robert Creedon (D-Brockton), Sen. Michael Morrissey (D-Quincy), Benjamin Peak, superintendent of the Adams National Historical Park. The Mendi Bible was presented to John Quincy Adams in 1841 by Joseph Cinque, an African slave who led the slaves aboard the *Amistad* in a revolt against their captors. John Quincy Adams defended the freedom of the *Amistad* before the U.S. Supreme Court.

10 Quincy Youths Named AP Scholars

Ten Quincy students at Boston College High School have been named AP Scholars by the College Board in recognition of their exceptional achievement on the College-Level Advanced Placement (AP) Examinations.

They are:

David Casey, Frank Ng, Kevin Ouellette, Brandon Ranalli, Richard Sweeney, Brian Cunningham, Nhan Ly, Jeffrey Mui, Andrew Potter and Stephen McDonagh. All of the students, except Mui, are 2006 graduates of BC High. Mui is a senior. They are among 85 stu-

dents at BC High who received one of the four levels of recognition from the College Board.

Casey, Ng, Ouellette, Ranalli and Sweeney qualified for the AP Scholar Award by earning an average grade of 3 or higher on three or more AP exams they took.

Cunningham, Ly, Mui, and Potter qualified for the AP Scholar with Honor Award. They received an average grade of at least 3.25 on all AP exams taken, and grades of 3 or higher on four or more of these exams.

McDonagh qualified for

the AP Scholar with Distinction Award. He earned an average grade of at least 3.5 on all AP exams taken, and grades of 3 or higher on five or more of these exams.

Casey is a freshman at Saint Anselm College; Ng at University of New Hampshire, Ouellette at Boston University, Ranalli at Bentley College, Sweeney at Georgetown University, Cunningham at Saint Michael's College, Ly at Boston College, Potter at Boston University and McDonagh at the University of Southern California.

Mr., Mrs. Brian Bouzan Parents Of Son

Brian and Tricia Bouzan of Rockland are parents of a son, Lucas Xavier born Feb. 8 at South Shore Hospital, Weymouth. He joins two brothers, Marcus and Nathan.

Grandparents are Jack and Peggy Leary of Squantum, JoAnne Bouzan of Dorchester and Jack



LUCAS XAVIER BOUZAN
Bouzan of Randolph.

Wollaston Beach Friends Meeting March 1

The Friends of Wollaston Beach Reservation will host its spring meeting Thursday, March 1 at 7 p.m. at the Nickerson American Legion Post, 20 Moon Island Rd., Squantum.

Items of the agenda include a beach clean-up scheduled for March 24 and the planting program.

The meeting is open to all and new members are welcome.

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MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN (center) and Quincy 2000 Collaborative announced an expanded Multicultural Business Development Initiative designed to increase the city's outreach to the increasing number of Asian and Brazilian Businesses opening in Quincy at a recent meeting at the Neighborhood Club. From the left, Dean Rizzo, executive director of Quincy 2000 Collaborative; Hong Xue, Managing Director of MetLife; Carlos DaSilva, Office of Total Assistance; Peter Racicot, Quincy 2000 Board Chairman and Sr. VP at Fallon Ambulance and John Brothers, executive director of Quincy Asian Resources.

Quincy 2000 Expands Multicultural Business Programs

Mayor William Phelan and Quincy 2000 Collaborative, a public/private economic development partnership, announce an expanded Multicultural Business Development Initiative designed to increase the city's outreach to the increasing number of Asian and Brazilian Businesses opening in Quincy.

"Our growing Asian and Brazilian community contributes greatly to the social and business fabric of the City, and we want to ensure that the economic development resources and services provided reach all individuals and business owners. Strengthening the collaboration among all businesses instills economic vitality in the City, and fosters social stability for the benefit of the entire community," said Mayor Phelan.

Underwritten in part by a grant by the Massachusetts Department of Business and Technology and the City of Quincy, the program creates over 25 workshops and seminars designed to help start-up businesses and existing companies grow and prosper in the community. The Small Business Technical Assistance Grant Program is part of a state-wide funding effort established to stimulate and support entrepreneurial business growth in Massachusetts. The program is designed to help small businesses gain access to loans from the private banking community in Massachusetts.

Translation and Bi-lingual support in Cantonese, Mandarin, Portuguese and Vietnamese will be provided in all programs offered, as well

as publications written in Chinese and Portuguese. Bi-lingual one-on-one business counseling will also be available to help individuals create a business plan, prepare a business loan application, and obtain the necessary permit and licenses.

"It is our goal to ensure that every individual interested in opening a business in the city has access to the various programs and services available to help them succeed," said Dean Rizzo, executive director of Quincy 2000 Collaborative.

For more information on the programs and services available at Quincy 2000 Collaborative visit their website at www.Quincy2000.org or visit their office at 1250 Hancock St., Suite 127N. 617-847-1454.



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Raymond Tung Appointed Quincy Medical Center Trustee

Quincy Medical Center announces Raymond K. Tung has been appointed to the Board of Trustees.

A resident of Wellesley, Tung is senior vice president/director of New England Markets for United Commercial Bank.

Tung started his banking career with Citibank in Asia, managing corporate and individual clients in Hong Kong. Subsequently, he joined the then Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company to handle their Asian regional project finance business. He was thereafter transferred to Taiwan to be the President and Chief Operating Officer of the Bank's joint-venture leasing company, focusing on small and medium businesses.

After successfully growing the business volume and profitability in the leasing venture substantially, Tung was reassigned back to New York as Managing Director and Head of Aerospace Group for Asia when the Bank merged with Chemical Bank. During this tenure, he completed numerous pioneering and major financings for leading airlines in Asia.

At the Bank's next merger



RAYMOND TUNG

with Chase Manhattan Bank, he was reassigned out to Asia as Managing Director and Head of Shipping Group. He managed one of the largest ship financing portfolios in Asia, and executed numerous landmark investment banking and commercial banking transactions with top-tier shipping companies. In 2000, The Bank was renamed JPMorgan Chase.

In March of 2002, Mr. Tung joined Asian American Bank in Boston as president

and CEO. Three years later, he led the successful merger with United Commercial Bank. He assumed his current position as director of New England Markets when the two banks merged in November 2005.

Tung received a MBA in finance and international business from Columbia University and a Bachelors of Science degree in accounting from Long Island University.

Tung is currently on the Board of Directors of the South Shore Chamber of Commerce and the Board of Governors of Tufts-New England Medical Center. He is also a member of Fannie Mae Massachusetts Partnership Office Advisory Council, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston's Community Development Advisory Council, FDIC's Minority Bankers Roundtable and an advisor to eChinaCash.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

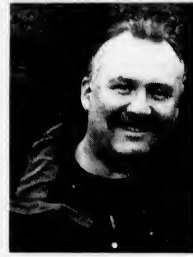
P.J. Foley Appointed To Planning Board

Mayor William Phelan has appointed P.J. Foley of Houghs Neck to a five year term on the Planning Board.

"P.J.'s commitment to our community is relentless," said Phelan. "He is a unique, well-rounded individual that brings a diversified skill set to the Board. I believe that he will add significant perspective to an already professional Board."

"I am honored to be selected by Mayor Phelan and I look forward to working for such a forward-thinking administration," said Foley. "There are a number of positive initiatives that the Planning Board will review and I am thrilled to be able to play in role in helping shape a positive future for Quincy."

Foley has received a number of awards and recognition, including being named "The Quincy Sun" 2006 co-



P.J. FOLEY

Citizen of the Year.

He has been recognized by the Environmental Protection Agency and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for his work in restoring marshes throughout Houghs Neck. His "Marsh Madness" projects have drawn hundreds of volunteers and helped restore close to 300 acres of salt marsh.

He has volunteered to help with the City's renewable energy efforts and with the restoration of the Souther Tide Mill property. He is also volunteering to help local, State, and Federal government officials improve water-borne transportation in Quincy.

Foley is employed by Verizon and is active in Local 2222.

He and his wife Julie live in Sea Street.

Currently on the Planning Board are Atty. Robert Harnais, William Allen, William Adams, and James Fay.

"I want to thank all of our volunteer boards and commissions for the assistance they provide the city," said Phelan. "Hundreds of citizens volunteer their time and talents for the betterment of Quincy and I am grateful for all their help."

Tax Assistance For Low, Middle Income Payers

The Council on Aging will again sponsor the AARP Tax Aide Program to provide free, personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers.

Special attention is given to those 60 years old and older.

The assistance will be provided, by appointment, each Monday beginning Feb. 12 and lasting through the

tax season at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, contact the COA at 617-376-1508.

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PEOPLE OF ALL ages enjoyed a hay ride around the United First Parish Church, the "Church of the Presidents" in Quincy Square during the city's Winter Carnival and Presidents' Day celebration Monday.

Quincy Sun Photos by Robert Noble



ICE SCULPTURE bearing the portraits of Presidents George Washington (left) and Abraham Lincoln in front of the Granite Gazing Ball outside Quincy City Hall.

Civil Service Examination May 19 For Municipal, MBTA Police Officer

Sen. Michael Morrissey of Quincy announces the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Human Resources Division will hold an entry-level public safety examination for municipal service and MBTA police officer Saturday, May 19.

The list that will result from this examination will determine the pool of applicants eligible for appointment to the position of municipal and MBTA police officer.

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Applications must be filed no later than Monday, April 23.

Applications and information about eligibility requirements, fees, and the examination process are available at the Human Resources Division, 1 Ashburton Place, Boston, MA 02108 or by calling (617) 878-9895 or toll free at 1-800-392-6178. Apply on-line at <http://www.mass.gov/civilservice>.

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THE MORRISSETTE LEGION color guard at present arms Monday at the 78th Memorial Mass in St. Mary's Church while Past Commanders Henry Bradley and Larry Norton read the names of 21 recently departed comrades. Members holding lighted candles extinguished one as each name was called.

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80th Birthday, 55th Ordination Anniversary Father Bill’s Double Celebration Raises Over \$100,000 For Homeless

By CAITLIN BELL

A celebration of the life and work of Fr. William McCarthy raised more than \$100,000 for Father Bill’s Place, the interfaith shelter for the homeless named for him.

More than 600 gathered at the Lantana in Randolph recently in honor of his 80th birthday and the 55th anniversary of his ordination.

Earlier, Fr. McCarthy celebrated a Mass of Thanksgiving at St. John’s Church where he served 18 years as pastor, stepping down but not into retirement in 1995.

Father Bill, a legend in the Quincy and the surrounding South Shore area since his installation as pastor of St. John’s Church in 1977, has touched countless lives in the community.

As employees past and present, former parishioners, friends, family and city and state leaders made their way into the sold out banquet hall, many had a story about how Father Bill had made a difference in their lives.

The St. John the Baptist

Parish Choir, under the direction of Paul Kelly, sang an original song, expounding on his good work and legendary reputation.

Arthur Tobin, the Clerk Magistrate of Quincy District Court and former mayor, was the master of ceremonies.

James Orcutt, co-founder of My Brother’s Keeper recalled Father Bill’s generosity at Thanksgiving. “Every year Father Bill arrives at My Brother’s Keeper with so many turkeys in the trunk of his car, the front wheels are practically off the ground.”

State Rep. A. Stephen Tobin, while presenting a joint resolution from the Massachusetts Legislature, shared with the crowd the influence Father has had on those serving on Beacon Hill. “Father Bill helps keep our morals, ideals and values in the right place.”

Father Bill has always been known for his commitment to the poor and this is no more evident than in his drive to eradicate homelessness. As the name

sake of Father Bill’s Place, and its chief fund-raiser, he has made great strides in the fight to the homelessness.

In the years since Father Bill allowed homeless men to sleep in the basement of the St. John’s School, Father Bill’s Place has become more than just an emergency homeless shelter and has led the way in providing housing to those in need.

As John Yawzinski, Father Bill’s Place Executive Director noted, “Father Bill’s Place now has more units of housing than emergency shelter beds.”

Father Bill has worked tirelessly to make a difference in the South Shore Community, and he truly has succeeded in that. Mayor William Phelan pointed out, “Father Bill is one of the city’s greatest assets.”

Father Bill takes the accolades in stride. For 55 years he has had a simple mission, to take care of the poor, and at 80 years young, he shows no signs of slowing down.



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FR. WILLIAM MCCARTHY (fourth left) celebrated the 55th anniversary of his ordination with a Mass of Thanksgiving at St. John's Church, where he was pastor 18 years. With him on the altar from the left, are Deacon Paul Lewis, Deacon Charles Bubello, Fr. Raymond Kiley, St. John's church; Fr. Philip D'Aignon, pastor Our Lady of Assumption Church, Osterville and Deacon Charles Sullivan, formerly of St. John's.



A STATE HOUSE congratulatory commendation was presented to Fr. William McCarthy by Rep. Stephen Tobin, Senator Marion Walsh and Senator Michael Morrissey. At left is Mayor William Phelan.



ST. JOHN'S CHOIR, gave a special performance, directed by Paul Kelly.



PETER GACICCIA, Richard Cahill, his wife, Carol and Norma Gaciccia.



SPORTING A GREEN bow tie, Fr. William McCarthy, Quincy's legendary Father Bill, celebrated his 80th birthday at the Lantana, Randolph. With him at the head table are, from the left, Joseph Finn, Director MHSA and former executive director Father Bill's Place; John Yazwinski, present executive director, Father Bill's Place; James Orcutt, founder My Brother's Keeper; Arthur Tobin, Quincy District Court Clerk Magistrate and former mayor who was the emcee; Weymouth Mayor David Madden and Quincy Mayor William Phelan.



WEYMOUTH MAYOR David Madden, his wife, Helina, John Gillis, Norfolk County Commissioner and former city clerk and Quincy businessman Peter O'Connell.



FATHER BILL with his family. From the left, Lucie Ducas, CSC, nephews William and Jack Perrone, C.J. MacDonald, great, great nephew, Lucie Perrone, Melissa Perrone, grand niece.



BRUCE TOBIN, his wife, Christine; Elizabeth and Gary Coughlin, Brian Tobin and Tracey Phelan committee member.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



REAL ESTATE



By Samantha Mazzotta

Moss Will Shorten Life of Roof

Q. I have a huge butt-nut tree that completely blocks out all sun on the north side of my roof. I assume that is what caused all the moss that grows in between the shingles. First, will the moss hurt the roof, and if so, how do I get rid of it? — Carol S.

A. Moss grows where there is little direct sunlight, and it can do extensive damage to a roof if not kept under control. On some types of roofs, such as those with wood shingles or heavy tiles, moss takes hold in the deeper cracks and crevices and is rarely completely eradicated. Asphalt shingles do not hold up well once moss gets underneath them. If the roof is cleaned regularly and preventive measures are taken, the shingles will hold out much longer.

Clean the shingles of all roof types by first brushing away surface moss. Use a bristle brush attached to a pole (available at home improvement stores), and either stand on a ladder and reach up, or climb onto a non-mossy spot of the roof (always wear a safety harness if working on the roof, and have a partner with you). Brush downward, not upward, to dislodge the material and prevent it being

shoved underneath abutting shingles.

Apply a nontoxic roof cleaner to the affected area. Oxygen bleach (not chlorine bleach) is one recommended product to kill moss and algae on wood or asphalt roofs. Rinse thoroughly, protecting any plants below by covering them with a tarp.

To prevent the problem from recurring, you must create an unfriendly environment for moss. First, have a professional tree specialist come and thin out the branches of your butt-nut tree, to allow more sunlight to filter through (this has some added benefits — improving the health of the tree and lessening the chance that it will topple onto your house in a wind-storm).

Second, apply thin copper or zinc strips (about 3-4 inches wide, available from roofing suppliers) near the top of the roof, sliding one edge under a row of shingles and tacking into place. These metals discourage plant life from taking hold (and you thought copper roofs were just decorative).

Send questions or home-repair tips to home-rx2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Tips For How To Protect Against Potential Scams

Thinking About Home Improvement?

By THOMAS F. WILLIAMS, Esq.

With spring fast approaching, many home-owners are eager to get out and tackle long awaited home projects. When problems arise, however, the creation of a "dream house" can become a costly nightmare.

Home improvements can be a substantial investment; it is important to do your homework before taking such a big step. Homeowners should be actively involved in every step of the project and be aware of their legal rights as consumers.

Here are a few considerations for homeowners in order to avoid potential problems:

Choose the Right Contractor. According to Massachusetts state law, most contractors and subcontractors who perform home improvements on owner-occupied homes must be regis-



TOM WILLIAMS

tered with the state. First, verify registration by asking to see your contractor's state-issued Registration Certificate. You can also check with the Board of Building Regulations and Standards, Home Improvement Contractor Registration Program (617-727-7532) to verify registration. Also, look for the six-digit registration number that contractors are required to display on all home improvement advertising, contracts

and building permits.

Ask for References. Find out about a contractor's recent projects and ask to contact former clients familiar with the contractor's performance and business practices. It's also a good idea to ask to see samples/pictures of former projects.

Get Estimates. Get written bids or estimates from at least two or three contractors including detailed job specifications, materials, labor, time line, and the total charges for the work. Note: Under Massachusetts law, a contractor cannot collect more than 1/3 of the total charge for the project in advance.

Check Complaint History. Contact the Attorney General's Office and small claims court to see if any complaints have been filed against your contractor due to incomplete or substandard work, or any other deceptive

practices.

Execute a Complete Contract. Put everything in writing! Never enter into any home improvement project without a contract that includes a contractor's contact information and identification, a complete description of the work to be performed, total price, payment schedule, registration notice, three-day cancellation notice, permit notice, and a blank space notice, which warns against signing contracts or forms that are incomplete or are missing required provisions.

When things do go wrong due to defective work, contract disputes, cost overruns, or other issues that cannot be resolved with your contractor, there are several options available to you. You may contact the Attorney General's Office at 617-727-2200 for a mediator referral or find a private mediator. You can also call the State Arbitration Program at 617-973-8787. The Home Improvement Guaranty Fund provides potential eligibility for relief in situations where a homeowner obtains an arbitration award or a court judgment against a registered home improvement contractor.

Improving your home should be a rewarding experience, not a costly headache. Remember: do your homework, be informed, and know your rights and remedies.

Thomas F. Williams & Associates, P.C., Attorneys at Law, is located at 21 McGrath Highway, Suite 501, in Quincy.

Neighborhood Housing Services Homebuyer Workshop

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore in conjunction with Brockton Housing Partnership will host a first-time homebuyer workshop Monday, March 5 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, March 10 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshop will be held at Remax Landmark,

630 Park St., Stoughton (Brockton). Attendance at both sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate.

The workshop is open to residents of Massachusetts, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational

workshop. At the workshop, participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics covered will include mortgage options, legal aspects of the home-buying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from real estate professionals.

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Grade 7: Alicia Amato, John Bottary, Christine Callahan, Michael Chan, Taylor Dickey, Peter Giunta, Xiuwen Wendy Huang, Colleen Kelly, Sarah Kussman, Nicholas Lepore, Cai King Li, Rosemary Lo, Crystal Luo, Dayna Madeiros, Shu Mei, John O'Callaghan and Georgia Papaconstadmon.

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Bonfiglioli, Yan Yee Chan, Jacqueline Gilmartin, Gerson Lai, Theresa Lepore, Ying Kiu Loo, Samantha McArdle, Lindsey Nazzaro, Shane Nazzaro, Timothy Nazzaro and Rachel Ring.

Honors

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FIRE SAFETY

by Captain Tom Lyons
Fire Prevention Bureau
Quincy Fire Department

House Numbers

You know where you live. But do we? There's actually a state law, as well as a local ordinance, requiring street numbers on your home. Do you have them?

Should the fire department have to respond to your home for an emergency, let's say someone's in medical distress. It's 3 a.m. and no one is on the front stoop to assure our immediate identification of your home or to inform us of the nature of the emergency. There's no front porch light on differentiating your home from the others, suggesting, "this is the house!" Valuable moments might be lost if your house number isn't clearly identifiable.

I'm surprised at how often this need is taken for granted. We attempt to keep every home in conformity with the ordinance when they're inspected for smoke and carbon monoxide detectors upon sale of that home. We insist that house numbers be clearly visible and of a contrasting color against the house.

I'm not certain whether I've conveyed the following story before. Years ago as a lieutenant, I was returning to the station, standing on the apron with another firefighter. We did so to stop traffic while the apparatus was backing into the station. We had just returned from an incident where an individual required medical attention. If I recall correctly, the individual was experiencing symptoms of a heart attack. Upon arrival at that incident, we would have entered the home, immediately attempting to accumulate as much information about the person's condition, obtain what history we could including a list of medications. When the ambulance arrived, we would have conveyed that information to their personnel, and eventually assist them in transferring the patient to the ambulance. The patient would then be transported to the hospital, while we returned to the fire station.

While walking into the

station with this firefighter, he said to me that he wished we could have done more at that incident. I was touched by his genuine concern and the apparent empathy for the distress of the individual and their family. I responded by saying, that this could be our 2000th medical assist, it might very well been that family's first experience with an emergency for a loved one. I added we didn't just administer oxygen, or monitor their condition, we brought the assurance that comes with professional assistance, bringing some control to a chaotic and frightening situation.

It is our earnest desire to respond and offer quality care and attention at an incident, and time can be a determining factor in success or failure. We're here to help, we want to be there for you if need be, help us help you, make certain the numerical address of your home is clearly visible with contrasting numbers in front of your home.

Erica Berg Graduates Basic Combat Training

Army National Guard Pfc. Erica L. Berg recently graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

Berg is a 2006 graduate of Quincy High School.

She is the daughter of Stacy Preskenis of Brockton and the granddaughter of Wanda Berg of Quincy.

During the nine weeks of training, Berg studied the Army mission, history, tradi-

tion and core values, physical fitness, and received instruction and practice in basic combat skills, military weapons, chemical warfare and bayonet training, drill and ceremony, marching, rifle marksmanship, armed and unarmed combat, map reading, field tactics, military courtesy, military justice system, basic first aid, foot marches and field training exercises.

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'Guns 'n Hoses' Hockey Game To Benefit Jamie Cochrane Fund

The first "Guns 'n Hoses" ice hockey game featuring teams from the Quincy Police and Quincy Fire Departments will be held Saturday, March 10 at 6:40 p.m. at the

Quincy Youth Arena. Tickets are \$10. Proceeds will benefit the Jamie Cochrane (QPD) Scholarship Fund.

A Job Well Done

On Saturday, Feb. 10, at approximately 5 a.m., Officer Chris McDermott was dispatched to Furnace Brook Parkway to quell a loud party on the third floor of the apartment building. The officer learned from tenants that the large group arrived an hour earlier and a loud party started.

The officer could hear the party from the first floor, so he advised the third floor tenant holding the party to quiet the group. The male assured the officer he would take care of the problem.

Officer McDermott descended the steps, waited a few minutes, then heard the laughing and music get louder. After the noise failed to abate, he returned to the apartment and listened outside the door, hearing someone say, "Nocigarettes—let's roll a joint (marijuana)."



LT. DAN MINTON

The officer knocked on the door, identified himself and asked for the door to be opened. Someone inside responded, "I know my rights. I don't have to open the door."

A second request was made to open the door, but the male retorted, "I'm not opening the door."

Sgt. Michael O'Shea arrived on scene, heard the disturbance and was updated by Officer McDermott about the possible drug use. Inside the apartment complex, other tenants were now coming to the hallway, which is important to show in court that others were disturbed for a charge of "disturbing the peace."

Attempts were made to contact the landlord to get a key to the door to no avail.

The group began singing songs and the disturbance grew worse. Officers Patrick Folan and John McGovern arrived on scene and observed a male leave the apartment. When the officers approached the male, he went into a combative stance. He was told to place his hands behind his back but failed to heed the warning. The officers grabbed him and a struggle ensued.

The suspect (#1) was handcuffed, led away to a cruiser and charged with "disorderly conduct."

The occupants of the apartment were looking out and yelling obscenities at the police. One partygoer opened the apartment door and the officers attempted to push the door open, but it was quickly closed. The officers heard furniture being moved against the door, creating a barricade.

Officer Klier, who was working in the station, received a telephone call from the apartment. The caller said the officers should leave because they were not going to open the door, adding the officers "should take off their guns and badges so we can settle this like men."

Inside the apartment, people were asking to be let out, but were told they could not leave because the police would come in. Soon after, an argument inside led to a scuffle, with furniture being knocked over.

Sgt. O'Shea directed his officers to enter the apartment for the safety of those inside. Officer Daniel Church kicked the door in and other officers assisted in pushing the barricade away.

Once inside, the officers found several individuals with bottles in their hands. Several orders were given to drop the bottles (potential weapons/projectiles) and get on the ground, but not all complied. Due to the number of partygoers and their failure to follow directions, the officers sprayed the offenders with OC (form of mace) and then placed them under arrest after a brief struggle.

From within the apartment, five people were arrested and charged with "disturbing the peace" and "resisting arrest."

The renter of the apartment was also charged with "procuring alcohol to a minor."

Names were taken of those inside the apartment who complied with the order to get down on the floor and they will be summonsed into court for "disturbing the peace."

Nice work!

QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Feb. 9 - Feb. 15

Total Calls for Service: 1,178

Total Arrests: 22

Total Stolen Cars: 5

FRIDAY, FEB. 9

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:03 a.m., Rags Tavern, 375 Washington St. 1997 Saab, color green.

LARCENY, 1:45 p.m., 45 Brackett St. Checks. Complaint for five counts larceny by check over, three counts larceny by check less, eight counts forgery, and eight counts uttering.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:52 p.m., Beale St. and Farrington St. Past. 2000 Toyota 4-Runner, color gray, stolen sometime this afternoon.

SATURDAY, FEB. 10

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:03 a.m., Egg & I, 853 Hancock St. Business. Worked arrived to find door open and registers open.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:37 a.m., Furnace Brook Golf Club, 74 Summit Ave. Past. Damage all over the course.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:01 a.m., 51 Curlew Rd. To vehicle. Windshield smashed overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:56 a.m., 251 Copeland St. All four tires slashed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 11:15 a.m., 1050 Hancock St. Business. Inside the building. Homeless are breaking into above.

LARCENY, 11:32 a.m., Citizens Bank ATM, 77 Granite St. By ATM card.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:13 p.m., 32 Campbell St. To motor vehicle. Passenger side of vehicle was keyed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:18 p.m., 251 Copeland St. All four tires slashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:51 p.m., 11 Hoover Ave. Package. Flaming package left on the porch. Youths lit package on fire. Fire dept. on scene. Youths gone on arrival.

SUNDAY, FEB. 11

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:53 p.m., 60 Baystate Rd. Past.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:53 p.m., 185 Newbury Ave. Of a motorcycle, 2002 Kawasaki, color red. Black male, early 20s, 160 lbs, white and blue helmet, clean shaven, short black hair.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:10 p.m., 48 Pleasant St. Dwelling.

MONDAY, FEB. 12

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:04 a.m., 45 Hancock St. Trailer. Broke into the storage box overnight. Hole cut in fence, Densmore St. side, since 3:30 p.m. Feb. 10. Lock on trailer broken off and tools stolen.

LARCENY, 9:40 a.m., Quincy Credit Union, 100 Quincy Ave. \$300. Caller was in Credit Union on Saturday, put envelope on counter with monies inside; someone took the money.

LARCENY, 1:21 p.m., Alfredo Aiello Italian Food, 122 Water St. Of pallets some time last night.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:15 p.m., 80 South Walnut St. Past.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 6:38 p.m., 22 Alden St. Over cab fare. Arrest for assault and battery and malicious damage to a motor vehicle.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:46 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Locker. Wallet taken out of locker. Unlocked locker entered. Also taken was a T-Mobile cellphone, MP3 player, and cash from jacket and gym bag.

TUESDAY, FEB. 13

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:48 a.m., Bert's Electric Supply, 69 Hancock St. Business. Stolen lines of wire. Surveillance shows SUV type vehicle pulls up to right side of building at 1:34 a.m. Three white males exit, one walks toward Newbury St., the other two towards business. Chain with lock securing fence found cut.

LARCENY, 8:21 a.m., Traveler's Insurance, 300 Crown Colony Dr. Past. Laptop case.

LARCENY, 9:46 a.m., Hamilton Bay, 175 Quincy Shore Dr. Snowblowers. Two snowblowers taken.

LARCENY, 11:01 a.m., First Presbyterian Church, 270 Franklin St. Bank cards. Two ATM cards and keys taken. Activity on one card already in Fall River.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:54 p.m., 40 Stedman St. To motor vehicle. Tail lights on car broken.

LARCENY, 6:45 p.m., 8 Tinson Rd. By scheme. Victim deposited money in a money gram to secure an apartment via the internet. Money gram account was accessed by suspect in the United Kingdom.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:20 p.m., Shore Taxi, 8 Des Moines Rd. With suspect. Complaint for using without authority. 1999 Dodge Caravan, color red.

LARCENY, 8:14 p.m., 33 Payne St. Complaint for larceny from a person.

THURSDAY, FEB. 15

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:12 a.m., 11 Arthur Ave. Motor vehicle window. Rear windshield smashed with a rock.

LARCENY, 12:03 p.m., 58 Athorpo St.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:54 p.m., Panera Bread Company, 200 Hancock St. Graffiti. Rear wall and dumpster spray-painted. Rear door sprayed.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:09 p.m., 214 Washington St. Truck not stolen, just lost for a minute. 2005 Dodge Ram pickup, color black.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton

Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

Anonymous information via a letter or by leaving a message does not provide an opportunity for the detectives to ask questions to gain further knowledge. Even without identifying yourself, your information can be corroborated (validated) in many ways, such as surveillance, which was used in this particular case.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Exercising With a Hernia

Q. My husband was recently diagnosed with a hernia in his abdominal area and is awaiting surgery. I know a little about this condition, but not as it pertains to exercise. We exercise together three times a week and want to continue. Should we?

A. The Cleveland Clinic estimates that 5 million Americans develop hernias each year. A hernia is described as a weakness or defect in the lining of the abdominal or pelvic wall. The inner layers of the abdomen (intestines) push through the weakened area, causing a protrusion, bulge or tear. This can occur at birth or develop later in life due to a natural weakness in the abdominal wall or from excessive strain. A hernia can affect both men and women of all ages.

While 80 percent of hernias occur in the groin (inguinal) or upper thigh/groin (femoral) area, they can also be located at the navel (umbilical) or at the site of a previous incision (incisional). Symptoms of a hernia can include visible protrusion at the site of the hernia, pain while lifting and a dull sensation and vague feeling of fullness.

Once a hernia has occurred it will not reverse, just get bigger. Research suggests that almost all hernias need surgery before the condition worsens, potentially result-

ing in the strangulation of the intestines, causing an emergency situation.

The first course of action is to discuss this issue with your husband's physician, who can inform you of the risks of exercising with a hernia and the precautions your husband will have to take. Ask as many questions as necessary and be sure to tell your doctor that your husband is active and wants to exercise.

There are potential risks of developing a hernia if you have a family history, cystic fibrosis, undescended testicles, excess weight, chronic cough, constipation or enlarged prostate. Be aware of these risks and see your doctor if any symptoms arise.

Although it is too late for your husband, the good news is that there are steps you can take to help prevent a hernia, or to keep a hernia from reoccurring once repaired. Maintain a healthy weight, use proper lifting techniques with everyday activities, avoid being constipated by practicing healthy eating habits, drink plenty of fluids and, of course, exercise regularly.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfw@heartsinc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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New Treatment Helps Age-Related Eye Disease

(NU) - More than 15 million American seniors live with some form of an eye disease called age-related macular degeneration, or AMD.

There are two forms of AMD, dry and wet. While all cases begin as the dry form, it is the wet form that accounts for about 90 percent of all AMD-related blindness.

Wet AMD can result in sudden and severe central vision loss and worsens rapidly without treatment.

However, Lucentis, a new drug, has the potential to improve or maintain vision in many patients with wet AMD. In key clinical trials,

nearly all patients (95 percent) treated with Lucentis maintained their vision, and more than one-third of those patients' vision improved by three lines or more on the study eye chart.

Many of the more than 1.7 million people with the advanced form of this disease have lost the ability to perform daily activities or even recognize family and friends. AMD is one of the leading causes of central vision loss in people over 55.

Lucentis was recently approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and is now available to physicians, primarily retina

specialists, or specially trained ophthalmologists, to treat patients with wet AMD.

"During the Lucentis study program I could tell things were gradually getting better," said Ted Johnson, a patient with wet AMD. "The distortion was gradually disappearing; the blips and the horizontal lines disappeared; the gray area in the center of my vision was getting lighter."

Lucentis is a prescription medication given by injection into the eye. Lucentis has been associated with detached retina and serious eye infection and should not be used in patients who have

an infection in or around the eye.

Increases in eye pressure have been seen within one hour of an injection. Serious side effects included inflammation inside the eye, and rarely, effects related to the injection procedure, such as cataracts. If your eye becomes red, sensitive to light, painful, or has a change in vision, you should seek immediate care from your eye doctor.

For full prescribing information, talk to your doctor or call 866-LUCENTIS (866-582-3684) or visit www.LUCENTIS.com.

Go Red Luncheon Raises Over \$400,000 Against Heart Disease

QUINCY RESIDENT Kathy O'Brien (seen left in photo), marketing services manager for Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, with Advertising Manager Kerith Kristel-Smith and Colleen Devlin, advertising coordinator at the 2007 Boston Go Red For Women Luncheon. The three served on a team of dedicated employees from Harvard Pilgrim to support and promote the luncheon, which welcomed nearly 600 donors, volunteers, and local celebrities to unite against heart disease in women. The luncheon featured a fashion show, styled by Boston designer Denise Hajjar, which showed attendees how to "Go Red in Your Own Fashion."



Life Line Screenings At Park, Recreation Dept.

Residents in the Quincy area can be screened to reduce their risk of having a stroke when Life Line Screening is at the Quincy Park and Recreation Department, 1 Merrymount Parkway, on Thursday, March 15. Appointments will begin at 10 a.m.

A stroke, also known as a "brain attack," is ranked as the third leading killer in the world, and the second among women. Through preventative screenings, the risk of having a stroke can be greatly reduced.

Screenings are fast, painless and low cost. They in-

volved the use of ultrasound technology, and scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which can lead to a stroke, aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta, and hardening of the arteries in the legs, which are a strong predictor of heart disease.

Also offered for men and women is a bone density screening to access their risk for osteoporosis.

All four screenings take less than an hour to complete. A complete vascular screening package, including the stroke/carotid artery, abdominal aortic aneurysm and

ankle brachial index (hardening of the arteries) screenings is \$109. Sign-up for the complete vascular package; includes the osteoporosis screening and pay only \$129.

For more information regarding the screenings or to schedule an appointment, call 1-877-237-1287 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com. Pre-registration is required.

Daffodil Days March 19-21 Benefit Cancer Society

Daffodil Days, the American Cancer Society's annual event, has begun, with daffodils on sale now through March 2 and delivery to take place March 19-21.

A bouquet of 10 daffodils is \$7. A Gift of Hope - bouquets of daffodils delivered

anonymously to a local cancer patient - is available for a minimum donation of \$20.

A "Bear and a Brunch TM" is also available for a donation of \$25, featured Hugh R. Hope, the newest Boyds Bear TM designed for the American Cancer Society's Daffodil Days program, and 10 stems of fresh-cut daffodils.

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SPORTS

North Quincy Claims Share Of League Crown

By SEAN BRENNAN

In a game that had serious ramifications for both teams, the North Quincy Red Raiders squeaked out a 52-51 victory over the Quincy Presidents last Friday night in front of a packed East Gym at Quincy High School.

For the Red Raiders (16-4, 11-2 in the Atlantic Coast League), their second win over Quincy this season brought with it not only city bragging rights, but also a share of the Atlantic Coast League North Division title. The Red Raiders finished the season as co-champions with Whitman-Hanson High School.

Under the direction of head coach Doug MacFarlane, the Red Raiders earned the school's first division title as a member of the Atlantic Coast League. North Quincy and MacFarlane had previously won league championships in 2001 and 2002 when the team was part of the Old Colony League. The championship also represents MacFarlane's third league title in his nine-year history as coach of North Quincy. He is retiring at the conclusion of the season.

For the Presidents (10-9, 7-6 in the ACL) and head coach Jeff Bretsch, the loss, though painful, can be used as motivation heading the team's final regular season game against Hanover and hopefully into next week's Division 2 South State Tournament.

"The last six games there has been a razor-thin margin of victory and defeat for our team," Bretsch said early this week. "If not for a tough loss to Marshfield and this one-point loss to North Quincy, we could be riding into the post-season on a six-game winning streak. Either way, we are peaking at just the right moment. Last year at this time, we entered the tournament in a similar position (scheduled to be between a 8 and 14 seed) and advanced farther than any Quincy team in school history."

The game itself started out with Quincy jumping out to a 9-0 lead on Senior Night and over the course of the game, Quincy increased their lead to 14 points. Leading the charge for Quincy was junior captain Meagan Tobin. Tobin scored a season-high 24 points and led Quincy to a 27-13 lead late in the first half, but the Red Raiders are not co-champions for nothing.

North Quincy responded to the early deficit with a 7-0

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

scoring run to close out the first half. The score at the break was 27-20 Quincy.

"That scoring run to end the first half was huge for North Quincy," Bretsch said. "But the thing that hurt us and helped them was just how good they were throughout the game from the free throw line. They are not known for their free throw percentage, but the were almost perfect last Friday."

North Quincy finished the first half with a low field goal percentage, but the Raiders were a perfect 12 for 12 from the line. Their success carried over to the second half and when all was said and done, North Quincy finished the game 20-of-26 from the charity stripe.

Down by seven to start the second half, the Red Raiders outscored the Presidents 32-24 in the final 20 minutes of play, and the team did so with its two of its best players sitting on the bench with foul trouble.

Rebecca Goreham and Siobhan Carnell who were forced to sit for most of the second half, watched as Quincy went on an 8-2 run with just over six minutes to play. At the 4:30 mark and with a league title slipping away, MacFarlane put Goreham (one of the ACL's best players) back on the court and the move quickly paid dividends.

Goreham and Lauren Stille snapped the Presidents' momentum with an unorthodox 6-point play that changed the outcome of the rest of the game.

"The turning point was that 6-point play," Bretsch said. "They scored in transition and got fouled. But the free throw was missed; they grabbed the rebound, scored and got fouled again. They missed again but once again scored on the rebound. Six points in one possession down the court turned the

game around."

North Quincy would take the lead for the first time at the three-minute mark on a full-court pass from Goreham to Stille. The breakaway basket gave the Raiders a 46-45 lead.

Quincy responded with a quick bucket to make the score 47-46, but a Catherine O'Connell layup with 2:20 remaining put North ahead for good, 48-47.

For the Red Raiders, Goreham finished the game with eight points and 16 rebounds. Megan Therrien and Katherine O'Connell each scored eight points and Stille lead all North scorers with 13 points (9-of-11 from the line).

Senior captain Bridhid Kyle's nine points and junior captain Meagan Tobin's game-high 24 points led the Presidents.

"Give the kids the credit, I never expected to be 11-2 in the league," MacFarlane said. "I thought we would be good, competitive, but I did not know we would be this good."

Any thoughts of another matchup between the two city teams this year will have to be put on hold until next season, as the two schools play in different divisions come tournament time.

When the tournament pairings come out at the end of the week, the North Quincy Red Raiders are sure to be one of the top four seeds in Division 1 South bracket. At 16-4, North will host a first-round game next week.

Quincy, who plays in the Division 2 South tournament, will also have to wait until Friday to see where they will play their first-round game. With a 10-9 record (before the Hanover game), the Presidents are going to be the road team throughout the post-season, but as the team proved last season, it can win on the road in the post-season.

Kiwanis Hockey Tourney Underway At Youth Arena

The 34th annual Quincy Kiwanis International Youth Hockey Tournament got underway Monday at Quincy Youth Arena with a four-game slate.

This year's tournament includes teams from the Bantam, Pee Wee, Mite and Squirt divisions and includes Massachusetts teams from

Quincy, Braintree, Milton, Brockton, Hingham, Weymouth, Hyde Park and Lynnfield. There are also teams from Rhode Island (Cranston and Woonsocket) and Canada.

The Bantam Semi-Finals will be held on Sunday morning beginning at 9 a.m.

and the weeklong tournament will culminate Sunday afternoon with four championship games: Pee Wees, 11:30 a.m.; Squirts, 1 p.m.; Mites, 2:30 p.m.; and Bantams, 4 p.m.

For a complete schedule of game times call the Quincy Youth Arena at 617-479-8371.

Academic All-American Honors For Bonnie Hirtle

Curry College junior Bonnie Hirtle of Quincy has earned ESPN The Magazine Academic All-American honors for the second year in a row. This year, Hirtle earned a spot on the 2007 College Division First Team All-District 1 Woman's Basketball squad after garnering Second Team All-District 1 honors in 2006.

Hirtle was the only Commonwealth Coast Conference (CCC) player to be named to an Academic All-American team this year. Hirtle is majoring in business management with a concentration in accounting. She currently maintains a 3.90 grade-point average.

On the court this season, Hirtle has played and started in all 21 games for the



BONNIE HIRTLE, a Quincy resident and a junior at Curry College, was recently named to ESPN The Magazine's Academic All-American Team. Hirtle earned a spot on the 2007 College Division First Team All-District 1 Woman's Basketball squad.

Colonels. She leads Curry College in numerous statistical categories,

including: points scored (333), points per game (15.9), field goals made (122), field goals attempted (261), field goal percentage (46.7) and 3-point field goal percentage (33.8). Hirtle is also averaging 4.9 rebounds per game, 1.3 assists per game and 2.8 steals per game.

The Academic All-American Teams program honors 816 male and female student-athletes annually who have succeeded at the highest level on the playing field and in the classroom.

The College Division is comprised of Division II, Division III and NAIA institutions. District 1 includes schools in New England, New York State and five Canadian Atlantic Provinces.

Presidents Impressive In Win Over Red Raiders

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy boys' basketball team ended their regular season on a high note last Friday night with an impressive 60-38 victory over rival North Quincy High School.

The Presidents (14-4, 11-3 in the Atlantic Coast League) got their home fans warmed up on a cold night with a 17-5 scoring run to begin the game. Sophomore sensation Doug Scott, who led all scorers with 25 points, scored seven of his team's 17 points to start the game.

North Quincy's (5-13, 4-9 in the ACL) season ended on a sour note. One year removed from winning 17 games and a share of the league title, the Red Raiders fell short of their goal of reaching the post-season tournament. With the loss to Quincy, North Quincy finished the rivalry part of their schedule at a disappointing 0-2.

The Presidents' defense shutdown the Red Raiders' offense all night long and with a relentless man-to-man defense, Quincy kept the pressure on North Quincy for

BOYS' BASKETBALL

the full 40 minutes of play.

"Our defense created everything for us offensively," Quincy head coach Bob Fisher said. "Our guards (Scott, Paris Amado and Sean Boyd) pressured their guards effectively, and Steve Connolly did a great job of containing their big man, Marcellus Lee. We did a good job shooting, on the boards and penetration, but our defense was the key to everything."

With the score 32-19 at the break, the Red Raiders, behind seniors Matt Edgerly and Terrell Johnson made a game of it with just over 13 minutes to play in regulation. A two-point bucket from Johnson put the score at 37-

26, but Scott countered the Raiders' run with two big-time three-pointers (Quincy had eight 3's on the night) to put the Presidents back in the driver's seat.

At the eight minute mark, the Red Raiders were in danger of falling even farther behind, but Matt Edgerly responded with a quick four points to push the score to 45-32 and the Red Raiders once again found themselves in a dog-fight.

But in the back and forth final minutes of play, Quincy senior Matt Boyle quickly scored five points to push the margin back up to double-digit points. After Edgerly scored to run the score to 47-

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by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

HIGH-TECH SAFETY FEATURES

Among the newest high-tech safety features found on vehicles is lane departure warning. This safety system automatically warns drivers who wander out of their lanes, which may be an indication of falling asleep at the wheel. Another new safety system, blind-spot detection, senses vehicles in the driver's blind spot when using the turn signal. It alerts the driver by sounding an alarm, setting off a vibration, or flashing a light to make the driver aware of a potential hazard. In addition, there are a wide variety of systems that handle emergency situations such as unlocking doors, turning on lighting, and shutting off fuel when airbags deploy. Most of these features are expected to be cheaper

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Quincy Youth Basketball League Highlights

The following are highlights from the Quincy Youth Basketball league for games that were played on Jan. 28.

In boys grade 6-8 action, Ian Dunphy led all scorers with 13 points including two out of three free throws and a three-pointer to start the game as Colonial Federal beat Quincy Fire Fighters, 37-24. Also scoring for Colonial Federal (7-0) were Greg Nelson (10 points), Torrey Gustin (4 points) and Matt Solander, Tom Madden, Nick Dolan, Alex Dolan and Madison Barnwell with 2 points each.

Leading the Quincy Fire Fighters (1-6) with 8 points was Jack Kozlowski. Keenan Daniels contributed 6 points, John Jones and Marco Yeung added 4 points and Brendan Haines scored two points.

Josue Ordonez scored a personal best and game high

29 points, but it was not enough to lift Century 21 Annex Realty over Atty. George Burke, 42-35. Alex Bottari-Mortel was the high scorer for Atty. George Burke (4-3) with 17 points. Also scoring was Dillon Beazley with 12 points. Rob Kozlowski added 5 points and DJ Feliciano and Seamus Pound contributed 4 points each.

Scoring for Century 21 Annex Realty (2-5) with 2 points apiece were George DeCelle, Zachery McLaren and Alan Chan.

In girls grade 6-8 play, JET Realty defeated Tobin's Tigers, 26-18. Mariah Anastasi scored 15 points, Emily Nguyen 4 points, Melissa Linskey 3 points and Therese Triglia 2 points for JET Realty (7-0).

For Tobin's Tigers (3-4), Kayla Graham scored 15 points and Nathalie Pham

added 4 points.

Quincy Credit Union edged past Rep. Bruce Ayers, 16-14. Scoring 4 points each for Quincy Credit Union (4-3) were Melissa McKinnon, Shannon Leary and Rachael Chu. Mallory McKinnon and Mallory Devove added 2 points each.

Elizabeth Austin scored 7 points for Rep. Bruce Ayers (0-7). Molly Oldham (4 points) and Samantha Albanese (3 points) also scored.

In the Cosgrove Division (boys, grades 3-5), Cosgrove, Eisenberg & Kiley beat Feenan Financial, 30-24. Scoring for C, E & K (2-5) was George Lima with 18 points, Andrew Bell with 10 points and Joe Yacano with 2 points.

Scoring 10 points each for Feenan Financial (4-3) were Dave Cooper and Alex Linskey. Michael Nazzaro

and Aidan Smyth scored 2 points each.

Kyle Richardson's game high 15 points lifted Morrissey Senators (6-1) to a 35-12 win over Flavin & Flavin (1-6). John Grasselli had 10 points, Tom Furtado 8 points and Bernie Mullen added 2 points. Scoring for Flavin & Flavin were Nick Pham and Matt Gerakis with 4 points each and adding 2 points apiece were Joseph Early and Matthew Pham.

Dunkin' Donuts topped Councillor Kevin Coughlin, 35-25. Steven Quinn (8 points) and Mike Bina (6 points), Jonathan Bain, Shamus Hill-Torres and Gianni Hill-Torres (4 points each), and Kevin Wu and Thomas Whoolley (2 points each) all scored for Dunkin' Donuts (7-0).

Darius Norris outdid all scorers with 19 points for Councillor Kevin Coughlin (2-5). Rich Ryan added 4 points and Steve Marstjopovic contributed 2 points.

Separated by one point at halftime, McGrath Highway Realty Trust (4-3) edged past Yellow Cab, 22-21 as Padraig Geany scored 12 points, Sam Grossfeld added 4 points and James Guerin, Stephen Scolaro and Colin Jones contributed 2 points each. Pouring in a game high 15 points for Yellow Cab (2-5) was Matt Kozlowski. Andrew Cook, Paul Ford and Tim Durgin each scored 2 points each.

The following are highlights from the Quincy Youth Basketball league for games played on Feb. 4.

In boys grade 6-8 league action, Colonial Federal lost their first game of the year to Century 21 Annex Realty, 34-29. Josue Ordonez led all scorers with a game-high 27 points for Century 21 (3-5).

Alan Chan added 3 points and Jesse Kennedy contributed 2 points. The high scorer for Colonial Federal (7-1) was Torrey Gustin with 14 points. Madison Barnwell (8 pts.), Ian Dunphy (4 pts.), Nick Solander (2 pts.) and Matt Dolan (1 pt.) also scored for Federal.

Atty. George Burke topped Quincy Fire Fighters, 27-12. Dillon Beazley led all scorers with 11 points and Bobby Kozlowski (5 pts.), Mike Daniels (4 pts.) and DJ Feliciano (3 pts.) scored for Atty. George Burke (5-3). Contributing 2 points each were John Yacano and William Chu. For Quincy Fire Fighters (1-7) Keenan Daniels posted 6 points and Marco Yeung added 3 points. Also scoring were Brian Gibson and Jack Kozlowski.

In the Cosgrove Division (boys, grades 3-5), Feenan Financial beat McGrath Highway Realty Trust, 13-10. Aaron Clancy scored 8 points, Alex Linskey scored 3 points and Michael Nazzaro added 2 points for Feenan Financial (5-3). For McGrath (4-4), Colin Jones posted 6 points and Stephen Scolaro added 4 points.

Councillor Kevin Coughlin (3-5) edged by Flavin & Flavin, 23-22, as Darius Norris scored game-high 17 points. Anthony Gustin, Rich Ryan and Steven Marstjopovic scored 2 points each. For Flavin & Flavin (1-7), Matt Gerakis scored 8 points and Nick Pham, Sean O'Connor and Matt Pham also scored. Joe Early, Joe Carlisle, Cameron White, Anthony Calisto and Ryan Reynolds played well for Flavin & Flavin.

Dunkin' Donuts topped Morrissey Senators, 39-25. For D & D (8-0), Steven Quinn and Shamus Hill-

Torres each scored 12 points, and Jonathan Bain, Gianni Hill-Torres, Thomas Whoolley and Ronoldi also scored.

Kyle Richardson had game-high 15 points for Morrissey Senators (6-2). Tom Furtado added 5 points and John Grasselli and Bernie Egan-Mullen also scored.

Matt Kozlowski scored 19 points as Yellow Cab topped Cosgrove, Eisenberg & Kiley, 25-16. Conor Pound tallied 4 points for Yellow Cab (3-5) and Andy Cook scored two. For C, E & K (2-6), George Lima scored 6 points, Garrett Reynolds and Liam Fitzmaurice contributed 4 points apiece and Joe Yacano added 2 points.

In girls' grades 6-8 league action, Tobin's Tigers defeated Quincy Credit Union, 34-19, as Kayla Graham scored 22 points. Alana DeBello and Nathalie Pham added 4 points each and Allison Bui and Patricia Brennan scored 2 points each for the Tigers (4-4). Scoring for Quincy Credit Union (4-4) were Mallory Devove (8 points), Rachel Chu (6 pts.), Melissa McKinnon (2 pts.) and Mallory McKinnon, Sarah Ahmed and Abrar Ahmed each scored 1 point.

JET Realty beat Rep. Bruce Ayers, 30-12, as Maria Anastasi poured in 17 points. Melissa Linskey scored 8 points and Presley McLaughlin contributed 5 points for JET (8-0). Alisia Bray sunk both free throws and scored 4 points for Rep. Bruce Ayers (0-8) while Samantha Albanese scored the other 8 points. Michelle Murphy, Olivia Norton, Lindsey Nazzaro, Patrice Rusu, Enchi Taho, Molly Oldham and Elizabeth Austin played well.

Presidents Defeat Raiders

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34. Scott ended any hope North Quincy had with another three-pointer at the 3:42 mark. The Red Raiders would not get any closer the rest of the way.

"Scott is a special player," Fisher added. "Whenever you need a big basket, he can go get you one-and he is still just a sophomore. Matt Boyle also gave us a spark late in the game when we needed one."

North Quincy struggled all game long on the boards and with trying to handle the defensive pressure that Quincy kept on bringing. The Raiders found themselves in a big hole early and playing catch-up against the 14-4 Presidents proved to be too much for this young team to overcome.

"The second shots that we allowed them right out of the gate killed us," North Quincy head coach Kevin Barrett said. "Steve Connolly set the tone for them early with his aggressive play. You can't afford to dig yourselves a hole like we did against a quality team that plays defense like Quincy. They disrupt everything you are trying to do."

The leading scorers in the game for Quincy were Doug Scott with 25 points, Steve Connolly (12 points) and Sean Boyd (6 points). The leading scorers for the Red Raiders were Matt Edgerly (12 points), Terrell Johnson (11 points) and Marcellus Lee (eight points).

"I'm very proud of the way Matt Edgerly came out and matched Quincy's

intensity," Barrett said. "I'm also proud that our kids battled back several times. They never threw the towel in."

Both Quincy and North Quincy participated in the Vin Moscardelli Tournament this past Monday and Tuesday and both will be playing in the Quincy High School Holiday Tournament today (2/21).

For the Presidents, their next step is to sit back and wait for their post-season seed to come out this Friday. At 14-4 and 11-3 in league play, Quincy is one of six teams in Division 2 to have 14 plus victories on the season. They can expect to be one of the top six teams in D2 and most likely will be hosting a first-round game early next week.



WINTER CAR CARE

Choosing A Motor Oil: Facts Over Friction

(NAPS) - Selecting the right motor oil is often a quick and inexpensive way to improve your car's performance and reliability. However, finding the type of oil that's best for your

particular car can sometimes be a challenge. Here are some tips:

Two components determine how well motor oil will perform in your car. One factor is the base oil and

the other is the combination of chemicals-or additives-that are added to the base oil.

The two primary types of base oil are mineral and synthetic. Mineral oils are by-products of refined crude oil. Synthetic oils are man-made compounds whose molecules are all the same size and shape; consequently,

synthetic oil has less friction and performs significantly better than mineral oils.

Chemicals must be added to give motor oil the characteristics needed to do its job. Typical additives include detergents to reduce the formation of residue, defoamants to deter absorption of air, anti-wear

agents, antioxidants and others.

Some of the biggest technological advances in lubrication are to be found in chemical additives. Most of these breakthroughs have been developed by companies that specialize in high-performance lubricants, as opposed to major oil companies whose primary focus is refining and selling crude oil by-products, such as gasoline.

For example, a company called Royal Purple has developed lubricants that are said to outperform both leading mineral oils and other synthetics. Their oil is designed to reduce engine wear, increase horsepower and torque, and save gas and emissions.

For many, the easiest way to select motor oil is to follow the good, better, best model: **GOOD:** Mineral-based, or regular, motor oils are the

cheapest and most widely available oils. They typically use standard additive packages that provide minimal levels of performance and protection.

BETTER: Synthetic, or man-made, motor oils are more expensive, tend to have a longer service life and offer some improvements in protection. They typically use the same additive packages found in mineral-based oils.

BEST: High-performance synthetic motor oils are the most technologically advanced oils. Although they often outperform mineral-based or synthetic motor oils, they are about the same price as standard synthetic motor oil. Usually, they are only available through auto parts stores and select oil change centers.

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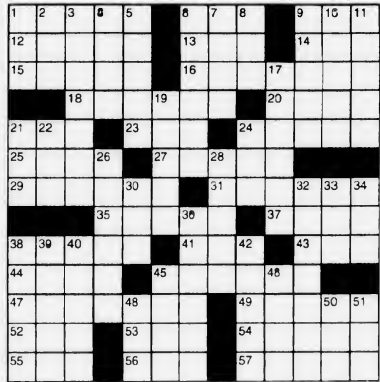
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 - 29 Actor LaBeouf
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 - 33 Pollux's twin
 - 34 Exams
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



FIND AT LEAST 9 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. ARCHITECTURE: The Georgian style of architecture is based on the principles of which Renaissance architect?
2. LAW: What is double jeopardy?
3. PLANTS: What is a corm?
4. MUSIC: What kind of instrument is a cor anglais?
5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Which tennis tournaments make up the Grand Slam?
6. LANGUAGE: What is a torch in Great Britain?
7. GEOGRAPHY: Prague is the capital of which country?
8. SLOGANS: Whose trademark signoff was "That's All Folks!"
9. MEDICINE: What is the medical name for the childhood disease known as mumps?
10. ASTRONOMY: Halley's Comet is visible in our night sky how often?

Answers

1. Andrea Palladio
2. Being tried a second time for a crime after the first case has been decided.
3. Underground shoot containing food reserves
4. Woodwind
5. Australian Open, French Open, Wimbledon and the U.S. Open
6. A flashlight
7. Czech Republic
8. Porky Pig, at the end of Looney Tunes cartoons
9. Parotitis, swelling of the parotid gland
10. Every 75-76 years

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SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Any uncertainty that begins to cloud an impending decision could signal a need to re-examine your reasons for wanting to take on this commitment.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You benefit from taking time out of your currently hectic schedule to do more contemplation or meditation. This will help re-energize you, both in body and soul.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Nursing hurt feelings can zap the energies of even the usually self-confident Sea Goat. Best advice: Move forward. Success is the best balm for a painful ego.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A display of temperament surprises you, as well as those around you. It could be all that pressure you're under. Consider letting someone help you see it through.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Some things don't seem to be working out as you'd hoped. Don't fret. Instead, take some time out to reassess your plans and see where changes could be made.

BORN THIS WEEK: You enjoy traveling and meeting people. You are especially good with children and would make an excellent teacher.

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Wishing Well

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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OBITUARIES

Lillian M. McLaughlin, 89

Food Preparer

A funeral Mass for Lillian M. McLaughlin, 89, of Norwell, a food preparer, was celebrated Feb. 16 at St. Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Mrs. McLaughlin died Feb. 11 at Southwood at Norwell Nursing Center after a long illness.

She worked in the kitchen at the former Quincy City Hospital for 20 years. She retired in 1982.

Born and raised in Quincy, she attended Quincy schools. She lived most of her life in West Quincy and in Braintree before moving to Norwell two years ago.

Mrs. McLaughlin enjoyed walking, knitting and crocheting.

Wife of the late William F. McLaughlin, she is survived by three daughters, Patricia A. Gomez of North Weymouth, Celma M. Cullen of Plymouth and Dorothy M. Connelly of Braintree; a son, William F. McLaughlin, Jr. of Brockton; two sisters,



LILLIAN M. McLAUGHLIN

Beatrice DiBona of Quincy and Dorothy Schatzl of Weymouth; a brother, Harold Belliveau of Braintree; 25 grandchildren, 58 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, West Quincy. Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Lee Ann Ryan, 48

Paralegal

A funeral Mass for Lee Ann Ryan, 48, of Squantum, a paralegal, was celebrated Feb. 16 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Miss Ryan died Feb. 10 at home.

She worked for Murphy, Hess, Toomey & Lehan in Quincy for 10 years.

Born in Boston, she graduated from North Quincy High School in 1976 and from the University of Massachusetts in Boston.

She was a lifelong Quincy resident.

Miss Ryan was a member of the South Shore Chamber of Commerce and the Robert I. Nickerson American Legion Post 382 in Squantum.

She volunteered every year at Beechwood on the Bay.

She loved the beach and enjoyed skiing and golfing. She was also known as a gifted gift-giver.



LEE ANN RYAN

Miss Ryan is survived by her father, William J. "Skip" Ryan; a sister, Lori J. Dow of Squantum; a brother, William L. Ryan of Weymouth; and five nieces and nephews.

She was the daughter of the late Phyllis A. (Mackin) Ryan.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Margaret M. Martineau, 87

Physical Therapist

A funeral Mass for Margaret M. "Chick" (Wilcox) Martineau, 87, of Melbourne Beach, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a physical therapist, was celebrated Feb. 17 at Holy Trinity Parish in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Martineau died Feb. 2 at Holmes Regional Medical Center in Melbourne.

She retired as head of the physical therapy department at what was then called the Robert Breck Brigham Hospital in Boston.

She was a member of the choir and the women's guild at Most Blessed Sacrament Church in Quincy.

Mrs. Martineau was active with her church in Florida where she served as a greeter, co-chairwoman of the bereavement committee and sang in the choir.

Born in Cambridge, she lived in Quincy before moving to Melbourne Beach 18 years ago. She graduated from Quincy High School.

Wife of the late Edward



MARGARET M. MARTINEAU

A. Martineau, she is survived by a sister, Sr. Jeanne Wilcox, SSM of Waltham; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, MA Chapter, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Mildred L. Cates, 96

Retired Cafeteria Employee

Private funeral services for Mildred L. (Newcomb) Cates, 96, of Quincy, a retired cafeteria employee, was held Monday in Fox Hill Cemetery, Billerica.

Mrs. Cates died Feb. 13 at Milton Healthcare.

She worked many years for Elm Farm Market Cafeteria in Dorchester and Sweetheart Plastics in Wilmington. She retired in 1990.

Born in South Boston, she

lived many years in Dorchester and 25 years in Billerica before moving to Quincy.

She loved animals.

Wife of the late Malcolm Cates and the late John H. McDuff Sr., she is survived by a son, John H. McDuff Jr. of Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

A funeral Mass for David F. Barry, 58, of Quincy, a locksmith, was celebrated Feb. 16 at St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Barry died Feb. 12 at Quincy Medical Center of cancer.

He was a longtime employee of Bank Boston. Most recently he was employed at the John Adams Courthouse in Boston.

He was an Army veteran of the Vietnam War, serving from May 20, 1968 to Oct. 6, 1972.

Born in Boston, Mr. Barry lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 28 years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Pienkos) Barry; three sons, Michael P. Barry, Paul J. Barry and Joseph D. Barry of Quincy; a brother, Robert J. Barry of Bath, Maine; an aunt, many nieces, nephews, and grandnieces and a grandniece.

He was the father of the late Christine N. Barry.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Quincy Medical Center, Comfort Care Unit, c/o Betty Cifone, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Frank Hiller Jr., 81

Retired Boat Builder

A funeral service for Frank Hiller Jr., 81, of Quincy, a retired boat builder, was held Feb. 16 at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Hiller died Feb. 12 at Faulkner Hospital in Boston.

He retired from the Boston Whaler Co.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II.

Husband of the late Edith Hiller, he is survived by a daughter, Gabrielle C. Flanagan of Quincy; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Pamela M. Mezzetti, 51

Micro-Electronic Assembler

A funeral service for Pamela M. Mezzetti, 51, of Quincy, a micro-electronic assembler, was held Feb. 14 at the Keohane Funeral Home, 333 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Ms. Mezzetti died Feb. 9 at Quincy Medical Center.

She worked for 33 years for Raytheon, first in Quincy and later in Andover.

She was a member of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 1505.

Born and educated in Quincy, she graduated from Quincy High School in 1973. She was a lifelong Quincy resident.

Ms. Mezzetti enjoyed traveling and watching football, especially the Patriots.

She is survived by her mother, Florence E. (Grippi) Mezzetti; two sisters, Judith A. Foley of Scituate and Linda J. Gregory of Hanover; her boyfriend, Joseph D. Lupo of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews and grandnieces and grandnephews.

She was the daughter of the late George P. Mezzetti.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 55584, Boston, MA 02205-5584.

John F. Dansereau, 72

Truck Driving Teacher

A prayer service for John F. Dansereau, 72, of Quincy, was held Feb. 16 at the C.C. Shepherd Funeral Home, Weymouth.

He worked for the Lexington Public Works Department for 20 years and taught truck driving for New England Tractor Trailer Truck in Quincy and Stoughton for 13 years.

Born in Cambridge, he lived in South Boston before moving to Quincy 20 years ago.

Mr. Dansereau was an Army veteran of the Korean War, serving as a private.

He is survived by a daughter, Noelle Dansereau of Weymouth; a son, John Gwynn of Hyde Park; and a grandchild.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.



SCOTT D. WARR

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"I was summoned by my country, whose voice I can never hear but with veneration and love." These words were spoken on April 30, 1789, by a tall, tired man. After losing many battles, but winning a war, he had hoped to retire from public life to his beautiful and beloved home on the banks of the Potomac.

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We Americans have preserved this heritage; its future rests in our hands today, as surely as when the Father of His Country gave his trust to those who heard him on April 30, 1789. We, like Washington, are summoned by our country to preserve "the sacred fire of liberty." ...

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Lydia L. McGrath, 87

Former Customer Service Representative

A funeral Mass for Lydia L. (Cummins) McGrath, 87, of Quincy, a former customer service representative, was celebrated Feb. 14 at St. Gregory Church, Dorchester.

Mrs. McGrath died Feb. 11 at South Shore Hospital.

She worked for Jordan Marsh in Squantum for 10 years.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Brighton and graduated from Brighton High School. She lived in Milton for 36 years and in Rockland for 13 years before moving to River Bay Club in Quincy in 2000.

Wife of the late Arthur L. McGrath, she is survived by three daughters, Linda McGrath of Marshfield, Janet Pickering of Atlanta, Ga., and



LYDIA L. McGRATH

Susan Sage of Hanover; a sister, Marjorie Connors of Braintree; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Edward J. Rogers, 63

Warehouse Manager

Funeral services for Edward J. Rogers, 63, of Whitman, formerly of Quincy, a warehouse manager, were held Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Rogers died Feb. 17 at the Colony House Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Abington after a brief illness.

Born in Quincy, he was raised in the city and attended Saint John the Baptist Elementary School. He graduated from the former Sacred Heart High School in Weymouth in 1962.

Mr. Rogers lived in Quincy before moving to Whitman in 1980.

He was employed as a warehouse manager for several years. Previously he worked 10 years for General Dynamics at the former Fore River shipyard in Quincy.

He had served in the National Guard.

Mr. Rogers was a member of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary and was an associate member of the American Legion Post #22 in Whitman.

Husband of the late Linda M. (DuBois) Rogers, he is survived by a sister, Mary Jean Rogers Quinn of Randolph; a niece and a nephew.

He was also the brother of the late William T. Rogers.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1115 West Chestnut St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Kenneth Neill, 49

Business Owner

Private funeral services were held for Kenneth Neill, 49, of Quincy, a business owner, who died Feb. 8 at home after a long illness.

Mr. Neill was a truck service manager for Body Craft Auto Body in Quincy for more than 20 years before opening Currier Equipment in Quincy.

He was a member of the National Rifle Association and the Military Motor Vehicle Collectors Club.

Born in Boston, Mr. Neill

was a lifelong Quincy resident.

He was a graduate of North Quincy High School.

He enjoyed dirt biking and snowmobiling.

He is survived by his mother, Virginia (Sullivan) Neill of Quincy; a brother, James "Randy" Neill of Quincy; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral arrangements were made by Blanchard Funeral Chapel, Whitman.

William F. Jones, 64

Machinist

A graveside funeral service for William Frederick Jones, 64, of Quincy, a machinist, was held Feb. 15 in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Mr. Jones died Jan. 31 in Billerica of a heart condition.

He worked for Pneumatic Scale Corp. in Quincy.

He was a Navy veteran of the Vietnam War. He served as a machinist.

Mr. Jones is survived by a brother, Alan R. Jones of Marshfield; several nieces and nephews; and an aunt.

Funeral arrangements were made by Mortimer N. Peck Funeral Chapel, Braintree.

Leonard C. McDonald, 79

Arborist, Managed MIT Grounds Crew

A funeral service for Leonard C. McDonald, 79, of Quincy, a retired arborist, was held Feb. 18 at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. McDonald died Feb. 14 at Tippet House in Needham.

He worked more than 30 years as manager of the grounds crew at Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Cambridge. He retired in 1995.

A World War II veteran, he served in the Marines from July 13, 1945 to Nov. 4, 1946.

Born and raised in Roxbury, he lived many years in Hyde Park and moved to Quincy in 1999.

He was a friend of Bill W. Mr. McDonald enjoyed fishing and following the Red



LEONARD C. McDONALD

Sox and the Patriots.

He is survived by a son, Robert A. MacDonald of Hingham; a daughter, Laurie Robinson of Houston, Texas; his former wife, Joan (Pike) McDonald; a sister, Ida Gillespie of Hoboken, N.J.; and six grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to the Tippet House, 920 South St., Needham, MA.

Kathleen M. Jolicoeur, 89

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Kathleen M. (Levesque) Jolicoeur, 89, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. Jolicoeur died Feb. 13 at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Quincy after a brief illness.

Born in Quebec, Canada, she was educated in Quebec. She came to the United States in 1948 and had lived in Quincy since 1953.

Mrs. Jolicoeur was a long-time member of Saint John the Baptist Church in Quincy.

Wife of the late Robert J. Jolicoeur, she is survived by two sons, Kevin E. Jolicoeur of Milton and Glenn J. Jolicoeur of Quincy; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Beacon Hospice, ATTN: Angela King, 529 Main St., Charlestown, MA 02129.

Joseph A. Gioia, 91

Retired Foreman

A funeral Mass for Joseph A. Gioia, 91, of Quincy, a retired foreman at the Fore River shipyard, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Gioia died Feb. 23 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked in the painting department for Bethlehem Steel and General Dynamics for many years.

Born, raised and educated in Boston, he moved to Quincy in 1938.

His band of the late Liberina (Balzano) Gioia, he is survived by two daughters, Vincenza Gangi of Weymouth and Maria Esposito of Lowell; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call 617-376-1506.

Margaret L. McSorley, 96

Retired Customer Service Representative

A Mass of Christian Burial for Margaret L. (McGrane) McSorley, 96, of Quincy, a retired customer service representative, was celebrated Feb. 17 at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. McSorley died Feb. 14 at the Pope Nursing Home in Weymouth.

She worked for U.S. Trust Co. at branches in Braintree, Quincy and Milton. Previously, she was employed at South Shore Credit Union.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., she was raised in Quincy and graduated from Quincy High School in 1928.

An avid exerciser, she enjoyed swimming at the South Shore YMCA and walking. She often walked four miles along Wollaston Beach, Nantasket Beach and Castle Island.

During retirement she found an interest in nutrition.

She was a volunteer with a nutrition program for teen mothers in Quincy and a study volunteer with the Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging at Tufts University.

In 1997, Mrs. McSorley

Herbert R. McFaul, 79

Laborer

A memorial Mass will be celebrated at a later date for Herbert R. McFaul, 79, of Quincy, a former laborer for Pneumatic Scale. Mr. McFaul died Feb. 13 at John Adams Continuing Care Center in Quincy.

Born in Cambridge, he was a lifelong resident of Quincy.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the Disabled American Veterans.



MARGARET MCSORLEY

was featured in a *Boston Herald* article about how moderation in diet and good nutrition can help seniors live long, healthy lives.

Wife of the late John R. McSorley, she is survived by two sons, Robert L. McSorley of Natick and John R. McSorley of Marshfield; a sister, Jean Livingston Demos of Quincy; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the St. John's Church Building Fund, 21 Gay St., Quincy, MA 02169, or to a charity of choice.

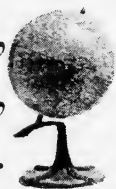
Mr. McFaul is survived by a brother James E. McFaul of Hopkinton; a sister, Rosemary H. DeNicola of Hingham; and two nieces and two nephews.

Burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice.

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Ham And Bean Dinner Saturday At First Church Of Squantum

The First Church of Squantum will host its annual Ham and Bean Dinner Saturday, Feb. 24 at 6 p.m. at the church, 164 Bellevue Rd., Squantum.

The event is a fundraiser for the church. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for

children. Call the church office at 617-328-6649 to reserve tickets.

The church offers a Bible course during Lent - "Rebuilding a Community of Faith: A Study of Nehemiah." The class begins Sunday, Feb. 25 at 11:20 a.m. follow-

ing the worship service. It will be held each Sunday during Lent.

The Book Club will meet Tuesday, March 6 at 7 p.m. in the church parlor. The book, "Sea Glass," written by Anita Shreve will be discussed.

Dramatist At Bethany Church Sunday

Bethany Congregational Church, Spear and Coddington Sts., Quincy Center, invites the public, especially women of all ages,

to a presentation by Dramatist, Linda Gray Kelley, Sunday, Feb. 25 at 2 p.m.

The 2 p.m. program will be followed by afternoon tea

A contribution of \$5 is requested for admission.

Reservations are suggested for church groups of more than six. Call 617-470-7300 or 617-472-6033.

Women's Prayer Breakfast March 31

The ninth annual Women's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 31 at St. Ann's School Hall, 81 Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. and breakfast will

be served at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Using our gifts to serve God and others."

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ann Suzedell, pastor of Quincy Point Congrega-

tional Church. Tickets are \$12 each and may be purchased by calling 617-773-6203.

Proceeds will benefit the social service programs at Interfaith Social Services.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship, Baptism service and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service. His sermon topic is "How Do You Listen?"

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served.

A Lent worship service will be held Wednesday, Feb. 28 at 7 a.m.

Chinese New Year Celebration Sunday

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church and the Episcopal Quincy Chinese Center will celebrate the Chinese New Year Sunday, Feb. 25 at the church, 1 Linden St., Wollaston.

The morning service will

begin at 10 a.m. and the Rev. Dr. Thomas Pang will be the preacher.

A youth choir from St. Paul's Cathedral in Boston will sing and a Chinese children's dance group will perform at the coffee hour,

immediately following the service.

Chinese pastries and delicacies will be served.

Everyone is welcome at the event.

The church is located at the corner of Linden and Hancock Sts. in Wollaston.

Dinner March 23 To Benefit World Missions

A steak and chicken dinner by Outback Steakhouse will be held Friday, March 23 from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Sal-

vation Army Temple Corps, 6 Baxter St., Quincy.

The dinner will benefit world missions.

Tickets are limited. Cost

is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children age 6 and under.

For tickets, call 617-472-2345 Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins

at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service. Lector will be Liz Buccella. Ushers are Paul and Linda DeGiacco.

Coffee hour hosts are Joan

Honig, Shirley Smith and Dottie Hahn.

An Ash Wednesday Pot Luck Supper and service will be held Feb. 21. Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for more information.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic parishes of Quincy are sponsoring a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group.

The meetings are being held the third Tuesday of

each month. The next one will be Feb. 20 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. at St. Joseph's Conference Room, Washington St., Quincy Point.

Women of other faiths are

welcomed to attend. For more information contact Sister Pat Boyle at St. Ann's, 617-479-5400 or Dorothy Ruggiero of St. Joseph's at 617-472-6321.

Free Financial Advice At COA

Mark Bossey of the Boston South Financial Group will be at the Council on

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Alexis Santiago Graduates Basic Combat Training

Army Pvt. Alexis Santiago recently graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

Santiago is the son of Brunilda Marquez of Quincy.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier studied the Army mission, history, tradition and core values, physical fitness, and re-

ceived instruction and practice in basic combat skills, military weapons, chemical warfare and bayonet training, drill and ceremony, marching, rifle marksmanship, armed and unarmed combat, map reading, field tactics, military courtesies, military justice system, basic first aid, foot marches and field training exercises.

SWAP Earns Tax Abatements For Seniors

The Council on Aging has a SWAP (Senior Workers' Abatement Program) that enable the elderly to work 89 1/2 hours a year and earn \$600 towards their real estate tax bills.

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Dorothy Dow at 617-376-1508.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**
Docket No. 07P0125EP

In the Estate of ELIZABETH M. JOHNSTON
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
July 24, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that CYNTHIA A. PERRI of WEST BERLIN in the state of NEW JERSEY or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety. CO-EXECUTOR EDWARD F. JOHNSTON OF QUINCY IS RELUCTANT TO SERVE.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 7, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 8, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/22/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-003
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 13, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of SBLC REALTY III, LLC for a VARIANCE to seek relief from conditions 4 & 5 in Zoning Board of Appeals case #02-011 in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.070 (yards) and 17.04.090 (contents and terms) on the premises numbered 750 WILLARD STREET, QUINCY.

Jack Garland, Chairman

2/22, 3/1/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
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Department
PLYMOUTH Division**
Docket No. 92P1822-GM2

In the Matter
Of BRYAN JAMES FLEURY
Of BROCKTON

In the County of PLYMOUTH
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN OF MINOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned matter, a petition has been presented praying that DONNA FLEURY of HANOVER in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed guardian of the person and the estate of said BRYAN JAMES FLEURY of BROCKTON in the County of PLYMOUTH, a minor child, to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT PLYMOUTH ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 5, 2007.**

WITNESS, CATHERINE P. SABATIS, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at PLYMOUTH this day, February 5, 2007.

ROBERT MCCARTHY
Register of Probate

2/22/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division**
Docket No. 07P0223GR

In the Matter
Of EDWARD VINCENT
WRIGHT
Of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIANSHIP**

To EDWARD VINCENT WRIGHT of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, his spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said EDWARD VINCENT WRIGHT of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally retarded person to the degree that he is incapable of making informed decisions with respect to the conduct of his personal and/or financial affairs and praying that CATHERINE ELIZABETH CALLAHAN of N. EASTON in the County of BRISTOL or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 3, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 30, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/22/07

LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-027
ORDERED:

February 5, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street
Trafford
Street

Side
North

From
#69 & 71 Trafford Street

To

Type of Regulation
No Parking
Mon-Fri
7-9AM & 3-5 PM

A TRUE COPY.
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

2/22/07

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-028
ORDERED:

February 5, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street
Billings
Street

Side
North

From
#64 Billings Street

To

Type of Regulation
Handicapped
Parking

A TRUE COPY.
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

2/22/07

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-030
ORDERED:

February 5, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street
Keyes
Street

Side
East

From
#3 Keyes Street

To

Type of Regulation
Handicapped
Parking

A TRUE COPY
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

2/22/07

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-037
ORDERED:

February 5, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street
Moody
Street

Side
Both
Sides

From
Chubbuck
Street

To
Entire
Length

Type of Regulation
No Parking, No Standing
No Stopping, School Days
Only 11:00 AM-3:00PM

A TRUE COPY
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

2/22/07

INVITATION TO BID

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CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169

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Detailed specifications are on file at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Bids must state exceptions, if any, the delivery date and any allowable discounts. Bids/Proposals must be in a sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelope is to be clearly marked "BID ENCLOSED" with time/date of bid call.

Firm bid prices will be given first consideration. Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be publicly opened and read. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

If applicable, bids shall be in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, Chapter 149 as amended, and Chapter 30, Sections 39A, 39B and 39F-R.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the City and waive any informalities in the bidding if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

William J. Phelan, MAYOR
Laurie M. Allen, PURCHASING AGENT

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SOUTH COASTAL BANK recently presented the Houghs Neck Community Center in Quincy a \$500 grant from its C.A.R.E.S. community giving program. The program helps local non-profit groups promote and encourage a sense of community, achievement, responsibility and excellence in children through exposure to the arts. Tony Drew, assistant branch manager at South Coastal Bank, presents the grant to Cynthia Antonopoulos, director of the Houghs Neck Community Center. Lending a hand are some of the children who participate in the program the bank supported. The Houghs Neck Community Center provides educational, cultural and social activities and programs for the residents of Houghs Neck. The money funded a youth art exploration program in which participants worked on a variety of projects, including mask-making, sculpting and furniture-painting. For more information on the bank's C.A.R.E.S. program, call Susan Lincoln at 781-681-7206.

Atria Marina Place Lists Events For March

Quincy residents will be celebrated at Atria Marina Place Thursday March 8 at 2 p.m. at Seaport Drive, Marina Bay.

Dave Becker will entertain, and refreshments will be served.

The event is free and open to the public.

Other events at Atria Marina Place are as follows:

A special concert for the young and young at heart will be held Sunday March 11 at 2:30 p.m. All proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society.

On Tuesday, March 13 at 3:30 p.m. Derek Mann will

perform a comedy and musical show in honor of St. Patrick's Day.

A St. Patrick's Day Festival will be held Saturday March 17 at 2:30 p.m. Irish tunes will be performed by Terri Hooley.

For more information, call 617-770-3264.

Thomas Crane Library Takes High Honors As Architectural Beauty

(Cont'd From Page 1)

ture. The foundation is of Quincy granite, the upper part North Easton granite and the trimming Longmeadow brownstone.

Thomas Crane's son, Albert, donated \$20,000 in 1880 for the library as a memorial to his father who had

grown up in Quincy Point and at age 26 went off to New York and made a fortune in the stone business.

Albert Crane wanted the library to be named "The Quincy Free Public Library." But Charles Francis Adams, Jr., the keynote speaker at the dedication May 30, 1882 and chairman of the Board of

Trustees pressed for "The Thomas Crane Public Library." And, won out.

Three additions have been built since, the latest in 2001 that cost \$18 million. The Richardson building now houses the reference section of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

HUD Gives \$700,000 Grant For Quincy YouthBuild Program

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has given a \$700,000 grant to be used to continue a successful YouthBuild Program and the Training Resources of America (TRA).

The grant, announced by HUD Regional Director Taylor Caswell is part of a \$45.5 million in funding nationwide to help thousands of low-income young people who didn't finish high school return to school to earn their diplomas, while training them for a future in the construction trades and other careers.

The Training Resources

of America also help to renovate homes for low-income families.

"The positive impact of the YouthBuild Program to the literacy and skill sets of these young people cannot be overstated," said Congressman William Delahunt. "The program has made the difference in so many lives, helping future generations of

at-risk youth earn their diplomas, learn a trade and become productive members of our community."

With the funding, TRA will partner with the Quincy Housing Authority and the City of Quincy to provide education and life skills training to area teenagers while renovating 32 public housing buildings.

Four Residents On Xaverian Honor Roll

Xaverian Brothers High School lists four Quincy residents on its second quarter honor roll.

They are:
Second Honors
Senior Albert Lamonica, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Lamonica.

Junior Daniel Munkley III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Munkley.

Sophomore Thomas Caruso, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary F. Caruso.

Scott Gorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Gorman.

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging

will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St.

The movie is provided by West Coast Video at no charge. Refreshments will be provided. Call Ann at 617-376-1506 to reserve a seat.

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Tax Tips From the Experts. The Dreaded Alternative Minimum Tax

Federal income tax rules have always been complicated, now the Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT). Originally designed to exact a minimum amount of tax from the very rich, the AMT is beginning to reach mainstream taxpayers. Ironically, many of the tax breaks given to taxpayers in tax reforms recently enacted by Congress will trigger greater AMT liability.

Here's how the AMT works: Beginning with taxable income computed for the regular federal income tax, you add back to that taxable income many of the important deductions you claimed to arrive at regular taxable income. For example, state and local income and real property taxes, miscellaneous itemized deductions, certain mortgage interest and personal exemptions all may need to be added back as well as certain types of business and investment deductions and exclusions. After all adjustments and so-called preferences have been made, you subtract an exemption amount that varies with your income level. Then what remains is taxed at 26% or 28% to arrive at a figure called the tentative minimum tax. If this tentative minimum tax is higher than your regular income tax, you must pay the excess as AMT tax.

The items that put the average taxpayer at risk for AMT are a large number of dependents, high state and local taxes, and large employee business expenses. Using the equity in your home to finance college tuition or other expenses not related to home improvements can trigger the AMT.

The point is if you think that you are a candidate AMT you should carefully analyze planned transactions with your tax advisor to ensure that your transaction will deliver the expected tax result.



Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617)376-6226.

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**Red Cross Gala
Honors Jerry Dacey,
Raises \$20,000 - Page 17**



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FESTIVAL DANCE is performed by the Wang Shiwang Chinese Folk and Classical Dancers at the 19th annual Lunar New Year Festival celebrating the Year of the Pig at North Quincy High School. Other Photos on Page 16.
Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

4,000 Attend

Chinese Lunar New Year Festival 'Great Success'

It's been a happening in Chinese communities everywhere since 2000 BC and Sunday the Lunar New Year Festival happened in North Quincy High School.

The 19th annual celebration in Quincy was the best of them all, according to John Brothers, executive director of Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. (QARI).

"The festival was a great success due to the 150 volunteers who made it happen," he said.

"We had about 4,000 in attendance and everyone commented on the improvements from last year. We had many more things for families to do."

One of the most popular of the new additions was a reading corner where elders entertained the young by reading popular stories.

"Our new storytelling event, co-sponsored by

South Shore Day Care and South Shore Elder Services, was a huge hit," said Brothers.

"Many of the families enjoyed storytelling in both English and Chinese. The children's area was full of children for face-painting, crafts and cotton candy.

"Twenty high school students dressed in costumes including traditional Chinese outfits and cartoon characters like Sponge Bob Square Pant entertained and posed for pictures.

"As a result, many families stayed the entire day (10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.) because of the number of things going on."

Traditionally, the Lunar New Year Festival is a holiday where families come together to visit, share meals and present gifts of "lucky" red envelopes to children.

The color red is particu-

larly significant since it was the color red along with firecrackers that routed the man-eating beast Nian which led to the first New Year celebration.

Performances of Asian music and dance featured the work of local Asian artists and local restaurants served Asian food, including both Chinese and Japanese.

Some 50 vendors and sponsors held their activities in the school gym and the Sunshine Travel and Mohegan Sun booths entertained at least 1,000 people at their lucky wheel.

The 19th festival celebrated the Year of the Boar or Pig, the 12th and last year of the Chinese zodiac cycle.

Next year they'll begin all over again with the Year of the Rat.

Council Wants Full Coverage Day And Night

Police Union Head Blasts Chief Over Cruiser Patrols

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Some 50 uniformed police officers applauded their union president at City Hall Monday night when he blasted Police Chief Robert Crowley for cutting neighborhood cruiser patrols and accused him of lying to council members in December.

Union president Bruce Tait described the 13 patrol sectors in the city and noted that, "in theory, each of the 13 patrol sectors is staffed by a uniformed patrol officer in a marked police cruiser. It is the officers staffing these 13 patrol sectors who are the backbone of the police department."

Tait then said that Chief Crowley stated at a December council meeting that

staffing never falls below "11 sector cars on a shift. That was a blatant lie."

Crowley was not at the meeting. The Sun was unable to reach him Tuesday for direct comment but police spokesman Captain John Dougan said Crowley would have no comment.

According to Tait, in the Summer of 2006, "from June 1 to August 31," which is typically our busiest time of the year, there were 27 instances of a patrol shift being staffed with less than 11 cars, in some instances 9 or even 8.

In addition, Tait charged that there have been 13 instances of "less than 11 cars staffed on a shift" since Chief Crowley addressed the council on December 18.

Tait also reminded the councillors that "in the two fiscal years that Robert Crowley has been police chief, he has returned \$1.8 million in unspent money to the city treasury. We're going on dangerous call alone and we're getting hurt because of understaffing, and the chief has returned nearly two million dollars in the last two years. That is simply disgusting."

Chief Crowley was not at Monday's meeting but David Murphy, Director of Operations for the mayor, pointed out that Quincy was recently recognized as the second safest city in the state. Murphy said that statistics used were from the FBI crime reports.

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Union, Council Urge Faulty Fire Hydrants Be Marked

One city resident wants to put black shrouds over all non-working fire hydrants in the city. Ward 3 Councillor Kevin F. Coughlin told the Public Safety Committee Monday night.

While the vision of black shrouds all over the city drew chuckles from some councillors and spectators at the meeting, Coughlin warned, "It's no joke. This is a very serious issue."

There just may be too many black shrouds, according to firefighters' union president Ernest Armenti, who told committee members that

faulty hydrants have to be marked.

For firefighters, faulty or non-working hydrants mean there is no water, low water or little pressure ready when needed to battle a blaze.

Some problem hydrants may be located on some of the city's oldest water mains which are scheduled for repair this summer. In between times, though, firefighters need to know which hydrants work.

"These are things that have to be addressed," Armenti said, adding, "We need a way of marking these

hydrants. I can't remember the 100 non-working hydrants in the city."

The issue is so serious that Committee Chairman Jay Davis said that he will schedule a meeting in faulty hydrants with the Department of Public Works as soon as possible. Davis suggested that even spray-painting faulty hydrants could be a short-time solution.

Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond suggested workers just put an "X" on hydrants that are not operable. Raymond provided a list of

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Quincy Receives \$1.8 M, Praise For Homeless Fight

By MIRIAM JOSEPH

People and pride filled the City Council Chamber at City Hall last week as Mayor William Phelan announced receipt of more than \$1.8 million in federal grant funds for the homeless and the feds heaped praise on Quincy's handling of its homeless.

The \$1,885,091 grant to the Quincy-Weymouth Continuum of Care under the 2006 McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Program will help the two communities provide more housing and services to the homeless.

Quincy also was awarded \$92,024 in Emergency Shelter Grant funding.

Philip Mangano, executive director of the U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness, said he has visited Quincy many times in the past and each time there has been more good news regarding the issue of homelessness.

"And I know there is a lot more to come," he said. "After 20 years of managing the crisis, the intent here in Quincy, as it is around our country, is to begin ending



MAYOR
WILLIAM PHELAN



PHILIP MANGANO



PETER FORMAN

the disgrace of homelessness.

"And you've created a 10-year plan that affirms the best values in your community and ultimately it affirms that you will be tolerant of homeless people but intolerant of homelessness."

He said he often encourages other cities to make pilgrimages to Quincy to see the good work that's being done here.

Mayor Phelan said the 10-year plan to end chronic homelessness, adopted in June, 2005, calls for an increase of 10-12 units per year in permanent, supportive housing. One year into

implementation, the city is four years ahead of schedule.

The Quincy-Weymouth Continuum will administer nine projects dedicated to providing support to the chronically homeless and to families that are homeless due to domestic violence.

One of them, known as Teresa's Project, will receive 24 per cent or \$452,796 of the McKinney-Vento grant over three years to provide housing for 13 chronically homeless men and women, the heaviest users of emergency services.

The chronically homeless population in Quincy has decreased by an estimated 19

per cent over the past year, a drop attributed in part to two other programs like Teresa's Project.

The Quincy-Weymouth Board on Homelessness counted 142 chronically homeless people living in the streets or emergency shelters in Quincy in January, 2004. A year later the figure was 96, last year 78, and this year an all-time low of 63.

"The new project will bring the number of our permanent supportive housing units for the chronically

homeless up to 46," said Phelan. "We've nearly tripled the number of our permanent supportive housing units in just two years and that's a great feat."

Teresa's Project is sponsored by the Quincy Interfaith Sheltering Coalition, better known as Father Bill's Place. A beaming Father Bill McCarthy, just turned 80 with 55 years in the priesthood, was also at the announcement.

"Since its inception in 1984 as an emergency shelter, Father Bill's Place has grown into a highly visible, well-respected social service agency, assisting those in need in the South Shore community," said Phelan. "Father Bill's Place remains steadfast in its mission because, as their motto says, 'The homeless are not that far from home.'"

"Just three years ago, Father Bill's Place was sheltering up to 140 people each night and now they're down to 105. That illustrates that

our 10-year plan to end chronic homelessness is working.

The Interfaith Sheltering Coalition will sponsor a second program, the two-year Empowerment Project, which will provide \$398,939 in leasing and supportive service funding for eight families that are homeless due to domestic violence.

A total of \$958,356 of the McKinney-Vento Grant will go to Shelter Plus Care Projects, six in number, for one-year renewal tenant-based rental assistance projects, subsidizing 45 homeless individuals and 19 homeless families.

And \$75,000 will be used for the Homeless Management Information System for a data collection system to track the homeless in Quincy and Weymouth and forecast future trends.

Since 1996, the Quincy Weymouth Continuum has secured \$12,605,086 in McKinney-Vento funding for programs to serve the homeless population.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

•Granted an extension of hours of operation to 2 a.m. at the Boston Marriott Hotel, 1000 Marriott Drive to accommodate a benefit for the Ahern Family Charitable Foundation. Margaret Garruto is manager. The board asked that all alcoholic beverages be supplied by the hotel.

•Granted a permit to Bettyanne Lang of Interfaith Social Services, 105 Adams St. to hold the 33rd annual 10k walk Sunday April 22 at 1 p.m. The walk will begin and end at Bethany Congregational Church, Spear St.

•Granted a Keno License to George Pepdjonovic, owner of the Mystic Lounge,

536 Washington St.

•Granted a transfer of the retail wine and beer and common victualer license held by Seaside Market, Inc., 333 Victory Rd., to Pamela M. Amelang, doing business as Latitude 42° Provisions. Hours of operation will be from 5:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. seven days a week. The board told Amelang that no alcohol can be purchased before 8 a.m.

•Granted a one day beer and wine license to Teri Angelis of St. Ann's School for a fashion show and tea Saturday, March 24 from 7 to 10:30 p.m.

•Granted a Keno License to Dianne Newton, manager of the Southside Tavern, 73-75 Liberty St.

•Granted a transfer of the common victualer, all alco-

holic restaurant, cabaret, pinball/video & juke box now held by J.B. Corp. doing business as Caralilly's Cafe, 21-27 Billings Rd., to North Quincy Restaurant Corp. doing business as Grand China Town Restaurant. Cecilia Yu is manager. Chris Harrington is counsel.

The board also voted to grant the request to pledge the licenses to United Commercial Bank.

•Granted a permanent common victualer, all alcoholic license to Guy Jolly, owner of the Renaissance Billiard Club, 1585 Hancock St. Jolly had a temporary license because of safety issues regarding the sprinkler system. He told the board that all work was completed and approved by the Fire Department. Fire Chief Timothy Pettinelli said Jolly has passed all of the safety inspections.

•Atty. James Timmins told the board that a restaurant on 35 Washington St. formerly known as the Tara Pub has changed its name and will now be known as the Blackwater Tavern with Pat Kelly manager.

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Nearly 200 Inspections In First Two Months

Code Enforcement Officer In Fast Start

The city's new Code Enforcement Officer Kenneth Burke has conducted almost 200 inspections in his first two months on the job.

The post was created by Mayor William Phelan to help crack down on violations of many of the "quality of life" ordinances that can lead to the deterioration of neighborhoods. A cornerstone of the "Neighborhoods First" initiative, the Code Enforcement Officer is involved in issues such as storage of junk, improper disposal of garbage or trash, overgrowth of yards, abandoned vehicles, illegal parking, sign and banners, dumpsters, noise, and illegal lodging houses.

"With any new position, I expect that the first few months would be busy, but

Ken has done an exceptional job in getting out into our neighborhoods and enforcing our City ordinances," said Phelan. "Without someone specifically assigned to these types of enforcement actions, neighborhoods can take a wrong turn in an irreversible direction. The Code Enforcement Officer is helping keep our neighborhoods strong."

The following is a list of investigations conducted by Burke from Dec. 1 through Feb. 8:

- Illegal Parking/Abandoned Cars - 22.
- Violations of Sign Ordinance - 8.
- Garbage/Junk/Dumpster Complaints - 56.
- Illegal Apartments - 8.
- Illegal Rooming House - 6.

Illegal Business in Residential area - 5.

Excess paving complaint - 13.

Work Conditions complaints/dust/permit - 50.

Illegal drainage - 10.

Noise complaint - 6.

Other - 7.

Of the 191 cases, 178 were either immediately resolved or ticketed and since closed. There are seven cases that the Code Enforcement Officer has taken to court and there are six cases still currently open (works in progress).

Residents who have a complaint may reach Burke at (617) 376-1238. The new office is located at 55 Sea St.

"Ken has grasped his responsibilities quickly and is doing a great job," said Jay Duca, Director of Inspectional Services. "He understands his role in keeping our neighborhoods on the right track. He mixes the right amount of education and enforcement when he is on the job."

Fire Department Promotions



NEW CAPTAINS Joseph C. Jackson and Daniel A. Gorman are sworn in by City Clerk Joseph Shea as Mayor William Phelan (left) and Deputy Chief Gary Smyth look on.



NEW LIEUTENANTS Stephen A. Stanton and Kenneth J. Kocerha take their oath from City Clerk Joseph Shea. At left is Mayor William Phelan who made the promotions, and partly hidden (at right) Deputy Chief Gary Smyth.

21-Day License Suspension 'On Hold' After Appeal

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

The 21-day suspension for delivering alcohol to minors at home issued to Franklin Beer & Wine, 55 Franklin St. by the License Board will be "put on hold" said Chairman Joseph Shea at Tuesday's License Board meeting.

Shea said they have appealed to the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission (ABCC).

The board also voted to ask the ABCC to revoke the delivery of alcohol license.

Shea said that the License Board does not issue delivery of alcohol licenses, which is done by the ABCC.

A report on the violation was made by Lt. Peter Turowski, liquor agent for the License Board who observed the delivery of beer and cigarettes to a 16 year old with no adults present. He said it had become a "pattern" of Franklin Beer & Wine not to ask for an ID.

The License Board cannot take any action until the ABCC sets a date for a hear-

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On **March 1, 1692**, in Salem, Mass., three women are charged with the illegal practice of witchcraft. More than 150 people were later accused of Satanic practices and the resulting trials ended in the execution of 19 innocent women and men.

• On **March 3, 1863**, during the Civil War, the U.S. Congress passes a conscription act that produces the first wartime draft of U.S. citizens in American history. Exemptions from the draft could be bought for \$300 or by finding a substitute draftee.

• On **March 2, 1925**, shield-shaped highway number markers are used for the first time. Later, interstate highway numbering was improved by the odd-even demarcation that distinguishes between north-south and east-west travel.

• On **March 4, 1944**, Louis "Lepke" Buchalter, the head of Murder, Inc., is executed at Sing Sing Prison. He was the leader of the country's largest crime syndicate until members of his killing squad turned into witnesses for the government. Lepke

was able to order final hits on his betrayers from jail before his execution.

• On **Feb. 26, 1957**, the final radio episode of "Dragonet" airs. Producer and writer Jack Webb tried to make the show as realistic as possible, using real police files. "Only the names have been changed to protect the innocent."

• On **Feb. 27, 1964**, the Italian government announces that it is accepting suggestions on how to save the renowned Leaning Tower of Pisa from collapse. In 1999, engineers finally began a slow process of soil extraction under the north side, removing no more than a gallon or two a day. Within six months, the 17-foot tilt had been reduced by an inch.

• On **Feb. 28, 1982**, the J. Paul Getty Museum becomes the world's most richly endowed museum when it receives a \$1.2 billion bequest left to it by the late J. Paul Getty. During the six years Getty's will was in dispute, the original \$700 million bequest to the museum nearly doubled.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

He's Not Running

Everybody seems to be running for President these days.

Hillary Clinton, Barack Obama, Mitt Romney, Rudy Guiliani, John Edwards, Joe Biden, John McCain, with Newt Gingrich looking like he's waiting in the wings and, who knows, maybe even Al Gore who's hot right now with that Oscar.

But, not me.

Even though my grandson, Jay, 11, wants me to run. That's pretty flattering.

But no, I'm not running. For one reason I'm not qualified. Although sometimes I wonder about the one we have now.

But if I had been in the White House in March, 2003 we sure as hell wouldn't be in Iraq.

But no, I don't think I'll ever run for President. And if someone ever asks me to be his (or her) vice presidential running mate, I'm going to pass that one up, too.

It's not so much that I know I couldn't win. It's that other thing, I've mentioned it before.

I just don't want anyone digging into my background. If I were a candidate for president or vice president, the press would start nosing around.

They probably would ask: "Have you ever committed a crime?"

And I would reply, naturally, "No, never!"

Then they would get to digging deeper and soon some little thing I had long forgotten might pop up and prove a little embarrassing.

Like, when I was a kid in Quincy Point, I did something I shouldn't have.

I sneaked into the Lincoln Theater. Not once, but several times. But the other kids were doing the same thing and you had to be pretty good at it to get away with it.

If you lived in Quincy Point or North Weymouth in the 1930s or early 1940s, the Lincoln Theater on Washington Street near Chubbuck Street was your social center.

The Saturday matinee was a must if you were a kid. For a dime you got a bargain: a serial chapter, Gene Autry, a feature, the Three Stooges or maybe Popeye. A dime wasn't always easy to come by but the Saturday show was usually packed.

Tickets were bought at the little box office out front and the gathering crowd would wait for the doors to open.

As soon as they swung open, there would be a great surge forward. Those of us without tickets would lose

ourselves in the middle of the crowd and be carried in with the tide.

The ushers were too busy taking tickets, to notice the ones without tickets just walk by.

If my memory isn't too hazy, I think of kids like Nello DiGravio, Mike Ameen and Johnny Omar in that crowd with me.

And I think that may have been where I first met John Gillis. But knowing John he may have had a ticket.

Those of us who did sneak in didn't do it just to save a dime. It was a challenge. A dare. And we made it a science.

I don't remember anyone getting caught.

But now as I look back on it, I wonder if the owner, Alcide Beaumier, instructed the ushers to be lenient.

He was a very generous, community minded person and knew that we kids didn't have much. He even put on a free Christmas vacation week movie party. And sent each kid home with a box of candy.

The sneaking in came pretty much to an end when the Lincoln started having Saturday matinee drawings for prizes. We made sure to buy tickets to be eligible to win.

We kept one half of the ticket and the other half went into a barrel from which they were drawn.

One Saturday, I won a baseball bat and ball. I was the envy of every kid in the theater.

But when I got back to my seat and the lights went out as the show resumed, I dropped the ball and it rolled down to the stage area. Someone scooped it.

I was heartbroken. So were my friends.

Until I timidly went to Beaumier's office after the show and told him I lost the ball. He kindly gave me another one.

And there was joy in Quincy Point.

We used the bat and ball in a field off Des Moines Road the whole summer, taping the ball when the cover came off and the bat handle when it got cracked. The ball got bigger and the bat heavier as the summer went by.

The Lincoln, like other neighborhood theaters is gone. It was demolished in 1980. Gone but not forgotten.

But that was the scene of one of my crimes. So I'm not running for president or vice president.

The nosey press would probably also find out that I led raids on a tomato garden on Winter Street. And then expanded my operation, targeting that beautiful Macintosh apple tree in East Braintree.

Then there was the time that I...

No. Forget that.

I've told you too much already.

Parent Advisory Council To Sponsor Talk On Dyslexia At QHS April 28

The Quincy Parent Advisory Council (QPAC) to Special Education will sponsor a lecture on dyslexia Saturday, April 28 from 9 a.m. to noon at the Quincy High School auditorium, Coddington St.

Professor and researcher Dr. Maryanne Wolf will discuss fluency and the reading brain. The lecture is for parents and teachers who want to learn more about language-based learning disabilities such as dyslexia and dysgraphia.

Wolf is the director of the Center for Reading and Lan-

guage Research at Tufts University. She has published hundreds of articles on reading and learning disabilities.

Wolf's presentation will emphasize the importance of fluency research for reading but will also suggest its importance for other academic areas such as mathematics and writing.

Admission is \$25 per person due at registration. To register for the lecture, call Linda Perry at (617) 773-1385 or send an e-mail to Lperry0181@comcast.net.

The QPAC to Special Education is a formally or-

ganized group of parents and other interested persons committed to the best possible services for children with special needs.

The Parent Advisory Council meets monthly. Meetings provide information, insights, techniques and

encouragement through informal discussions and special presentations.

For more information on QPAC, contact Toni-Marie Mahoney, QPAC president, at 617-773-4558 or Andrea White, vice president, at QPACSPED@comcast.net.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

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Scenes From Yesterday



IN 1913 THIS was a boarding house for men who worked in the numerous factories in the Norfolk Downs area. In this old real photo postcard view the house was on the corner of Hancock Street and Glover Avenue. Later it was moved to a lot just behind it on the corner of Pierce Street when the Sacred Heart Church was built on this site. The house then served as the parish house for the church until the present stone rectory was built.

At that time this house was moved again to its present location across the street on the opposite corner of Pierce Street. To the left of the porch can be seen some of the Derringer's old greenhouses that were on the site of the present Sacred Heart School. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Broken Windows Lead To Other Problems

Policing isn't just about catching crooks; it's about building a safer community.

City Councillor Kevin Coughlin's recent letter about broken windows in a closed warehouse in his district led to a discussion over the so-called "broken window theory." I fully believe in it.

Coughlin is right. Small disorders lead to bigger dis-

orders. The idea is to catch neighborhood dysfunction quickly before it spreads like a disease.

Coughlin's piece concerned broken windows in an actual building, but the term "broken window" is a metaphor for all kinds of neighborhood disorders from actual broken windows, to abandoned shopping carts, to trash lining the streets, to

lawns being paved over for use as parking spaces and finally lawlessness.

Community policing and the "broken windows" of our communities are a job for all of us. The police can do their job, but we the citizens must also do ours.

Little problems that are fixable too often grow into larger problems much more difficult to solve.

Bottom line, our communities are our business. It is up to us. We can't pass the responsibility off on the police and blame them when things go wrong. Complex issues need many voices working together.

Our neighborhoods in the end, will be as good as we want them or as bad as we allow them.

Sgt. Sal Giarrotani
Atlantic Street

Do We Need Another Beer, Wine Store In Quincy?

Do we really need another store in the City of Quincy selling beer and wine?

West Elm Variety is trying again to go before the Licensing Board to produce a wine and malt beverage

package store license. The city is giving these licenses out like candy.

The license they issued last year in Squantum has resulted in minors purchasing beer. There are enough

places to buy beer and wine within a 1/2-mile radius of West Elm Variety.

If you go up Billings there are three places not counting the bars and restaurants. We

want to keep our neighborhoods free of this kind of influence on our children. The licensing board needs to say NO.

Kathy McCluskey
West Elm Ave

New Programs At Houghs Neck Center

Three new programs have been added to the menu at the Houghs Neck Community Center, 1193 Sea St.

A reading group will meet Thursdays from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. It's a free story time for all ages.

A Lego Bionicle Club will teach the kids ages 5-12 about Legos. It's free and meets Friday, March 9, from 5 to 7 p.m.

An adult painting class, exploring and exchanging ideas on acrylics for beginners and intermediate paint-

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The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

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ers will be held Tuesday, March 20 at 6 p.m. Cost for five classes is \$65. Call Cynthia at 617-376-1385.

Other monthly programs will continue.

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Quincy's Yesterdays

Hospital Director Says He Is Not Resigning

By FRANK McCAULEY

The Board of Managers at the Quincy Hospital wants to meet with City Manager William J. Deegan, Jr. to iron out differences between him and the director, according to a statement by Chairman August E. Settimelli.

Hospital Director Dr. Ensio K.F. Ronka said, "I haven't resigned and I have no intention of resigning."

**This Week
1950
57 Years Ago**

According to Settimelli's statement, the board spent considerable time discussing Deegan's letter published last week, in which he said that he expected the hospital director to maintain the institution on an improved basis on funds provided by the city council.

Members of the board, in addition to the chairman include Mrs. Esther C. Boling, George W. Arbuckle, William J. Martin and J. Brooks Keyes.

FIREMAN SEEK RAISE TO POLICE LEVEL, POLICE ASK UNIFORM REIMBURSEMENT

Quincy firefighters asked for a \$200 raise to bring their pay on par with police salaries and police asked the city to buy their uniforms, during the finance session when the council considered the budgets of the two departments. Captain William Curtin represented the firefighters while Patrolman Kenneth Poulin spoke for the police.

Both Finance Committee Chairman Frank N. Orcutt and Mayor Thomas S. Burgin explained that it has been agreed upon to omit these requests from the budget and to give them serious consideration after the final budget figures had been worked out. At that time the Council will be in a better position to determine whether or not the requests of the two uniformed departments can be met, he said.

RUNAWAY FIRE TRUCK HALTED BY ALERT PAIR AT HOUGHS NECK BLAZE

An alert policeman and a bystander stopped a runaway fire truck as it rolled down a hill at a Houghs Neck fire, saving some 30 persons, most of them children, from injury. Patrolman James A. D. MacKay and James E. Cotter of 209 Winthrop St., Houghs Neck, leaped aboard and braked the rolling apparatus before it reached the onlookers who had gathered to watch firemen battle the blaze that routed six persons and an infant. The fire truck, Hose Two, attached to the Houghs Neck Station, slipped its brakes while parked on a steep, icy incline on Winthrop St., opposite 28 Parkhurst St., the home of Lloyd Dunn, 26, and the scene of the fire.

QUINCY-ISM

The Quincy Visiting Nurses Association, a Red Feather Service, will start a new series of Mothers classes at its 1245 Hancock St. office. Five weekly lectures on the growth and care of a baby will be given by Mrs. Ruth Dobbie, association director.

Mrs. Herbert A. Mann, president of the Quincy Woman's Club, cut the 45th anniversary cake while charter members Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. Charles Wilson and Miss Almira Simmons looked on. Former city assessor Larry Antonelli and Mrs. Antonelli welcomed a son, Larry Antonelli, Jr., born at Quincy City Hospital. The Antonellis reside at 40 Hughes St., South Quincy. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Adams, 32 Calumet St., Wollaston, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at a surprise party at their home. The Adamses have a daughter, Claire, a son, Arthur L. Adams, Jr., and a grandson. Granite Chevrolet, 540 Southern Artery, was advertising "Top Quality Cars and Trucks At Bargainville Prices." Pres Hobson, Patriot Ledger sports editor, reports that Quincy pitcher Dick Donovan is hoping to win a spot on the Boston Braves pitching rotation for the 1950 season. New Cub Pack 27 sponsored by the North Quincy Knights of Columbus held its first meeting under the leadership of John B. Newcomb. A large gathering of parents watched as 30 cubs were awarded their bobcat pins. The Finnish Temperance Society of West Quincy was planning a "Repair Fair." Laura Takki, Sr., was honorary chairman of the event which will seek to raise funds for the recently remodeling of the society hall. City Auditor Alexander Smith was honored by his former associates in the accounting department at the Fore River Shipyard prior to assuming his duties as Quincy City Auditor.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Marie's Kitchen

BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Ursula's Corn Pudding

It was a day with the cousins when some of us gathered at our cousin's Gen's beautifully decorated home on a Sunday in December.

Some of us brought a favorite recipe to go with her delicious buffet ranging from Lasagna, meatballs, sausages and on and on.

One of the dishes that were brought in was a corn pudding by my cousin Ursula.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees

CORN PUDDING

- 1 egg (beaten)
- 2 cups milk (Ursula used skim)
- 4 tablespoons flour

- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 packages frozen corn niblets (or 2 cans)
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine

In a bowl mix the egg, milk, flour, sugar and salt until blended. Stir in the corn.

Pour in a slightly greased shallow casserole dish. Dot the top with the butter or margarine.

Bake for 15 minutes. Then stir and bake for another 20 minutes or until inserted knife comes out clean.

It's a delicious side dish and so easy to prepare. We cut it into squares to serve.

Purim To Be Celebrated At Hingham-Quincy Chabad

The Hingham Quincy Chabad, 1356 Quincy Shore Drive, will celebrate Purim Sunday, March 4, at 10:30 a.m. giving gifts to the poor and food gifts to friends and reading the Purim story.

Purim, the Jewish Feast of Lots, celebrates the heroism of Queen Esther, whose wisdom, beauty and guile

delivered the Jews in Persia from a massacre plotted by King Haman.

It is customary for children to dress in costume on this day.

The celebration at the Chabad will include a megillah reading with simultaneous slide show, arts and crafts for the kids, make your

own Hammentashen, a Purim masquerade, music and coffee, pastries, bagels and lox.

The suggested donation is \$5 for a child, \$10 for an adult and \$17 for a family.

RSVP to shevybronstein@gmail.com or call 617-850-5935.

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St.

The movie is provided by West Coast Video at no charge. Refreshments will be provided. Call Ann at 617-376-1506 to reserve a seat.

Oscar Nominated Picture At Thomas Crane Library

"Little Miss Sunshine," which was nominated for four Academy Awards, will be the featured film shown free Thursday, March 8, at 7 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library.

It's the story of pudgy, bespectacled Olive, 7, who seeks the coveted Little Miss Sunshine crown and her dysfunctional family that sets out to help her win it in a beauty pageant. It's rated "R."

Veteran Alan Arkin won an Oscar as the best supporting actor for his role in "Little Miss Sunshine" and the picture itself was nominated for best picture but lost out in the finals.

"The Great Match," the adventurous story of three remote peoples and their efforts to view on television the finals of soccer's World Cup in Japan, will be shown Thursday, March 15, at 7 p.m.

The protagonists in this

comedy are a family of Mongolian nomads, a came caravan of Taureg in the Sahara Desert and a group of Indians in the Amazon jungle.

The picture is not recommended for ages under 17 without parental permission.

Both programs are free and held at the main library, 40 Washington St. For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Raggae Beach Party Saturday At Beachcomber

The public is invited to attend the 7th annual "Raggae Beach Party" Saturday, March 3 from 3 to 8 p.m. at the Beachcomber on Quincy Shore Dr. across from Wollaston Beach.

The event is for those aged 21 and older.

This year's featured artist

will be Noddaclo, backed by D.J. John "Ras" Kelley.

There will be door prizes and a prize drawing.

Net proceeds will benefit the Habitat for Humanity.

Tickets are \$20 at the door and \$15 if purchased in advance. Call 781-985-9064.

South Shore Habitat for

Humanity is an ecumenical, nonprofit organization dedicated to building simple, decent homes in partnership with families in need.

South Shore Habitat for Humanity serves three cities and 29 towns south and southwest of Boston, including Quincy.

'Spring Clean Your Computer' Seminar At Crane Library March 13

The Thomas Crane Public Library will host a computer program entitled "Spring Clean Your Computer" Tuesday, March 13 at 7 p.m. at the main library, 40 Washington St., Quincy.

Participants will learn to clean and disinfect a PC, minimize clutter, and maximize disk space. Discover

how to uninstall a computer's unnecessary programs, clean up the hard disk, remove autostart programs, delete temporary files and clean out old e-mails.

The free program is part of the library's CyberTalk series. For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Sterling Middle School Honor Roll Correction

There were four names that were incorrectly calculated in the Sterling Middle School second term honor roll which appeared in last week's Quincy Sun.

The following names should have appeared on the

High Honor Roll, not the honor roll.

They are:

Kaitlyn Mahn, eighth grade; Olivia Toldness, seventh grade; and Cole Barrett and Shu Chen, both sixth grade.

COA Art Class Meets March 28

The Council on Aging's art class with LuLu will meet Wednesday, March 28, from 12:30 to 2 p.m. at the Richard Koch Park & Recreation

Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

The cost is \$10. For reservations, call 617-376-1249.

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Course Selection Process At NQHS Starts March 6

The course selection process for the 2007-2008 school year, for current North Quincy High Students in grades 9, 10 and 11 will begin Tuesday, March 6.

Students will be instructed in the process by the Guidance Staff and will have input and recommendations from the academic department heads and their teachers.

The **Course Selection Sheets** and **Course Description Booklets** will be sent home with the students. Parents and students are encour-

aged to work together to make informed choices on the **Course Selection Sheets**. The booklets are available for viewing on the school's website at:

www.quincypublicschools.com (under academics).

Those with questions about course selection process may call your child's guidance counselor at 617-984-8747. The deadline to return the course selection sheet signed by the student, teachers and parent is **Thursday, March 8**.

Senior Safety Is Subject At Beechwood Breakfast

Police Lt. Dan Minton of the Crime Prevention Unit will discuss senior safety Wednesday, March 7 at 9 a.m. at the Current Events Breakfast at Beechwood on the Bay, 440 East Squantum St.

Minton, a police officer

for 26 years with masters degrees in social work and criminal justice, will discuss such topics as "A Safe Day," "Shopping Safety" and "Scams."

To reserve for the breakfast, call Maryann at 617-471-5712.

Military History Talk At Beechwood On Bay

Military Historian Chuck Fazio will lead two round table discussions of military history planned at Beechwood on the Bay, 440 East Squantum St.

The first will be held Tuesday, March 6, and the

second Tuesday, April 3.

Those attending are invited to bring their own lunch. Beverages and desserts will be provided.

Those interested in attending should call Maryann Mahony at 617-471-5712.

Tour Squantum's Secret Treasures

Marie Stamos will lead a free sunset, full moon tour of the "Secret Treasures of Squantum" Saturday, March 3, starting at 4:45 p.m.

Participants in the tour, which is part of the Park Department's Environmental

Treasures program, will meet at Stamos and Stamos, 747 East Squantum St.

The walk will explore some of Squantum's history as well as its natural beauty.

For more information, call 617-472-0799.



MR. and MRS. DONALD ROBINSON

Mr., Mrs. Donald Robinson Celebrate 65th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Donald K. Robinson of Quincy, celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on Valentine's Day. They were married at the former Finnish Lutheran Church.

They have lived at their present address for 50 years.

Mrs. Robinson, the former Martha I. Ahola was born and raised in Quincy. She was affiliated with the family bakery, Ted's Bakery in Quincy, and later cafeteria cook-manager at Sterling Jr. High School.

She was also a culinary arts instructor at Quincy Vo-Tech High School and received the first Al Conti Award as South West Person of the Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are active members of the Faith Lutheran Church and Faith Seniors.

Mrs. Robinson is board member of Ward 4 Neighborhood Association, chairperson of Faith Lutheran Church Women, former

board member of Quincy Community Action Programs and Quincy Neighborhood Association.

Mr. Robinson was born in Calais, Maine and is a former maintenance-carpenter for the Quincy School Department. He also received the Al Conti Award as South West Person of the Year.

The couple have a daughter Shirley Irene MacDonald of Marshfield; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. They are the parents of the late Susan Marie Robinson.

Their family and friends will host a celebration March 18 at the Faith Lutheran Church.

Ward 5 Scholarship Applications Ready

Applications are now available for the Ward 5 Community Association's annual scholarship program for local high school graduates.

Each year the Association raffles off a number of \$250 which the students may use to buy books or cover other school-related costs.

Graduating high school seniors who plan to go to college in the fall of 2007 are eligible, provided they or their families are Ward 5

residents and members of the Ward 5 Community Association.

The \$10 membership fee may accompany the application.

The applications are available at Quincy and North Quincy High Schools. Students may also send a letter requesting consideration to 132 Phillips St., Quincy 02170.

For additional information, call Nick Puleo at 617-835-1253.

Robert Page Nominated For National Scholarship Program

Robert W. Page III, a Quincy High School senior and member of the Quincy High School National Honor Society, has been nominated to compete in the National Honor Society scholarship sponsored by the National Associate of Secondary School Principals (NASSP).

Frank Santoro, principal at Quincy High School, announced the nomination, which places Page in the national competition. This year, the program will once again award \$200,000 in college scholarships. As a new feature for the 2007 program, special recognition and additional awards will be presented to state and regional winners, along with the selection of one national recipi-

ent who will receive an additional \$10,000 award.

"Students nominated for the NHS scholarship not only demonstrate academic excellence, but also excel in the areas of service, leadership, and character", said Rocco Marano, director, NHS.

At Quincy High School, Page has been a member of the Student Council, a member of NHS and involved in several service projects. This fall he plans to attend college to study Civil Engineering.

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200 Guests Celebrate Year Of The Pig In School Auditorium

Sacred Heart School Lunar New Year Family Celebration

Sacred Heart School in North Quincy recently held its fifth annual Lunar New Year Family Celebration with more than 200 guests celebrating the Year of the Pig in the school auditorium.

The event began with an opening blessing by Fr. John O'Brien, pastor of Sacred Heart Church.

Sue Forbes (on behalf of herself and co-Chairperson Debbie Riordan) welcomed everyone to the celebration and thanked the parents who organized the event, the many faculty members who were present and the parents of all the students for their continuing support.

Saritha Venkat then welcomed the guests with a traditional Hindu song of praise.

Children and adults performed dances and songs from a variety of cultures.

Xiao Hong Hua (Little Red Flower) Chinese Folk Dance Troupe performed the Xin Nian Hao (Celebrating the New Year) dance. These very small dancers (ages 4 and up) did a fabulous job demonstrating the joy that comes from a new year.

Karthikeyan Arumugan, a second grader at Sacred Heart, and his younger sister Varshini sang an Indian carnatic song. This is the classical music of Southern India. It is one of the world's oldest and richest musical traditions.

Karthik and Varshini sang a song of praise to the god of knowledge. Their clear voices and their ability to sing without accompaniment was much appreciated by the audience.

Deepika Babu and Varsha Balaji also performed an Indian carnatic song.

Later in the evening, Jhanvi Chandar and Praharsitha Allam sang an Indian bhajan song. The bhajan has a special place in Indian society. Most bhajans were written between the 14th through 17th centuries. They are songs sung to praise God.

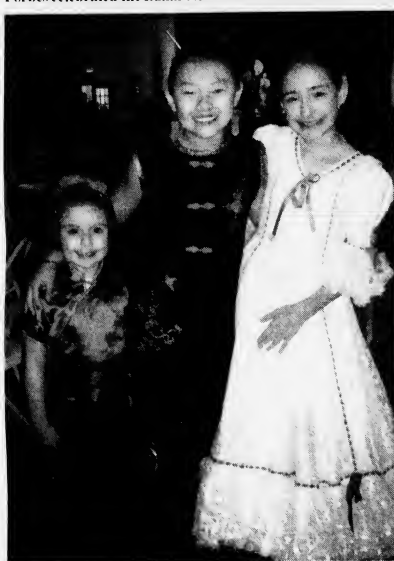
One of the most anticipated part of the event is to watch the many traditional dances that students perform on the stage. Dancers from The Boston Korean Dance School looked fabulous in their yellow and pink robes.

The Boston Korean Dance School is dedicated to teaching students about the Korean Culture. Amanda Lee, a fifth grader at Sacred Heart, has been attending a Korean school on Saturday for seven years. Korean Dance School students performed several traditional dances with fans and drums.

The Iskwelhang Pilipino (Filipino School) is where students learn the Filipino language and culture, including folk dancing. Christy Stuver, a fifth grader at Sacred Heart has been a



FESTIVE TRIO - Charlotte Kelliher, Grace Kelliher and Sofie Forbes celebrated the Lunar New Year at Sacred Heart School.



DRESSED IN TRADITIONAL clothing for a fashion show are (from left) Olivia Raneri wearing a Qipao; Hayley Forbes in a contemporary Chinese dress and Nicole Coloma in a Peruvian waltzing dress.

student at this school five years. The students performed a Tinikling (Bamboo) dance, where dancers step quickly between two horizontal bamboo poles that are rhythmically hit together.

All of the folk dances they performed were lively and fun. Their performance was received with great applause.

Sofie Forbes, a first grader at Sacred Heart performed two improvisational dances, one to a song called Two Butterflies and a second to a song that translates to "Happy New Year." She attends The Dance Studio of Braintree and she has also studied at the Chu Ling Dance Academy.

In addition to the entertaining dance performances, Tai Chi students from XinXing (New Star)

Tai Chi troupe demonstrated the 24 forms of Tai Chi and gave an impressive Tai Chi Kung Fu Fan performance.

Jenny Young, age 12, played the zheng, a stringed instrument that is plucked. She played "The Evening Song of a Fishing Boat." Helen Young, who is 9 years old, played another stringed instrument, the dulcimer. Both girls gave wonderful performances, demonstrating the wide range of musical styles encompassed by traditional Chinese music.

The entertainment portion of the event concluded with a fashion show. Students, parents and guests were invited to show off traditional clothing from all over the world.

Noelle Brady, Shannon Devin (both fifth graders at Sacred Heart) Sofie Forbes



ORGANIZERS OF THE Sacred Heart School Lunar New Year Celebration (from left) are Co-chairperson Sue Forbes, Saritha Venkat, Abby Kelliher and Jeongsuk Lee.

Photos By Abby Kelliher and Venkatachalam Arumugan



A FASHION SHOW featured students, parents and guests dressed in traditional clothing from all over the world. From left are: Amanda Lee, Karthikeyan Arumugan, Ashin Babu, Grace Kelliher, Matthew Brandi, Charlotte Kelliher (in front), Deepika Babu, Jhanvi Chandar, Praharsitha Allam, Avigail DeKing and Christy Stuver.

and Olivia Raneri, who is 4, modeled the traditional Chinese Qipao (pronounced chi-pow). Hayley Forbes (a fifth grader at Sacred Heart) modeled a contemporary Chinese dress.

Christy Stuver and Avigail Deking modeled Filipino attire, Amanda Lee wore a beautiful Korean Hanbok and Nicole Coloma wore a stunning white lace Peruvian Waltzing dress.

The Kurta, a tunic and pants outfit worn by males in India was modeled by Ashwin Babu, Matthew Brandi and Karthikeyan Arumugan. Colorful Indian silk skirts were modeled by Sreesha and Varsha Balaji, Varshini Arumugan, Jhanvi Chandar and Praharsitha Allam. The ever elegant Indian sari was modeled by Saritha Venkat, Mathangi Rk and Amanda Brandi. Grace Kelliher (a kindergarten student), Sue Forbes and Deepika Babu wore the Indian Punjabi Dress, also known as Salwar Kameez.

Charlotte Kelliher, who at two was the youngest child in the fashion show, modeled an Indian party frock and drew widespread cheers for her efforts. The stage at Sacred Heart looked lovely with a dazzling array of gowns and tunics modeled by the students, parents, families and friends.

Sacred Heart School has 325 students from pre-Kin-



SIOBHAN AND FIONA Riordan work the raffle table at the Sacred Heart School Lunar New Year celebration.



STUDENTS STOMPING during the Lion Dance are (from left) Karthikeyan Arumugan, Nicholas Connell, Jonathan Toomey, Abigail Walsh and Matthew Brandi.

dergarten to grade 8 for next fall.

To learn more about Sacred Heart School, call 617-328-3830 to arrange for a tour.

292 On Atlantic Middle School Second Quarter Honor Roll

Atlantic Middle School lists 292 students on its second quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 8: Sok Han Au, Robert Bennett, Erica Brady, Jaclyn Bryson, Christopher Cataldo, Bin Chen, Joanne Ching, Samantha Deforge, Julie Doyle, Kimberly Ellis, Jillian Fisher, Connor Flynn, Teresa Fong, Krisi Gjini, Xiao Guan, Bien Huynh, Amy Ivy, Marissa King, Scott Knight, Brenda Lam, Lin Lau, Andrea Li, My Thanh Luc, Amy Ly, Christina Ly, Maggie Lynch, Michael Pizziferri, Kyle Ptak, Joseph Queen, Leanna Santos, Shan Shao, Taylor Shepherd, Jia Qian Shi, Deanna Soricelli, Nicolette Soricelli, May Tin, Brenda Tran, Shirley Van, Tina Weng, Doris Wong, Kyle Zarnoch and Ya Zou.

Grade 7: Emma Ainsley, Samantha Briody, Amanda Brodeur, Michael Brooks, Joseph Brown, Andy Chen, Xi Chen, Jonathan Chin, Stephanie Cho, Tim Dang, Samuel Doody, Danica Hahn-Anderson, Michelle Huang, Tammy Huang, Ian Hunter, Danielle Lapiere, Long Lau, Edward Leung, Kelly Lew, Sandy Liu, Nguyen Ly, Thomas Macisaac, Timothy McAuliffe, Emily McDonough, Emily Mei, Caroline Murray, Juliana Ng, Bao Tran Nguyen, Donna Niosi, Brielyn O'Leary, Sanjana Pannem, Tara Parekh, Shuyi Peng, Minh Pham, Erin Renken, Duyen Tran, Thuy Huong Emily Truong, Yufeng Wang, Lok Teng Wong and Kevin Yong.

Grade 6: Jessica Abban,

Klea Avrami, Brendan Brady, Joseph Christello, Cassidy Connolly, Kyle Connolly, McKenzie Conrad Hill, Anna Dow, Shannon Glynn, Si Han Huang, Andy Huynh, Jahmarley Lawson, Ashley McBrien, Cynthia Nelson, Kevin Ng, Bridget O'Brien, Rory O'Connor, Dan Pham, Christopher Ptak, Kayla Sugrue, Lisa Wong, Wen Zheng Yu and Katie Zou.

Honors

Grade 8: Jessica Allen, Tara Allen, Tsz Ling Au, Elijah Bun, Justin Callahan, Jaron Chan, Shirley Chan, Lesley Chen, Kin Sang Chui, Jack Cochrane, Brendan Glynn, Dillon Green, William Ho, Dinh Huynh, Garrett Kelley, Kelsey Kelley, Aisling Kenny, Hai Liang Kuang, Franklin Lee, Shirley Lee, Carmen Liang, Edward Liang, Anne Liu, Jing Feng Liu, Huang Lu, Phoong Luc, Judy Ly, Ngoc Ly, Nathan Mailhot, Meghan Miller, Michael Mulkerins, Andrew Nelson, Khang Nguyen, Tai Nguyen, Lee Piatelli, Susan Quan Man, Cassandra Reamer, Shelby Rink, Jiabao Shang, Mechell Ta, You Da Tan, Nancy Tran, David Truong, Wei Wang, Yingqi Wang, Sulaka Warsame, Sonia Wong, David Wong, Henry Wong, Meng Yun Angela, Yi Xuan Yao, Hong Yu and Winnie Yu.

Grade 7: Joshua Bergin, Maria Bixho, Shannon Blaser, Kathryn Brady, Matthew Broadbent, Steven Carter, Jerry Chan, Dragon Che, Bonnie Chen, Charles Chen, Larry Chen, Barry Chen, Rachel Chu, Connor Clifford, Michelle Cole, Matthew Donahue, Emily

England, Mark Federico, Juan Carlos Franco, Mark Hanna, Bond Ho, Henry Hu, Jeffrey Huang, Michaela Jones, Curran Jorgensen, Gurusipath Kadirvel, Christopher Kerin, Calvin Kule, Mitchell Law, Brenda Lee, Wilson Lee, Hidy Li, Jeanie Li, Yong Hua Liu, Tak Yiu Lo, Wilson Ly, Devin Maloney, Patrick McCombs, Taylor McKay, Weiming Steven Mei, Ya Jun Mei, Allen Mo, David Morales, Michael Murphy, Ashley Nealon, Stephanie Ng, Brenda Ngo, Dao Nguyen, Kelly O'Neill, Nolan O'Brien, Valerie O'Driscoll, Elaine Phomsouvandara, Anna Qiu, Cynthia Quach, Patricia Rusu, Nicholas Ryan, Edward Schroth III, Erica Setow, Ryan Shidler, Jourdan Sivaletta, Kristina Sweeney, John Kai Yun Tam, Bao Yi Tang, Wai Yan Tin, Huy Duc To, Min Yu Wu, Regina Wu, Kelly Yovino and Derek Yu.

Grade 6: Mon Sok Au, Tsz Yiu Au, Cory Barrera, Rose Bennett, Anthony Capone, Tiffany Chan, Trystan Chan, Bing Qing Chen, Jamie Chen, William Chen, Jannett Chin, Heidy Ching, ReKelle Cochrane, Jaime Connors, Matthew Deagle, Carrigan Do, Nathan

Help With Simple Wills Monthly

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In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is the son of Phan



PHI NGUYEN

Nguyen of Vane St., North Quincy.

Nguyen is a 2006 graduate of North Quincy High School.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

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Union Head Urges Faulty Fire Hydrants Be Marked

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that we called "an unprecedented number of hydrants either inoperable or in immediate need of repair."

Arienti and Fire Chief Tim Pettinelli addressed the

committee on a number of issues raised by the union in past weeks. Among the issues was the return of Rescue 1 to service and the question of manning with new recruits or overtime.

Arienti suggested that the current firefighters could provide the needed manpower and suggested that overtime designation be changed to "shift coverage."

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Quincy 2000 To Host Business Start Program

Quincy 2000 Collaborative will host a free workshop on starting one's own business Monday, March 5, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at its of-

fices 1250 Hancock St. (Presidents Place), Suite 127N.

The workshop will provide an overview of business

start-up issues including marketing, financial management, legal and tax issues and how to access resources that help you succeed.

The program is held in partnership with the UMass-Boston Small Business Development Center.

Bi-lingual assistance is provided free of charge in Mandarin, Cantonese, Portuguese, Vietnamese and Spanish.

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Koch Draws Volunteers, Names Ward Captains

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch announces his campaign recently completed a citywide organizational drive that attracted nearly 400 volunteers and enlisted grass-roots coordinators in all six wards.

"I truly believe we've tapped into something special out there," said Koch. "To be this far along after such a short time is a great sign that there's a real groundswell of energy in our city for new, respectful leadership, a positive vision for our future and a renewed sense of community centered on working together."

Since resigning his job as head of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments last month to run for mayor, Koch has held organizational meetings in every ward, motivating volunteers and detailing plans for a major grass-roots offensive in coming months.

Koch named a team of captains to oversee outreach

efforts in wards, precincts and individual neighborhoods around the city. Named ward captains were: Mike Coffey, Ward 6; Michelle Lydon, Ward 5; Bill Spain and Gail Callahan, Ward 4; Nick Verenis and Linda Bowes, Ward 3; Rosemary Nolan and James Papile, Ward 2; and Jack Nigro, Ward 1.

"The goal is to have somebody working for the campaign on every street in the city, and I think we're going to get there," said Nigro, who is also the campaign's chairman. "One of the best parts of the campaign so far is the fact that if you read down the list of volunteers and people who have committed to helping Tom, you'll really find some of the best people in the city. These are people who love the city, care about its future,

and know that we can do better."

The campaign hosted its first fund-raiser Wednesday night at the Neighborhood Club, an event campaign Treasurer Jim Fatseas hoped would raise at least \$50,000.

"We're not going to be able to match our opponent dollar for dollar", Koch said, but what we don't have in cash, we're going to make up for in the energy of our volunteers and the honesty of our message."

At organizational meetings, coffee hours, and through visits to the campaign's website, nearly 400 people have volunteered to join the campaign, Koch said. He said anyone wanting to volunteer, or even just pledge their support, should visit www.kochforquincy.com or call 617-472-1306.

World War I Film Shown, Discussed At Library

"The World War I Years: America Becomes a World Power," a free six-part film and discussion series, will open Tuesday, March 20, at 7 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Other films in the series will be shown and discussed every Thursday evening until April 24. They will feature lectures by Newbury College Professor of History Dan Breen.

Titles of the six sessions include Road to War, Over There, Modern War, The American People in War-time, Peace Making and After the War: The Turbulent Years.

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Peter Racicot Elected Quincy 2000 Chairman-President

The Quincy 2000 Collaborative Board of Directors recently elected Peter Racicot, Vice President of Business Development at Fallon Ambulance, as President and Chairman.

The board advanced members of the Executive Committee.

"As Chairman, I am excited to continue the mission of Quincy 2000," Racicot said. "I hope to continue the strong partnership we have with the city administration, and continue to work with our board members and many volunteers in strengthening our existing economic development programs, and provide new and innovative projects that will help ensure Quincy remains the economic engine of the South Shore."

The board acknowledged the dedicated service of its past Chairman, Sean Galvin of Galvin Structures, Inc., who has served on the board for over six years and on the executive committee for the past four years.

"I am pleased to have worked with so many dedicated individuals over the years in continuing our economic development pro-



SEAN GALVIN, (center) immediate past chairman of Quincy 2000 Collaborative, receives a gift for his dedicated service from new Chairman Peter Racicot. At left is Mayor William Phelan, member of the Board of Directors.

grams and services that have created hundreds of jobs and increased the city's tax base," Galvin said.

As Quincy's Public/Private Partnership for economic development, Quincy 2000 is the city's business resource for new companies seeking to locate in the community and existing companies looking to grow and expand.

"Quincy 2000 provides invaluable services and re-

sources to the business community, as well as to the city's effort to strengthen the commercial tax base through the revitalization of Quincy Center and the continued growth of our many smaller neighborhood business districts", Mayor William Phelan said.

The Board of Directors reflects the balance of public and private participation as the mayor, city council president, planning director sit along side representatives from organized labor, large and small businesses and other city entities in a common cause to carry out the mission of Quincy 2000 Col-



QUINCY 2000 COLLABORATIVE Executive Committee, elected by the Board of Directors. From the left, Robert Galligan, Second Vice Chair, Best Western Adams Inn; Peter Racicot, Chairman and President, Fallon Ambulance; James Mullane, Past Chairman and Treasurer, Mullane & Mullane CPA; Sean Galvin, immediate past chairman, Galvin Structures, Inc.; Don Uvanitte, past chairman, Vice President, Eastern Bank & Insurance Group; Edward Keohane, First Vice Chair, President, Keohane Funeral Homes; Dean Rizzo, Executive Director and Clerk, Quincy 2000 Collaborative.

laborative. The mission that was adopted at its inception in 1992 is "to promote economic development that will enhance both the position and the perception of the City of Quincy, as a desirable place to live, work, invest and visit."

In addition to the Executive Committee members of the board include:

Mayor William Phelan; City Council President Douglas Gutro; Paul Anghinetti, Sr. Vice President, Bank of America; Mark Bertman, Treasurer, Rogers Jewelry; Thomas Cataldo, Past Chair-

man and President; Julie Connelly, Vice President, Citizens Bank; Robert Curry, Owner, Curry's Hardware; Dolly DiPesa, Managing Partner, DiPesa & Company CPA's; Christine Dunn, New England Fertilizer Company.

Peter Forman, President and CEO, South Shore Chamber of Commerce; Thomas Galvin, Past Chairman and President; Dr. Gary Gibbons, President and CEO, Quincy Medical Center; Phyllis Godwin, Granite City Electric Supply Company; City Planning Director Dennis Harrington; Linda

Hinsa, Vice President, State Street Corporation; Johnny Ip, Vice President, Asian American Bank; John O'Connor, President and CEO, South Coastal Bank; Robert Rizzi, President, Norfolk County Central Labor Council; Richard Wilson, Director of Development, Eastern Nazarene College; Bruce Wood, President, Wood Commercial Painting & Wall Covering; Ronald Zooleck, Executive Director of Business Development, Sovereign Bank, and Atty. Richard Barry.

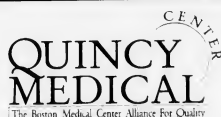
National Federal Employees Meeting March 12

The National Active and Retired Federal Employees, (City of Presidents) Chapter #430 will hold its monthly meeting March 12 at 1:30 p.m. at the Torre Dei Passeri Club, 252 Washington St.

John Paul, who is the Car Doctor for AAA, and an expert on automobiles, will be guest speaker and answer questions.

Refreshments will be served. Ample parking is

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Police Union Head Blasts Chief

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After three hours discussing the police issues, City councillors responded by supporting a resolution by Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymondi calling for all 13 cruisers to be on sector patrol 24 hours 7 days a week. As part of the motion, the council also endorsed a study of the long and short-term equipment needs of the department.

Several councillors also urged union officers to begin a dialogue with the police chief to improve department relations and said they would review the materials provided by patrolmen's union president Bruce Tait for the next hearing.

Tait called for Chief Crowley's ouster several times during the City Council Public Safety Committee's three-hour hearing on police issues this week. Each time, his uniformed backup of over four dozen strong rose to their feet, clapping in support.

"We can't trust a word that he says," Tait told the Public Safety Committee, adding, "What we need is a

new police chief." Last September, Tait's union voted "no confidence" in Chief Crowley.

For the uniformed officers, the major rub is that Chief Crowley returned the \$1.8 million from last year's budget while, at the same time, skipping on manning levels, and, repeatedly, cutting sector coverage from 13 cruisers to ten cars or lower and providing outdated equipment to new recruits.

Tait charged that command officers are hesitant to authorize the necessary overtime for full coverage because they would risk the disapproval of their superiors.

As for morale, Tait claimed that some new recruits are outfitted with 15-year old vests and that litigation is intimidating officers who fear that "even a perceived wrong will cost them the job. It's an awful atmosphere to work under."

The Public Safety Committee headed by Ward 4 Councillor James H. Davis, 3rd, has five members but the police issues drew all city councillors to chambers for

this week's hearing.

By the end of the hearing, all of the city's nine councillors either voted or asked to be recorded as approving the resolution supporting the full 13 cruiser coverage on a 24/7 basis as well as a study of the long and short-term equipment needs of the department.

Tait addressed the Public Safety Committee hearing, which originally focused on a six-part resolution introduced by Raymondi. Raymondi cited numerous instances when his own district was not sufficiently covered by cruisers. At the same time, he also questioned the \$1.8 million dollars in un-

used police funds returned to the city last year.

Raymondi's original resolution not only endorsed the full 13 cruiser sector coverage for the city but, also, asked that the chief address morale issues in the department, initiate studies of the department's long and short term needs, training and litigation issues.

According to Raymondi, the police department may be sending even more money back this year. Raymondi cited the department's current expenditures which, he believes, indicate that Chief Crowley is "on line to return \$2.2 million."

According to the figures,

the current police budget is \$19.9 million with \$19.4 assigned to personnel and as of January 31st, the department has spent 58% of its budget.

Raymondi said that taxpayers should get the police coverage that they are paying for. "Nothing is more important than to put these officers on the street."

All nine councillors outlined their support of full 13 cruiser sector coverage. At the same time, Ward 6 Councillor Brian F. McNamara, along with Davis and Council President Douglas S. Gutro urged Tait to begin a dialogue with Chief Crowley.

"There's no doubt a very

deep rupture in the police department," said McNamara who suggested efforts to build a bridge and create a "climate for change to improve communication."

"This chief ain't going any place," Davis told Tait and suggested, along with Gutro, that union officers find a way to open talks with Chief Crowley. Gutro said all parties should "do it in the same room at the same time...bring some sense of unity and commonality."

Davis set another hearing on the full resolution in 60 days, citing the need to review and verify the issues and charges raised Monday.

MEMA Issues Safety Precautions

The Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) has issued safety precautions to be taken on frozen lakes, rivers and ponds.

"Before we experience a tragedy that is unfortunately too common this time of year, it is important that we remind everyone, particularly children, of the dangers of unsafe ice," said MEMA Acting Director Ken McBride.

"Lakes, ponds, streams and rivers throughout the Commonwealth have begun to freeze over, however, the temperature continues to fluctuate above and below

freezing, making ice conditions very uncertain. People may be a bit impatient to venture out on the ice for skating, hockey, ice fishing and other winter sports. We highly recommend the use of recreational skating areas provided by your local communities. It is very important to exercise precaution and common sense."

He said to always check with local police, fire or park department to ensure that safe ice conditions exist. However, due to the uncertainty of ice conditions and the dangers presented, many departments will not endorse the safety of lakes,

ponds, streams or rivers. The strength and thickness of ice should be known before any activity takes place.

Ice Safety Tips

•Never Go onto the ice alone. A friend may be able to rescue you or go for help if you fall through the ice.

•Always keep your pets on a leash. If a pet falls through the ice do not attempt to rescue your pet, go for help.

•New ice is usually stronger than old ice. As ice ages, the bond between the crystals weakens, making it decay, even if melting has not occurred.

•Beware of ice covered with snow. Snow can insulate ice and keep it strong, but can also insulate it to keep it from freezing. Snow can also hide cracks, weak and open ice.

•Slush is a danger sign, indicating that ice is no longer freezing from the bottom and can be weak or deteriorating.

•Ice formed over flowing water (rivers or lakes con-

taining a large number of springs) is generally 15% weaker.

•Ice seldom freezes or thaws at a uniform rate. It can be one foot thick in one spot and be only one inch thick 10 feet away.

•Reach-Throw-Go. If a companion falls through the ice and you are unable to reach that person from shore, throw them something (rope, jumper cables, tree branch, etc.). If this does not work, go for help before you also become a victim. Get medical assistance for the victim immediately.

•If you fall in, try not to panic. Turn toward the direction you came from. Once out, remain lying on the ice (do not stand) and roll away from the hole. Crawl back to your tracks, keeping your weight distributed until you return to solid ice.

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CEO Sees It As Better Alternative To TCU

QMC To Open Long-Term Care Facility March 12

By LAURA GRIFFIN

A lot of people miss the Temporary Care Unit (TCU) at Quincy Medical Center, even the CEO who made the decision to close it.

The TCU handled patients who needed some acute care and weren't quite ready to go home after medical emergencies.

However, Dr. Gary Gibbons, president and CEO of QMC, said this week that the TCU has closed and its replacement, a Long Term Acute Care facility (LCAT), will open March 12 and of-

fered a better alternative for local needs.

As a surgeon, Dr. Gibbons said he prized the easy access that he and other doctors had to the Center's TCU but the unit has been draining funds from the hospital to the tune of \$2 million last fiscal year. In addition, other facilities in this area offer some temporary acute care.

Even more important, Dr. Gibbons believes that a long term acute care facility will meet the growing needs of Quincy's elder patients and he said the new company

will keep all 64 of the current employees of the TCU.

Under current guidelines, temporary units allow patients a 12 day stay for acute care after operations or medical emergencies while the long term care unit or LCAT cares for acute patients for up to 25 days.

On Monday, Dr. Gibbons outlined the benefits of having an LCAT in Quincy when he addressed the City Council's Environmental and Public Health Committee.

The center, he said, is

"building a health care system for Quincy and the surrounding communities" and he is proud of Quincy's progress but he described the center as "quality rich and cash strapped."

Dr. Gibbons noted that the Quincy Medical Center received the highest possible score during its recent accreditation review by the Joint Commission on Accreditation.

One major reason for closing the TCU was the reduction of federal reimbursements, according to Dr. Gibbons, who said the current reimbursement schedule no longer paid for the patients' costs and care.

Under the current plan, the LCAT unit at QMC will be operated by Radius Specialty Care of Boston.

"The one thing we found if we moved quickly we could save every one of these jobs," Dr. Gibbons said, noting that included 54 full time and 14 part-time workers who will retain their union membership.

"We're able to save the work force," Dr. Gibbons said, adding that workers can still switch back to Quincy Medical Center if they

choose to leave Radius. They would do that through an opening or bumping an existing position.

Radius also offers a slight financial gain as the firm will be leasing the current TCU space and paying for the use of all hospital equipment, such as x-ray or MRI's.

Dr. Gibbons who has headed the hospital for just over a year was not in charge during its conversion to a private non-profit facility. He noted that city taxpayers contributed \$34 million to the center and the state, \$12 million.

However, Dr. Gibbons said that the federal government has never come through with its promised \$23 million reimbursement. Several councillors questioned the move and sought additional details from Dr. Gibbons.

Ward 2 Councillor Daniel G. Raymond asked Dr. Gibbons about the financial state of Radius and questioned whether the firm was "successor to a company that had financial difficulty."

Dr. Gibbons said that Radius has been around five or six years and that the hospital "bond insurers have not

questioned" the company's financial health.

Raymond also asked how Radius would be more profitable for the center and Dr. Gibbons said they have signed a five-year lease with a five-year option. As for the long term financial viability of the hospital, Dr. Gibbons said they're working hard but he couldn't predict the future.

"If the government makes further cuts, I'm not sure," Dr. Gibbons said, adding that Quincy Medical Center is using creative strategies to stay afloat while serving a patient base that is 80% Medicare, Medicaid and free care.

Council President Douglas Gutro wanted to know the long-term viability of LCAT's. Dr. Gibbons said that the current reimbursement is adequate but "as soon as something's good they (Medicare/Medicaid) start ratcheting down the reimbursements."

Dr. Gibbons said there are so many changes in medicine and such confusion about health care reform that Quincy Medical Center is planning a symposium for the public in April.

John Hancock Plunge Is On Again Saturday

The oft-postponed John Hancock Birthday Plunge will be held Saturday, March 3, at Mound Street Beach — and that is absolutely, positively, be it in rain, sleet, snow or sunshine.

The event was originally scheduled for Jan. 20, close

to Hancock's real birthday of Jan. 23 but postponed until Feb. 17, then postponed again when the ice-covered beach in Quincy Point was ruled unsafe.

Now it's been rescheduled to March 3 at 10 a.m. when the \$10 registration fee

will go to Interfaith Social Services to help support those in need. Plungers, and even waders, may also be sponsored.

Checks should be made payable to Interfaith Social Services and mailed to Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, c/o Chickie Abdallah, treasurer, 48 Silver St., Quincy 02169.

For more information, call Leo Kelly, chairman, at 617-773-1534.

Beechwood Blood Pressure Clinics

Beechwood on the Bay will offer free blood pressure screenings for Quincy seniors every Thursday from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon and alternate Fridays from 9 to 11 a.m.

The clinics are provided by Fallon Ambulance and are open to all on a walk-in basis.

For additional information, call Maryann Mahony at 617-471-5712.

Gregory Kodgis On Dean's List

Gregory P. Kodgis, son of Ann Marie Kodgis and the late Paul J. Kodgis, has been named to the Dean's List for

the fall semester at Suffolk University in Boston.

Parent Advisory Council To Meet

The Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council will meet Thursday, March 8, at 7 p.m. in the Pride Room at the high school, 52 Coddington St. All are welcome.

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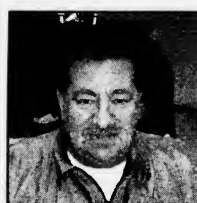
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FIRE SAFETY

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Space Heaters

The other day I picked up a sales pamphlet on unvented propane and oil fueled portable space heaters.

You might have seen them advertised. Some use a 20lb propane cylinder for fuel, while the other typically uses kerosene. Nowhere in that pamphlet was it mentioned that they are not to be used in buildings used for human habitation.

This state, in M.G.L. Chapter 148, Section 25A, mandates that these unvented portable space heaters shall not be installed or used in a "building used in whole or in part for human habitation."

Consequently, we get enough inquiries in this office during this time of year, that some clarification is warranted regarding their use.

Why can't they be used within a habitable confined space? The key word in describing these heaters is **unvented**. Both the propane and oil fired space heaters we're discussing here produce the same asphyxiant gases such as carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide to a certain extent, that can ren-

der an individual incapacitated or dead. Being unvented, and if used inappropriately within a confined, habitable space such as an unheated, enclosed porch or workshop, these asphyxiant gases are left to circulate within the confined space you're attempting to heat. Consequently, the oxygen within the space is consumed by the combustion process of the heater and replaced by the dangers of the asphyxiant gases. They are therefore dangerous if used incorrectly.

We will occasionally give permission to contractors to use such portable heaters at construction sites. Even then we are specific about our requirements for their use. Frequently called salamanders, we allow their use to cure cement when an area is loosely enclosed with non-combustible tarps and ventilation is more than adequate.

Similarly, they can be used within outdoor workspaces when we are assured of adequate ventilation as well. In those instances, they cannot be left unattended

while the air quality must be assured or monitored.

If there is any doubt about their safety, they are obviously not permitted, and the contractor must find an alternative means to heat. Fortunately, there are now alternatives that we strongly endorse where the heating units with their combustion exhaust remains outside, and fans blow the hot air into the building through portable hoses. They are approved by independent testing labs and much safer for personnel.

If you must use a space heater in a habitable space such as your home, make certain that it is electric. Look for the UL approval, and place it on a firm surface a minimum of three feet from combustibles. The heater should not be left unattended, it should be kept away from water, and if an extension cord is used, make certain that it is not frayed or faulty, and is appropriate for the electrical load required.

With the rising cost of fossil fuel, space heater use tends to increase. Their use appears to be quite common with seniors as well who are particularly proven to be particularly vulnerable to fire within a home. This fact, and this combination make proper use of space heaters imperative.



MAYOR WILLIAM PHEASANT recently cut the ribbon for the opening of South Shore Tax Service, 716 Hancock St., Wollaston. With him, from the left, are Tammy Chrzan, Tom Hurley, CPA and president; Jeremy Chan, Kristi McKenna and Myra Chen. The office is open until 9 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and Sundays from noon to 5 p.m.
Marilyn Manning Photo

Inter-Agency Council Meeting March 20

The Inter-Agency Council

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 5
Pizza sticks, dipping sauce, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, March 6
Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, March 7
Meatball submarine sandwich in tomato sauce, vegetable, juice.

Thursday, March 8
Breaded turkey cutlet on a bun, potato puffs, fresh fruit or juice.

Friday, March 9
Macaroni and cheese, crispy fish sticks, hot vegetable, dinner roll, fresh fruit or juice.

of the South Shore will meet Tuesday, March 20 from noon to 2 p.m. at the McCauley Conference Center, Quincy Medical Center, Whitwell St.

Mary Flanagan, assistant director of the Massachusetts Department of Transitional

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 5
Pizza sticks, marinara sauce, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, March 6
School baked lasagna with tomato sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, fruit juice.

Wednesday, March 7
Baked potato with broccoli and cheese, chicken tenders, dinner roll, fruit cup.

Thursday, March 8
Barbecue beef rib on a bulgie roll, oven fry potatoes, fruit cup.

Friday, March 9
Cheese stuffed shells with tomato sauce, vegetable, whole wheat bread stick, fruit juice.

Assistance will provide an update on its services and eligibility requirements.

Reservations are required and due by Thursday, March 15. Fee is \$10 per person for members and \$10 per person for non members.

For reservations, call Karen McKim, Quincy Health Department at 617-376-1285. The public is welcome.

SHINE Counsel At Aging Office

A SHINE counselor will be available Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Quincy Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., Quincy, to assist the elderly and adults with disabilities with health information and benefits.

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AGING AND THE FEET

We know that with each passing year, our body suffers a little more wear and tear. And what supports that body (our feet) sustains our entire weight and helps us get where we're going. Naturally, the feet absorb more than their fair share of aging. Feet get wider and longer over the years from the constant pressure of standing, walking, and other activities. The fat pads under heels and forefeet get thinner. Also, wearing heels higher than two inches can redistribute weight enough to upset the natural alignment of the body. Because feet change so much over the years, it's a good idea to have them measured occasionally to check for any changes in size.

Feet of all ages deserve to be pain-free. We recommend a professional evaluation if

you think your feet are either causing pain and discomfort or if they are trying to tell you there is a problem somewhere else in your body. Either way, a podiatrist's diagnosis can be instrumental in the relief of symptoms and eventual recovery. For foot care for all members of your family, from juniors to seniors, call us at 781-986-3688 for an appointment at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING. Office hours are also available at Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building. I am affiliated with the Brockton and Good Samaritan Hospitals.

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Sophie Desbiens Wins Pre-Doctoral Fellowship In Pharmacology/Toxicology

Sophie Desbiens of Quincy, a Ph.D. candidate in Biomedical Engineering at Boston University School of Medicine (BUSM) is one of six Ph.D. students in the nation to win a pre-doctoral fellowship in pharmacology/toxicology from the Pharmacological Research and Manufacturers of America Foundation (PhRMA).

Desbiens, a research assistant in the Department of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics at BUSM, is studying the regulation of a receptor in the brain, termed the GABA-B receptor. Prior to that, she worked as a research assistant in the Department of Biomedical Engineering at Boston University, characterizing the electrophysiological properties of specific neurons.

Desbiens will use the award to explore regulation of the GABA-B receptor by certain molecules (CREB and estrogen), which influence the changes that occur in the brain following cocaine addiction. These studies will lay the foundation for transcriptional regulation of the different GABA-B receptor components in the nucleus accumbens, hippocampus and neocortex, which



SOPHIE DESBIENS

are important brain areas for addiction. The ability to control the specific expression of alternative GABA-B receptor components may also provide a novel treatment option for drug addiction.

Desbiens is a member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers and the Society for Neuroscience.

The PhRMA Pharmacology/Toxicology awards aim to support career-development activities of scientists prepared to engage in research that integrates information

on molecular or cellular mechanisms of action with information on the effects of an agent observed in an intact organism, either in experimental animal or clinical studies or both.

PhRMA is a non-profit organization established in 1965 to promote public health through scientific and medical research. The primary objective of the Foundation is to expedite the careers of young scientists in training, allowing these individuals to undertake research leading to a Ph.D. dissertation or to conduct a research project in a laboratory or clinic.

Over the past 40 years, the PhRMA Foundation has provided grants and fellowships to more than 2,000 young scientists to further their careers in pharmaceutical research. Due to the high demand for this fellowship, the PhRMA Foundation only accepts one application per academic institution.

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Phelan Backs Patrick On Closing Tax Loopholes For Telecommunication Firms

Mayor William Phelan strongly supports the plan of Governor Deval Patrick and Lt. Governor Tim Murray's to close a corporate tax loophole that exempts telecommunication companies from paying property taxes on wires, poles, and other personal property.

The plan was a main component of Patrick's proposed "Municipal Partnership Act."

Phelan estimates that Quincy is currently forced to shift close to \$1.56 million annually onto its remaining taxpayers due to the tax loophole.

"Our residential taxpayers would benefit significantly if the telecommunication companies were made to play by the same rules as every other business," said Phelan. "This loophole has shifted an unfair burden onto our remaining taxpayers at the expense of each and every one of us. It needs to change."

Phelan scoffed at the idea that the telecommunication companies would simply pass along the costs to consumers.

"The fact of the matter is that our bills did not go down when they took advantage of the loophole, so how can you justify an increase when the savings adjustment was never credited," added Phelan. "They pocketed the money at the expense of taxpayers in Quincy and throughout the Commonwealth. They should simply be treated just like any other business in our community."

Phelan indicated that he would be writing Quincy's elected state delegation with the hopes of gaining their support for the measure.



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MARY DACEY, wife of the late Jerry Dacey to whom the gala was dedicated for a quarter century of volunteer service to the Red Cross, and Daniel J. Flynn, Quincy real estate developer who was the master of ceremonies.



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IT WAS A family night for Donna and Tom Feenan, shown here with Lizzie Feenan and McKenzie Irving. Donna is a member of the Quincy Council Chapter.



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ENJOYING THE EVENING's festivities were Mr. and Mrs. James Eagan and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Anderson.

Maralin Manning photos



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By Samantha Mazzotta

High Electric Bills Frustrate Homeowner

Q. I need help! We have a 1,750 square-foot house and very high electric bills, despite installing a solar water heater and a solar system to heat the pool. We have replaced almost everything to help with the consumption. All lights are fluorescent, and we put Icynene spray insulation in the attic. The air conditioning unit was replaced but is only a 10 SEER, and I know this does use some electricity.

Maybe you can recommend an electrician to check to see if there is anything that is taking loads that aren't supposed to be there? Our neighbor has a 2,600 square-foot house, and his electric usage is 300 kWh less than ours. We both have four people in the house and both have pools. — *Paying Through the Nose in Virginia*

A. While I can't recommend a specific electrician, I do recommend that you contact a professional certified by a recognized organization such as Independent Electrical Contractors (www.ieci.org) and licensed to operate in your state. The electrician can do an energy-use survey and

check all systems in your home to make sure they are wired up correctly.

Locating the cause of high kilowatt usage can sometimes be very difficult, but you may be on the right track in looking at high-usage systems such as the air conditioner. I experienced a similar kilowatt-usage issue last year that turned out to be a problem with the heating unit. Contact the company that installed your air conditioner (or an independent A/C contractor if necessary) to make sure this unit is working properly and was installed correctly.

Review your power bill for the past year or longer, paying specific attention to the kilowatt-hours used each month. While these numbers tend to jump during very cold or very hot months, look for very big jumps in usage or unusual upward trends. Contact the electric utility about any unusual usage. It can recommend additional steps to take, typically offer a free energy-audit kit, and can assist with paying prohibitively high bills.

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Know The Risks And How To Avoid Them

Elevated Risks In The Home Associated With Winter Weather

Dealing with hazardous weather conditions can become a routine of sorts during the last weeks of winter; however, life-threatening risks remain high and focusing on safety can prove to be a life-saving decision.

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) urges the public to continue to be aware of elevated risks associated with winter weather and to take measures to avoid them.

Heating

Home heating remains the second highest cause of fire in the home. NFPA suggests the following for safe heating:

- Maintain a 3 feet (or 1 meter) separation between things that can burn and heating equipment.

- When buying a new space heater, make sure it carries the mark of an independent testing laboratory and is legal for use in your community. (Some communities do not permit portable kerosene heaters, for example.)

- Install your stationary (fixed) space heater according to manufacturer's in-

structions or applicable codes or better yet, have it installed by a professional.

- Plug your electric-powered space heater into an outlet with sufficient capacity and never into an extension cord.

- Use the proper grade of the proper fuel for your liquid-fueled space heater, and never use gasoline in any heater not approved for gasoline use. Refuel only in a well-ventilated area and when the equipment is cool.

- In your fireplace or wood stove, use only dry, seasoned wood to avoid the build-up of creosote, an oily deposit that easily catches fire and accounts for most chimney fires and the largest share of home heating fires generally. Use only paper or kindling wood, not a flammable liquid, to start the fire. Do not use artificial logs in wood stoves.

- Make sure your fireplace has a sturdy screen to prevent sparks from flying into the room. Allow fireplace and woodstove ashes to cool before disposing in a metal container, which is kept a safe distance from your

home.

- Turn off space heaters whenever the room they are in is unoccupied or under circumstances when manufacturer's instructions say they should be turned off.

- Portable space heaters are so easy to knock over in the dark that they should be turned off when you go to bed, but make sure your primary heating equipment for bedrooms is sufficient to avoid risks to residents from severe cold.

- Do not use your oven to heat your home.

- Make sure fuel-burning equipment is vented to the outside, that the venting is kept clear and unobstructed, and that the exit point is properly sealed around the vent, all of which is to make sure deadly carbon monoxide does not build up in the home.

- Inspect all heating equipment annually, and clean as necessary. Test smoke alarms monthly; install a carbon monoxide alarm in a central location outside each sleeping area.

Carbon Monoxide

Carbon monoxide poisoning can be confused with flu symptoms, food poisoning and other illnesses. Some symptoms include shortness of breath, nausea, dizziness, light headedness or headaches.

NFPA suggests the following safety tips to avoid the dangers of carbon monoxide.

- Install carbon monoxide (CO) alarms (listed by an independent testing laboratory) inside your home to provide early warning of accumulating CO. CO alarms should be installed in a central location outside each separate sleeping area. If bedrooms are spaced apart, each area will need a CO alarm.

- Test CO alarms at least once a month and replace alarms according to the manufacturer's instructions.

- CO alarms are not substitutes for smoke alarms. Know the difference between the sound of smoke alarms and CO alarms.

- Have fuel-burning heating equipment (fireplaces, furnaces, water heaters, wood and coal stoves, space or portable heaters) and chimneys inspected by a professional every year before cold weather sets in.

- When using a fireplace, open the flue for adequate

ventilation.

- Never use your oven or grill to heat your home.

- When buying an existing home, have a qualified technician evaluate the integrity of the heating and cooking systems, as well as the sealed spaces between the garage and house.

- If you need to warm a vehicle, remove it from the garage immediately after starting it. Do not run a vehicle, generator, or other fueled engine or motor indoors, even if garage doors are open. Make sure the exhaust pipe of a running vehicle is not covered with snow.

- During and after a snowstorm, make sure vents for the dryer, furnace, stove, and fireplace are clear of snow build-up.

Portable Generators

During emergency situations people often use portable generators to meet electricity and heating needs.

NFPA, publisher of the National Electrical Code® (NEC®), recommends the following tips for proper use of portable generators.

- Generators should be operated in well ventilated locations outdoors away from all doors, windows and vent openings.

- The generator should be located so that exhaust fumes cannot enter the home through windows, doors or other building openings.

- Do not refuel the generator while it is running. Turn the generator off and let it cool down before refueling.

- Never store fuel for your generator in your home. Gasoline and other flammable liquids should be stored outside of living areas in properly-labeled safety containers. They should be stored away from any fuel-burning appliance such as a gas hot water heater.

- Plug appliances directly into the generator or use a heavy duty outdoor-rated extension cord. Make sure the cord is free of cuts or tears and that the plug has all three prongs, especially a grounding pin. Do not try to power the house wiring by plugging the generator into a wall outlet.

- If you must connect the generator to the house wiring to power appliances, have a qualified electrician install a properly rated transfer switch in accordance with the NEC and all applicable state and local electrical codes.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

You're Never Too Old for Exercise

Q Recently my 80-year-old mother-in-law came to live with us. My family is extremely active and wants to include her in our activities, but because of knee problems and osteoporosis we are not sure where to start. Although she has a very active life, she has never formally exercised. What types of exercise and activities can we all do as a family that will fit everyone's needs?

A Statistics project that by the year 2030 there will be 70 million people age 65 or older in the U.S. The importance of living an active life has never been more essential, as research states that more than 80 percent of these people will have at least one chronic condition that could possibly be managed or improved through a lifestyle of physical activity.

Including your mother-in-law in your family's active lifestyle is a great idea. Not only will it be positive for your family to continue with your normal routines, but it may also help to improve her quality of life.

Begin by speaking with her physician to discuss any exercise guidelines, restrictions and limitations that may be needed for her to safely start an exercise program. Her knee problems and osteoporosis will need to be addressed to lower the risk of possible injuries.

Once you have received clearance from her physician, use the information to find activities that can be safely completed. You have many options; remember to use your creativity. Consider some of the ideas below.

- Family workout circuit. If your family enjoys strength training and cardiovascular training you can definitely continue this type of workout. Set up stations of exercises that can be modified depending on who is there. Have a station for different muscle groups: back, chest, shoulders, arms and lower body.

- Exercises such as a chest press, row, shoulder press, bicep curl and tricep extension can be modified by a change in position or by using a different form of resistance (dumbbells, medicine balls, resistance bands, etc.) to accommodate each exerciser. Resistance training will also be helpful with your mother-in-law's osteoporosis. Be sure to follow the proper guidelines for exercise with this condition. Combine your strength-training workout with cardiovascular exercise such as cycling or an arm bike. If able to safely walk, incorporate walking as a source of cardiovascular exercise.

- Jump in the pool. The water is a great form of exercise no matter what your exercise level. Swimming, water aerobics or just walking or running in the water can be fun while increasing your heart rate. Also, your mother-in-law may find this to be enjoyable due to the water's buoyancy, which is easier on the joints. Everyone may not be doing the same thing in the pool, but you will all be together.

Slowly introduce these new training styles to your mother-in-law, and continue to encourage your family to live a healthy and active lifestyle.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program.

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Fitness Facts

Five Tips For Losing Five Pounds

(NAPS) – Anyone who has ever wanted to lose five pounds in a hurry may appreciate five tips from a woman whose work demands that she score well on the scale.

Mia St. John, world-class professional boxer and creator of the "Million Dollar Workout" DVD, often has to shed pounds quickly to

qualify for competitions. She offers five quick weight-loss fixes:

- Jumpstart your weight-loss routine with cardiovascular exercise such as jumping rope to get your heart pumping quickly.
- Liberally apply Albolene makeup remover to your trouble spots before a workout. This actually

liquefies on contact with skin and helps to create increased perspiration to reduce water weight.

- Eliminate white carbohydrates—bread, pizza, pasta—instead, eat more lean protein for a couple of weeks.
- Punch up your workout by adding lunges and crunches to everyday workout routines, creating a full-body workout in less

time.

- Excess salt isn't healthy and can cause the body to retain excess water. It's important to drink more water to flush out the system and keep your body hydrated. Reduce your sodium intake by keeping it less than 2,400 mg. Per day.

For more information, visit www.albolenechallenge.com.

Kids and Braces: The Straight Facts

(NAPS) – Currently, more than 4 million children and 1 million adults in North America wear braces. For many patients, especially children and teens, a healthy, beautiful smile goes beyond good health; it indicates confidence. "Not only can orthodontic treatment improve health and overall appearance, patients often experience a tremendous boost to their self-esteem when they can smile and not be embarrassed by the condition of their teeth," said Dr. Don Joondeph, president of the American Association of Orthodontists (AAO).

But how do you know if your child needs braces? The AAO provides answers to this and other frequently asked questions:

Does my child need braces?

It's not always easy to tell if your child has an orthodontic problem. However, some signs or habits may indicate the need for an orthodontic

examination: early or late loss of baby teeth; difficulty in chewing or biting; mouth breathing; thumb or finger sucking; crowding, misplaced or blocked-out teeth; jaws that shift or make sounds; biting the cheek or roof of the mouth; teeth that meet abnormally or not at all; and jaws and teeth that are out of proportion to the rest of the face.

When should my child see an orthodontist?

If any of the problems above are noted by parents, regardless of your child's age, it is advisable to consult an orthodontist. All children should see an orthodontist no later than age 7 for a simple checkup. This quick and painless exam can identify potential problems and ensure that any future treatment is timed appropriately.

My child sees a dentist for regular checkups and cleaning. Why see an orthodontist?

Orthodontists specialize in the diagnosis, prevention

and treatment of dental and facial irregularities. Orthodontists receive an additional two to three years of specialized education beyond dental school to learn the proper way to align and straighten teeth. Orthodontists team with your child's dentist to ensure that your child achieves optimal oral health.

How quickly will we see results and how much will it cost?

Treatment time averages 24 months. Although

orthodontic treatment does not produce same-day results, some children may only require limited treatment. In addition, orthodontic treatment is affordable and is often covered by dental insurance plans.

For more information about orthodontics or for the names of AAO member orthodontists in your area, visit www.braces.org, call (800) STRAIGHT (1-800-787-2444) or ask your dentist for a referral.

Red Cross Offers CPR, First Aid Courses

The American Red Cross South Area Office offers the following courses March 6 to March 15 in its Quincy office, 1495 Hancock St.

- Adult CPR/AED and First Aid, Tuesday, March 6 and March 13, 6 to 9:30 p.m. Cost \$75. Completion of this course awards an Adult CPR/AED certificate valid for one year and a first aid certificate valid for three years.

- First Aid, Wednesday, March 7, 6 to 10 p.m., \$50. Course teaches bleeding, choking, poisoning and other first aid emergencies.

- Adult CPR/AED, Thursday, March 8, 6 to 10:30 p.m. \$55. The course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

- Adult CPR/AED, Saturday, March 10, 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Cost \$55. Course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

- CPR for Professional Rescuer Review, Wednesday, March 14 from 6 to 10:30 p.m., \$60. Prerequisite: current certification in CPR for the professional rescuer.

- CPR for the Professional Rescuer, Thursday, March 15 and 22, 6 to 10:30 p.m. \$80. In addition to skills learned in adult, child and infant CPR, the course teaches two-rescuer CPR, advanced airway procedures and the use of a pocket mask.

Also, registrations are being accepted for a daytime Home Health Aid and Certified Nursing Assistant course starting March 19 and an evening course starting March 19. Cost is \$800.

Pre-registration is required for all courses. Call 617-770-2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for more information.

The American Red Cross will train qualified applicants to become certified classroom instructors in CPR and First Aid. Classes are offered in Quincy. For more information, call 617-770-2600.

DENTISTRY for the 21st century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

ZERO IN ON XEROSTOMIA

Xerostomia is the medical term for the condition commonly known as "dry mouth." This is an increasingly common occurrence among older adults who take certain medications, undergo chemotherapy, or suffer from autoimmune diseases. Without sufficient amounts of saliva in the mouth to cleanse it, plaque adheres more readily to the teeth and gums, thereby increasing the incidence of cavities. To address this potential problem, the dentist will likely first diagnose the underlying cause. If a medication is the cause, the medication may be changed or the dose may be adjusted. If the salivary glands are the culprits, the dentist may prescribe a medication to help increase saliva production. Otherwise, artificial saliva may be used to keep the mouth wet.

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SPORTS

Quincy Bounces SL In Preliminary Round

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy Presidents, seeded 20th out of a possible 20 teams in the Division 2 South Sectionals, knocked off the No. 13 Silver Lake Lakers 46-41 in a preliminary round game on Monday night down in Kingston.

Junior guard Meagan Tobin scored a game-high 24 points (including five 3-pointers in the 2nd half) and freshman forward Leslie Campbell contributed seven points as the Presidents controlled play from the opening whistle till the final horn sounded.

"Tobin came up with some big shots in the second-half," head coach Jeff Bretsch said. "She, along with Marybeth Torpey and Brighid Kyle, were a big part of our success last year in the tournament when we made it all the way to the semifinals. They have all been through it and it showed tonight."

"Leslie Campbell got us going early in the game. She may be a just a freshman, but her confidence has come a long way and she does not get nervous in these situations."

The opening minutes of the game saw both teams run up and down the court with little to show for it on the scoreboard. Quincy took the lead for good at the 7:30 mark of the first half, 12-10. A Tobin 3-pointer at the 4:25 mark pushed the Presidents'

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

lead up to 19-14. At the end of the first half, Quincy held a 21-19 lead.

"We struggled to find a rhythm early in the game, but Kyle and Campbell helped set the tone defensively and eventually we found what we were looking for," Bretsch said.

Meagan Tobin, who was money all game long, scored on the opening possession of the second half and at the 14:00 mark she buried the first of her five second half 3s to give the Presidents a 26-21 lead. Marybeth Torpey's fade-away jumper at the 11:00 mark pushed the lead to six points (33-27).

Silver Lake got as close as six points again at the 7:00 mark, but Tobin ended any hope they made have had with a succession of huge shots. Her three-pointer at the 6:50 mark, gave the Presidents their biggest lead of the game (38-29), and after the Lakers cut the score down to 38-33, Tobin swished another long-range shot to make the score 41-33. But the Lakers had one more scoring run left in them.

Silver Lake, playing with a sense of urgency, held Quincy scoreless from the 4:00 mark to the 1:15 mark, and in the process cut the deficit to 41-37. With the home crowd cheering them

on, the Lakers seemed prime for a comeback win, but #23 took the pass, stepped back behind the arc and made her fifth three-pointer of the second half. Tobin's final bucket was the nail-in-the-coffin. A Leslie Campbell uncontested lay-up in the final seconds completed the scoring at 46-41.

"We are playing some good basketball at the right time," Bretsch said. "I feel good about the team going forward. You can't play bad and expect to win, and right now we are playing good basketball."

The leading scorers in the game for Quincy included Tobin (24 pts.), Campbell (7 pts.), Torpey (7 pts.), Kyle (5 pts.) and Liz Bock (2 pts.). Also playing well were seniors Hope Collins and Jacqueline Provenzano and junior Kathryn Carella.

No. 20 Quincy plays tonight (Wednesday) against No. 4 Hingham High School in a first-round game. Over the past two post-seasons, the Presidents have shown the ability to play and to win on the road in the tournament, so although the team is the last seeded team in the Sectionals, they are also one of the most experienced and dangerous. Tip-off is at 7:30 at Hingham High School.



THREE QUINCY RESIDENTS recently helped the Greater Boston Jr. Bruins Pee Wee Major Team win the 32nd Edition of the International Pee Wee BSR Tournament in Quebec, Canada. From the left, Shawn Grady, Tommy O'Brien, both Broad Meadows Middle School students, and Alex MacIssac, a Dexter Academy student.

Three Local Youngsters On Junior Bruins Tourney Team

The Greater Boston Junior Bruins Pee Wee Major team recently won the 32nd Edition of the International Pee Wee BSR Tournament which was held in Quebec, Canada on Feb. 18.

Three Quincy residents were members of the championship team. Tommy O'Brien and Shawn Grady, students at Broad Meadows

Middle School, and Alex MacIssac, a Dexter Academy student, were all integral players on the first Greater Boston Junior Bruins's Pee Wee team in 27 years to win this tournament.

In the final game of the tournament on Feb. 18, Tommy O'Brien scored the game-winning goal with 47

seconds in regulation. The final score was 3-2.

All three have played for many years with Quincy Youth Hockey and for the past two years have been a members of the Greater Boston Junior Bruins under the direction of head coach Mike Cashman and assistant coach Craig Cashman.

Police-Fire Hockey Game To Benefit Cochrane Fund

The 1st Annual Charity Hockey Game featuring teams from the Quincy Police and Quincy Fire Departments will be held Saturday, March 10th at 7:00 p.m. at the Quincy Youth Arena.

Come join Mix 98.5 DJ Greg Daniels and former

NHL referee Paul Stewart, Director of the Boston Bruins Foundation, to benefit the Officer Jamie Cochrane "S-6" Scholarship Fund

Tickets are \$10, which includes entry in a drawing for a chance to win a new Ford Fusion, provided by Mr.

Daniel Quirk (you must be present to be eligible for the drawing).

There will also be a raffle with many great prizes (you do not need to be present to win any of the raffle prizes). Raffle donation: \$1 each/book of 6 for \$5.

For game tickets, raffle tickets, or to make a donation contact Kevin Ferent (QFD) 617-590-8301, Kevin Tape (QFD) 617-967-6577, Bill Knox (QFD) 617-594-0958, Dave Cooper (QPD) 617-778-3171, Dave Pacino (QPD) 617-480-0604 or Gregg Hartnett (QPD) 617-908-8587.

Phil Kelly Wins State Wrestling Medal

Phil Kelly, a senior captain on the North Quincy High School wrestling team, took home a first-place medal at the MIAA Division 2 State Class Meet championship at Marlboro High School two Saturdays ago.

Kelly, who wrestles at 285 pounds (heavyweight), defeated Matt Sidebottom of Franklin High School in the finals. Kelly earned the title with a 3-2 win by decision.

"I didn't want to let him shoot (my legs) and take me down," Kelly said. "I just kept pushing him and pushing him until I saw an opening."

Kelly and Sidebottom were tied 2-2 heading into the third round, and in the third, Kelly won an escape point to take the lead for good.

At this past weekend's All-State Wrestling Tournament, Kelly advanced all the way to the finals. Kelly defeated Marcus Mulkerin of Braintree High School in the semi-finals 5-3.

In the finals, Kelly matched up against Matt Sidebottom of Franklin High School in a rematch of their

State Class Meet championship. This time around, Sidebottom defeated Kelly by pin at the 4:35 mark to win the All-State Wrestling title.

Raiders Host Durfee Tonight

The North Quincy Red Raider girls' basketball team earned a topseed in this year's Division 1 South tournament. The team finished the regular season at 16-4 overall and 11-2 in the Atlantic Coast League.

North Quincy, who won a share of the Atlantic Coast League North Division regular season championship with Whitman-Hanson High School, will enter this year's tournament as the fourth seed. The Red Raiders will play host to 13th seed Durfee High School on Thursday night at 7:30 p.m.

The winner of the North Quincy/Durfee first-round game will play the winner of the Brockton/Taunton first-round game on Saturday. If the Red Raiders defeat Durfee, NQ will host the quarterfinal game on Saturday since their seeding (4th) would be the highest amongst these four teams.

Players to watch for in the tournament include seniors Megan Therrien, Lauren Stille, Caroline Cunningham, Shannon Malone and

Danielle Kelly, juniors Kasey O'Connell, Brianne Carnell, Rebecca Goreham (14.1 pts. per game) and Paige Bonanni and sophomores Catherine O'Connell, Jess Howlett and

Siobhan Carnell.

The Red Raiders, coming off a season-finales 52-51 victory over Quincy High School, enter the tournament on a winning note.



by Chris Richcreek

1. Name the only player to have batted .300 or better in each of the past 10 major-league seasons (1997-2006).

2. When was the last time the A.L. lost back-to-back World Series?

3. Who was the last player before Cadillac Williams in 2005 to rush for 1,000-plus yards in a season for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers?

4. Name the coach who is second on the list of most NCAA men's basketball championships with four, behind UCLA coach John Wooden's 10.

5. Which four NHL teams has Eric Lindros played for during his 13-season career?

6. Name the last NASCAR driver to win Rookie of the Year one season and the Cup series title the next.

7. Tennis star Martina Hingis returned from retirement to the WTA Tour in 2006. In what year did she announce her retirement?

Answers

1. Angels outfielder Vladimir Guerrero.

2. In 1981 (Los Angeles beat the New York Yankees) and 1982 (St. Louis defeated Milwaukee).

3. Warrick Dunn ran for 1,133 yards in 2000.

4. Kentucky's Adolph Rupp (1948, 1949, 1951, 1958).

5. Philadelphia, the New York Rangers, Toronto and Dallas.

6. Dale Earnhardt was the top rookie in 1979 and the series champion in 1980.

7. It was 2003.

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You Auto Know

by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

WHERE THERE'S SMOKE, THERE'S...

If you see white smoke coming from your vehicle's tailpipe, water and antifreeze are probably entering the cylinder, creating steam. If so, this most likely means that the engine was overheated, which caused the head gasket to fail, thereby allowing antifreeze and water to leak out. Blue smoke coming out of the tailpipe is caused by engine oil entering the cylinder, where it is being burned along with the fuel mixture. If so, the auto technician must test to see which seal, gasket, and/or O-ring failed and is allowing the oil to seep through the cylinder. Finally, black smoke is an indication of excess fuel in the cylinder that cannot be completed burned.

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Quincy High School Football Banquet Highlights



SENIOR STEVE REED was presented with the Quincy High School Coach's Award by head coach Robert Noble at this year's 23rd Annual QHS Football Awards Banquet.



SENIOR CAMILLO ARREDONDO was awarded the QHS Defensive MVP Award by head coach Robert Noble.



SENIOR JARED TUCKER received the QHS 12th Player Award from head coach Robert Noble.



SENIOR JIMAIKENS received the Quincy High Fathers Club Award from the Moscardelli and Ivil families at this year's QHS Football Awards Banquet. Ron Ivil presented the award.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



SENIOR AL CHAN received the Quincy/North Quincy Football Hall of Fame Defensive Player Trophy for his outstanding play in this year's Thanksgiving Day game. Ron Ivil, president of the Hall of Fame, presented the award. Senior Matt Boyle (not pictured) was awarded the Outstanding Offensive Player Trophy.



SENIOR MARK CUGINI was awarded the Coach Bill Sullivan Award presented in his memory by the 50's Alumni Benefit Fund by Hall of Fame president, Ron Ivil.

Jessica Page Basketball Rookie Of The Year

Jessica Page, a 2006 graduate of Quincy High School and a first-year Regis College basketball standout, was named Commonwealth Coast Conference *Rookie of the Year* for the week of Feb. 12-18. Page was also named to the CCC *Honorable Mention Team* for her play throughout the 2006-07 season.

Page is the first Pride basketball player to be named to an all-conference team

since the 2004-05 season. Page was an integral part of the Pride program that went 5-20 overall and 4-14 in CCC play. She averaged 19.1 points per game (fourth in league) and 9.9 rebounds per game (fifth in league) in conference competition and finished the season overall with 434 total points (17.4 ppg) and 250 rebounds (10 ppg).

Page averaged 39.7 minutes per game.



JESSICA PAGE, a 2006 graduate of Quincy High School and a first-year Regis College basketball standout, was named Commonwealth Coast Conference *Rookie of the Year* for the week of Feb. 12-18. Page was also named to the CCC *Honorable Mention Team* for her play throughout the 2006-07 season.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a regis-

tered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made; walk-ins also are accepted. Call 617-376-1506.

Presidents Host SL Tonight

The Quincy Presidents drew the Silver Lake Lakers in the first round of the Div. 2 South tournament bracket.

Quincy finished the regular season with a 15-5 overall record and an 11-3 record in the Atlantic Coast League. The Presidents finished the regular season with a 52-45 win over cross-town rival North Quincy in the consolation game of the Vin Moscardelli Tournament last week. On the season, Quincy went 3-0 against the Red Raiders.

In the consolation game, junior point guard Paris

Amado scored all 11 of his points in the second half to help the Presidents overcome a five-point halftime deficit. Sophomore Doug Scott scored 13 points and tournament all-star Steve Connolly grabbed 11 rebounds.

North Quincy's Dennis Martin scored 10 points and senior Matt Edgerly was named to the tournament all-star team.

On Thursday (tonight), the Presidents will tip-off at home against Patriot League foe Silver Lake (14-6) for the third time this season. Quincy

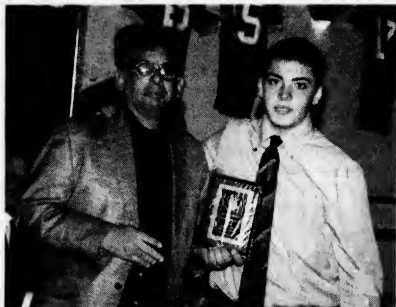
is the eighth seed and the Lakers are the ninth seed. The first-round game is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. at East Gym.

The two teams have already played two games against each other this season. In the season-opener, the Presidents traveled down to Kingston and defeated the Lakers 56-48. Silver Lake earned the victory one-week later when they defeated the Presidents 56-50 in Quincy.

Players to watch for as the tournament gets underway include seniors Steve Connolly (11.6 pts. per

game), Matt Boyle, Sean Boyd and Jared Tucker, juniors Paris Amado and DeShawn Matthews, and sophomore Doug Scott (18.4 pts. per game).

The winner of the Quincy/Silver Lake game will play the winner of the Whitman-Hanson/Duxbury or Sharon game in the quarterfinals. If Quincy wins on Thursday, they will either travel down to Whitman-Hanson (the #1 seed) if the Panthers win their first-round game, or the Presidents will host either Duxbury or Sharon on Saturday at 1 p.m.



SENIOR CHARLIE MCGEE, pictured here with Jackie Weir, was awarded the QHS Jackie Weir Pride Award at this year's QHS Football Awards Banquet.

Quincy-North Hockey Meet In First Round

The Quincy High School hockey team squared off against North Quincy High School Tuesday night at the Quincy Youth Arena in the first round of the Division 2 South Sectional tournament.

The Presidents (10-6-4 overall) were the No. 8 seed and the Red Raiders (10-7-3)

were the No. 9 seed.

The winner of this first-round game advanced to the quarterfinals Saturday against top-seeded Franklin High School (19-1-0) at Bourne. As the No. 1 seed, Franklin earned a first-round bye.

Quincy Youth Hockey Registration March 7-10

The Quincy Youth Hockey League announces that Quincy Youth Hockey registration will be held on March 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Registration hours are from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on March 7, 8 and 9, 6 p.m. to

8 p.m. on March 7 and 8 and 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturday, March 10.

Any inquiries or question can be answered by calling Amy O'Brien at 617-472-5966.

QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Feb. 16 - Feb. 22

Total Calls for Service: 1,178

Total Arrests: 22

Total Stolen Cars: 3

FRIDAY, FEB. 16

LARCENY, 11:05 a.m., 110 Hollis Ave. By check. Happened sometime in 2006. Civil matter.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:23 p.m., U Haul, 438 Quincy Ave. Past. 1998 Ford Truck, color white.

LARCENY, 3:17 p.m., Quincy High School, 52 Coddington St. Cell phone. Verizon LVG8300 cellular phone taken this date.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:53 p.m., 36 Shea St. Dwelling.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 6:52 p.m., Point Webster Middle School, 60 Lancaster St. Past. 12-year-old boy assaulted.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 7:15 p.m., Merrymount School, 4 Agawam Rd. Past. Assault and battery with a dangerous weapon (shod foot).

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:09 p.m., Wash Dry, 26 Hobart St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:40 p.m., 49 Union St. Side of house was spraypainted - crude cartoons on side of building.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:04 a.m., 40 Keyes St. To car. Damaged hood.

LARCENY, 2:47 p.m., 51 Holmes St. Past. UPS delivery taken sometime yesterday. Larceny under \$250.

LARCENY, 4:27 p.m., Concord Electric, 258 Willard St. Wire. \$20,000 worth of wire taken.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 7:44 p.m., 108 Hamden Cir. All parties advised and sent on way. Peace was restored and persons wanted no further police services at this time. Involved person changed his story three hours later.

SUNDAY, FEB. 18

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:53 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Window. Rear window of Jeep smashed out. Parked right out front. Unknown if anything was taken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:22 p.m., 53 Newcomb St. Dwelling. Door forced open and belongings ransacked.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:49 p.m., 115 East Howard St. Past/fence. Five-foot by five-foot fence damaged.

MONDAY, FEB. 19

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:47 p.m., 23 Trafford St. BB shot through window in the past. BB gun found at 27 Trafford St.

LARCENY, 3:57 p.m., 53 Stewart St. Gift cards. Residents claim they do not need police assistance.

TUESDAY, FEB. 20

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:13 a.m., 157 Spring St. To car overnight. Vanity license plate missing from vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:01 a.m., 69 Sumner St. Spray paint on wall.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:58 p.m., 12 Mallard Rd. Past.

LARCENY, 2:46 p.m., Granite Medical Group, 500 Congress St. Money.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 6:51 p.m., 51 Grafton St. Past. Youths beating up female.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 7:55 p.m., 19 Yard-arm Ln. 1992 Mercury Grand Marquis, color red. No listed tow. Unregistered.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:37 a.m., 214 Billings St. Windshield. Male broke windshield with his hand. Complaints taken out.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:23 a.m., 272 Billings St. 1999 Dodge Caravan, color gray. Vehicle was involved in a motor vehicle accident on Route 1 in Chelsea. Keys were in the vehicle and damage was done on the front end. No driver found at the scene.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:57 a.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Vending machine broken into and rifled; happened within past seven days.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:08 p.m., 175 Centre St. Malicious damage to motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:00 p.m., 80 West St. To trees.

THURSDAY, FEB. 22

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:02 p.m., 9 Canton Rd. Dwelling. Items missing from home.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:51 a.m., Rockland St. and Spring St. Spray paint on the flood gate, also on the ground on the water side.

LARCENY, 1:09 p.m., 1 Scammell St. Cash.

LARCENY, 1:51 p.m., 94 Newbury Ave. Television. Possibly civil matter.

LARCENY, 5:59 p.m., Hancock Tavern, 668 Hancock St. Past. Cellphone taken from jacket.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 6:12 p.m., Ritz Motel, 159 Hancock St. Kicked-in door.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:32 p.m., 125 Dorchester St. Lawn lights damaged.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

LARCENY, 12:55 a.m., Hess Gas Station, 238 Hancock St. Cab fare. Cab driver paid.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book,

call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton

'Guns 'n Hoses'

Hockey Game To Benefit Jamie Cochrane Fund

The first "Guns'n Hoses" ice hockey game featuring teams from the Quincy Police and Quincy Fire Departments will be held Saturday, March 10 at 6:40 p.m. at the

Quincy Youth Arena.

Tickets are \$10.

Proceeds will benefit the Jamie Cochrane (QPD) Scholarship Fund.

A Job Well Done

On Feb. 17, at approximately 12 noon, Officers James Cassidy and John O'Donnell were dispatched to Price Street for "a family disturbance in progress." As the officers were enroute, they learned from the dispatcher that the female caller stated her husband was beating her.

When Officer O'Donnell arrived, he heard the commotion and went in immediately. He separated the couple and questioned them about the incident. The victim/wife said that they had an argument, which escalated to yelling and then by her husband repeatedly kicking her. (Shoes on) The victim said that she called "911" for help. Officer O'Donnell started to question the husband about the alleged assault.

The husband then became irate, yelling at the officer and then spit on him. Officer O'Donnell told the husband/suspect that he was under arrest and as he attempted to take him into custody, the suspect resisted by pulling away. Officer O'Donnell wrestled the suspect to the ground and as he was trying to handcuff him, the victim/wife attacked the officer, punching him numerous times. Officer O'Donnell knew he was in trouble and called for help. The officer then subdued the wife, but was then rammed by the husband as he fled the house.

Officer Cassidy arrived on scene and witnessed the husband screaming and yelling as he ran out of the house. The officer gave chase and caught up to him a few blocks away at the intersection of Hancock and Kendall Sts. Officer Cassidy ordered the suspect to get on the ground but he refused. The officer then grabbed the suspect's arm but he spun to get away, almost falling into traffic. Officer Cassidy then escalated his use of force by spraying the suspect with O.C. (mace-like chemical) while reiterating his instructions.

The suspect immediately went to the ground and he was handcuffed. As Officer Cassidy placed the male suspect in the police cruiser, Officer O'Donnell again requested assistance because the female had interlocked her arms and tucked them under her chest, which can result in injury to the suspect. Moments later, she was also placed in handcuffs and led away.

The male suspect, a 48-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with "Assault and Battery with a Dangerous Weapon (shod foot), Domestic Assault and Battery, Assault and Battery on a Police Officer and Knowingly Re-

sisting Arrest." His wife, a 46 year old Quincy resident, who was also the caller and wanted help from the Police, was charged with "Assault and Battery on a Police Officer and Knowingly Resisting Arrest."

The wife was advised of the domestic abuse laws and her rights to obtain an emergency restraining order, but she refused any help. Officer O'Donnell went to the hospital for an injury to his thumb, which fortunately was not broken.

In domestic violence cases, two Officers are dispatched due to the high rate of injury and death Officers incur nationwide. When the first Officer arrived and heard the disturbance in progress, although he/she would like to wait for his back-up, he/she knows that they must act right away to prevent anyone inside from getting hurt. Officer O'Donnell separated the combatants as he awaited help. What occurred next illustrates the unpredictability of domestic violence calls and how easily and quickly the situation can turn, resulting in the Officer becoming the victim. Nice Work!

Latest Scam:

Local citizens are receiving telephone calls from alleged local Courthouses stating that they were going to be prosecuted for failing to show up for jury duty. The call sets some people in a panic. The caller then asks the victim to confirm their date of birth and social security number.

If you get a call similar to this, hang up. The courts do not conduct jury business over the telephone. Potential jurors are notified in writing for their court date and are provided a telephone number to call to change a date. If you miss jury duty and you did not receive prior written notice, this should raise some doubt to the legitimacy.

If you believe that the call may be legitimate, ask for the name and title of the caller, as well as the court he/she represents. Ask the caller for the court telephone number, and then verify it by looking it up. Bottom line: Do not give out your date of birth and social security number if you have any doubts.

Graffiti:

In recent months, this department prosecuted six people for desecrating property and have identified several more suspects. According to School Resource Officer Steve Burgio, many times the suspects are teenagers or young adults who "tag" late at night.

Since their work takes only minutes and there are no witnesses around, it is difficult to catch them. These suspects have their own tag names and styles, so criminal cases can be brought against them in time.

All incidents of graffiti should be reported to the Police so that evidence can be collected for prosecution. Owners of damaged property should take their own photos and save restoration receipts for future restitution.

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RELIGION

St. Joseph Parish Sponsoring Four-Night Retreat March 11-14

The Parish of Saint Joseph, 550 Washington St., Quincy is offering a four-night retreat entitled "Becoming the Body of Christ" Sunday, March 11 through Wednesday, March 14 at 7 p.m. under the auspices of The Archdiocesan Office of

Worship and Spiritual Life. During the retreat there will be common prayer, preaching, quiet reflection and time for fellowship.

The Sacrament of Penance will be celebrated on the third evening and the retreat will conclude with the

celebration of the Eucharist.

All are invited. Bus service will be provided for residents of 1000 Southern Artery and Pagnano Towers.

For more information, contact the Parish at 617-472-6321.

Women's Prayer Breakfast March 31

The ninth annual Women's Prayer Breakfast will be held Saturday, March 31 at St. Ann's School Hall, 1 St. Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and breakfast will

be served at 9 a.m. This year's theme is "Using our gifts to serve God and others."

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ann Suzedell, pastor of Quincy Point Congrega-

tional Church.

Tickets are \$12 each and may be purchased by calling 617-773-6203.

Proceeds will benefit the social service programs at Interfaith Social Services.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Communion worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the ser-

vice. His sermon topic is "Grace of God."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served.

A Lent worship service will be held Wednesday, March 7 at 7 a.m. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Quincy Point Congregational Church

Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy, will have Sunday worship at 10 a.m.

On Sunday, March 4, the Hanover High School Cham-

ber Choir will join with the Chancel Choir of the Quincy Point Church in a special worship service, that will include Holy Communion.

The Hanover Chamber

Choir will also present Moses Hogan's "Hear My Prayer," Alyson Greer, director.

All are welcome at the 10 a.m. service.

Lenten Series At Wollaston Church

The Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 48 Winthrop St., Wollaston, is offering a Lenten Series on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m.

Participants will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of spiritual practices as follows:

- March 7, "Looking for God in the Media."
- March 14, "Pray With-

out Ceasing."

For more information, call the church office at 617-773-7432.

Dinner March 23 To Benefit World Missions

A steak and chicken dinner by Outback Steakhouse will be held Friday, March 23 from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Sal-

vation Army Temple Corps, 6 Baxter St., Quincy.

The dinner will benefit world missions.

Tickets are limited. Cost

is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children age 6 and under.

For tickets, call 617-472-2345 Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the ser-

vice. Lector will be Wayne McCulley. Ushers are Gary Smith and Doreen Dennehey.

Coffee hour hosts are Ann Giger, Florence Hunter and Shirley Poore.

Purple Hat Sunday in honor of Women's History Month will be celebrated

March 4.

On Saturday, March 24 there will be a Safari pot luck supper followed by slide show of Pastor Susan's trip to Africa.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for more information.

First Church Of Squantum

The Book Group of First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue St., will meet Tuesday, March 6 at 7 p.m. in the

parlor to discuss the book *Sea Glass* written by Anita Shreve. All are welcome.

The Men's Breakfast

Group will meet Saturday, March 10 in the church hall. All are welcome.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy announce a Catholic Women's Prayer Group meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Parish

Center, 22 Pray St., Quincy Point.

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship with Christ.

All are welcome. For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Assemblies of God
Glad Tidings
158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797
Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor
Sunday Worship 8:30 11 a.m. Christian Ed. 10 a.m.
Senior Hl Youth 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Benign Bible Study
Rays/Ranger Ministries: Friday Junior Hl Youth 7 p.m.

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• International Fellowship
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Weekday Masses
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Confessions
Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church
550 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169
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SUNDAY MASSES:
4 p.m. (On Saturday)
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Weekday Masses 9am
CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
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44 School St., Quincy
617-773-1021
Weekend Mass Schedule
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Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.
and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)
Weekday Masses
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
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Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400
Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM
Handicapped Chairlift Available

Congregational
HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
310 Manet Ave., Quincy
www.hncong.org
Sunday, March 4
Worship Service 9:30 am
"Time Out"
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Luke 13:31-35
Sunday School 9:30 AM
Rev. John Castricum
617-479-8778

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Congregational
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Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.
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6PM Prayer Meeting
7PM Brazilian A/G Service
7PM Thursday Bible Study

Squantum Christian Fellowship
50 Huckins Ave., Squantum
617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan
Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew
Children's Class 10 a.m.
Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m.
Handicap Accessible
email: info@squantumcl.org

Methodist
QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
40 Beale St., Wollaston
617-773-3319
10:30 AM Sunday Worship
Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor

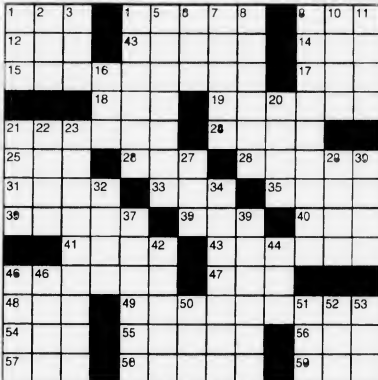
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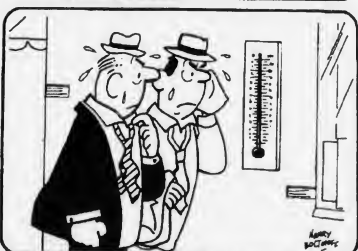
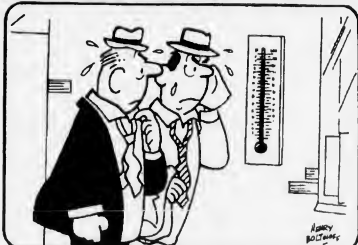
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12 Lair
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17 Vast expanse
18 Mai- (cocktail)
19 British king who abdicated
21 Apple drinks
24 Thick chunk
25 Kyoto cummerbund
26 Afternoon social
28 Burst forth
31 Fail to hit
33 Pinch
35 Birthright barter
36 Honshu port
38 Happy companion?
40 Screw up
- DOWN**
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2 Floral neckwear
3 Office holders
4 "Maltese Falcon" star
5 Out of bed
6 Catch a glimpse of
7 Kilmer classic
8 Bareback lack
9 Free from error
10 Finished
11 Be the leader
16 Consumed
20 Piece of merchandise
21 "Catch a Falling Star" crooner
22 Wading bird
23 Vanish
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30 Swerve
32 Leave out
34 Stamps
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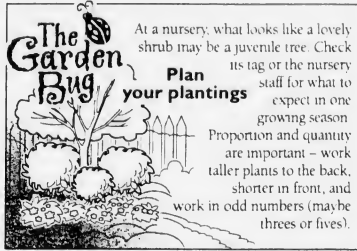
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.
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At a nursery, what looks like a lovely shrub may be a juvenile tree. Check its tag or the nursery staff for what to expect in one growing season. Proportion and quantity are important - work taller plants to the back, shorter in front, and work in odd numbers (maybe threes or fives).

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. PSYCHOLOGY: What is idioglossia?
2. ADVERTISEMENTS: On the Kellogg's cereal commercial, what are the names of the characters that promote Rice Krispies?
3. MUSIC: In musical notation, what is a fermata?
4. LANGUAGE: What does the Greek prefix "tele" mean?
5. GAMES: How many players from one team can be on the field during an American football game?
6. NATURAL WORLD: What are several common examples of bivalves?
7. LITERATURE: What book was writer Erica Jong most famous for in the 1970s?
8. BUSINESS: Who is known as the "Oracle of Omaha"?
9. GEOGRAPHY: On which continent does the country of Burkina Faso lie?
10. ANATOMY: In what part of the body is the mitral valve located?

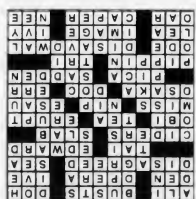
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1. Secret language, especially invented by children
2. Snap, Crackle and Pop
3. A symbol placed over a note to show that it should be played longer than normal
4. Distant
5. Eleven
6. Oysters, clams and mussels
7. "Fear of Flying"
8. Investor Warren Buffett
9. Africa
10. The heart

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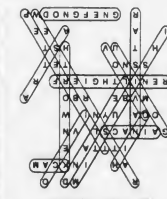
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Let that beautiful Bovine smile not only put you at ease, but also show that you're ready, willing and more than able to confound the naysayers around you. A new admirer has important news.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Be careful how you handle a relationship that you're hoping to save. You already have the facts on your side. Avoid weakening your position by embellishing it with unnecessary dramatics.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Taking definitive stands isn't easy for the often-wavering Moon Child. But you not only need to stay with your decision, but also reassure others it was the right thing to do.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) As a proud Lion, you're right to be upset about those who might be lying about you to others. But the best revenge is proving them wrong by succeeding at what you set out to do.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Caution is still advised before making a financial commitment to a "promising" project. Look for the facts behind the fluff. Devote the weekend to loved

ones.
LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A Taurus offers comfort and advice as you deal with an upsetting event. Use this as a learning experience that will help you avoid similar problems in the future.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A romantic situation creates some chaos for single Scorpions. But it's well worth the effort to work things out. A trusted friend can offer some helpful advice.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Expect to make new friends as your social circle expands. Also, remember to tell that family member how proud you are of his or her achievements.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) New ventures continue to be favored. And with your self-confidence rising all the time, you'll want to see how well you can do with a new challenge. So, go to it.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) This is a good time for the usually "serious-minded" Aquarian to let loose and enjoy some fun times. Expect to get good news about a workplace issue.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Changed plans might upset some people, but your needs should be respected. Offer explanations when necessary. But don't let yourself be talked into changing your decisions.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a gift for bringing people together. You would make a fine judge or counselor.

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OBITUARIES

Leonardo Lorenzani, 55

Building Trades Laborer

A funeral Mass for Leonardo Lorenzani, 55, of Quincy, a building trades laborer and soccer fan, was celebrated Feb. 23 at St. Joseph Church, Quincy.

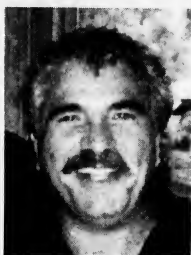
Mr. Lorenzani died Feb. 18 at Brigham and Women's Hospital.

He worked as a construction laborer for more than 30 years and was proud to be a member of Laborer's International Union of North America Local 133 in Quincy.

He was an avid soccer fan who developed his love for the game as a child in Italy. He remained connected to the sport in the United States, playing on local teams and following his favorite team, A.C. Milan on television.

Born in the Sicilian town of Aragona, in Agrigento Province of Italy, Mr. Lorenzani came to the United States at age 17 and settled in Quincy.

He is survived by two daughters, Francesca Lorenzani and Arianna Lorenzani, both of Quincy; his mother, Francesca (Falcone) Lorenzani of



LEONARDO LORENZANI

Quincy; his siblings, Amedeo "Dino" Lorenzani of Quincy, Santina Giannino of Braintree, Marianna Lorenzani of Holbrook, Vincent Lorenzani, Alfonsa "Florence" Lorenzani and Salvatore Lorenzani, all of Quincy; and nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Memorial donations may be made to Dana Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th Floor, Brookline, MA 02445-7226.

Vita M. Iacovelli, 88

Retired Raytheon Employee

A memorial Mass for Vita M. (Quercia) Iacovelli, 88, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, will be held at a later date in St. Francis Xavier Church, South Weymouth.

Mrs. Iacovelli died Feb. 16 at the Hancock Park Rehabilitation and Nursing Center.

Raised and educated in South Boston, she had lived in Quincy for many years before moving to Weymouth more than 20 years ago.

A graduate of South Boston High School, she worked 20 years for the Raytheon Co. in Braintree in the Quality Control Department. She retired in 1971.

Beloved wife of the late Michael Iacovelli, she is survived by two sons, Michael S. Iacovelli of Abington and Richard F. Iacovelli of Whitman; a brother, Anthony



VITA M. IACOVELLI

Quercia of Braintree; a sister, Rose Greene of California; four granddaughters; four great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the McDonald Funeral Homes, Weymouth.

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the South Shore, P.O. Box 9060, Braintree, MA 02184.

Arthur F. Law, Jr., 86

Business Owner

A memorial Mass for Arthur F. Law Jr., 86, of Pine Island, a business owner, was celebrated Feb. 14 at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal in Bockelia, Fla.

Mr. Law died Feb. 10 at Cape Coral Hospital in Cape Coral, Fla.

He founded Seaboard Life Insurance Co. of Boston.

Born in Belfast, Ireland, he immigrated with his family to Boston. He had lived in Quincy and Milton.

Mr. Law was disabled serving in the Navy in World War II. He later received a bachelor's degree from Boston College.

He was a communicant of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Catholic Church.

Mr. Law was a member of

the Wollaston Golf Club, Elks Club, American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was an avid golfer.

Husband of the late Ruth (Dix) Law, he is survived by his wife of 34 years, Shirley Law; three sons, Christopher Law of California, Terrence Law of Pennsylvania and Dennis Law of Quincy; a daughter, Barbara Sage of Florida; three step-children; 12 grandchildren and a great-grandson.

He was the father of the late James Law.

Burial will be held at a later date.

Funeral arrangements were made by Coral Ridge Funeral Home, Cape Coral.

Thomas F. Doyle

A funeral Mass for Thomas F. Doyle of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, was celebrated Feb. 24 at St. Brendan's Church in Dorchester.

Mr. Doyle died Feb. 21.

He is survived by his wife, Linda (Deraney) Doyle; two daughters, Susan Prindeville of Weymouth and Maureen

Grimaldi of Somerville; a son, John Doyle of Marshfield; two sisters, Alice Hibert of Maine and Robin Leahy of Bellingham; and 10 grandchildren.

Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by O'Connor and Son Funeral Home, Dorchester.

Marilyn M. Sullivan, 83

First Female Chief Justice In State, Adjunct Professor Of Law

A funeral Mass for Marilyn M. Sullivan, 83, of Quincy and West Harwich, the first woman appointed chief justice to any court in the state, was celebrated Monday at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Justice Sullivan died Feb. 20 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston.

Born in Portsmouth, N.H., she was the daughter of Joseph D. and Mary (McWilliams) Sullivan. Her father was a practicing attorney in Portsmouth for many years.

The family moved to Wollaston in 1932 and maintained a home there today.

Justice Sullivan graduated first in her class from North Quincy High School in 1941 and went on to Radcliffe College from which she graduated in 1944, having completed her undergraduate work in three years. She was made a member of Phi Beta Kappa in her junior year and graduated magna cum laude.

Upon graduation, she became an officer in the U.S.N.R. (W) and served until 1946 in Washington, D.C. As a government major in college, she was fascinated by the workings of Congress and spent much of her free time at the Capitol watching the proceedings.

Justice Sullivan was discharged from the Navy in 1946, as a lieutenant, and went to Columbia Law School. She graduated from Columbia in 1949 and was admitted to the Massachusetts Bar in the fall of 1949 and subsequently to the U.S. Federal District Court.

Her first position in the legal field was as clerk to Justice Henry T. Lummus of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court, from 1949 to 1951. She was associated with the firm of Ropes and Gray from 1951 to 1973.

In 1973, Gov. Francis Sargent appointed her to be a judge on the state Land Court. In 1985, her fellow judges nominated her to be chief justice of the Land Court and



MARILYN M. SULLIVAN

the state's Supreme Judicial Court approved her nomination.

Justice Sullivan was awarded an honorary J.D. degree by New England School of Law in May 1986.

After retirement, she became an adjunct professor of law at Suffolk Law School and New England School of Law.

Justice Sullivan was a member of the Massachusetts and Boston Bar Associations, Massachusetts Association of Women Lawyers, National Association of Women Judges, Harvard Club of Cape Cod and Holy Trinity Women's Guild.

Justice Sullivan was a fan of the Red Sox and Patriots. She enjoyed reading mystery books.

She is survived by a sister, Joan Sullivan of Quincy; and eight cousins, Marcia Coe of Cohasset, Elaine Hussey of Portsmouth, N.H.; John and Kevin Sullivan, Kathy Sullivan, Thomas Manning, Libby Bolduc and Peggy Sharyon.

Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Portsmouth, N.H.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Family Pantry, 133 Queen Anne Road, Harwich, MA 02645; St. Vincent de Paul, Holy Trinity Church, P.O. Box 428, West Harwich, MA 02671; Renovation Fund, Holy Trinity Church, P.O. Box 428, W. Harwich, MA 02671; or Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171.

Dorothy H. Snell, 87

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Dorothy H. Snell, 87, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Feb. 23 at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Braintree.

She died Feb. 19 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born and raised in Boston, she lived in Quincy for 30 years.

She is survived by a son,

Robert F. Snell of Braintree; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; a nephew; four nieces; and several great-nephews and nieces.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by McMaster Funeral Home, Braintree.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

How often do you express a doubt? How often do you have doubts about your abilities or doubts about other people? It is healthy and wise to have doubts at times about certain things, but when doubts become chronic and cloud simple reasoning, then doubting has deteriorated to a sickness of skepticism.

We all know people of poise and serenity; we see them with all the trappings of faith and dignity and we doubt whether these persons ever have a doubt about anything. They seem so sure of themselves... But, they too have doubts at times.

To doubt is only human. This was true from the days of the Psalmists to and through the days of Thomas and is true today. When we find ourselves gripped with uncertainty, we are bound to have doubts. But promiscuous doubting should not be.

Doubts torment us only because we have too little faith. This is true whether it applies to people, science, religion or anything else. Obviously then, the best way to reduce doubts is to increase faith. Sounds simple? It is...

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Warren A. Birch, 74**PGA Golf Professional And Teacher**

A funeral service for Warren A. Birch, 74, of Quincy, a local PGA golf professional and teacher, was held Monday at Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Birch died Feb. 21 at Quincy Medical Center after a long illness with progressive supranuclear palsy.

Born and raised in Hyannis, he attended schools in Hyannis and graduated from Barnstable High School, where he was co-captain of the golf team. He also attended Bryant College in Rhode Island.

Mr. Birch lived in Osterville and Hyannis before moving to Quincy in 1968.

He was a well-known PGA golf professional for more than 40 years.

Mr. Birch began his career as a teaching and playing professional at the Oyster Harbors Club in Osterville where he had worked and played as a young man. During the winters, he also served as a teaching professional at Augusta National, home of the Masters Tournament.

After nine years in Osterville, Mr. Birch became the head golf professional at Wollaston Golf Club at both its Quincy and Milton facilities. He held this position for 12 years.

He later worked at the South Shore Country Club in Hingham before becoming the head professional and supervisor of play at the Braintree Municipal Golf Course for 10 years. He retired in 1991.

After his retirement, Mr. Birch continued playing and teaching at the Weston Country Club in Weston and the Ponkapoag Golf Club in Canton.

Jeremiah F. Costello, Jr., 81**Supervisor, Machinist**

A funeral Mass for Jeremiah F. Costello, Jr., 81, of Quincy, was celebrated Monday at Saint Thomas More Church in Braintree.

Mr. Costello died Feb. 22 at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Quincy after a long illness.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Roslindale and attended Roslindale schools. He graduated from Roslindale High School in 1943.

He lived in Quincy for more than 45 years.

Mr. Costello was employed as a supervisor for the Hanover Life Insurance

**WARREN A. BIRCH**

He holds the course record for a low score of 60 at the Lake Morie Country Club in Lake Morie, Vt.

In the 1980s, Mr. Birch was involved for several years in sponsoring charity golf tournaments for head injured persons at the Pembroke Country Club.

He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean War. He enjoyed winter golf in Florida for many years and was a member of the Bunker Club in Florida.

Mr. Birch was also a member of the Senior Chapter of the New England PGA which he had served as president for two years.

He is survived by his wife, Lorene M. (Atkins) Birch; a daughter, Betsy Souza of Pawtucket, R.I.; and several nieces.

Private interment services, with military honors, were conducted Tuesday at the Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.

Memorial donations may be made to the Francis Ouimet Scholarship Fund, 300 Arnold Palmer Blvd., Norton, MA 02766 or to the Society for Progressive Supranuclear Palsy, Executive Plaza III, 11350 McCormick Rd., Suite 906, Hunt Valley, MD 21031.

Jeremiah F. Costello, Jr., 81**Supervisor, Machinist**

Company for many years. He was previously employed as a machinist for the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad for several years.

He had been retired for many years.

Son of the late Jeremiah F. and Mary H. (Doucette) Costello, Sr., he is survived by a sister, Genevieve V. Sawyer of Braintree; a brother, Timothy F. Costello of Pembroke; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was private.

Arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Harold R. Carroll, 80**Credit Union Director, Retired Firefighter**

A funeral Mass for Harold R. "Dick" Carroll, 80, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, a credit union director and retired firefighter, was celebrated Feb. 24 at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mr. Carroll died Feb. 20 at Quincy Medical Center after a brief illness.

He was a director of the Quincy Municipal Credit Union, where he was a past president and had served in various capacities since 1968.

Mr. Carroll was appointed to the Quincy Fire Department in 1960 and retired after 31 years of service. During his career, he was assigned to various crews throughout the city as well as in fire prevention and personnel divisions.

He was a past president of the Quincy Fireman's Relief Association.

Mr. Carroll was a World War II Navy veteran and a life member of Disabled American Veterans.

He enjoyed sports and bowling.

Born and raised in Quincy, he graduated from Quincy High School and attended Boston University.

He moved from Quincy

Louis G. Thomas, 92**Baker, Inventor**

A Mass of Christian Burial for Louis G. Thomas, 92, of Quincy, a baker and inventor, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy Point.

Mr. Thomas died Feb. 22 at home.

He invented an early gas-fired Syrian bread oven. He owned several bakeries including the Middle Eastern Bakery in West Roxbury, Old Colony Donut in South Boston, Staff of Life in Quincy and Blazing Salads Restaurants.

He retired in 1980, but baking remained one of his passions.

Mr. Thomas was an Army veteran of World War II.

He is survived by his wife,

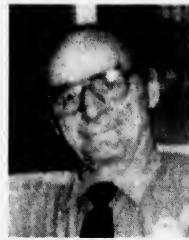
Paula L. Taft, 52

A memorial service for Paula L. Taft, 52, of Quincy, a home health aide, was held Feb. 24 at United Church of Christ, Medfield.

Miss Taft died Feb. 16 at home after a long illness.

Born in Springfield, Vt., she studied nursing at the University of Vermont, Northeastern University and Castleton State College in Vermont.

She enjoyed singing and was an alto.

**HAROLD R. CARROLL**

to Braintree in 1994.

Husband of the late Jeanette D. (Gargano) Carroll for 55 years, he is survived by two daughters, Karen F. LoPorto and Lillian R. Carroll, both of Braintree; a son, John R. Carroll of Braintree; five grandchildren and two great-grandsons.

He was the father of the late James M. Carroll and the late David P. Carroll.

Burial with military honors was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Children's Hospital, 1 Autumn St., #731, Boston, MA 02215.

Rose (Nicholas) Thomas; three daughters, Victoria Thomas Poppe and Noreen Harding Kertzmann of Quincy and Deborah Thomas Cheney of Abington; two sisters, Helen Joseph of California and Victoria Thomas of Canton; six grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Father Bill's Place, 38 Broad St., Quincy, MA 02169.

She is survived by her parents, Hugh and Barbara (Pauli) Taft of Hanover, N.H.; two sisters, Pamela Taft-Dick of Colombo, Sri Lanka, and Martha Taft of Washington, D.C.; a brother, Roderic Taft of Medfield; and many other relatives.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by Roberts-Mitchell Funeral Service, Medfield.

Ray M. Webster, 90**Retired Grocer**

A funeral Mass for Ray M. Webster, 90, of Quincy, a retired grocer, was celebrated Feb. 23 at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Webster died Feb. 19 at the John Adams Healthcare Center in Quincy.

He worked for Morse Food Mart in Brookline for many years.

Born in Orange, he was orphaned at a young age and raised at the Henry Ford Wayside Inn Boys School in Sudbury. He had lived in Quincy for 39 years.

Mr. Webster served in the Army National Guard.

He is survived by his wife,

Rita M. (DiNanno) Webster; a son, Ronald D. Webster of Palm Springs, Calif.; two daughters, Joan D. Carter of Raleigh, N.C., and Carol Ridge of Boston; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; a niece and a nephew.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Memorial donations may be made to The New England Home for Little Wanderers, 271 Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02115.

John R. Sedgley, 82**Retired Truck Driver**

A funeral service for John Richard Sedgley, 82, of Berkley, formerly of Quincy, a retired truck driver, was held Feb. 23 in Egger Funeral Home in Middleboro.

Mr. Sedgley died Feb. 19 at Braemore Rehabilitation Center in Brockton after a long illness.

A Navy veteran, he served on the battleship Colorado during World War II and earned a Purple Heart.

Born in Boston, Mr. Sedgley lived in Wollaston until 1958, when he moved

to Lakeville.

He was a member of Myricks United Methodist Church in Berkley, Mayflower Lodge of Masons, Palestine Temple Shrine and its Motor Corps of Cranston, R.I., and the Rhode Island Consistory of Providence.

Husband of the late Caroline A. (Albrecht) Sedgley, he is survived by a daughter, Donna M. Russo of Stratham, N.H.; two granddaughters; and several nieces and nephews.

William C. Sullivan, 80**Navy Veteran Of Three Wars**

A funeral service for William C. Sullivan, 80, of Quincy, a Navy veteran of three wars, was held Monday at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Sullivan died Feb. 20 at Quincy Medical Center.

He was a letter carrier for the Postal Service and a tint supervisor for California Paints for 40 years.

He was Navy veteran of World War II, and the Korean and Vietnam Wars.

Mr. Sullivan was a member of the George F. Bryan

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post in Quincy.

Born and raised in Weymouth, he lived in Quincy for 40 years.

Husband of the late Carolyn E. (Hale) Sullivan, he is survived by two sons, Dennis Paul Sullivan of Melrose and Bruce Alan Sullivan of Abington; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and a dear friend, Grace Dunn of Billerica.

Burial with full military honors was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett.

Memorial Service For Richard Owens At Union Church

A memorial service in Thanksgiving for the life of Richard Owens, 75, of Wollaston, will be held Sunday, March 4 at 12:30 p.m. at Union Congregational

Church, 136 Rawson Rd., Wollaston.

Mr. Owens was a graduate of Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vermont.

A longtime substitute

teacher in the Quincy school system, particularly North Quincy High School, he was very popular with students and staff.

Mr. Owens was an active

participant in the life of Union Congregational Church and enjoyed talking politics with Union's Pastor, the Rev. John Swanson.

A reception will follow the service.

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Food For Life Program At Crane Public Library March 11

The Thomas Crane Public Library will host a healthy eating program entitled "Food for Life: Fueling Up on Low-Fat Foods and Favoring Fiber" on Sunday, March 11 at 2:30 p.m. at the main library, 40 Washington

St., Quincy.

Participants will see low-fat dishes made from whole grain foods, legumes, vegetables and fruit prepared with little or no added fats, and sample the healthy results.

Without fiber in the diet, people are less able to get rid of toxins, waste hormones, excess cholesterol, chemicals and other undesirables, which can lead to a higher cancer risk. Fiber is especially important in prevent-

ing colon cancer and even helps the immune system function properly.

The Food for Life nutrition and cooking program was designed by physicians, nutrition experts, and registered dietitians at The Can-

cer Project, a non-profit organization committed to teaching people about the benefits of a healthy diet for cancer prevention and survival. The program offers real recipes and shows how to prepare simple delicious

healthy meals at home.

Registration is required for this program. For more information or to register, call 617-376-1316. Sponsored by The Cancer Project and the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

LEGAL NOTICE

2007-013

Presently pending in the Ordinance Committee of the Quincy City Council:

Be it ordained that the Quincy Municipal Code is amended as follows; in Title 8 Health and Safety add a new chapter:

Chapter 8.40

Neighborhood Property Preservation Ordinance

8.40.010 Purpose

8.40.020 General Conditions
8.40.030 Public Nuisance
8.40.040 Enforcement
8.40.050 Notice to Owner of Abatement of Nuisance
8.40.060 Low-Income Owner
8.40.070 Removal of Nuisance
8.40.080 Appeal
8.40.090 Reports
8.40.100 Civil Actions and Penalties
8.40.110 Other Provisions

8.40.010 Purpose

The purpose of this Chapter is to promote the public health, safety and welfare by requiring a minimum level of maintenance of private property to protect the livability, appearance and social and economic stability of the City and, to protect the public from the health and safety hazards and the impairments of property values that result from the neglect and deterioration of property.

8.40.020 General Conditions

The presence of any one or more of the following conditions on property constitutes property blight.

- A. Any condition that is detrimental to the public health, safety or general welfare or that constitutes a public nuisance as defined herein
- B. Any condition of deterioration or disrepair that creates a substantial adverse impact on neighboring properties.

8.40.030 Public Nuisance

No person, whether as owner, agent, manager, operator, lessee, tenant, sub-lessee, or occupant in possession of a property, shall maintain a blighted property or cause or

permit property to be maintained as a blighted property. No person, whether as owner, agent, manager, operator, lessee, sub-lessee, tenant or occupant of a property, shall take any action or allow any action to be taken at that property in violation of any provision of this Chapter or any order issued pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter

Any property upon which there exists property blight as set forth in the provisions of this Chapter is hereby declared and determined to be a public nuisance.

Unlawful nuisance--Inadequately maintained property.

It shall be an unlawful nuisance for any person owning, leasing, renting, occupying or having charge or possession of any commercial and/or residential property to maintain or allow to be maintained such property in such manner that the following conditions are found to exist thereon where such conditions are visible from a public right-of-way and/or neighboring property and such conditions have both a significant adverse visual impact on the neighborhood and substantially contribute to the dilapidated or deteriorated appearance of the neighborhood.

A. Property which is not kept substantially clean and free from accumulations including, but not limited to rank growth, rubbish, junk, garbage, litter, debris, flyers or circulars, overgrown, dead or decayed trees, weeds or other vegetation that constitutes a fire hazard or other condition that is dangerous to the public health, safety, welfare; or creates the potential for the harboring of rats, vermin, vector, or other similar nuisances, or substantially detracts from the aesthetic and property values of neighboring properties; or is overgrown onto a public right-of-way at least twelve (12) inches; or is completely dead, over twelve (12) inches in height, and covers more than fifty percent (50%) of the front or side yard visible from any street.

B. Buildings or structures or significant sections thereof including, but not limited to, exterior stairs, roof, foundation, walls, fences, signs, retaining walls, driveways, or walkways which are substantially broken, deteriorated, or defaced, or windows or doors which are missing, broken or inadequately secured that create a hazardous condition or a potential attraction to trespassers; or exterior walls or roof coverings that have become substantially deteriorated, do not provide adequate weather protection, or show evidence of the presence of termite infestation or dry rot. (For the purposes of this section "defaced" includes, but is not limited to, writings, inscriptions, figures, scratches, or other markings commonly referred to as "graffiti.")

C. Property used or intended to be used for residential purposes which contains, in the outdoor area, any refrigerator, washing machine, sink, toilet, bidet, stove, heater, boiler, tank or any other household equipment, machinery, furniture, or item, appliance or appliances, boxes, lumber, dirt or debris, trash, garbage or refuse cans, or any items other than those commonly stored outdoors, or any parts of such items, for a period of time in excess of seventy-two consecutive hours. This subsection does not prohibit machinery installed in the rear setback areas for household or recreational use, furniture designed and used for outdoor activities, trash cans in the front yard during the twenty-four hour period allowed for garbage pick-up and garbage bins when employed in construction for which a valid building permit has been issued by the City.

D. Where property is vacant and otherwise required to be boarded up, the boarding shall be done in a manner approved by the building official and which does not itself

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have a significant adverse visual impact on the neighborhood nor substantially contribute to the dilapidated or deteriorated appearance of the neighborhood. To the extent feasible, the boarding up shall cause the property to have the appearance of an occupied residence as determined by the building official.

E. Any property that is unsecured and constitutes an attraction to children or a harbor for vagrants, criminals or other unauthorized persons, or is in a condition such that persons can resort thereto for the purpose of committing a nuisance or unlawful act, constitutes property blight.

A building or structure is unsecured when either of the following conditions exists:

- 1. The building or structure is inhabited, occupied or used without the consent of the owner or the agent of the owner; or
- 2. Unauthorized persons can readily gain entry to the building or structure without the consent of the owner or the agent of the owner.

F. A partially constructed, reconstructed or demolished building or structure upon which work has been abandoned constitutes property blight. Work is deemed abandoned when there is no valid current building or demolition permit for the work or when there has not been any substantial work on the building or structure for a period of six (6) months or more.)

G. The storage upon any property of building materials unless there is in force a valid building permit issued by the City for construction upon said property and said materials are intended for use in connection with such construction. In no event, however, shall the storage of building materials occur on the property in excess of twelve (12) months without written consent from the Director of Inspectional Services. Building materials shall include but shall not be limited to lumber, bricks, concrete or cinder blocks, plumbing materials, electrical wiring or equipment, heating ducts or equipment, shingles, mortar, concrete, nails, screws, steel, or any other materials commonly used in constructing any structure.

H. Any property upon which there exists a hazardous condition constitutes property blight. A property is considered to have a hazardous condition prohibited by this Chapter if any one or more of the following conditions exists on the property:

- 1. Land having a topography, geology, or configuration that, as a result of grading operations or improvements to the land, causes erosion, subsidence, unstable soil conditions, or surface or subsurface drainage problems that pose a threat of injury or are injurious to any neighboring property.
- 2. Any condition or object, including without limitation landscaping, motor vehicles, fencing or signs, that obscures the visibility of traffic, pedestrians, or street intersections in a manner that constitutes a hazard.
- 3. Items are present that are inadequately secured or protected and, due to their accessibility to the public, may prove hazardous including, without limitation:
 - a. Unused or broken equipment or machinery, motorized vehicles, watercraft, or other personal property that is broken, rusted, partially or wholly dismantled or otherwise due to deterioration is unsuited for the purpose for which designed;
 - b. Abandoned wells, shafts, or basements;
 - c. Unprotected pools, ponds, or excavations;
 - d. Structurally unsound fences or structures;
 - e. Lumber, or accumulations of lumber or other construction materials; or
 - f. Chemicals, motor oil, or other hazardous materials.
- 4. Any swimming pool, pond or other body of water that is abandoned, unattended, unfiltered, or not otherwise maintained, so that the water has become or is becoming polluted water.

8.40.040 Enforcement

A. The Director of Inspectional Services, Health Commissioner, Fire or Police Chief or their designees shall be authorized to administer and enforce the provisions of this Chapter and shall be deemed the Enforcing Authority. If the Enforcing Authority shall be informed or have reason to believe that any provision of this Ordinance has been, is being, or is likely to be violated, he shall make or cause to be made an investigation of the facts, including an investigation of the property where the violation may exist. If he finds any violation he shall give immediate notice in writing to the Owner and to the Occupant of the premises of the violation and inform the Owner and the Occupants pursuant to the notification provisions provided herein. In making such inspection, the Enforcing Authority shall have such right of access to the premises that may be lawfully exercised by him under the laws and constitution of the Commonwealth or of the United States. All enforcement officers are authorized to inspect property and to take any other enforcement actions as may be required or appropriate to administer or enforce the provisions of this Chapter.

B. Any person who violates any provision of this Chapter shall be subject to enforcement procedures for each violation through any lawful means available to the City, including without limitation the issuance of a civil fine as provided herein.

If, after such notice and order, such violation continues, or if any Owner or Occupant fails to obey any lawful order of the Enforcing Authority with respect to any violation of the provisions of the Ordinance, the Enforcing Authority may make complaint to the Superior Court or any court of competent jurisdiction on any injunction or order restraining any further use of the premises and the continuation of the violation and shall take such other action as is necessary to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

In addition to the foregoing remedy, whoever violates any provision of this Ordinance or fails to obey any lawful order issued by the Enforcing Authority in enforcing this Ordinance shall be liable to a non-criminal fine of not more than two hundred (\$200.00) for each violation. Each violation of this Ordinance shall constitute a separate offense. Each day that any such violation continues shall constitute a separate violation. The Enforcing Authority may also issue a cease and desist order for any hazardous situation.

In any matter in which a complaint has been made by a person other than the Enforcing Authority, the Enforcing Authority shall promptly notify the complainant in advance of all conferences or proceedings concerning resolution of the nuisance complaint or of any enforcement action and the complainant shall be allowed to be present and to be heard.

8.40.050 Notice to Owner of Abatement of Nuisance.

Whenever the City determines that property in the City is maintained as a nuisance as provided for in this chapter and that abatement of such nuisance is to be required, it shall:

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- A. Provide written notice to abate to the owner and occupants of the premises in the manner and in the form provided in this chapter.
- B. The notice shall state the proper street address of the subject property and should be served personally on the owner or by first class mail, postage prepaid. Additionally, one copy of the notice shall be conspicuously posted on the property.
- C. The notice shall advise the owner of a reasonable time limit in which the owner shall take corrective action to remedy the nuisance. In no event shall the owner be given less than seven calendar days, and no more than sixty calendar days to take corrective action, except where there is an immediate threat to public health or safety when shorter notice may be prescribed. The owner must commence the corrective action requested in the notice within thirty days of the date of the notice. The City may waive the time limits of this subsection only if a natural disaster, such as, fire, flood or earthquake interferes with the owner's ability to complete the corrective action within the specified time, or the work to be performed is inherently of a nature which cannot reasonably be completed within the time limits prescribed.
- D. The notice shall specify the section of law violated and state all the facts constituting the nuisance.
- E. The notice shall specify the corrective action required, including temporary corrective action when appropriate and inform the owner of City programs, if any, available to assist low-income property owners with repairs to their property. The corrective action shall be such that it eliminates the significant adverse visual impact of the property on the neighborhood and eliminates the contribution of that property to the dilapidated or deteriorated appearance of the neighborhood as determined by the building official.
- F. The notice shall advise the property owner that failure to correct the violation may result in the City's correcting the violation and collecting the charges by billing or by lien on the property.
- G. The notice shall advise the owner of the right to file an appeal within fifteen calendar days if the owner seeks to challenge the charge that a nuisance exists.
- H. The notice shall advise the owner he/she must either correct the violation or request an appeal in order to avoid City abatement and liability for cost of abatement.
- I. The notice shall advise the owner that failure to appeal shall constitute waiver of the right to a hearing to contest the charge of nuisance.

8.40.060 Low-income Owner.

As to a small property, if the owner of such property is a low-income owner, the City may extend or waive the time limits specified in this chapter, if the owner does all of the following:

- A. Demonstrates to the building official that complying with the City's order to abate would create an undue financial hardship.
- B. The owner makes a good faith effort, as determined by the building official, to comply with that portion of the order to abate that may be completed without a significant expenditure of funds.
- C. The owner makes a good faith effort, as determined by the building official, to obtain financial assistance.

8.40.070 Removal of Nuisance

If the Responsible Party fails to remedy the nuisance caused by a burnt or dangerous building, upon notice from the Director of Inspectional Services or his assigns to do so, said Director of Inspectional Services or his assigns may cause the nuisance to be removed as provided in M.G.L. Ch. 139 at the owner's expense. Any such debt shall constitute a lien on the land upon which the nuisance was located as provided in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 139, Section 3A.

8.40.080 Appeal to Zoning Board of Appeals

Any decision by the Building Commissioner and his assigns that an activity may constitute a nuisance hereunder may be appealed to the Zoning Board of Appeals pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40A.

8.40.090 Reports by the Enforcing Authority

The Director of Inspectional Services shall make each month, upon request by the City Council, a report that shall include all complaints of nuisance made during the prior month; all proceedings begun under this Ordinance; all pending complaints and all investigations and enforcement actions taken by the Enforcing Authority. The report shall state the location of the premises, a summary of the nature of the complaint, the name of the Responsible Party(ies), and the disposition or the status of the matter.

8.40.100 Civil Actions and Penalties

Nothing in this Chapter shall be construed to limit any right or remedy otherwise available in law or equity to any party harmed by a blighted property, nor shall this Chapter in any way limit the City's right to enforcement under any other provision of this Code or create a duty or obligation on the part of the City to enforce this Chapter.

8.40.110 Other Provisions

Severability.

The City Council declares that, should any provision, section, paragraph, sentence, or word of this Ordinance be rendered or declared invalid by any final court action in a court of competent jurisdiction, or by reason of any preemptive legislation, the remaining provisions, section, paragraphs, sentences, and words of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Implementation.

The provisions of this section shall be effective immediately upon passage and all provisions shall be enforced immediately but no monetary fine shall be imposed pursuant hereto until thirty (30) days after passage.

"To be acted upon at some further date by the City Council"

Joseph P. Shea

Clerk of Council

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-043

ORDERED:

February 20, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Edinboro Road	West	#24 Edinboro Road		Handicapped Parking

A TRUE COPY.

ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

3/1/07

Reverse Mortgage Topic

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Reverse mortgage program offered by the federal government allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash. For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06D1750-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS
BY PUBLICATION
AICHA EL MELLAH,
Plaintiff(s)
V.
NELSON CRUZ,
Defendant(s)
To the above named Defendant(s):**

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff, **AICHA EL MELLAH**, seeking **DIVORCE**.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to the Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **AICHA EL MELLAH**, whose address is **1 VANNESSE ROAD, WEYMOUTH, MA. 02191**, your answer on or before **5/04/07**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. YOU are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at **CANTON**.

Witness, **HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at **CANTON**, this 8th day of **FEBRUARY**, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
2/22, 3/1, 3/8/07

ORDER NO. 2007-042

ORDERED:

February 20, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Doane Street	West	#65 Doane St.		Handicapped Parking

A TRUE COPY.

ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

3/1/07

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-031

ORDERED:

February 5, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Greene Street	North	Adjacent to #100 Fenno Street		Handicapped Parking

A TRUE COPY.
ATTEST: Joseph P. Shea
CLERK OF COUNCIL

3/1/07

**LEGAL NOTICE
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0423EP
In the Estate of
SALVATORE DELLA BARBA
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 3, 2007**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **JOSEPH CHELLA** of **WEYMOUTH** in the County of **NORFOLK** or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 14, 2007**.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, **HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 20, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/1/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-003

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 13, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of **SBLC REALTY III, LLC** for a **VARIANCE** to seek relief from conditions 4 & 5 in Zoning Board of Appeals case #02-011 in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.070 (yards) and 17.04.090 (contents and terms) on the premises numbered 750 WILLARD STREET, QUINCY.

Jack Garland, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

**LEGAL NOTICE
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P3073EP
In the Estate of
EILEEN M. DOHERTY
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
October 23, 2006**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **GEORGE B. DOHERTY** of **LINCOLN** in the County of **MIDDLESEX** or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

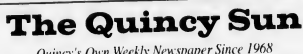
IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 21, 2007**.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, **HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 7, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/1/07

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Happy 14th, Kellie Wishing you a very Happy Birthday. May all your birthdays be happy ones. You bring so much joy to us. We love you. <i>Nana and Papa</i>	THANK YOU ST. JUDE For prayers answered.	You Never Fail Us. Thank You, St. Jude!	CLEANING SERVICES Home and Office - Daily, Weekly, Monthly. Also Basement, Garage and Attic Cleanouts, Powerwashing and Replacement Windows. Insured. Call RYAN & SONS 617-560-5203	LEGAL NOTICE Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07P0278EP In the Estate of ANNE B. DESMOND Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death October 11, 2006 NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JOHN P. DESMOND of EAST WALPOLE in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety. IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MARCH 21, 2007. In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16. WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 5, 2007. PATRICK W. McDERMOTT Register of Probate ADVERTISING Are you a business owner? Do you think your business is too small or too big to advertise? The New England Press Association can help build your clientele all across New England! To advertise at a lower rate and higher volume contact Latifa Sanchez at 617-373-5611 or lsanchez@nepa.org Visit our website: www.nepa.org ONE CALL DOES IT ALL! BUY A BILLBOARD THE SIZE OF A BUSINESS CARD with 2x2 New England. Place your 2 column by 2 inch ad across New England with just one phone call! Call Latifa Sanchez at the New England Press Association 617-373-5611 for details. www.nepa.org REACH MORE THAN 4 MILLION READERS with just one phone call! New England Press Association can place your classified ad in more than 200 newspapers throughout the six-state New England region. Call this Newspaper of Latifa Sanchez at 617-373-5611 for more information. www.nepa.org ANTIQUES WANTED ANTIQUES WANTED - Single items or complete estates - art works, furniture, ceramics, tools, orientalia, silver, advertising. Native American, folk art, sculptures, jewelry, stamps, coins. Top \$5 paid. 888-260-8050 or 207-459-4652 AUTOMOTIVE DONATE YOUR VEHICLE! UNITED BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION. A woman is diagnosed every two minutes! Free Annual Mammogram www.ubcf.info Fast, Free Towing, Non-Runners Acceptable 1-888-468-5964	
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Open Space Funds Sought To Protect 271 Sea St.

Armed with a new weapon, the Community Preservation Act, residents of Ward 1 are drawing the battle lines for the protection of 3.4 acres at 271 Sea Street as open space.

The Save 271 Sea Street group will hold a public meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. in Our Lady of Good Council parish hall, 227 Sea St., to plan future steps to encourage the city to buy the land.

The developer, The Gallagher Group of

Hanover, plans to build five condo units on a section zoned Residence B and four or five single family homes on a section zoned Residence A.

The Community Preservation Act (CPA), approved last November, permits the city to surcharge the tax levy with the extra funds going to the purchase of land for, among other things, open space.

Ross Edwards, spokesman for Save 271 Sea Street, said he was told the land was

appraised for \$1.2 million two years ago. The CPA is expected to bring \$200,000 to \$1.6 million to the city annually.

Members of Save 271 Sea Street are hoping that a substantial percentage of these funds will go to their project in the next couple of years and they need a strong showing of support by neighbors.

"In the next few months our city officials will be deciding how to spend the CPA funding source," said Edwards.

"We need an outcry from residents to protect this natural beauty for generations to come and to make sure we don't end up with more condos instead of trees, walking paths, and a place for kids to learn about wildlife."

Ward 1 City Councillor Leo Kelly, who will chair tonight's meeting, called 271 Sea Street "one of the most important at-risk sites in the entire city. Preventing development of this site will also help reduce the traffic on Sea Street."

Two years ago, neighbors gathered 1,500 signatures of Quincy residents urging city officials to buy the site to protect it from development.

Residents say the entrance to the proposed development is at a dangerous curve in the road and would

funnel traffic onto the already congested route to Broad Meadows Middle School and Houghs Neck.

The site consists of a forested upland and wetlands bordering Broad Meadows Marsh with a large diversity of wildlife.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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ICE FORMS on trees and clothing as firefighters battle flames at 94 Faxon Rd. in sub-freezing temperatures. Several firefighters suffered falls on icy streets and sidewalks but occupants of the house escaped injury.
Quincy Sun photo/Norcen O'Shea

Firefighters Injured In Icy Faxon Road Blaze

Several firefighters were injured in falls on the ice and by smoke inhalation Tuesday as fire destroyed a three-story house at 94 Faxon Rd., North Quincy.

Deputy Chief Gary Smith estimated damage at about a half million dollars.

The occupants of the house, who were not immediately identified, were out-

side and apparently uninjured when firefighters arrived.

Firefighters fought the blaze in high winds and bitter cold. Their efforts were hampered by a fire hydrant that froze.

The temperature hovered at the 17 degree mark with winds of 25 to 35 miles an hour giving a wind chill of

not much more than zero.

One of the injured firefighters was taken to Quincy Medical Center but was released after treatment for a fall. None of the injured firefighters was identified.

Deputy Smith said the first of three alarms was rung in at about 9:45 a.m. and fire apparatus was still on the scene late in the afternoon.

Suggest Incentive-Based Plan

City Council Scraps Mandatory Recycling

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Six city councillors voted Monday to scrap a proposal to make recycling mandatory for city residents and rejected efforts to send the proposal to committee for further study and discussion.

One councillor asked if any members of the council, other than the author, had actually read the proposal before discarding it.

Under the proposal ordinance developed by Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin, scofflaws would risk losing their curbside collection if their trash that day contained more than 10 percent of recyclable items, such as glass, plastic or cardboard.

Coughlin's proposal offered a three-phase plan with education programs starting in April, warnings in July and action on violations in January 2008.

At this time, Quincy's recycling rate is roughly 25% to 26% which saves taxpayers \$1 million a year, according to Coughlin whose goal was to double that savings.

Opposing councillors focused on the "mandatory" nature of the plan with one councillor warning that no one could embrace the word "mandatory" or "mandate" in an election year.

Councillors also suggested an incentive-based recycling plan whereby residents could bank points for recycling and even earn rewards.

Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamane said he and his constituents were "dead set against any mandatory recycling." Ward 2 Councillor Daniel G. Raymond charged that mandatory recycling would be an "undue burden" that would hit the most vulnerable residents.

"I'm not interested in making anything compulsory," said McNamane.

"Who has read it?" Councillor John Keenan asked rhetorically, questioning how many councillors had actually reviewed Coughlin's entire proposal. Keenan didn't ask for a show of hands.

Keenan said that he had not read the long proposal as he expected a discussion at a later date. Therefore, he said that he could not vote either way. However, he said he found the subject of recycling "worthy of discussion."

At this time, Keenan noted that Quincy residents are lucky. "We can put anything out to the curb." That could change, he warned, adding that if nothing improves, the day could come when the city has to "impose some sort of trash user fee."

Raymond cited an e-mail from a senior citizen worried about the burden involved in washing and sorting recyclables.

"Let's not stereotype senior citizens," responded Keenan, noting that plenty of senior citizens were "children of the depression" bred to sort and save.

Coughlin said he'd raised the issue because it has lay dormant for the past decade and improvement can save taxpayers considerable

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Council Votes For 13 Cruisers Day And Night

The City Council formally and unanimously approved a resolution Monday recommending that the police department provide full cruiser coverage for all 13 city sectors 24-hours a day and seven days a week.

This was the first official vote by the full City Council whose members approved a similar measure on Feb. 26 during a Public Safety Committee meeting attended by nearly 50 uniformed officers.

At that meeting, police union chief Bruce Tait raised

the issue of diminished cruiser coverage and appealed to councillors for their support. Tait described the 13 patrol sectors of the city and said, "It is the officers staffing these 13 patrol sectors who are the backbone of the police department."

Tait provided documents which he said proved that the 13 sectors were not covered repeatedly and that, sometimes, as few as eight or nine cruisers were assigned on a shift. He also charged that command officers were re-

luctant to assign overtime for fear of backlash from their supporters.

Tait and Ward 2 Councillor Daniel G. Raymond noted the \$1.8 million that the police department returned to the city treasury in the past fiscal year.

At this week's meeting, Raymond added a recommendation that officers be fitted for equipment, such as vests and that assigned vests not be more than five years old.

By LAURA GRIFFIN



FIREFIGHTER LUIS RUIZ, with ice clinging to him, warms his hands at a heater at the Faxon Road blaze Tuesday. *Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea*

Tunnel Workers Business Manager Jailed 7 Years For Racketeering

Scott Boidi, 46, of Pembroke, business manager of Local 88 of the Tunnel Workers union, has been sentenced to seven years in prison and four years of supervised release on embezzlement and drug

charges.

The Quincy Police Department and its chief, Robert Crowley, were cited for their part in the investigation of Boidi, whose principal Local 88 offices are at 279 Northern Ave., Boston, and

170 Washington St., Quincy.

Boidi was convicted Oct. 13 of one count of racketeering, three counts of embezzlement of union assets, one count of conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute cocaine and one count of use of a communication facility in furtherance of a crime.

He was acquitted of two counts of witness tampering and one count of carrying a firearm during and in relation to a drug trafficking crime.

Evidence presented during the 12-day trial indicated Boidi stole more than \$25,000 in union assets, engaged in mail fraud and possessed and distributed more than 500 grams of cocaine from June, 1991, to May, 2002.

March 27 Vote Promised On West Elm Variety License

Entrepreneur Michael Raimondi and his friends and foes will have to wait another three weeks to learn if he will be able to sell wine and beer at his West Elm Variety Store in Wollaston.

The License Board would up a long hearing on Raimondi's bid for the liquor license Tuesday and voted to continue the hearing to Tuesday, March 27, at 10 a.m. for purposes of voting only.

"It will be the first business of the meeting," promised Chairman Joseph Shea as the Board wrapped up a two hour hearing. "I congratulate everyone on their civility."

In an unprecedented move, Tuesday's hearing went ahead with only three board members present, Shea, Health Commissioner Drew Scheele and Building Inspector Jay Duca.

Shea said Fire Chief Tim Pettinelli, who was away at a fire, would view the hearing on film before casting a vote and Police Chief Robert Crowley bowed out with a conflict of interest.

Louis Cassis, attorney for Raimondi, told the board that his client plans to observe the same closing times, 8 p.m. in winter, 9 p.m. in summer, if the license is granted, and would not sell single cans of

beer.

Scheele drew from Cassis the promise that 18-wheel beer delivery trucks would not clog up narrow West Elm Avenue but that Raimondi would use 14-foot box trucks.

He also pledged that Raimondi would never ask for a change to an all alcoholic beverage license.

"The issue," said Cassis, "is he is a long-standing store owner who has a stake in the neighborhood and whose customers are asking for this license."

Nine residents testified in support of Raimondi's license bid, including Dean Rizzo, executive director of Quincy 2000 Collaborative, who reminded the board a license can always be revoked if it doesn't work out.

Richard McGuire of Quincy Shore Drive noted that there are a lot of empty stores in Quincy and Pat Halpin of Davis Street said the city should support "mom and pop" stores like West Elm Variety.

Even those opposed to the license had a good word to say about Raimondi, whose family has had the store at 139 West Elm Ave. since February, 2006.

"The store is a great asset to the neighborhood," said

John Amendolare of West Elm Avenue, "but the area is residential and there are a lot of licenses around. There is no public need for another one."

Richard Wilson, director of development for Eastern Nazarene College said the license would "generate a risk to the neighborhood and be detrimental to the spiritual life of the school."

Students at ENC, he said, sign a pledge that they will not imbibe alcohol while they are enrolled.

"This is the wrong project in the wrong place," he said.

"I would like to wish Mr. Raimondi great success," said the Rev. Fred Fullerton, pastor of the Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, "but the license is not in the best interest of the community."

The Rev. John Swanson, pastor of the Union Congregational Church of Wollaston, suggested that a wine and beer license would lower property values and lower the quality of life in the neighborhood.

"It's abundantly clear to me," said Ward 5 City Councilor Doug Gutro, "that residents value the store. I've found that it serves people all over the community but the vast majority of neighbors are against it."

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Council Wants White Caps On Faulty Hydrants

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Firefighters and the public will be able to spot a faulty fire hydrant by the color of its cap under a proposal adopted Monday by the City Council.

Councillors want white caps on faulty hydrants in tandem with other fire departments, such as Boston, which use white markings to identify non-working hydrants.

The white topper on a fire hydrant will warn firefighters that the hydrant

won't work in an emergency due to no water access, low water or low pressure.

According to supporters, the markings are essential to alert back-up firefighters and secondary responders working in unfamiliar sectors.

"If they see a white cap, they know it's out of service," said Ward 2 Councillor Daniel G. Raymondi.

At Monday's meeting, the full council acted on information provided to the Public Safety Committee last week by Fire Chief Tim

Pettinelli and the firefighters' union president Ernie Arienti who indicated that there are some 100 faulty hydrants in the city.

Chairman Jay Davis said his committee would check on the progress of the project in 60 days and also plans on meeting with Department of Public Works officials even sooner, later this month.

Davis also commended fire officials and union officials for working together calling their cooperation "refreshing."



SAILORS LINE THE flight deck of the aircraft carrier USS John F. Kennedy upon its arrival to Boston Harbor last week. This photo was taken from Castle Island in South Boston.

(Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble)

Committee Issues First Report On Smart Zoning

The Mayor's Smart Zoning Committee recommends new regulations on fence heights, boat storage, the number and size of satellite dishes, parking, and boarding houses, according to an interim report distributed this week to the City Council which was asked to consider the Committee's recommendations.

"This Interim Report represents the first phase of our work," according to the committee's statement which notes that initial goal of the committee was to address many of the local neighborhood "blight" problems. A few of the committee's recommendations are described briefly below:

The committee considered Special Permits/Site

Plan review as the most important issue and recommended considerable expansion of the review process presently required.

While acknowledging that "Quincy is a seaside community," the committee also recommends that recreational vehicles and boats "not be allowed to be placed in front of the building line anymore than 72 hours" and, then, only if the vehicle is properly registered.

Once an owner of a single family dwelling rents rooms to four or more persons, the structure shall be considered a rooming and subject to applicable regulations.

Home occupations would be allowed provided the business does not affect a residential neighborhood

through traffic or signage or involve more than three employees on site.

Fences shall be limited to six feet and satellite dishes to two dishes that are not more than three feet in diameter. In addition, parking requirements shall be tied directly to the number of bedrooms proposed for each project.

City councillors received

the report at this week's meeting and did not discuss the Smart Zoning Committee's findings or recommendations.

The Committee was established by Mayor William Phelan in spring of 2006 because "new development, changes in human behavior and the need for more code enforcement were having a negative impact on the qual-

ity of life in Quincy's neighborhoods."

The committee began meeting last April, and have met five times since. The report notes that not all recommendations were approved unanimously by the committee whose members are the following:

Planning Director Dennis Harrington, Building Inspector Jay Duca, Angus

Jennings, David Murphy, City Solicitor Monica Conyngham, then ZBA Chair Jack Garland, ZBA member David Portesi and Planning Board Chair Robert Harnais, City Councillors Kevin Coughlin, Joseph Finn and Leo Kelly were invited to attend and participate and did, according to the report.

By LAURA GRIFFIN

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On **March 9, 1863**, during the Civil War, the CSS Virginia engages the USS Monitor in the first battle between iron-fortified naval vessels. Two months later, its Confederate crew blew up the Virginia rather than allow it to fall into Union hands.

• On **March 8, 1893**, Emmet Dalton, the only survivor of the Dalton Gang's attempt to rob two Kansas banks, begins serving a life sentence. After 14 years in prison, Emmet won parole and returned to society a reformed man. He married and began a successful career as a real estate agent.

• On **March 7, 1923**, the New Republic publishes Robert Frost's poem "Stopping By Woods on a Snowy Evening." The poem begins with the famous line "Whose woods these are, I think I know." Although Frost never graduated from a university, he had collected 44 honorary degrees before he died in 1963.

• On **March 10, 1938**, for the first time since it began in 1927, the names of Academy Award winners are kept secret until their announce-

ment at the awards ceremony.

• On **March 6, 1951**, the trial of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg begins in New York Southern District federal court. A month later the couple was convicted of selling nuclear secrets to the Russians. They were offered a deal in which their death sentences would be commuted in return for an admission of their guilt. They refused and were executed.

• On **March 5, 1977**, the Dial-a-President radio program, featuring President Jimmy Carter, airs for the first time. Questions covered a range of subjects, from Carter's pardon for "draft-dodgers" to why he chose to let his daughter, Amy, attend a public school instead of a private school.

• On **March 11, 1989**, the reality-based TV show "Cops" is first broadcast nationally. Fledgling network Fox took the show after the major networks passed on it and stunned the industry by producing a popular show that spawned numerous other reality-based programs.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Encouraging Start For Koch

Tom Koch appears to have gotten off to an encouraging start in his bid for the mayor's office.

Anything can happen between now and the November election.

But what happened last week, Koch would be happy to see happen again.

It was his first fundraiser since he resigned as city park commissioner to challenge incumbent William Phelan.

It was held at the Quincy Neighborhood Club with an estimated 275 attending, a turnout Koch says "exceeded my expectations and was very encouraging."

"We did very well financially," he added.

How well?

"I would say \$70,000."

That would put him almost half-way to the \$150,000 political watchers say is the minimum sized war chest needed to wage an effective campaign for mayor. Not bad for the first shot. Ticket range was \$125, \$250, \$500.

Koch has another fundraiser coming up April 12 at the Granite Links Golf Club. This is a grassroots one, \$20 per.

Political incumbents who are customarily invited to such events, as last week's, included City Council President Doug Gutro, Councillors Mike McFarland and John Keenan, Koch's brother-in-law.

Also, Rep. Bruce Ayers, School Committeeman Jim Timmins, John Gillis, former city clerk and Norfolk County commissioner, former councillors Steve McGrath and Mike Cheney; Chuck Phelan, chairman of the City Democratic Committee, and former School Committeeman Nick Verenis.

Notables from the business community attending included Bob Curry, who introduced Koch; Ed Keohane and Mark Bertman.

Also in the crowd were police officers, firefighters and teachers. And some fresh faces – not usually seen at political functions.

"It was a terrific start," Koch says. "But we have a long way to go."



KOCH

OTHER THAN THE mayor's race, things are pretty quiet politically but there is a little stirring on the school committee front.

Nick Puleo, president of the Ward 5 Association, says he is "thinking" of running for one of the three school committee seats on this year's ballot.

Puleo is a senior budget analyst for the Senate Ways and Means Committee and was Councillor Joe Finn's campaign manager two years ago.

Three school committee incumbents are up for reelection: Vice Chairwoman Elaine Dwyer, Linda Stice and Dave McCarthy.

MEANWHILE a well-known but non-political figure is considering a run for the city council. A retired business executive, he is still very active in the community.

AND, speculation is still there that there will be a woman candidate for the city council.

Only four women have been elected to the council in the city's 118-year history:

Edna Austin (1943), Joanne Condon (1978), Patricia Toland (1982) and Alicia Gardner (2003).

Austin served 15 years; Condon, eight; Toland 11 years, plus six on the school committee; and Gardner who stepped down in 2005 after one term.



REARDON

MILESTONE: Belated congratulations to Jeanne Reardon, the city council's efficient clerk of committees and husband, Bill, on the birth of their new grandson and fifth grandchild.

Nicholas William Reardon, son of Bill and Michelle Reardon of Plymouth, arrived Feb. 1 at South Shore Hospital. He has a big sister, three-year-old Brooke.

Jeanne, incidentally, is now in her 27th consecutive one-year term as clerk of committees.

Proud dad, Bill, of course, is defensive coordinator of the Quincy High School football team and a guidance counselor.

Quincy Asian Resources Offering Citizenship Class For Immigrant Community

Quincy Asian Resources, in space provided by Quincy Adult Continuing Education, is offering a citizenship class for the immigrant community Monday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at North Quincy High School.

The class will prepare immigrants for the U.S. Citizenship Test.

The class will be taught in

English; limited assistance may be available in Cantonese.

The cost is \$25 for the course and \$15 for books.

North Quincy High School is accessible by buses 201, 202, 210, 211, 212, 215, 217, and by the North Quincy Red Line T stop.

Interested individuals should call QARI at 617-

472-2200.

Payment may be made at the office during office hours (9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.) or at North Quincy High School prior to the first class meeting.

Quincy Asian Resources Inc., is a non-profit social service agency dedicated in promoting the development of the Asian-American com-

munity to benefit the wider community.

In addition to citizenship and English as a Second Language classes, QARI also offers information and referral services and sponsors educational seminars, the Quincy Lunar New Year Festival, and the Quincy August Moon Festival.

one-year lease but we hope they will stay indefinitely. The last two resident over-

seers left when they bought their own homes."

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her

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The historic domicile is the original servants' quarters of the Josiah Quincy

House, 20 Muirhead St., and all the tenant has to do is oversee simple security and maintenance of the Big House.

"It's a year-round job," said Leah Walczak, spokeswoman for Historic New England, an affiliate of the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities, the owner.

"We are looking for a family or a couple to sign a

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A late 1940s postcard reproduction showing the old Capitol Theater building that was located at 1573 Hancock St. in Quincy Square. One of Quincy's first theaters, it was opened around 1915 to show silent moving pictures and run vaudeville shows. It was known as the Quincy Theater until the end of World War II when it was renamed the Capitol. With its balcony it had 1,382

seats. The theater closed in the early 1950s just before the Korean War and remained boarded up for many years until it was used as part of the old Sears & Roebuck store. The building is now part of the Quincy Fair Mall. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

A 'Thank You' For Lunar New Year Success

I would like to congratulate Quincy. The 19th annual Lunar New Year Festival that took place on Sunday, Feb. 25, at North Quincy High School was a huge success. The event attracted about 4,000 people, and there were plenty of activities to keep individuals and families entertained for hours. The festival's enormous success depended upon the partnership and support of many businesses, organizations and individuals.

First and foremost, our committee members and volunteers deserve a standing ovation. The event would simply not have been possible without their many hours of hard work and phenomenal dedication. Led by co-chairs, David Yi Zou and Frank Poon, many of these volunteers have been involved in Quincy's Asian festivals for years, and the wisdom and experience that they bring is indispensable to our growing success.

North Quincy and Quincy High School students, along with those from other high schools, deserve special recognition as our largest and most enthusiastic group of volunteers. Over 100 students contributed time, beginning at 7 a.m. on a Sunday, to ensure that everything

went smoothly. They were always ready, willing, and indefatigable in their efforts. The leadership skills they displayed and developed while planning and managing the festival were amazing and we are confident that they will make our city proud as they make increasingly greater contributions in the future.

The Lunar New Year Festival is an important way for the Asian community to come together to mark the New Year, as well as for the non-Asian community to appreciate Quincy's cultural diversity. It requires financial resources, however, and we are grateful to our sponsors for providing such generous support. We would like to recognize, in particular, our outstanding Grand Sponsor, Mohegan Sun/Sunshine Travel, whose contributions allowed the festival to be truly outstanding. We also would like to highlight our Diamond Sponsors, Tufts-Northwestern Medical Center, Quincy Medical Center, and State Street Bank, and our Media Sponsors, The Patriot Ledger and The Quincy Sun.

The list goes on and on, but we would be remiss not to specifically mention the City of Quincy. Mayor Phelan's office provided the festival with wonderful support, as did the Parks Department and the Police Department. North Quincy High School was, once again, the perfect space for the event, and many school employees went above and beyond to assist as we planned, executed, and wrapped up the event.

Thank you to everyone who made this event not only possible but spectacular, and to the community for their enthusiastic reception and participation. We hope you will join us as we celebrate the Year of the Rat in 2008!

John Brothers
Executive Director
Quincy Asian Resources

Quincy's Yesterdays

Taxpayers Assn. Demands Pay Increases Be Tied To Cost Of Living

By FRANK McCAULEY

The Quincy Taxpayers Association will demand that any increase given city employees be tied to the cost of living index.

The association's views will be placed on record at the City Council's Finance Committee meeting.

George Yarrington, executive director, was instructed by the association Board of Directors to appear before the committee and make this demand.

The cost of living has gone up 4.5 percent since the city employees received their last general increase on July 1, 1955.

PAY RAISES SURE, SAYS AUSTIN

"There is no doubt that city employees will get a pay raise, but there has been no decision reached as to what the increase will be and when it will become effective," said Edna B. Austin, Finance Committee chairman. The Quincy City Employees Association is asking for a flat \$350 annual increase.

QUINCY-ISMS

William R. "Bill" Joyce, retired superintendent of the Quincy Post Office was honored at a testimonial dinner. Joyce's postal career spanned 53 years... Firestone Tire Co., corner Hancock and School Streets, was offering brake adjustments, wheel alignment and wheel balance, a \$19 value for only \$9.95... Hostesses at the Loyalty Supper at the Wollaston Congregational Church included Mrs. Eddie Matheson, chairperson, Mrs. Walter Lee, Mrs. John Carew, Mrs. William Longridge and Mrs. John L. Anderson... Eddie Fisher and Debbie Reynolds were starring in "A Bundle of Joy" at the Wollaston Theatre, Beale St... Patricia Graffam, costumed as a 1920's flapper, and John Banks, costumed as an old prospector, won top prizes in a costume parade sponsored by the Houghs Neck Community Council... William C. Edwards, Quincy city historian, received a certificate from Governor Theodore McKeldin of Maryland, making him an honorary citizen of that state... Cub Scout Pack 22 of the Atlantic Memorial Congregational Church received its pack charter at the recent Blue and Gold Banquet held at the church... The Rev. Victor Sawyer was confirmed by the City Council for reappointment to a five-year term on the Quincy Housing Authority. Rev. Sawyer has been a member of the Authority since it was established almost 10 years ago... The Capitol Super Market, 1506 Hancock St., was advertising "Center Cut Pork Chops for \$4.99 a lb"... Mrs. Americo Cherubini was installed as the 33rd president of the Quincy Elks Emblem Club... Paul Mullen was elected and installed as senior counselor of the Wollaston Council of the United Commercial Travelers at the annual meeting at the Wollaston Legion Post Home... Luigi Bolea, a deputy sheriff of Norfolk County, was honored by more than 75 friends and guests at a testimonial dinner held at the P. Morrisette Legion Post in West Quincy... Mirkin Furniture Co., the oldest furniture company in Quincy, celebrated its 50th anniversary in business... Edward T. Lewis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Lewis, Sr., was recently promoted to Cadet Major in the ROTC at Boston University. He is a dean's list student and a senior at B.U... Raymond's, 67 Parkway, Quincy Center, was advertising "4-Cycle Clinton Engine Rotary Lawn Mowers for \$66"... Arthur Gillis, general chairman of the 1957 Quincy Red Cross fund drive, has appointed Louis S. Cassani, vice president and sales manager of President Chevrolet, as chairman of the Mercantile Division of the drive... Chief Pumpman William Galligan of 97 Bay View Ave., Houghs Neck, wired home that: "I am okay." His ship, the U.S.N.S. Mission San Francisco, collided with a freighter and exploded and sank near New Castle, Delaware... Mrs. Nathan Pavan, chairperson of the Quincy Cancer Society, is planning to show an American Cancer Society film. The hour-long film for women will be shown at the Art Theatre, Quincy Center, March 13.

Parent Advisory Council Meets Tonight At QHS

The Parent Advisory Council at Quincy High School will hold its regularly monthly meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. in the

Pride Room at Quincy High. Parents are also welcome to come early at 6:30 p.m. for the Senior Night Out Planning Meeting.

Citywide Parents Council To Meet On March 12

The Quincy Citywide Parents Council will meet Monday, March 12, at 7 p.m. in the Broadmeadows Middle School, 50 Calvin Rd.

The guest speakers will be Janet Powell, director of Pupil Personnel Services, and Judy Todd, director of Special Education, in the Quincy Public Schools. All are welcome.

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'Visiting Mr. Green' At North Quincy High Theatre

The North Quincy Community Theatre will present "Visiting Mr. Green," a powerful play about family and friendship, on five nights this month at the Black Box Theater in North Quincy

High School.

The play, written by Jeff Baron and directed by Andrew Rhodes, will be staged on the weekends of March 9, 10, 15, 16 and 17 at 8 p.m. It stars Dick Sherrell of Scituate and Todd

Bardolatto.

Tickets at \$15 for adults and \$12 for students and senior citizens, can be reserved by calling 617-769-0232 or ordered on line at www.nqct.org.

Irish Troubadour At Library March 18

Irish Troubadour Tom O'Carroll will celebrate St. Patrick's Day with a free concert of songs and stories from the Auld Sod Sunday, March 18, from 3 to 4 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public

Library, 40 Washington St.

The Dublin-born folklorist and folk singer will play the music of his native land on several instruments, including the tin whistle, the guitar and the bodhran, an

Irish drum.

The performance is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library. For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Beechwood Center 25th Spring Fundraiser April 11

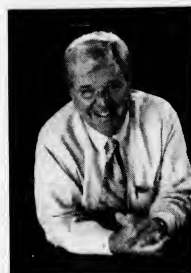
Beechwood On The Bay will hold its 25th annual Spring Fundraiser Wednesday, April 11 at the Quincy Neighborhood Club, Glendale Rd.

Chet Curtis, TV personality and Quincy resident, is honorary chairman. Daniel J. Flynn will be the auctioneer.

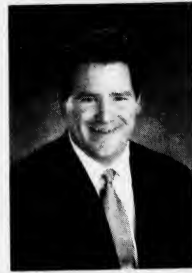
"We are looking forward to seeing longstanding and new community friends," said Beechwood Executive Director Sharron Beals.

"And we are delighted that long-time supporter Chet Curtis is out honorary chairman. Other community leaders are promoting the event through corporate and business sponsorships, advance ticket sales and auction items."

In addition, Beechwood's Board and Event Committee, families, seniors and friends are creating wonderful silent auction items."



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The event will have both silent and live auctions, a "Quick Pick" Bon Petit Board and a cash raffle. Ticket holders will be eligible to win cash prizes up to \$2,500. Tickets are \$100 and only 200 will be sold.

Tickets are now available at Beechwood On The Bay, 440 East Squantum St. and from members of the Development/Event Committee.

Members of the commit-

tee are:

Gwendolyn Bulmer, George Dolbec, Bill Farrell, Jane Gallahue, Michael Joyce, George Klier, William MacDonald, Maralin Manning, Kathy Murphy, Nancy Murphy, Judy Paul, Nancy Ross, Brendan Smith, Caryn Smith, Linda Smith, Brian Spillane, Donald Uvanitte and Sharron Beals.

For more information call 617-471-5712.

Quincy Artist's Exhibit Opens At Crane Library

Quincy resident Mary C. Lee will exhibit her painting and collage through March in the Coletti Reading Room on the first floor of the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy Center.

Lee's art explores landscape and the impressions of specific, physical spaces. Her mixed media collage combines original photographs, found images and objects to form a psychological landscape. Her work incorporates themes including a sense of place, travel memory, loss, transforma-

tion, impermanence and home.

Lee was born and raised in San Diego and received her BFA from San Diego State University. After MFA courses at the University of California at Santa Barbara and working as a graphic designer, she returned to

SDSU for her secondary teaching credential in Art and ESL. She recently completed her masters in Teaching in Creative Arts at Bridgewater State College and currently teaches art at Abington High School.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Top Southern Historian To Speak In ENC Series

History scholar Bertram Wyatt-Brown was scheduled to speak on "Honor in the American South and the Middle East" yesterday (Wednesday) at 6:30 p.m. at Shradar Lecture Hall on the Eastern Nazarene College Wollaston campus.

Wyatt-Brown, one of the

most distinguished historians of the American South, is emeritus professor of history at the University of Florida and visiting scholar at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore.

His appearance is free and open to the public.

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"REIGNING SWEETHEARTS" Frances and Forrest Smith hold hands at a Beechwood Senior Center party honoring them on their 70th wedding anniversary. She is 89 and he is 91.

Robert Noble photo

Forrest, Frances Smith Honored As Sweethearts On 70th Anniversary

Forrest and Frances Smith, married 70 years, were honored as the "Reigning Sweethearts" at a recent "Sweethearts Party" at the Beechwood Senior Center.

Forrest, 91, and Frances, 89, were married March 2, 1937 in St. Peter's Church in Dorchester, a marriage that brought them a family of eight children, 15 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Forrest and Frances still live in the house in Wollaston they bought in 1955.

At the Beechwood party the Smiths were surrounded by other Quincy "Senior Sweetheart Couples": John and Ruth Dobbie, Warren and Nancy Kirkland, John and Pat Rein, Tony and Lee Cronis, Bob and Joan Clarke, Mario and Deena DeLucas and Joe Fontanna and Olga Ward.

Children from Beechwood's Preschool joined the party singing songs: "You Are My Sweetheart," "I Love You", and presenting hand painting hearts to all the sweetheart couples.

The Smiths are "regulars" at the Center. They participate in the Senior Lunch Program, card games and round table discussion groups. Frances teaches crochet. Forrest volunteers at lunchtime. Both are readying for the Senior Olympics in May. Forrest hopes to compete in horseshoes, darts, bowling, boche, basketball and free throw. Forrest also began swinging his golf clubs.

The Smiths were also honored Sunday by their family at Lombardos in Randolph. Family members came from as far as California and Indiana.



COURTNEY PAQUETTE and ROY BJORLIN, III Courtney Paquette Engaged To Roy Bjorlin, III

Susan and J. Jeffrey Paquette of Quincy, announce the engagement of their daughter, Courtney Elizabeth Paquette to Roy Walter Bjorlin, III of Boston. He is the son of Lenore and Roy Bjorlin, Jr. of Fairfield, Conn.

Miss Paquette is a graduate of the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, and received a Masters Degree in Print Journalism from Boston University. She is a reporter for the Eagle-Tribune Newspaper in Andover.

Mr. Bjorlin also a gradu-

ate of the College of the Holy Cross received a Jurist Doctorate Degree from Suffolk University School of Law. He is an associate with McLeod Law Offices in Boston.

A May 5 wedding is planned at St. Mary's Church, Quincy with a reception to follow at the Marriott Boston Long Wharf.

NQHS 1957 Class Planning Oct. 6 Reunion

North Quincy High School, Class of 1957, will hold its 50th anniversary reunion Saturday, Oct. 6 at the Best Western-Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Anyone knowing the address of missing classmates is asked to contact Lois (Woodson) Nally at 781-878-4692.

Missing classmates include:

Rebecca Barnett, Tomasevich, Helen Clancy, Carol Clasy Saccoach, Edith Cleveland Allen, Louise Cronin Downey, Elma Dingwell Legge, Vincent Dunn, Nancy Gar-

land Krauth, Katherine Gartland Kelley, Richard Gnospelius, Mary Keefe, Edward Kent, Carol King, Jeane Laracy, Patricia Lockwood Kybrides, Janice Lowe Hatch, William Lyons, David McLean.

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Rita's Fantastic Dressing

It was one of those Sundays when we had a couple of children over for dinner and our daughter Rita called to tell me of her own recipe for blue cheese dressing that she was bringing for dinner.

It was so delicious that all of us said we would never purchase blue cheese dressing again, but would prepare it as Rita did. It's so easy and can be made and kept refrigerated for a long time.

Rita's Fantastic Blue Cheese Dressing:
four ounces blue cheese (either a hunk

to crumble or one already crumbled)
1 cup sour cream (she used a low fat one)
1/4 skim milk mixed with 2 tablespoons lemon juice or
1/4 cup buttermilk
a splash of Worcestershire sauce
a smidgen of garlic powder
salt and pepper to taste
Mix altogether and keep refrigerated. I also used it as a topping for baked potatoes with a broccoli stuffing.

Blue Star Mothers To Meet At Wollaston Congregational

The newly formed Eastern Massachusetts Chapter of the Blue Star Mothers of America will hold the next two monthly meetings in Quincy at the Wollaston Congregational Church, 48 Winthrop Ave., at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 15 and April 26.

The Blue Star Mothers of

America organization is open to all family members, friends, and neighbors of military personnel regardless of activation status or station of service. The organization offers support to families, soldiers, and veterans of all military branches of service.

The March meeting will open with a flag ceremony conducted by the Quincy's Navy Sea Cadets.

For more information, call 781-545-4021 or write to EMAC-BSMA P.O. Box 123, Scituate, MA 02066.

The Chapter's website is www.bluestarmothers-emac.org.

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St. Agatha Church Spring WINGS Session Starts March 14

The women of St. Agatha Parish of Milton-Quincy invite women of all ages and all parishes to join them at their spring session of WINGS (Women In God's Spirit) which begins Wednesday, March 14 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Parish Center.

The session continues on consecutive Wednesday evenings, ending on April 4.

This is the third WINGS session to take place at St. Agatha Church. It is offered in partnership with the Office of Life and Family Ministries-Archdiocese of Boston.

WINGS is a faith enrichment group for women led by a Core Team of lay women who invite and encourage other women to come, seek, and grow in their relationship with God.

When St. Agatha first offered its WINGS program in the Spring of 2006, it was one of only a handful of churches statewide to do so. The session was a stunning success, drawing nearly 90

women from over 17 parishes each night. WINGS welcomes women wherever they are in their journey of faith, and St. Agatha's Core Team stresses to each participant to "come as you are."

"Forgiveness" is the theme for the upcoming spring/Lenten session of WINGS. In the past, each meeting has had a different theme and guest speaker. This session will take a different approach.

All four evenings will be led by Celia Sirois, a well-respected biblical scholar, instructor in Sacred Scripture in a number of adult education and enrichment programs in the Archdiocese. She is also Coordinator and Instructor for CHRISM, a Bible study program serving the parishes of the South Region of the Archdiocese.

For the past 15 years, Sirois has also co-directed New Directions in Catholic-Jewish Dialogue, an interfaith educational initiative, jointly sponsored by the

Archdiocese of Boston and the Anti-Defamation League.

She will choose four Scripture passages/parables that deal with forgiveness, assist the women in interpreting the material and then participants will break into small groups to discuss the relevance of the readings in their own lives if they so choose. Some women feel more comfortable listening, and there is no pressure placed on anyone to speak.

Debbie Riley is the coordinator of the WINGS program at St. Agatha's.

Each session lasts two hours, and participants are encouraged to BYOB (Bring Your Own Bible), although there will be some on hand for those who do not bring one.

There is also a voluntary \$5 donation to cover the costs of materials.

For more information about the WINGS program, contact Debbie Riley at 617-698-2439.

First Meeting Of Season For North Quincy Catholic Women

The Catholic Women's Club of North Quincy will hold its first meeting of the 2007-08 season tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in

the hall of Sacred Heart School, 270 Hancock St.

Audrey Ronstadt will be the chairlady for the evening

and Mrs. Kate Shannon, the president, will conduct the business meeting. Plans for the coming year will be discussed.

'Irish Night' At St. Ann Saturday

St. Ann's Parish will hold an "Irish Night" dinner-dance Saturday, March 10, from 7 p.m. to 12 midnight at St. Ann's School Hall, One St. Ann's Rd., Wollaston.

Those attending will dine on the traditional St.

Patrick's Day corned beef and cabbage dinner a week

early and dance to the Irish music of the DJ, Nu Image.

Emblem Club Meeting

Quincy Emblem Club 22 will meet Wednesday, March 14, at 7 p.m. at the Elks

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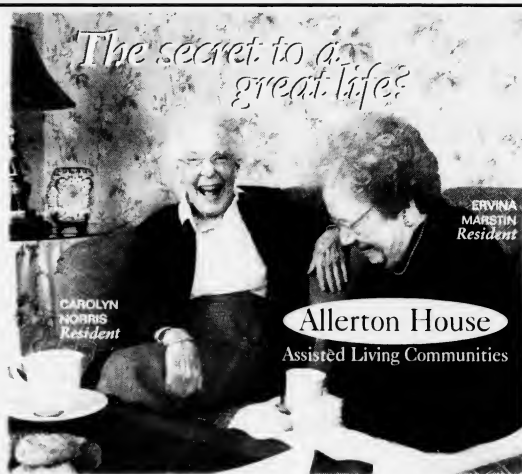
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Quincy 2000 Group Slates Area Business Meetings

Quincy 2000 Collaborative will hold business partnership meetings in several areas of the city to provide business and property owners an opportunity to develop programs and resources.

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Wollaston, Thursday, March 15, from 8 to 9 a.m., at the United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St.

South/West Quincy, Wednesday, March 21, from 8 to 9 a.m., at Fallon Ambulance, 115 Brook Rd.

Quincy Center, Tuesday, March 27, from 8 to 9 a.m., at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St. Peninsula Area

(Merrymount, Adams Shore, Germantown, Houghs Neck), Tuesday, March 27, from 5 to 6 p.m., at Dailey Tax and Insurance, 526 Sea St.

North Quincy & Squantum/Marina Bay (joint meeting), Thursday, April 5, from 8 to 9 a.m., at the North Quincy Public Library, 381 Hancock St.

For more information or to RSVP your attendance, call 617-984-5717, extension 2.

Global Warming Film Discussion At Library

Wondering whether global warming is myth or reality? Or convinced there's a problem but not sure what you can do about it?

A free screening of the Academy Award winning documentary "An Inconvenient Truth" will be presented on Sunday, March 25 at 1:30 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy Center. Following the movie, will be a discussion with local officials and environmental activists on how Quincy is responding to the situation

and how residents can help and also save on energy costs.

In this critically acclaimed film, former Vice President Al Gore presents a compelling view of the future of the planet, the myths and misconceptions about global warming and urges that we act now to save the earth.

After the screening, members of the Quincy Environmental Network, Green Start, the Massachusetts Climate Action Network, Mayor William Phelan, and

City Council Environmental and Health Subcommittee members Leo Kelly and Kevin Coughlin will discuss how residents can become part of the solution.

The screening and discussion are sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library and the Quincy Environmental Network, in cooperation with the Quincy City Council Environmental and Health Subcommittee.

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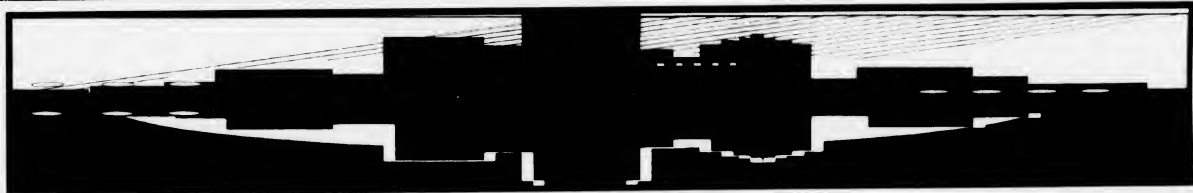


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STUDENTS at the Montclair School brought their spare change to school for three weeks in February and suddenly it added up to \$748.22 for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Taking part in the Pennies for Patients drive were members of the Montclair student council, left to right, Lindsay Delaney, Nisreen Abo-Sido, Valerie Lioudinouskov, Erin Gaffney, Lisa Hall and Taylor Daccache.

Quincy Restaurant Week Offers Special Dining Rates

Gourmets and gourmands alike will be able to dine and lunch on the cheap at some of Quincy's finest restaurants during Quincy Restaurant Week March 12 through 16.

Special offerings, such as \$25 and \$20 for dinner for two and \$15 and \$10 for lunch for two will be available at selected locations. Special discounts will be offered at some food shops and eateries.

Some of the participating restaurants include:

Burke's Sea Food, D'Angelo's, Latin' Healthy, Fajitas n' Ritas, The Fox and Hound, Fuji 1546, Genaro's Eatery, Hancock's at the Marriott, the Mandarin King, Renaissance Cafe, Siro's at Marina Bay, The Irish Pub and Tullios.

For a full listing of restaurants visit www.tastequincy.com.

"Taste Quincy" Restaurant Week last October brought hundreds of diners

to the city's eateries.

"Following the success of this fall, Quincy Arts Alive!, we will once again be partnering with the Quincy Restaurant League to expand the event," said Mark Carey, executive director of Discovery Quincy.

"Dozens of restaurants are participating in 'Taste Quincy' Restaurant Week. This is the perfect opportunity for dining enthusiasts to 'taste' all that Quincy has to offer."

Wollaston Book Scholarship Applications Now Available

Applications for two \$200 book award scholarships from the Wollaston Elementary School are available at the Quincy and North Quincy High School guidance offices and the Wollaston School.

The scholarships are awarded annually to any high school senior who

graduated from the Wollaston Elementary School and plans to further his or her education beyond high school.

Completed applications should be submitted to Principal Susan Troy at the

Wollaston School, 205 Beale St., Quincy, MA 02170. The deadline is Friday, April 27.

The book award scholarships will be chosen at the May 21 meeting of the Parent Teachers Organization. Recipients will be notified by mail.

Megan Cufaude Begins Duty At Air Force Base

Air Force Airman 1st Class Megan M. Cufaude recently arrived for duty at Seymour John Air Force Base, Goldsboro, N.C.

Cufaude is a radiologic apprentice with more than a year of military service.

A 2002 graduate of Weymouth High School, she is the daughter of Roger L. Cufaude of Weymouth and Maureen E. Queally of Quincy.



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TAKING THE John Hancock Plunge at the Mound Street beach Saturday was a real cool experience. Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble

10th Annual Quincy Lions Club Run/Walk For Sight April 21

The 10th annual Quincy Lions Club Run/Walk for Sight will be held Saturday, April 21 at Pageant Field in Quincy.

Registration for the event begins at 9 a.m., followed by a children's 1K race at 10:30 a.m. The adult 5K run/walk - which is on a course certified by U.S. Track & Field - begins at 11 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded to race winners in a number of categories. The first 200 registrants will receive a free race t-shirt.

Following the race, a barbecue buffet luncheon courtesy of the Outback Steakhouse will be held. There will also be a disc jockey on hand and a number of prize raffles.

Proceeds from the event

benefit eye research and the Quincy Lions Club's community service activities, including providing free eye exams and free eyeglasses for local residents in need, offering free vision and health screenings, providing college scholarships to local high school students and more.

"The Run/Walk for Sight is a fun event for the whole family," said Quincy Lions Club President Elaine duJardin. "The local community has been very supportive of the Lions Club's efforts to help blind and visually impaired individuals, and we hope everyone will come out and enjoy this fun and worthwhile event."

The registration fee is \$5

for children, \$20 for adults. Pre-registration for those who sign up before the day of the event is \$17.

To register, mail a check payable to Quincy Lions Club to: Quincy Lions Club, P.O. Box 27, Quincy, MA 02170, Attn: Run/Walk. Registrants should include their name, address and age (for race categories).

Platinum sponsors of this year's Run/Walk are Outback Steakhouse and Eastern Bank. Silver sponsors include South Shore Savings Bank, Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, ASAP Environmental, Mansfield & Nolan, Custom Builders and the Mass. Department of the American Legion.



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Tuesday, March 13

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Wednesday, March 14

Chocolate chip mini pancakes, maple syrup, sausage links, applesauce cup, fruit juice.

Thursday, March 15

Beef dippers, mashed potatoes, vegetable, dinner roll, fruit juice.

Friday, March 16

Cheese stuffed shells with tomato sauce, hot vegetable, shamrock cookie.

Boston Harbor Wrecks Examined At Library

Captains James Sullivan and Patrick Breen of the Boston Harbor Diving Association will present "An Evening Underwater"

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 12

Pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, March 13

Spaghetti and meatballs, hot vegetable, dinner roll, fresh fruit or juice. Early release middle and high schools.

Wednesday, March 14

Grilled hot dog on a bun, coleslaw, baked beans.

Thursday, March 15

Grilled chicken cutlet on a bulgie roll, potato wedges, dinner roll.

Friday, March 16

Cheese quesadilla with salsa for dipping, carrot and celery sticks, fruit juice.

Wednesday, March 21, at 6:30 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The presentation will explore wrecks in Boston Harbor, view different artifacts from those wrecks, examine SCUBA diving equipment and see historic maps and pictures of the famous ships.

The evening is sponsored by the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission and the Boston Harbor Diving Company. For a sneak preview, visit www.bostondiving.com.

MBTA Passes For Seniors

A man from the MBTA will be at City Hall, 1305 Hancock St., Tuesday, April 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. to sign up seniors and the handicapped for new T passes.

For more information, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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With the child care flexible spending account a taxpayer can have his/her employer contribute up to \$5,000 to the plan. The taxpayer can then ask for reimbursement for qualified child care expenses paid up to \$5,000. Since the \$5,000 is not included in the employee's taxable wages the savings equal the federal income tax rate plus the state income tax rate and the social security rate if the employee is not earning in excess of the social security wage amount.

For instance, a couple with taxable income of \$75,000 and one child in day care costing \$6,000 will save \$600 by claiming the child care credit. They will save \$1,897 if they contribute \$5,000 to an employer flexible spending account.

The savings is even more dramatic for health care flexible spending accounts.



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The Quincy Sun

Jaehnig Seeks \$100,000 For Park Dept. Budget

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Mark Jaehnig, the city's new Park Commissioner, got a warm welcome from the City Council Monday, but no cash for his budget woes.

Instead, the council sent Jaehnig's \$100,000 appropriation request to the Finance Committee for further study.

"Our budget has been greatly impacted by a number of unforeseen circumstances," Jaehnig told council members before outlining the need for an additional \$60,000 for personnel services and \$40,000 to meet current expenditures.

"As the newly appointed park director, I fully intend to ensure that our city is kept clean and beautiful," Jaehnig promised, adding, "Our elite facilities are the envy of the South Shore and Metropoli-

tan Boston. I want to maintain and enhance these gems..."

According to Jaehnig, an unexpected \$28,000 was spent to complete the installation of new turf for the Veterans' Memorial Stadium project in time for the 2006 high school football and soccer teams.

In addition, he said that the personnel budget must also meet unanticipated settlements totaling over \$37,000 due to the retirement of former Park Director Thomas Koch and the death of General Foreman Paul Zambruno.

As for equipment repairs, Jaehnig noted the line item amount was \$20,000 and the department has already "nearly expended the vehicle repairs budget and spent an additional \$22,000 from the

Park Maintenance account in order to continue to service our vehicles."

Jaehnig also cited storm damage at Mitchell/McCoy Park and the need for sodding Teel and varsity fields.

If approved, the appropriation request would be met by transferring \$50,000 from the city's collection and disposal account and \$50,000 from free cash.

Jaehnig, appointed Parks Director by Mayor William Phelan three weeks ago, is a practicing chiropractor who earned his degree from Palmer College in Iowa.

A graduate of Boston College High School and Stonehill College, he lives in North Quincy with his wife and four children. For many years, he has coached basketball, baseball and soccer.

City Council Scraps Mandatory Recycling

(Cont'd From Page 1)

As for senior citizens, Coughlin said some senior citizens told him they were surprised that recycling was not mandatory now. Quincy has fallen behind in recycling efforts, according to Coughlin who noted that Newton has a 40% recycling rate.

He also said that Braintree and Plymouth already impose fines.

Voting against the proposal with Raymond and McNamee were Joseph Finn, Michael McFarland, Leo Kelly and Jay Davis.

Voting "present" were Council President Doug Coutro, Coughlin and Keenan.

'Friends Of Unborn' Retreat At Kennebunkport In June

The Rev. Francis Conroy, former parochial vicar at St. John the Baptist Church, will lead the seventh annual retreat of the Friends of the Unborn on the weekend of June 8-10 in Kennebunkport, Maine.

The weekend at St. Anthony's Franciscan Guest House will cost \$319 for a single room and \$249 per person for a double room, including a two nights stay, six meals and a bus leaving St. Johns Church.

Checks should be made out to "Friends of the Unborn, Trip Account" and sent to Friends of the Unborn, Kennebunkport Retreat, 38 Edgemere Rd., Quincy, MA 02169.

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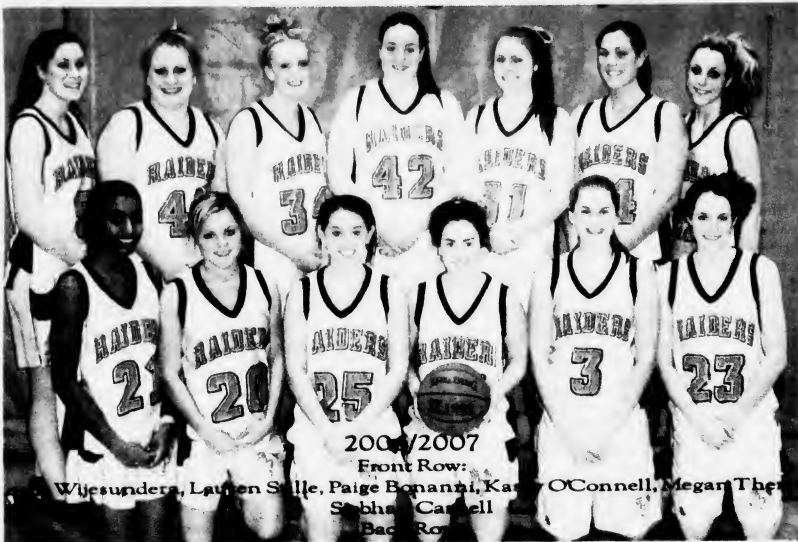
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Cunningham, Shannon Malone, Catherine O'Connell, Danielle Kelly, Rebecca Goreham and Brianne Carnell. Missing from the photo: Mary Kate Stille.

By LAURA GRIFFIN

North Quincy's 15 glory girls are their league's basketball champions and they won more accolades Monday night in City Council chambers for bringing victory home.

City councillors applauded their league victory and lauded their coach, Doug MacFarlane for his quarter century of dedication and excellence.

MacFarlane coached the North Quincy High School girls' basketball team to the Atlantic Coast League North championship this season. It is the third championship in his past nine years, but the first Atlantic Coast League championship.

The victory is sweet, but somewhat bittersweet, as MacFarlane will retire from coaching this year after 25 years. He plans to retire from teaching next year.

Councillors presented MacFarlane with a commendation citing his "victorious career" and commending him for challenging and inspiring his teams. Each of the



DOUG MacFARLANE
Head Coach

basketball team members received a special award certificate citing their teamwork and pride in achievement.

John MacFarlane is assistant coach with captains Meg Therrien, Lauren Stille and Rebecca Goreham and teammates Paige Bonanni, Kasey O'Connell, Siobhan Carnell, Brianne Carnell, Caroline Cunningham, Danielle Kelly, Mary Kate Stille, Rushi Wijesundera, Shannon Malone, Catherine O'Connell and Jessie Howlett.



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By MIRIAM JOSEPH

What do you do on a sunny, 51-degree Saturday morning in March? You take a plunge in the Atlantic Ocean, of course!

Over 100 people were at the Mound Street Beach in Quincy Point Saturday to support about 20 brave hearts who took a dunk in the water to help raise funds for the Interfaith Social Services of Quincy.

Sponsored by the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission a death and winter-weather conditions had twice before forced rescheduling of the John Hancock Birthday Plunge from its initial date in January, coinciding with Hancock's birthday.

"The third time was the charm," was the oft-quoted comment of the day, as the enthusiastic and good-humored crowd shared their excitement with friends, supporters and media. With all the spirited conversations, laughing, and refreshments, the gathering had all the elements of a real beach party, in March!

Eighty-one year-old Jean Ross, a Quincy resident for 57 years, was one of a group of toe-dunkers, aptly nicknamed 'The Dunking Toe-Nuts' by plunge-supporter Betty Sweeney. Ross placed a notice in her Bethany Church bulletin about the upcoming plunge and requested sponsors.

"It was very fortunate for me, the very first day it was in the paper, there was a sit-down lunch after church services, and I cornered everybody. It was like you couldn't get away from me that day. When my first sponsor gave me a check I was flying high. After that, everywhere I went I would ask for money."

Ross raised over \$600 in pledges, and was presented with a plumber's helper, a plunger, an award for achieving the most money raised.

Ross in turn motivated her church buddy Barbara Gilliland, also 81. "Well, if she can do it, I can! You know, you read about the L Street Brownies and see them on the TV all the time and I never really wanted to do it, but then my friend Jean kind of inspired me and I said 'What the heck, once in your life, let's do it.'" Gilliland was accompanied by an anonymous assistant, who claimed to be too much of a wimp to go in the water, but was there to "hold Barbara's towel and wrap it around her and keep her warm while she runs for the ambulance!"

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly, chairman of the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, was pleased to report that nearly \$3000 has been raised or pledged for the ISS. Kelly is planning another John Hancock-inspired event, a future penmanship contest for Quincy school students. Commission member Jack Nigro, who said he lacked the nerve to go in the water, confessed that he had challenged Kelly to take the plunge, but both wound up as avid cheerleaders for those who did.

Mary-Jo Kahler, winner of the plunger, for the funniest costume, was in a blue and white swimsuit, the colors of her alma mater, Quincy High School, and wore a mop cap and old fashioned shawl to reflect her interest in early-American history. Kahler, who did more than toe-dunk, wanted to participate because "I grew up in Quincy Point, was always at the beach, and ISS is a nice charity. And I was beaten out on pledges; I was tops at close to \$400, and somebody beat me out!" Ward 2 Councillor Dan Raymond and the Immaculate Conception Bingo Committee of Weymouth were two of Kahler's major donors.

Raymond applauded the commission's efforts.

"This is just a great event for a great cause and it's wonderful to bring people back to the beaches. We have wonderful beaches in Quincy-like Mound St. and Avalon. We have a cookout at Avalon in the summer, so it's nice to have an event at Mound St. as well. There are a lot of activities in Quincy Point to bring the neighborhoods and residents together, and we're hoping the commission will make this a yearly event.

"The Beach Commission advocates on behalf of all things that affect the beaches and the quality of life for all folks who want to utilize Quincy beaches, they do great work and their service is to be appreciated by all of us."

Lorraine Paolucci, a Quincy Point resident since she married 54 years ago, said,

"I've been down here twice a week since this event was first planned, and the beach was all ice...I remember playing on the ice when I was a kid, but I'm 72 years old now, so I thought 'I don't think I'll do it.' I grew up on Perry's Beach in Houghs Neck, which is named after my father, and I've suggested that maybe next year we could have this event there. All the doctor told me was if I was going to do this, I needed to get a wet suit. I have \$350 in pledges."

Described as the event's brainchild, Chickie Abdallah, commission treasurer, said, "Today's event has beaten every expectation I had. The funds we have raised for ISS are phenomenal for a first time. Just wait 'til next year. This has done my heart good, and I want to thank everybody!"

Life-long Quincy resident Brad Croall collected over \$400 in pledges and was one of only two men who took the plunge. The other was his

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HEARTY SOULS SPLASH their way into the frigid water during the John Hancock Plunge at Mound Street Beach Saturday. The event raised over \$3,000 for the Interfaith Social Services of Quincy.



MORE TIMID SOULS decided discretion is the better part of valor and settled for a little toe-dunk.



LORRAYNE PAOLUCCI (left) received the Most Enthusiastic Award; **Mary-Jo Kahler**, the Funniest Costume and **Jennie Pentz**, best toe-dunker.



MEMBERS OF THE sponsoring Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission attending included (kneeling) Kristen Awed-Ladas, Margaret Milne and Jack Nigro. Standing, John Haley, Doug Gutro, Chickie Abdallah, Chairman Leo Kelly, Monica Ferraro, Brad Croall.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



JEAN ROSS, 81, (center) was the top fundraiser with more than 4600 and one of the toe-dunkers. With her are Betty DeCristofaro and Doris Allen.



REAL ESTATE



By Samantha Mazzotta

Downpour Detective Solves Ceiling Leak

Q I read your column about the e-mail from Nancy V. and her inability to locate the source of a leak that caused damage to her dining-room ceiling but not to the bedroom ceiling above. I had the same problem several years ago and experienced similar frustrations. Nobody seemed able to find the source.

Finally I insisted that my husband remove what I thought was a damaged siding shingle. He found that the installer had bent down one corner of the eaves box when installing it. During heavy rains, the water overflowed and ran down between the walls, then across the dining-room ceiling to the center light fixture.

Having a new eaves box installed correctly fixed my problem. Perhaps this information will help Nancy V. and others. —*Mary D.*

A Thank you, Mary! I mentioned in a previous column that a house, besides providing shelter, is a system that can keep it

occupants comfortable and healthy. If something in the system is damaged or incorrectly installed, that comfort is compromised.

The eaves box end is part of the fascia (the horizontal covering along the roof eaves that protects roof timbers) and is found at the corners of the eaves. Damage to this or any part of the roofline system can certainly cause interior leaks.

A visual inspection of the roof, its joints, flashing, eaves, soffits, gutters and other protective systems is a very important suggestion. Note any areas that are damaged or "not quite right" — dirtier than the surrounding area, corroded or rusty, or clogged with debris — and contact a roofing professional for further examination.

Also, remember to get a written estimate and a detailed explanation of damage and suggested repairs from the roofer before agreeing to have the work done.

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Floating Floors Cut Steps

TIPS FOR HOMEOWNERS

Floating floors—what a concept! Sounds like something out of "Peter Pan." Actually, the floors are designed to stay solidly in place though they are neither glued nor nailed down—hence the ethereal name installers give them.

Some new glueless floors that look like stone, granite, ceramic tile, marble or hardwood are so warm and soft underfoot you may feel like you are floating. Made of resilient flooring with fiberglass backing, the new floors by Domco are called FiberFloor.

Whether installed by do-it-yourselfer or a professional, these floors are clean and easy to work with, saving time and money. Professional installer GJ West of Augusta, Ga., advises, "If you're not using glue, make sure that the

flooring doesn't touch baseboards, doorjamb or walls." Molding will cover the small space between floor and wall.

West suggests that beginners start with a square room that requires minimal measuring and cutting. "In spite of its remarkable flexibility, if you're covering a big room, you'll need an extra set of hands to help maneuver the flooring. Its sturdiness makes it heavy."

FiberFloor ranges in price from 99 cents to \$3.22 a square foot for dozens of designs and colors, in 12- and six-foot widths in the Influence, Urbana and Habitat collections. Where should the seams go so they're least visible? "At the shortest possible span, such

as a doorway." He adds, "Make sure the surface below the flooring," which can be almost anything except carpet, "is stable."

"These new floating floors make my job easier and the results look good."

How does the flooring remain in place without glue? Mario Allard, Domco's product director, says, "It's a combination of the flooring's weight, the suction-cup effect of the fiberglass backing, and

the construction—which enables it to lay and stay flat. Furniture and appliances placed on top also keep it from moving." Allard and West say to lift heavy pieces and place them where you want them and never slide them.

A bonus of glueless installation: In case of a leak, you can lift up the floor and replace it after it and the subfloor have dried.

For more information about FiberFloor, visit www.domoc.com.

Neighborhood Housing Homebuyer Workshop At Bank Of Canton

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore, in conjunction with the Bank of Canton, will host a first-time homebuyer workshop Monday, March 19 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, March 24 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshop will be held at the Bank of Canton corporate office, 490 Turnpike St., Canton.

Attendance at both sessions is necessary to receive homebuying certificate.

The workshop is open residents of Massachusetts, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. Participants will have an opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal aspects of the homebuying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from real estate related professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person. Call 617-770-2227 ext. 31.

Reverse Mortgage Topic

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy. Reverse mortgage is a

program offered by the federal government that allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash.

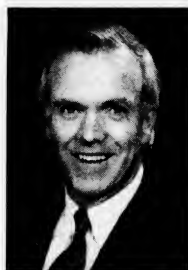
For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

Conway Commercial Sells Crown Colony Medical Condo

Paul Durgin, vice president of Conway Commercial, a division of Jack Conway & Co. Realtors, recently negotiated the sale of a 3,000 square-foot medical condominium at 500 Congress St. in the Crown Colony office complex in Quincy.

Durgin represented the seller, Hopkins & Tarry LLP, and procured the buyer, Granite Realty Trust. The sale price was \$775,000.

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REAL ESTATE



Portable Generators: Staying Safe During The Storm

Weathering storms includes knowing what to do about downed power lines due to high winds or ice. Power lines and trees can become encrusted with ice that they collapse, leaving millions without electricity. However, with a portable generator, you can keep your refrigerator running and your kids warm as a bug in a rug until the power is restored.

"Portable generators are the best way to keep your household running when

wind or ice takes out power lines on your street," said Colin Iwasa of Yamaha Motor Corp., U.S.A. "The provide a power source for a space heater, refrigerator and other household necessities such as a coffeepot. But it's very important to know how to use a portable generator safely at your home."

Each year in America, carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning associated with the use of portable generators and other engine-driven tools

claims dozens of lives and sends many others to hospital emergency rooms for treatment. Since CO is an odorless and colorless toxic gas, there is no warning of its presence.

Yamaha offers some important safety tips on using portable generators as a home backup power supply:

Never Use a Gas Generator Indoors or in Partly Enclosed Areas such as an Attached Garage - A portable generator uses a

combustion engine just like your car, which produces toxic carbon monoxide gasses. It must be outdoors in a well-ventilated, dry area away from any of your home's windows, doors and other air intakes. Never run a generator in basements, attached garages or other partly enclosed areas such as patios.

Read Manufacturer's Instructions for Safe Operation - This is provided when you purchase your generator. If you need another copy of the instructions, stop by the generator dealer.

Don't Store Fuel and Oil Indoors or Try to Fuel Equipment While Running - "You wouldn't fill your car at the gas station while the engine is running and the same logic should go for your generator," said Yamaha's Iwasa. These liquids are flammable and can be sparked by the generator. Your generator should be turned off and allowed to cool before refueling; gasoline on a hot engine can cause a fire.

Use a Carbon Monoxide Detector in Your Home - This is an important way to be warned of toxic carbon monoxide in your home from any source. You can find these affordable units at home

or hardware stores. Purchase battery-powered units and test and replace the battery as recommended by the manufacturer.

Never Try to Power a House by Plugging a Generator Into Your Wall Plug - This can cause "backfeeding," which is extremely dangerous and an electrocution risk to utility workers and neighbors using the same transformer. As an electrician or the power company can install an appropriate transfer switch that complies with local building codes and, with proper operation, will allow you to power selected circuits in your home.

Use the Appropriate Generator for Your Needs - Work with a generator salesperson to get the right unit to meet your needs. List the equipment and appliances you want to power in an emergency, and be sure your generator is sized properly to handle the load of those products.

In addition to a portable generator, Yamaha suggests you keep the following on hand.

- Battery-operated carbon monoxide and smoke detectors and a fire extinguisher.
- A battery-operated radio

to keep apprised of weather conditions while the power is out.

- Cell phone and an extra cell phone battery for communication needs, should your phone lines also be affected by the storm.

- Flashlight.
- Lots of extra fresh batteries.
- Blankets.
- Extra food and water.
- Extra medicine and baby items.

- Extra fuel for your generator.

- First aid supplies.

Following these tips can mean safety and comfort for you and your family.

For more information, visit www.yamahamotor.com.

The Next Big Thing In Housing: The 'Citizen Vacationer'

(NAPS) - Connecting with neighbors and building a sense of community has become a top priority for homeowners across America.

In fact, lost in all the headlines over fortunes investors made in recent years playing the real-estate market is that, until not that long ago, homeowners were telling researchers that they were more concerned with living in "strong communities" than they were even their houses' resale values. Now that same yearning appears to be catching on among a new class of homebuyers, as well: "citizens vacationers."

Citizen vacationers are in search of second homes that let them feel like they're part of something bigger. Not only don't they want strangers for neighbors, they want to live in a place where shades of "Cheers" - everyone knows their name well enough to say "hello" in the morning.

It's a concept developer Neel Bennett has long understood. He's been turning beachfront property held by his family into a new vacation community in Florida's Emerald Coast, called The Towne of Seahaven. When complete, this community will have a distinctly village-like feel to it with a mix of architectural styles evocative of Key West,

magnolia plantations, Florida cracker and the South Seas.

"The site has been in our family for three generations," says Bennett. "When my great-grandfather bought the land, people told him he was crazy. Why would anyone want to buy sand?"

But it seems his great-grandfather was on to something. Nestled safely in a hurricane-free alley in Panama City Beach, The Towne of Seahaven features about a quarter-mile of white sand beachfront along the emerald green Gulf of Mexico.

Vacationers to The Towne of Seahaven will soon be able to wander the intertwined pedestrian walkways that will lead them from their homes to the town center. There they'll mingle with neighbors, visit a bistro or boutique or relax in the spa. There will even be wine

festivals and other events planned specifically to help the citizen vacationers get to know one another - even if they live there for just part of the year.

The community's first beachfront-view occupants are expected in late 2007. When totally complete in the coming years, as many as 4,000 units - many of them beachfront property - are slated to have been built. Somewhere between those times, one local expert is predicting we'll surely see another hallmark of the citizen vacationer proved right: "It could easily be their preferred address," says Calvin Kilpatrick of Playground Destination Properties, Inc.

For more information, visit the website www.ownseahaven.com or call (877) 636-6550.

Mount Vernon Mortgage Homebuyer Seminar At Marina Bay March 24

Mount Vernon Mortgage Corp. will host a free homebuyer seminar Saturday, March 24 from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at 500 Victory Rd., Marina Bay, North Quincy.

The seminar is free for South Shore residents.

Pre-registration is required. Call 781-337-2432

ext. 16.

Topics covered include working with a buyer's broker, understanding the mortgage process and the importance of a pre-approval, what's in a credit score, why you need a home inspection, how your attorney can make a difference, and more.

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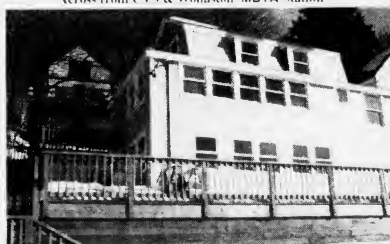
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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

A Job Well Done

On Thursday, Feb. 22, at approximately 1:15 p.m., Officers Kristen Bowes and William Lanergan were dispatched to the area of 500 Quarry St. for a "motor vehicle accident with injuries." As Officer Bowes arrived on scene, dispatch informed her that the suspect driver just fled from the scene down Hall Place.

Officer Bowes's first responsibility was to check the accident scene to determine if anyone was injured. The first vehicle was unoccupied, however, the driver of the second said her neck and head hurt.

A witness, who was driving behind one of the cars involved, described the male driver who fled just before the police arrived. As Officer Bowes awaited a license plate check on the suspect vehicle, she was informed by the dispatch that the owner was on the telephone attempting to report her car stolen.

The owner stated she was at Stop & Shop on Newport Avenue and when she came out, her car was gone. She also said she was now in a taxi and headed to her residence on Rogers Street.

The officers on scene immediately found this suspicious since the car owner's home was only two blocks away from the accident scene. Sgt. James McNeil and Officer Lanergan went to the Rogers Street address and met with the car owner. Based upon the officers' experience and a brief questioning period, they determined the car owner was not telling the truth. The owner said she did not give permission to anyone to take the car and the last time she saw it, it was in the store's parking lot.

Sgt. McNeil told her he was concerned that the driver of her car may be injured and he wanted to search her apartment. She gave permission to search, stating numerous times no one was there. Officer Lanergan opened a second floor bedroom closet door and found a male hiding.

Sgt. McNeil questioned the car owner about her lies. She said the man in the closet was a friend, but she did not give him permission to take the car. The male told Officer Lanergan he was the driver and fled because, "I got scared because my license is suspended, that's why I ran." The suspect, a 33-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, operating a motor vehicle with a suspended license, leaving the scene of an accident after causing property damage and failure to yield.

Officer Bowes conducted a search of the suspect's vehicle and found a box containing a medication called Naxoxone Hydrochloride, which was not in a prescription container. This part of the investigation continues.

Nice work!

SCAM UPDATE:

I recently asked for readers to call me if they received a telephone or mail solicitation from law enforcement groups asking for donations. I was contacted by about 10 people, who described the solicitors as being very pushy and evasive.

Again, be wary. One law enforcement group that I called told me that the telemarketers gave the guarantee, "No less than 20% goes to the organization."



LT. DAN MINTON

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: Feb. 23 - March 2

Total Calls for Service: 1086

Total Arrests: 35

Total Stolen Cars: 8

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

LARCENY, 12:55 a.m., Hess Gas Station, 238 Hancock St. Cab fare. Cab driver paid.

SATURDAY, FEB. 24

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:44 a.m., 70 Beale St. 1998 Chevy Cavalier, color brown.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:09 a.m., Hayes Hayes Atty., 312 Newcomb St. Windows. Brick thrown through the window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 10:44 a.m., 54 Yardarm Ln. Dwelling. Appears someone tried to gain entrance to the house last night.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:32 a.m., 1479 Hancock St. 2002 Ford Explorer, color gray. Taken sometime since 1 a.m. this date. Vehicle misplaced, not stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:28 p.m., 31 Carles Rd. Male banging at the back door. One under arrest for malicious damage. Additional charge of breaking and entering daytime to commit a felony.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:09 p.m., Sun Factory, 470 Southern Artery. To sunbed. Customer vandalized sunbed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 4:37 p.m., 164 West St. Dwelling.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:59 p.m., 79 Parkway. 2004 Ford Cabch.

LARCENY, 5:59 p.m., 60 Chickatabot Rd. Past larceny of copper and brass.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:45 p.m., Wollaston Theater, 14 Beale St.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 6:47 p.m., 23 Beechwood St. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:23 p.m., 84 Gilbert St. Rock/window. No damage, no suspect.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 8:05 p.m., Manet Lunch, 1099 Sea St. Customers fighting.

SUNDAY, FEB. 25

BREAKING & ENTERING/PROGRESS, 4:40 a.m., 25 Quarterdeck Rd. Just happened. Male party took money from her purse, and fled. Short black male.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 4:58 a.m., 52 Phipps St. In progress. Man was banging on the door, now inside. Aggressor was transported after he cut his hand breaking in. Arrest made.

LARCENY, 6:40 p.m., Fours Boston, 15 Cottage Ave. Waiter reports male ran out on a \$29.50 tab.

MONDAY, FEB. 26

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:52 a.m., 35 Bowdoin St. Overnight. 1991 Olds Cutlass, color blue. Vehicle involved in a motor vehicle accident in Boston overnight.

LARCENY, 8:43 a.m., 6 Heritage Rd. Wallet containing Mass. license, credit and ATM cards, numerous IDs lost or stolen in Italy.

LARCENY, 8:44 a.m., Police Department, 1 Sea St. Cell phone.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:57 a.m., 290 Copeland St. Flower pots damaged over weekend. No vandalism.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:03 p.m., 353 Southern Artery. Tagging. Rear of building tagged sometime last week. Just discovered by owner.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:47 p.m., 7 Weeden Pl. Past.

LARCENY, Ninety-Nine Restaurant Pub, 59 Newport Ave. Medication. Caller states Seboxin was stolen from an unknown location.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:13 p.m., National Grid Sub Station, 604 Hancock St. Copper wire.

LARCENY, 4:52 p.m., 10 Highpoint Cir. Past.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:52 p.m., 333

Ricciuti Dr. Vehicle has not been returned. 2004 Ford Explorer, color black.

TUESDAY, FEB. 27

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:22 p.m., 185 Newbury Ave. Past. Already reported larceny, now has suspect info.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:12 p.m., 110 Centre St. To motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:42 p.m., 39 Kent St. To motor vehicle. States youths were throwing snowballs at car breaking the mirror.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:44 p.m., 98 Phillips St. Dwelling.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28

LARCENY, 7:35 a.m., 280 Water St. Past. Clothing stolen.

LARCENY, 9:23 a.m., Friendly's Restaurant, 699 Hancock St. Money. Night deposit taken.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:27 a.m., 10 Wintter St. Past. 2001 Mitsubishi Diamante, color black.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:39 a.m., Subway, 1354 Hancock St. Front window smashed overnight.

LARCENY, 10:05 a.m., 176 Hamilton Ave. Money. Party confused, no larceny.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:33 p.m., St. John's Rectory, 21 Gay St. Tail gate truck. Spray painted tail gate of truck and also inside the school. Marker will be cleaned off.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:07 p.m., Boston Scientific, 500 Commander Shea Blvd. Past.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 3:54 p.m., The American Indian Store, 139 Water St. Refusing to leave, parties were just urinating in the parking lot. One under arrest.

LARCENY, 3:58 p.m., 170 Rhoda St. Checks.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:16 p.m., 10 Highpoint Cir. Dwelling. Nothing appears missing but light is on and door handle broken.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 9:14 p.m., 32 Keyes St. Stole sneakers. Kids are running down the street toward South St. Three youths.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:31 p.m. Up-town Hair, 686 Hancock St. Front door is smashed, unknown if there is a break.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:41 p.m., 81 Glendale Rd. Three tires slashed. Car also keyed across passenger door to the trunk.

LARCENY, 1:59 p.m., 301 Falls Blvd. Subway inside Wal-Mart.

LARCENY, 2:26 p.m., Stephen Leigh Jewelers, 1415 Hancock St. Party here attempting to sell stolen jewelry.

LARCENY, 2:34 p.m., Friendly's Restaurant, 699 Hancock St. Of monies.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:38 p.m., 235 South St. Past.

LARCENY, 3:52 p.m., 242 Quincy Ave. Scrap metal.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:41 p.m., 129 Willow St. Dwelling.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:21 a.m., 230 Willard St. Since towed. 1991 Buick Century, color blue. Car was towed in Roxbury for safekeeping from 29 Centre St. before stolen form filled out. No damage.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton

Each week in *The Quincy Sun*, the "Quincy Police Hot Spots" page provides readers with numbers to call to report crimes. The telephone number for the "Drug Hot-Line" is 617-328-4527. You will not be required to provide identification or address, although it would be helpful.

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SPORTS

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Presidents Advance To South Semi-Finals

By SEAN BRENNAN

When it comes to tournament style basketball, these are two things that can make or break a team: guard play and defense.

For Quincy, the combination of the two, along with exceptional senior leadership, has propelled the No. 8 Presidents into the semifinals of the Division 2 South Sectionals today (Thursday) against No. 5 Catholic Memorial. The game will begin at 7 p.m. at Brockton High School.

Quincy (17-5 overall) played their way into the semifinals behind two straight home wins over No. 9 Silver Lake High School (a 62-48 victory in the first round) and No. 16 Sharon High School (a 73-52 victory in the quarterfinals). The Presidents earned the second of two home games after Sharon upset top-seeded Whitman-Hanson in the first round.

In the quarterfinals, sophomore guard Doug Scott exploded for 33 points and 10 assists, but it was the defensive intensity that Quincy played with from the opening tip till the final horn that propelled them into the next round.

"Our defense wore them down," head coach Bob Fisher said. "Our intensity level was extremely high, and I thought we rebounded well. That defensive tenacity makes us who we are and what we are."

"But we beat a hell of a club tonight. We felt we had to win the first six to eight minutes because they are a good team."

The game began with Sharon scoring the first two points, but the Presidents quickly responded with 12-0 scoring run. The Eagles never got closer than six points the remainder of the game. With the raucous home crowd cheering every possession, Scott and his teammates dismantled Sharon and gave

BOYS' BASKETBALL

Fisher the biggest win of his three-year tenure as head coach.

"It was as big a win as I've had in my three years at Quincy," Fishersaid. "That's my best win here, by far."

Scott's game consists of much more than scoring at will, he can penetrate as well as any guard in the area and the energy he brings to the court becomes infectious. Senior captain Steve Connolly and fellow senior Jared Tucker and juniors DeShawn Mathews and Paris Amado (the star of the Silver Lake game) all fed off of Scott and contributed to the victory.

"Mathews had his best game as a Quincy player on the boards, defensively and emotionally," Fisher said. "Jared Tucker was tremendous defensively, as was Steve Connolly, and Paris Amado, our other starter, did a phenomenal job."

The leading scorers for the Presidents were Scott (33 pts.), Mathews (14 pts.) and Connolly (11 pts.).

The Presidents may have caught a break when top-seeded Whitman-Hanson lost at home to Sharon (Quincy went 0-2 against the Panthers in league play), but that is the way the ball bounces come tournament time, and Quincy didn't squander their golden opportunity to advance.

Quincy earned their second home game of last week with a convincing 14-point win over the Lakers of Silver Lake High School. The two teams had already met twice in the regular season and both teams had won on the road. Suffice to say these two teams probably won't be atop each others Christmas lists come next season.

The environment for the first-round game was intense. With a packed East Gym sitting on the edge of their

seats throughout, Quincy and Silver Lake traded blows the entire first half. At the break, the Presidents held a slim 27-24 lead.

The turning point of the game happened in the first six minutes of the second half. Quincy stormed out on a 6-0 scoring run to up their lead to 33-24 (the largest of the game to that point). Silver Lake, who held its own against the Quincy pressure in the first 16 minutes of play, could not find its mojo, and turned the ball over on its first three possessions of the second half. By the time the Lakers called a much-needed time out at the 9:42 mark, Quincy had outscored them by an 18-6 margin and led 45-30.

Scott supplied the finishing blow with just under four minutes remaining and with the Lakers making one final push to get back in the game. Scott scored on a layup, came back down court and stole the ball; and raced all the way back down, scored and was fouled. He completed the three-point play and the game was settled.

"We ran the court well and we shut down their big guns," Fisher said. "We had tremendous ball pressure and interior defense."

When the horn sounded to end the game, fans, players and coaches celebrated. The scene was euphoric and deservedly so.

The leading scorers included Scott (18 pts.), Amado (13 pts. on several key jumpers), Connolly (18 pts.) and Mathews (9 pts. and 4 blocks).

Quincy and Catholic Memorial will battle it out in a public/parochial school showdown tonight, with the winner advancing to the Division 2 South Sectional finals (time to be announced).



LAUREN STILLE, a senior captain, attempts a free throw during last Thursday's first round Division 1 South Sectional tournament game against Durfee High School. North Quincy shot just 10 of 23 from the free throw line and lost to the Hilltoppers 62-50.

North Quincy Upset By Durfee In First Round

The North Quincy Red Raiders entered the Division 1 South Sectional post-season tournament on an emotional high.

The Red Raiders finished their regular season with an overall record of 16-4 and had laid their claim as co-champions of the Atlantic Coast League's North Division with Whitman-Hanson High School.

By virtue of their stellar regular season record and league championship, North Quincy earned the number four seed in the South Sectionals. Along with the high seed, the Raiders earned a home date against No. 13 Durfee (12-8).

But their post-season run would be short and bittersweet, as the team lost in the first round in an upset 62-50 last Thursday night.

Durfee took advantage of a very poor foul shooting game by the Red Raiders. North Quincy was undone by its paltry 10 of 23 (43%) performance from the charity stripe. The Red Raiders missed 13 foul shots and lost the game by 12 points.

The Hilltoppers also did a solid defensive job on North Quincy's star forward Rebecca Goreham. Goreham was held to five points (nine points below her season average of 14.1 points per game) and 13 rebounds in the loss.

Sophomore guard Siobhan Carnell led all North Quincy scorers with 14 points.

The two teams battled it out throughout the first half of play, and at the break, the Red Raiders trailed 33-29. But the cold shooting from the line caught up to North Quincy as the game rolled on, and all of the missed opportunities finally did in the Raiders.

With or without a long tournament run, the 2006-



SOPHOMORE SIOBHAN CARNELL shoots over the Durfee defense. Carnell led all North Quincy scorers with 14 points.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

2007 season will go down as one of the most successful seasons in the Red Raiders'

history. The team finished the year at 16-5 overall; won (Cont'd On Page 22)

Police, Fire Hockey Game March 10

The 1st Annual Charity Hockey Game featuring teams from the Quincy Police and Quincy Fire Departments will be held Saturday, March 10th at 7:00 p.m. at the Quincy Youth Arena.

Come join Mix 98.5 DJ Greg Daniels and former NHL referee Paul Stewart, Director of the Boston Bruins Foundation, to benefit the

Officer Jamie Cochrane "5-6" Scholarship Fund

Tickets are \$10, which includes entry in a drawing for a chance to win a new Ford Fusion, provided by Mr. Daniel Quirk (you must be present to be eligible for the drawing).

There will also be a raffle with many great prizes (you do not need to be present to win any of the raffle prizes).

Raffle donation: \$1 each/book of 6 for \$5.

For game tickets, raffle tickets, or to make a donation contact Kevin Ferent (QFD) 617-590-8301, Kevin Tape (QFD) 617-967-6577, Bill Knox (QFD) 617-594-0958, Dave Cooper (QPD) 617-778-3171, Dave Pacino (QPD) 617-480-0604 or Gregg Harnett (QPD) 617-908-8587.

You Auto Know

by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGoarty

LOST IN TRANSMISSION

As reliable as most automatic transmissions are, they are relatively easy to break and quite expensive to fix. One of the most common signs that there may be a problem is delayed engagement. That is, there is a long moment of hesitation between the time you put a shift into "D"(rive) or "R"(everse) when the transmission actually kicks in. Other signs of problems with automatic transmissions include slippage or jerking/shuddering of the transmission. It is also not a good sign, certainly, if the transmission gets stuck in a gear. These problems may be more noticeable when the engine is still cold or after the vehicle is warmed up. Take note of either

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Raiders Go Overtime To Defeat Presidents, 2-1

Last Tuesday night, the city's two high school hockey programs got together and played in an emotional Division 2 South first-round tournament game at the Quincy Youth Arena in front of an overflowing crowd.

The outcome of the game, a 2-1 overtime victory for the No. 9 North Quincy Red Raiders, ended what had been a historic high school sporting event. The game marked the first-ever matchup between the Quincy Presidents and the North Quincy Red Raiders in MIAA tournament play.

The No. 8 Quincy Presidents (final overall record: 10-7-4) scored first late in the second period. With 2:13 remaining in the middle frame, junior forward Nick Masone won a battle for the puck behind the North Quincy net and flicked a shot into the crowd in front of the crease. The puck took a funny bounce off of a Red Raider skate and found the back of the net.

With the two teams exchanging scoring opportunities throughout the game (North Quincy outshot Quincy 33-28), the game remained 1-0 Quincy through two periods of play.

The Red Raiders finally tied the score at 1-1 halfway through the third period behind the solid play of their first-line. Seniors Jimmy Fitzpatrick, Ted Finnegan and sophomore Brandon

HOCKEY

Gilmore anchored that line. But it was the youngest, Gilmore, who beat Quincy goalie Jeff Giordani to the glove side that helped give North the momentum heading into the overtime period. Gilmore was assisted on his third period goal by teammates Fitzpatrick and senior defenseman Joe Canavan.

In overtime, Gilmore ended the Quincy Presidents season with his second goal of the game. Gilmore's game-winner was assisted by senior captains Fitzpatrick and Finnegan.

"Everyone was going crazy," Gilmore said after the game. "It was one of the best feelings I've ever had."

With the win, the Red Raiders advanced to play No. 1 Franklin High School in the quarterfinals in Bourne. The team's post-season run ended with a 4-2 loss last Saturday, but the Quincy game helped solidified head coach Bob Doyle's pride in his team.

"It's a pleasure to be a part of this, to see kids reap benefits of the hard work they have put in for me including the 5 a.m. practices. Everything we've challenged them with and asked them to do, they've risen to the occasion and gotten stronger and stronger. I am so proud of this kids."

North Quincy ended their 2006-2007 season with an 11-8-3 overall record.

Both Quincy and North Quincy will graduate a handful of experienced seniors from this season's roster, but both teams will also return a number of talented underclassmen.

For the Quincy Presidents, Bo Craig, Mike Leone, Rick Penzo, Jonathan Conso and Anthony Gilbody will be gone next year. The Red Raiders will graduate Chris Burke, Jimmy Fitzpatrick, Josh McKeon, Mike Griffin, Ted Finnegan, Ken Patey, Eric Moreschi, Matt Martin, Joe Canavan, Max Adams, Nash Winters and Matt Connors.

Retraining for the Red Raiders are Brian McLean, Joe Morris, Zac Deegan, Matt Rodriguez, Joey Vialpando, Derek Scott, Chris Hunter, Matt Furey, Brandon Gilmore and Steve Barresi.

The Quincy Presidents will return Jeff Giordani, Ryan Remillard, David Bowe, Andrew Bythrow, Scott Vallatini, Casey Conley, Jim Finn, Matt Bresnahan, Kevin Keith, Mark Gilbody, Nick Masone, Kevin Shea, Ted Walsh, Mike Lebel, Matt Troy, Zach McCaul, Pat Conley, T.J. Higgins, Seamus McKenna and Ryan Whitten.

Hingham Ends Quincy's Tourney Trail

By SEAN BRENNAN

The dream ended last Wednesday night for the Quincy Presidents girls' basketball team. Playing in a Division 2 South Sectional first-round game against Hingham High School, the No. 20 Presidents kept it close for most of the game, but ultimately fell 55-41 to the No. 4 Harbormen in Hingham.

The game had an ominous beginning for Quincy, as they quickly fell behind 9-0 to start the game, but a change to a hard-press defense and the inspired play of seniors Jacqueline Provenzano and Hope Collins and captains Meagan Tobin, Marybeth Torpey and Brigid Kyle resulted in head coach Jeff Bretsch's team turning the tables on Hingham with a 9-0 scoring run of their own.

Junior guard Meagan Tobin, who was coming off a 24-point game in the preliminary round against Silver Lake, scored Quincy's first points of the evening at the 10:30 mark of the first half. After Tobin buried a three-pointer (her only one of the game) from the top of the arc at the 8 minute mark, Quincy had crawled their way back into the game.

Junior Liz Bock's put-back in the final seconds of the half helped the Presidents enter the break down 24-23.

"Our shaky start resulted in an unsettling 9-0 deficit," Bretsch said. "But the seasoned veteran captains from last year's tournament team refused to let the game get out-of-hand."

The leading scorers at the half for the Presidents included Tobin (9 pts.) and Torpey (6 pts.).

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The beginning of the second half played out like a heavyweight fight, with both teams doing their best to knock the other team out of contention. Tobin's driving layup and one at the 14:20 mark cut the Harbormen's lead down to 28-26, and after freshman Leslie Campbell's lay-up at the 12:30 mark, the Presidents had fought their way back into the lead at 30-29. Unfortunately for Quincy, foul trouble and another 9-0 scoring run by Hingham immediately after Campbell's bucket sealed their fate.

"The opening minutes of the second half was a see-saw affair," Bretsch said. "After we found ourselves up by one with 12 minutes remaining, a tough fourth foul against Kyle sent our senior captain and defensive stopper to the bench and Hingham responded by rattling off a 9-0 run."

The Presidents quickly found themselves down by as many as eight points, but as has been the case all season long, the team jumped on the back of its captains and made one more run at Hingham. At the 3:40 mark, Torpey drove hard into the paint and scored while getting fouled. She made her free throw and Quincy suddenly found itself down just five points at 42-37. But this was as close as the team would get the remainder of the game. Trailing by eight points with two minutes remaining, Quincy was forced to foul to no avail as Hingham calmly stepped to the line and sank their free throws.

"Meagan Tobin did everything she could," Bretsch said. "All the kids were hustling. Our seniors-Brigid Kyle, Hope Collins and Jackie Provenzano-were all working their hearts out in their last game. I would like to have seen them rewarded for their efforts, but I am so proud of them. We came in here as the 20th seed and gave the fourth seed a pretty good scare."

With time winding down, Bretsch made sure to put his three seniors (Collins, Provenzano and Kyle) into the game so they could end their Quincy careers on the hardwood. As the final horn sounded, another successful season had ended for the Quincy Presidents. The 2006-2007 team finished their year with an 11-11 record and a 1-1 record in post-season play.

Meagan Tobin led Quincy with 14 points, Marybeth Torpey finished with nine points and Leslie Campbell and Brigid Kyle each chipped in six points.

The team will enter next season with a roster filled with players who have big game experience and a handful of underclassmen that should play major roles in the upcoming seasons. Graduating seniors include Kyle, Provenzano and Collins, but junior captains Tobin and Torpey will be back along with starters Liz Bock (junior) and Leslie Campbell (freshman). Also returning next season will be juniors Kathryn Carella, Julie Kisiellus, Kerri Ryan and Hilary Mills and sophomore Alyssa Mullen.

Spring Training Starts For Senior Olympics

Spring training for Senior Olympians has begun.

"Each Friday morning, adults 55+ are invited to come down to check out the Senior Game activities," reports Sharron Beals, Executive

Director of Beechwood On The Bay. "On some Fridays, our Basketball Hall of Fame friend, George Burke, coaches basketball."

"We call it 'Fitness for Fun,'" said Maryann

Mahony, the Senior Center's Coordinator. "All are invited-no cost."

This year's Senior Olympic Games (May 7-14) will expand to all eleven South Shore communities and beyond. Registrations are expected from New Hampshire and Rhode Island as well.

A kick-off breakfast with Dr. Wayne Wescott has been planned for April 4th. Those who wish to learn more about fitness and the Olympic Games are invited. Reservations are needed. There is no cost for the breakfast-but seating is limited.

To register for the 9 a.m. breakfast, call Beechwood at (617) 471-5712.

Registration packets for the Senior Olympics will soon be available at these locations: Beechwood On The Bay, the City Hall Information Booth, the Recreation Department, the Council on Aging, the Quincy Sun and The Quincy Business Association.

For more information on the Senior Olympics, call (617) 471-5712.



by Chris Richcreek

1. Who holds the Detroit Tigers team record for most saves in a season?

2. Name the pitcher who gave up the most hits to all-time his leader Pete Rose.

3. Who held the Division I mark for most career touchdown receptions before New Hampshire's David Ball broke it with his 51st TD catch in 2006?

4. Kobe Bryant broke the Los Angeles Lakers' single-season record for most points scored in 2005-06 with 2,832. Who had held the mark?

5. Name the third NHL goaltender, after Patrick Roy and Ed Belfour, to reach 450 or more career victories.

6. Who was the last unseeded team to win the NCAA men's soccer championship before UC Santa

Barbara did it in 2006.

7. Boxer Willie Pep fought 242 times during his career (1940-1966). How many times did he win the featherweight title?

Answers

1. Todd Jones recorded 42 saves in 2000.

2. Rose got 64 hits off Phil Niekro.

3. Jerry Rice had 50 TD receptions for Mississippi Valley State (1981-84) and Troy Edwards had 50 for Louisiana Tech (1996-98).

4. Elgin Baylor, with 2,719 points.

5. New Jersey's Martin Brodeur got his 450th victory on Oct. 18, 2006.

6. Connecticut in 2000.

7. Twice — 1942-48 and 1949-50.

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North Quincy Upset By Durfee In First Round

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a league title for the first time since back-to-back titles in 2001 and 2002 (as a member of the Old Colony League); and saw Goreham smash the school's all-time rebounding record as a junior.

The team will lose five team members to graduation, but will return a handful of all-star caliber underclassmen. Seniors Megan Therrien (captain),

Lauren Stille (captain), Danielle Kelly, Shannon Malone and Caroline Cunningham have all played their last games as Red Raiders, but returning next season are juniors Rebecca Goreham, Kasey O'Connell, Brienne Carnell, Paige Bonanni and MaryKate Stille, sophomores Jess Howlett, Siobhan Carnell (a revelation this season at the guard position) and Catherine O'Connell (a future league all-star in the making) and

freshman Rushri Wijesundera.

The team will be in search of a new head coach as current head coach Doug MacFarlane is retiring.

MacFarlane steps down after nine years on the sidelines. During his tenure, the North Quincy Red Raiders won three league titles, including the school's first as a member of the Atlantic Coast League this season.

By SEAN BRENNAN

Men's Softball League Seeks 'A Team', Umpires

The Quincy Men's Softball League, playing at Faxon Park, is looking for an established "A" team as well

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



Children's Health Update

Childhood Obesity Linked To Foot Pain

(NAPS) – Look down to find one possible culprit in America's childhood obesity epidemic: feet.

Doctors with the 6,000-member American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons (ACFAS) point to a link between foot pain and childhood obesity.

"You want overweight children to exercise and lose weight, but because of their weight, their feet hurt and they can't exercise," says Thanh Dinh, DPM, FACFAS, a foot and ankle surgeon in Boston. "It's a vicious cycle."

An estimated 16 percent of U.S. children ages 6 to 19 are overweight. Foot and ankle surgeons say they're seeing more overweight and obese children with foot and ankle pain in their examining rooms.

"The numbers are definitely increasing. I treat four to five overweight children a week," says Darryl Haycock, DPM, FACFAS, a northwest Ohio foot and ankle surgeon. The average age ranges from 8 to 12 years.

The foot is a complex assembly of 26 bones, 33 joints and more than 100 muscles, tendons and ligaments. Being overweight flattens the foot, straining the plantar fascia, a band of tissue that runs from the heel to the base of the toes, causing heel pain.

Because the heel bone is not fully developed until age 14 or older, overweight children are more prone to Sever's disease. Although not an actual disease, according to

FootPhysicians.com, it involves an inflammation of the heel's growth plate due to muscle strain and repetitive stress. Walking makes the pain worse. Being overweight may cause stress fractures, or hairline breaks in a child's heel bone.

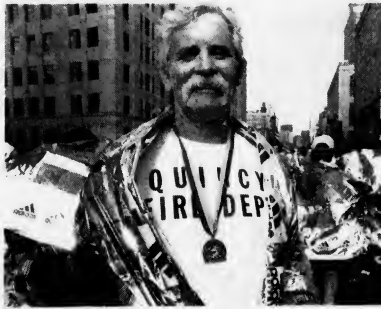
But Dr. Haycock notes that some overweight children suffer foot pain from congenital or inherited foot conditions, such as bunions, hammertoes, pediatric flatfoot, and tarsal coalition, an abnormal connection between two or more bones in the back of the foot.

Many of Dr. Haycock's young patients complain of calf or arch pain. This can be caused by a flatfoot that is flexible. The collapsing of the arch can require more energy, making it difficult for a child to walk and run.

Foot and ankle surgeons treat many overweight children with custom orthotic devices (hoe inserts), physical therapy and other conservative measures to reduce or eliminate pain.

"As foot and ankle surgeons, we can reduce the aches and pains so children can run around and play like other kids," says Samuel Nava, DPM, FACFAS, a Dallas-area foot and ankle surgeon. "But parents also need to watch their children's lifestyles and diets."

For more information on children's foot and ankle problems, or to find a foot and ankle surgeon, visit the ACFAS patient information website. FootPhysicians.com.



QUINCY CREDIT UNION is sponsoring Quincy Fire Lt. Mike Hobin as a 2007 Boston Marathon Kids at Heart Team member. QCU and Hobin are participating in this program with Credit Unions of Massachusetts, which partners patients and runners to raise awareness and funds for the exceptional care the hospital provides each day to help children and their families. Hobin will be running in honor of his patient partner, Alex Malo. To make a contribution to support Hobin and the hospital, donations may be made in person or sent to: Mike Hobin Marathon Donation, FBO Children's Hospital, c/o Quincy Credit Union, Quincy, MA 02169.

Free Cooking Classes At QMC March 14

In celebration of National Nutrition Month, the Quincy Medical Center WIC Nutrition Program will host a free food and nutrition cooking class focused on planning healthy meals Wednesday, March 14 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and 2 to 4 p.m.

The sessions, which include demonstrations and tastings, are free of charge and open to the public.

The program, conducted

in collaboration with The Cancer Project, a collaborative effort of physicians, researchers, nutritionists who have joined together to educate the public about the benefits of a healthy diet for cancer prevention and survival. Based in Washington, D.C., The Cancer Project is an affiliate of the Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine.

For information or to register, call 617-376-4160.

Healing Tree & Yoga Hosting Spring Wellness Fair

Healing Tree Yoga and Wellness Center, 605 Hancock St., Quincy, will host a "Spring Wellness Fair" Saturday, March 17 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The free event will include yoga fashion demonstrations from lululemon, healthy samplings from Eatin' Healthy, and health and

wellness information from Whole Body Solutions.

Various healthy and holistic vendors will also be present to sell their wares. Families and children are welcome.

For more information, call (617) 770-4600 or visit www.healingtreeyoga.com.

Smoking Cessation Program At Quincy Medical Center

The Wellness Center at Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St., will host a two-week "Fresh Start" smoking cessation program to support people who have decided to quit smoking, or those who are thinking about quitting.

Quincy Medical Center's two-week program is designed for anyone who is interested in taking the steps to becoming smoke-free. Classes will focus on using self-help techniques and

group interaction to help smokers work through a smoking cessation process.

The program provides practical information and strategies to help participants quit tobacco smoking and stay smoke free.

Class will meet at Quincy Medical Center from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. on the following dates:

- Monday, March 19, Conference Room D.
- Wednesday, March 21, Conference Room A.
- Monday, March 26, Conference Room A.
- Wednesday, March 28, Conference Room A.

Pre-registration is required. Contact the Wellness Center at Quincy Medical Center at 617-376-5581.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person payable at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

For an appointment, call 617-376-1506.



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

BOSU Ball Offers 2-Sided Workout

Q. While at a local department store I noticed a device that looks like half a fitness ball. It is called a BOSU Balance Trainer. Although it looked weird, I have been told it is great for training. What is a BOSU ball, and what do you do with it?

A. The BOSU Balance Trainer was invented in 1999 by David Weck. BOSU is an acronym for Both Sides Utilized. It has become very popular in the fitness industry. The BOSU Trainer has been used by fitness and sport professionals for several years, but like many fitness tools, it has only recently become mainstream and more accessible.

Designed to improve balance, core stability, proprioception, coordination and posture, the BOSU ball allows a variety of exercises to be performed on its unique shape. From abdominal exercises to cardiovascular workouts, the BOSU Trainer puts a new spin on its close relative—the exercise ball.

The BOSU ball looks like an exercise ball that has been cut in half. The top resembles a ball, while the bottom is relatively flat. This design allows you to perform certain exercises that could be dangerous if performed on a traditional exercise ball.

For example, using the BOSU ball for squats or lunges is a great exercise progression for balance and stability; however, this type of movement would be unsafe on exercise ball for

the average exerciser.

The flat bottom of the BOSU ball provides added safety and increased intensity. Both sides of the Bosu Trainer can be used. The rounded exercise ball side and the flat side each provide a different form of intensity. Exercises, such as push-ups and squats can also be performed with just as much intensity but with the added possibility for more functional progressions.

The BOSU ball can be a great addition to your home gym. I suggest ordering instructional videos to accompany the BOSU Trainer to make sure you are completing the exercises safely at home. If you are trying it out at a fitness facility, seek the assistance of a fitness professional.

The BOSU Balance Trainer can be found at many local department and sporting-good stores and through professional fitness equipment companies. They sell for approximately \$99. To learn more about the BOSU Trainer, visit the Web site www.bosupro.com.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. Andrea Renee Wyatt, M.S.S., C.S.C.S., is a certified personal trainer with an extensive background in strength and conditioning as well as therapeutic recreation. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

TOOTHBRUSH SELECTION

Because brushing and flossing have such a great effect on oral health, toothbrush selection is no small matter. Brushes that come with the American Dental Association's seal of approval are evaluated by clinical studies to see that they are effective in removing plaque. While brushes with stiff bristles may seem to promise greater tartar-removing ability, they are likely to be too hard on the gums. A gentler brush with soft, rounded bristles is preferred. If reaching the molars and the inside surfaces of teeth poses a problem, it may help to select a brush with an angled and/or tapered head. Beyond toothbrush features, attention should be paid to how much time is spent brushing teeth. If less than two minutes is spent at this task, an electric toothbrush should be considered.

We recommend regular checkups, periodic cleanings, and x-rays when needed. We stress preventive dentistry for all members of the family. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where we strive to teach you good oral hygiene. In the long run you have better dental health. Good experiences with dentistry are based on making the right choice in a family dentist and in taking steps to keep dental costs at a minimum through self-care at home between visits. Please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. Be sure to replace a bacteria-laden toothbrush after a bout with a cold so that it will not reintroduce germs to the system.

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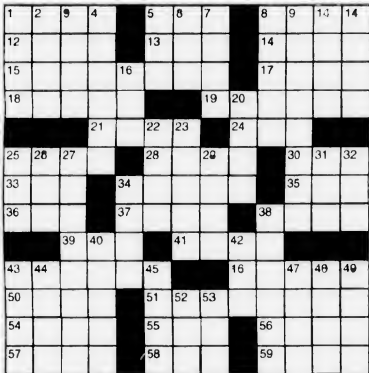
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- 5 Hostel
- 8 Pesky kid
- 12 Shaving-cream additive
- 13 Conk out
- 14 Anger
- 15 HOV lane groups
- 17 "To hear," in court
- 18 Be philanthropic
- 19 Silly smile
- 21 Trudge (through)
- 24 Neither mate
- 25 Church area
- 28 Mire
- 30 Under the weather
- 33 Japanese theater
- 34 Arousing suspicion
- 35 Coquettish
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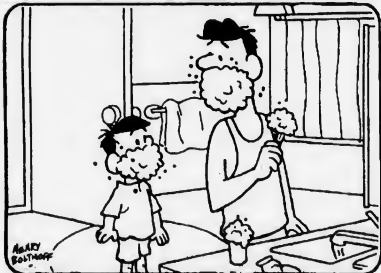
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- 58 Drag along
- 59 Assessment
- 1 Chantilly, e.g.
- 2 Verve
- 3 Information
- 4 Give testimony
- 5 Reply to the J.P.
- 6 Zero
- 7 Capone foe
- 8 Stomach aid
- 9 "For the Good Times" singer
- 10 Screenwriter James
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- 16 Hooter
- 20 Black
- 22 Don't include
- 23 Enthusiasm
- 25 Whatever amount
- 26 "Ulalume" writer
- 27 Fiery Furnace fellow
- 29 Pal
- 31 Actor Chaney
- 32 Old-time soap ingredient
- 34 Destiny
- 38 Food seller
- 40 Way too small
- 42 Hollywood org.
- 43 Pop
- 44 Flightless flock
- 45 Highlander
- 47 Philbin's co-host
- 48 Coagulate
- 49 Being, to Brutus
- 52 Lennon's lady
- 53 Morning moisture



HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. Potatoes are different. 2. Knob is different. 3. Towel is shorter. 4. Shirt is different. 5. Cup is missing. 6. Water is off.



Dig those dahlias

Dahlia tubers stored last fall can be started in March if all danger of frost has passed. Soggy soil rots the tubers quickly, so start them in pots if the weather has been rainy. Transplant to a sunny spot when the garden soil is drier.

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Burr Oak Oak Forest Oakdale Oakville
Charter Oak Oak Grove Oakhurst Oakwood
Live Oak Oak Hill Oakley Red Oak
Lone Oak Oak Ridge Oakman

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- 1. MUSIC: Who sang the 1980s hit "Manic Monday"?
- 2. FAMOUS QUOTES: Who once said, "It is better to jaw-jaw than to war-war"?
- 3. LITERATURE: Who penned the lines, "Let me tell you about the very rich. They are different from you and me."?
- 4. LANGUAGE: What the acronym OPEC stand for?
- 5. RELIGION: In what decade was the Living Bible completed?
- 6. HISTORY: How many volumes are in "The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" by Edward Gibbon?
- 7. TRANSPORTATION: What kind of conveyance is a landau?
- 8. ART: Wassily Kandinsky was a leading artist in what well-known movement of the early 20th century?
- 9. GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of the Republic of Fiji?
- 10. HISTORY: Who was known as "The Citizen King," a 19th-century leader of France?

Answers

- 1. The Beatles
- 2. Winston Churchill
- 3. F. Scott Fitzgerald
- 4. Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries
- 5. 1970s
- 6. Six volumes
- 7. A large horse-drawn carriage
- 8. Expressionism
- 9. Suva
- 10. Louis Philippe

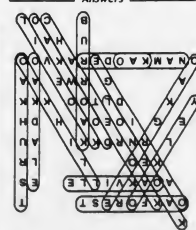
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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You're correct to want to help someone who seems to need assistance. But be careful that he or she isn't pulling the wool over those gorgeous Sheep's eyes. You need more facts.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Your Bovine optimism will soon dispel the gloom cast by those naysayers and pessimists who still hover close by. Also, that good news you recently received is part of a fuller message to come.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Feeling jealous over a colleague's success drains the energy you need to meet your own challenges. Wish him or her well, and focus on what you need to do. Results start to show in mid-March.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You're likely to feel somewhat Crabby these days, so watch what you say, or you could find yourself making lots of apologies. Your mood starts to brighten by the weekend.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Your pride might still be hurting from those unflattering remarks someone made about you. But cheer up, you're about to prove once again why you're the Top Cat in whatever you do.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A misunderstanding with a co-worker could become a real problem unless it's resolved soon. Allow a third party to come in and assess the situation without pressure or prejudice.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) Call a family meeting to discuss the care of a loved one at this difficult time. Be careful not to let yourself be pushed into shouldering the full burden on your own.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) An upcoming decision could open the way to an exciting venture. However, there are some risks you should know about. Ask more questions before making a commitment.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Personal matters need your attention during the earlier part of the week. You can start to shift your focus to your workaday world by midweek. Friday brings news.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You've been going at a hectic pace for quite a while. It's time now for some much-needed rest and recreation to recharge those hardworking batteries.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) This is a good time to upgrade your current skills or consider getting into an entirely different training program so that you can be prepared for new career opportunities.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Keep a low profile in order to avoid being lured away from the job at hand. Focus on what has to be done, and do it. There'll be time later to enjoy fun with family and friends.

BORN THIS WEEK: You can be a dreamer and a realist. You dream of what you would like to do, and then you face the reality of how to do it.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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RELIGION

Parish Of Saint Ann Lenten Retreat

The Parish of Saint Ann, 757 Hancock St. in Quincy will hold a Lenten Retreat beginning Monday, March 12 through Thursday, March 15 at 7 p.m.

During the retreat, the

Christian Singer At Union Church

Mark Bishop Evans, a singer, songwriter and worship leader, will sing during the 10 a.m. worship service

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship, baptism and Sunday School at 10 a.m. Sunday.

Pot Luck Dinner At First Church Of Squantum

First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue St., will host its March Pot Luck Dinner Sat-

homilies offered by guest preacher, Fr. Gerald Flater, OMI, will help participants to understand the Word of God, to experience God's forgiveness and to grow in appreciation of the Eucha-

rist.

The Sacrament of Penance will be available during the third evening and the retreat will conclude with the celebration of the Eucharist.

follow the service.

For more information, call the church office at 617-479-661.

and Nancy Valorz.

Upcoming events include Family Movie Night, Saturday, March 17 featuring the film "Hoot." Admission is free.

Call 617-773-3319 for more info.

service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served.

A Lent worship service will be held Wednesday, March 14 at 7 a.m. All are welcome.

p.m.

Children may attend with an adult.

St. Joseph Parish Retreat March 11-14

The Parish of Saint Joseph, 550 Washington St., Quincy is offering a four-night retreat entitled "Becoming the Body of Christ" Sunday, March 11 through Wednesday, March 14 at 7 p.m. under the auspices of The Archdiocesan Office of

Worship and Spiritual Life. During the retreat there will be common prayer, preaching, quiet reflection and time for fellowship.

The Sacrament of Penance will be celebrated on the third evening and the retreat will conclude with the

celebration of the Eucharist.

All are invited. Bus service will be provided for residents of 1000 Southern Artery and Pagnano Towers.

For more information, contact the Parish at 617-472-6321.

Sacred Heart Parish Retreat March 13-15

Sacred Heart Parish will hold a Lenten retreat Tuesday through Thursday, March 13-15, titled "What I Mean to be a Catholic in the Twenty-first Century."

Each day there will be morning sessions at approximately 9:45 a.m. (following 9 a.m. Mass), and an evening session at 7 p.m. within the context of prayer.

Each morning will feature a different speaker: Kevin Casey on Tuesday, Joanne Curry of Wednesday and Jim and Terry Orcutt on Thursday. Casey, a parishioner of St. John Parish, Quincy, is a member of the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council. Curry, also a parishioner of St. John's, is director of Life and Family Ministries for the Archdio-

cese of Boston. The Orcutts are co-founders of My Brothers Keeper.

Evening reflections will be given by David and Barbara Thorpe. They have served in a variety of ministries in the Archdiocese of Boston over 30 years.

All are welcome. For more information, visit www.sacredheartquincy.org.

Lenten Series At Wollaston Church

The Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 48 Winthrop St., Wollaston, is offering a Lenten Series on Wednesday evenings at 7

p.m.

Participants will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of spiritual practices as follows:

• March 14, "Pray With-

out Ceasing."

• March 21, "Scripture in Community."

For more information, call the church office at 617-773-7432.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy are sponsoring a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group which meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m.

in St. Joseph's Parish Center, 22 Pray St., Quincy Point.

The next meeting is March 20.

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship

with Christ.

All are welcome.

For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Assemblies of God

Glad Tidings

158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797
Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor

Sunday Worship, 8:30, 11 a.m.; Christian Ed. 10 a.m.
Senior Hi Youth 7 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study
Royal Ranger Missionettes; Edday Junior Hi Youth 7 p.m.

Youth & Children's Ministry
•Contemporary Worship
•Marriage & Family Group
•International Fellowship
•DivorceCare

Catholic

St. Mary's Church

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Masses
Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30
& 11:30am, Weekdays 9am
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Congregational

First Church of Squantum

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Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
All Are Welcome



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Catholic

Sacred Heart Church

"A Roman Catholic Community walking together
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386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171
(617) 328-8666

Sunday Masses
4pm (Sat) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy)
10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm
12 noon at Star of Sea Church
Weekday Masses
Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am
Handicapped Accessible
Confessions
Sat. 3:34:5pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church

550 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169
617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES:
4 p.m. (On Saturday)
8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Weekday Masses 9am
CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
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Handicapped parking, side entrance
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44 School St.,
Quincy
617-773-1021

Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m.
Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.
and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)
Weekday Masses
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church

757 Hancock St., Wollaston

• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM

Daily Masses: 9:00 AM

Handicapped Chairlift Available

Congregational

HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

310 Manet Ave., Quincy
www.hncong.org

Sunday, March 11

Worship Service 9:30 am

"The Time Is Near"

(Lent 3)

Luke 13: 1-9

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Rev. John Castricum

617-479-8778

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And Sunday School - Rev. William Harding
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Lent Worship Service March 7 at 7 am

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Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist

10:30 AM

Sunday Service & Sunday School

7:30 PM

Wednesday Evening Meeting

20 Greenleaf Street Quincy

off Hancock St.

617-472-0055

Congregational

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432
Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford

10 a.m. Worship Service
Sunday, March 11
'BLESSED ARE YOU'
Scout Sunday • Communion
Jane MacIntyre, Guest Preacher
Lenten Series Wed., March 14, 7 PM
"Pray Without Ceasing"

UNION CHURCH

Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston
Sunday Service 10 AM
Guest Preacher Rev. Loring Carpenter
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Seaman's Friend Society
Rev. John Swanson, Pastor

Covenant

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On The Campus Of

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8:30 am - Holy Communion

9:45 am - Adult & Children's

Sunday School

11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service

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Episcopal

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church

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Rev. David Heffling

Sunday School 9 a.m.

Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m.

Nursery Care During Service

Coffee Hour Following

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Evangelical

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65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy

(617) 472-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue

10:30 Sunday Worship

6PM Prayer Meeting

7PM Brazilian A/G Service

7PM Thursday Bible Study

Squantum Christian Fellowship

50 Huckins Ave., Squantum

617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan

Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew

Children's Class 10 a.m.

Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m.

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email: info@squantumill.org

Methodist

QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

40 Beale St., Wollaston

617-773-3319

10:30 AM Sunday Worship

Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor

Salvationist

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9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL

11AM WORSHIP SERVICE

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7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

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40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169

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Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM

Coffee and Conversation following service.

(Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)

Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.

OBITUARIES

George M. Campbell, 85 Truck Driver

A funeral Mass for George M. "Sonnie" Campbell, 85, of Holbrook, formerly of Quincy, a retired truck driver, was celebrated Monday in St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Campbell died Feb. 15 at Brockton Hospital.

He was a truck driver for Wilson Freight in Chelmsford for 17 years. He retired in 1979.

A Navy veteran of World War II, he served as an electrician aboard the USS Arkansas from 1942 to 1945.

He was a longtime member of the Morrisette American Legion Post in Quincy and the Frank M. Noyes VFW Post 8892.

He was also a member of the VFW in Abington, Local 25 of the Teamsters, and the Holbrook Golden Agers.

Born in Boston, Mr. Campbell lived in Quincy for nearly 30 years before moving to California in 1986. After his wife died in 2000, he moved to Holbrook to live with his daughter.

Husband of the late Helen (Mahon) Campbell, he is survived by three sons, George



GEORGE M. CAMPBELL

M. Campbell Jr. of Rockland, David P. Campbell of Abington and Steven Mahon of California; four daughters, Dorothy "Dorothy" DeGrazia of Holbrook, Janet L. Campbell of California, Nancy C. Andrew of Avon and Caroline Hurd of California; a sister, Patricia Gillespie of Braintree; and 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Animal Rescue League of Boston, 10 Chandler St., Boston, MA 02116.

Michael C. McDonagh

A funeral Mass for Michael C. McDonagh, 43, of Quincy, formerly of Braintree and Ireland, a bartender, was celebrated Feb. 27 at St. Mark's Church in Dorchester.

Mr. McDonagh died Feb. 21 at home.

He is survived by a son, Evan McDonagh of Spiddal, County Galway; his parents, Thomas and Nellie (Joyce) McDonagh of Tiernee

Lettermore, County Galway; his former wife, Rosario Sullivan-McDonagh of Spiddal; three brothers, John McDonagh and Anthony McDonagh, both of Tiernee and Joe McDonagh of Pittsburgh, Penn.; two sisters, Eileen Reaney of Quincy and Mary Coogan of Belfast, County Down; and many uncles, aunts, nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Ireland.

Amy M. D'Olimpio, 78 Teacher's Aide, Eucharistic Minister

A funeral Mass for Amy M. (Crocker) D'Olimpio, 78, of Quincy, a retired teacher's aide, was celebrated Monday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy Center.

Mrs. D'Olimpio died Feb. 27 at the Boston Medical Center after a brief illness.

Born in Quebec, Canada, she was raised and educated in Canadian and Quincy schools. She was a Quincy resident most of her life.

Mrs. D'Olimpio was a teacher's aide for the Quincy Public School Department of 15 years. She worked at various Quincy schools including the Lincoln-Hancock Elementary School. She retired in 1989.

She was a long-time member and served as an Eucharistic minister at Saint John the Baptist Church in Quincy.

Mrs. D'Olimpio was a former member of the Sweet Adeline Choral Group. She was an avid Scottie collector and a member of the "Wee Scots."

She was married 56 years to the late Carmine G. "Jerry" D'Olimpio who died in November.



AMY M. D'OLIMPIO

She is survived by three daughters, Darlene M. Cullen of Marshfield, Deborah A. Dillon of Salem, N.H., and Diane P. Donaher of Bethlehem, Penn.; two sons, David W. D'Olimpio of West Newbury and Douglas J. D'Olimpio of Weymouth; and 12 grandchildren.

Interment was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Carmine G. D'Olimpio Scholarship Fund, c/o the Labor Guild, 85 Commercial St., Weymouth, MA 02188.

Bernard J. Burke, 91 Railroad Inspector, WWII Army Veteran

A funeral Mass for Bernard J. Burke, 91, of Quincy, formerly of South Boston, a retired railroad inspector, was celebrated Tuesday in St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Burke died Feb. 28 at home.

Born in Boston, he grew up in South Boston before moving to Quincy 51 years ago.

He served in the U.S. Army/Air Force during World War II. He toured in England and Scotland and was an aircraft mechanic.

He was a member of the Mighty 8th Air Force Group and 92nd Bombardment Group.

Mr. Burke worked for the Fruit Growers Express in Chelsea as a railroad inspector for more than 30 years, retiring in 1978.

He was an associate member of the Brotherhood of Railway and Airline Clerks and a retired member of the Railway Clerks Political League.

Prior to working at the railroad, he worked for the Robert Bishop Waste Company in South Boston with his father.

Mr. Burke was known as a "jack of all trades." He re-



BERNARD J. BURKE

paired and/or rebuilt things such as a boat, a bobbed and a house in Amesbury.

He also enjoyed fixing household items and replacing engines in automobiles.

Husband of the late Catherine (Casano) Burke, he is survived by a daughter, Bernadette (Burke) Stentford of Quincy; two sisters, Patricia "Patsy" Burke and Mary Burke, both of South Boston; three grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Disabled American Veterans, State House Room 546, Boston, MA 02133.

Priscilla J. Abate, 72 Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Priscilla J. (Joyce) Abate, 72, of Kingston, formerly of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated March 1 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Abate died Feb. 25 at her home.

Born in Quincy, she was a 1952 graduate of Quincy High School. She received an associate's degree from Quincy College in 1989.

Mrs. Abate moved to Kingston three years ago.

She and her husband, Robert E. Abate of Kingston, started a business together in 1985, Lenstech LLC. They developed the first certification program for eyeglasses in the country.

Mrs. Abate participated in the Head Start program and the literacy program in the Quincy public schools.

She volunteered as a teacher's aide at the Broad Meadows Middle School in Quincy.



PRISCILLA J. ABATE

Mrs. Abate was an avid reader and enjoyed history. She had many interests, including poetry, painting, coin collecting, computers, genealogy, astrology and astronomy.

She was a member of the Quincy Art Association.

Funeral arrangements were by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Memorial donations may be made to Cranberry Hospice, 36 Cordage Park Circle, Suite 326, Plymouth, MA 02360.

Eleanor F. Johnson, 81 Homemaker

A memorial service for Eleanor F. (Peterson) Johnson, 81, of Quincy, a homemaker, was held Feb. 28 at Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Johnson died Feb. 22 at Quincy Medical Center.

She worked in the North Quincy High School cafeteria from 1985 to 1992.

She was an avid bingo player and a fan of the Red Sox, and enjoyed trips to a Connecticut casino.

Husband of the late Ronald T. Johnson, she is survived by her children, Rhett Johnson and Randy Johnson of Weymouth, Joyce Ormon and April Fife of



ELEANOR F. JOHNSON

North Carolina, Jerri Bresnahan of Quincy and Linda Johnson of Brockton; a brother, Robert Peterson of Florida; 16 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was private.



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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

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The late Jeannette MacDonald, one of Hollywood's most popular singer-stars, was once asked, "What's wrong with sentiment?" - This was her reply:

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Murray Tenofsky, 97 Owned Ice Cream Distributorship

Services for Murray

Tenofsky, 97, of Quincy, formerly of Milton, were held Sunday at Schlossberg-Solomon Memorial Chapel, Canton.

Mr. Tenofsky died March 1 at Quincy Medical Center. He was self-employed and owner of an ice cream distributorship.

He was born in Russia.

Husband of the late Esther (Fineberg) Tenofsky, he is survived by a son, Harry Tenofsky; a daughter, Freda DeNapoli; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Sharon Memorial Park.

Frank D. Cirillo, 80

Retired Shipyard Worker

A funeral service for Frank D. Cirillo, 80, of Quincy, a World War II veteran and retired shipyard worker, was held March 2 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Cirillo died Feb. 26 at Quincy Medical Center after a brief illness.

He served in the Army in the European-African-Middle Eastern campaign. He was a former member of the Cyril P. Morrisette American Legion Post in Quincy.

Mr. Cirillo worked at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy for more than 40 years in various capacities for both Bethlehem Steel and General Dynamics. He retired as a timekeeper in 1989.

He was a member of the Fore River Long Service Club.

Mr. Cirillo worked with the Road to Responsibility program for several years after retirement.

A lifelong Quincy resident, he was a graduate of



FRANK D. CIRILLO

Quincy High School.

He was active in the Quincy Senior Olympics and won several awards.

Mr. Cirillo is survived by his wife of 53 years, Nellie A. (Armans) Cirillo; three daughters, Nancy B. O'Keefe of Braintree, Christine M. Omar of Harwichport and Linda J. Cirillo of Northfield, N.H.; and a granddaughter.

Interment with military honors was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1115 West Chestnut St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Dorothy E. Mara, 71

District Manager for Dun & Bradstreet

A funeral Mass for Dorothy E. Mara, 71, of Quincy, a retired district manager for Dun & Bradstreet, was celebrated March 3 at Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Miss Mara died Feb. 27 at home.

Born in Cambridge, she had lived in Quincy for 41 years.

She was employed by Dun & Bradstreet for 37 years as district manager of its Boston office. In retirement, she was employed at CVS in Wollaston.

She was an avid bowler and loved spending time with family.

She is survived by a

Dorothy A. Keyes, 75

Former Lunch Mother

A funeral Mass for Dorothy A. (Wool) Keyes, 75, of Quincy, a former lunch mother, was celebrated Feb. 27 in Holy Trinity Parish at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Keyes died Feb. 24 at Quincy Medical Center.

She monitored and coordinated the lunch rooms for the Quincy public schools. She previously was employed at St. Paul Insurance Co. for several years.

She was a lifelong Quincy resident.

Mrs. Keyes delivered Meals on Wheels for five years.

She was a Eucharistic



DOROTHY E. MARA

brother, Philip Mara of Cataumet; two sisters, Jean Powers of Dedham and Helen Perkins of Weymouth; and a friend, Richard Thomas.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery in Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Wollaston.

minister at Most Blessed Sacrament Church and Massachusetts General Hospital.

She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Richard H. Keyes; a son, John D. Keyes of Quincy; a daughter, Jean Marie Guglielmi of Braintree; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 36 Cameron Ave., Cambridge, MA 02140-1102.

W. Janet Brennon, 88

Worked In Insurance Industry

Private funeral services for W. Janet "Bunty" (Purdon) Brennon, 88, of Quincy, were conducted Feb. 27 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

The Rev. Gary Smothers of Bethany Congregational Church in Quincy officiated.

Mrs. Brennon died Feb. 24 at home after a long illness.

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, she came to the United States at the age of five.

A long-time Quincy resident, she was raised in Quincy and attended Quincy schools. She graduated from Quincy High School in 1936. She was also a graduate of the Fisher Business School.

Mrs. Brennon was employed in the insurance industry for many years. She had worked for 20 years for the Sentry Insurance Company in Braintree and had previously worked for the John Hancock Insurance Company and the Quincy Mutual Insurance Company. She retired many years ago.

Mrs. Brennon was a member for more than 50 years of



W. JANET BRENNON

the Bethany Congregational Church in Quincy and was also a member of the evening group at the church.

She and her husband were lifelong advocates for retarded citizens.

Wife of 63 years of Carl J. Brennon, she is survived by two daughters, Janet Marcus of Randolph and Nancy E. Brennon of Quincy; a son, C. Stephen Brennon of Scituate; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was the grandmother of the late David W. Brennon.

Interment was private.

Memorial donations may be made to the Shriner's Burns Institute, 51 Blossom St., Boston, MA 02114.

Robert F. Murray Sr., 89

Retired Accountant

A funeral Mass for Robert F. Murray Sr., 89, of Quincy, a retired accountant, was celebrated March 3 at St. Agatha Church in Milton. Mr. Murray died Feb. 27 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked 16 years for the Internal Revenue Service in Boston, retiring in 1975.

A World War II Coast Guard veteran, he served as a storekeeper first class and worked in the Navy Department from 1945 to 1960.

Born and raised in Boston, he graduated from High School of Commerce in Boston and Bentley College in 1939.

Mr. Murray lived in Quincy from 1966 to 1978 before moving to Plymouth. He moved back to Quincy in 1980.

He was a member of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees.

He enjoyed woodworking, especially making doll houses and children's furniture.

Vets Adviser

At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Other

Obituaries On

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Pandush Asllani, 58

Machine Operator

A funeral Mass for Pandush Asllani, 58, of Quincy, a machine operator, was celebrated March 2 at Holy Trinity Albanian Orthodox Church, South Boston.

Mr. Asllani died Feb. 25 at Boston Medical Center after being struck by a car on Quincy Avenue.

He worked for Hub Pen Co. in Quincy for nine months.

He was looking forward to becoming a U.S. citizen.

Mr. Asllani enjoyed playing soccer and basketball. He followed the German soccer team, Bayern Munchen, and the Serbian basketball team, Crvena Zvezda.

Born in Korca, Albania, he moved to Quincy four years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Evllona (Panarita) Asllani;



PANDUSH ASLLANI

two daughters, Nikoleta Asllani and Elena Asllani of Quincy; his mother, Eleni (Bellavoda) Asllani of Quincy; a sister, Persefoni Panajoti of Quincy; a brother, Pirro Asllani of Quincy; and several nieces and nephews.

He was the son of the late Ilia Asllani.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

William T. Goggin, 75

Navy Veteran, Retired MBTA Employee

A funeral Mass for William Thomas Goggin, 75, of Quincy, a Navy veteran of the Korean War and a retired MBTA employee, was celebrated March 1 at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Goggin died Feb. 24 at his home.

He was a member of the American Legion.

He worked for the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority for 33 years. He was a member of the Boston Carmen's Union.

Mr. Goggin was a member of the Royal Order of the Moose, Quincy Lodge.

He enjoyed camping and boating.

Born in Braintree, Mr. Goggin was raised in Dorchester. He lived in North Weymouth for 34 years before moving to Quincy four

years ago.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Anne C. (MacLaughlin) Goggin; three sons, William M. Goggin of Weymouth, Paul M. Goggin of Braintree and James P. Goggin of Kingston; three daughters, Carol A. Daylor of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., Kathy G. Sprague of Weymouth and Mary E. Goggin of Quincy; two brothers, Richard Goggin of Weymouth and James Peter Goggin of St. Petersburg, Fla.; a sister, Gertrude Murphy of Eliot, Maine; 12 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Old North Cemetery, Weymouth.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, Weymouth.

Grandpa loved
gardening, baseball,
and playing the
harmonica.



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with the maintenance operation from all lots in the city's cemeteries by Thursday, March 15.

OBITUARIES

Geraldine M. McHugh, 78

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Geraldine M. "Gerry" (Coveny) McHugh, 78, of Quincy and West Dennis, a homemaker, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. McHugh died March 2 at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston after a brief illness.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Boston and attended Boston schools. She was a graduate of Roslindale High School. She also attended Mount Saint Mary's College in New Hampshire.

She had lived in Quincy for 60 and was also a resident of West Dennis for more than 25 years.

Mrs. McHugh was a homemaker and a long-time parishioner of Saint John the Baptist Church in Quincy. She was a former member of the Ladies Sodality at both Saint John's Church and Saint Joseph's Church in Quincy.

She was a long-time member of the Neighborhood Club of Quincy. She enjoyed dancing, sports and was an avid fan of the Boston Red Sox.

She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Donald J. McHugh; six sons, Donald McHugh of Halifax, Michael



GERALDINE M. MCHUGH

J. McHugh of Cohasset, Steven T. McHugh of Scituate, James McHugh of Hingham and Thomas F. McHugh of Monroe, Conn.; two daughters, Patricia McHugh Seidel of Scituate and Kathleen McHugh Dodwell of Brookline; a sister, Jacqueline Herrick of Plymouth; a brother, Lawrence Coveny of Arizona; and 19 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th Floor, Brookline, MA 02445.

Irene J. Adduci, 88

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Irene J. (Smith) Adduci, 88, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated March 3 at St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mrs. Adduci died Feb. 27 at Colony House Nursing and Rehabilitation in Abington. She was a former employee of Jordan Marsh Co. in Squantum.

Born in Milton, she was educated in Boston and graduated from Jeremiah E. Burke High School.

She lived in Quincy for 43 years.

She was a long-time parishioner of St. Agatha

Church, Milton.

Wife of the late Alfred L. Adduci, she is survived by a daughter, Theresa E. Pizziferri of Braintree; three sons, George W. Adduci of Rockland, James V. Adduci of Florida and Alfred L. Adduci Jr. of Pembroke; a sister, Barbara Pyne of Florida; 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Edith L. Mackiernan, 90

Worked At State House

A private funeral service was held for Edith L. (French) Mackiernan, 90, of Milton, formerly of Quincy. She died March 3 at Milton Healthcare Facility in Milton.

Mrs. Mackiernan worked at the State House for several years.

She was also employed by Boston Gear Works in Quincy and Joseph Pollak Engineering in Dorchester.

Mrs. Mackiernan was a member of the South Shore YMCA in Quincy, the Appalachian Mountain Club and the Quincy Art Association.

She is survived by a daughter, Carol A. Doherty of Milton; a godchild, Natalie Rowland of Virginia Beach, Vir., and a friend, Barbara Miller, also of Virginia Beach.

She was the sister of the late Dorothy MacIntosh.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dolan Funeral Home, 460 Granite Ave., Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

Gerald D. Dewey, 95

Pipe Fitter

A funeral Mass for Gerald D. Dewey, 95, of Quincy, a retired pipe fitter, was celebrated Tuesday at Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mr. Dewey died March 2 at home after a brief illness.

He worked at the former Fore River shipyard for Bethlehem Steel Co. and General Dynamics for 45 years.

Born in Quincy, he was a lifelong Quincy resident. He was educated in Quincy schools.

Mr. Dewey was a member of Local 5, the Fore River Long Service Club and an active parishioner at Saint John the Baptist Church in Quincy.

He was a member of the Holy Name Society.

Husband of the late Mabel (Batherson) Dewey, he is



GERALD D. DEWEY

survived by a sister, Marjorie Mitchell of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Saint John the Baptist Church, 21 Gay St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Miriam Browne, 86

Former Teacher

A funeral Mass for Miriam (Walsh) Browne, 86, of Quincy, a former teacher, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mrs. Browne died March 1 at William B. Rice Eventide Home in Quincy.

She taught in Brookline and Meredith, N.H. She was also a fashion consultant for McCall's magazine.

She graduated from the Boston Academy of Notre Dame in 1937 and Framingham State College in 1941.

She previously had lived in Dedham, Beverly and Green Harbor, where she was active in the parish of Our Lady of the Assumption Church.

After her husband, the late Edward "Ned" Browne, retired, they moved into the former Fletch Webster ice-house.

Mrs. Browne enjoyed do-

mestic arts, sewing, bird-feeding, family history, genealogy and gardening. She also braided rugs, crocheted and knitted baby blankets and afghans.

She is survived by three daughters, Susan Browne of Andover, Patricia B. Daly of Dublin, Ireland, and Miriam Brownell of Scituate; a son, Edward M. Browne of Milton; three sisters, Gertrude Messing of Wellesley, Jill VanVeen of Goose Rocks, Maine, and Kathleen Powers of Duxbury; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and 25 grandnieces and grandnephews.

She was the mother of the late Kathleen Browne Ittig.

Burial was in Brookdale Cemetery, Dedham.

Funeral arrangements were made by Chapman, Cole and Gleason Funeral Home, Milton.

Douglas M. Bean, 76

Graphic Designer

A private graveside service for Douglas M. Bean, 76, of Quincy, a graphic designer, was held at Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett.

Mr. Bean died Feb. 22 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born in Everett, he was raised and educated in Jamaica Plain schools. He was a graduate of Jamaica Plain High School and a graduate of the former Butera School of Art in Boston.

He had lived in Brighton before moving to Quincy 30 years ago.

Mr. Bean was a graphic designer and the former owner of Studio South in Braintree for many years. He operated a full-service graphic design studio.

Mr. Bean previously

worked at the Riley, Brown, Tapply & Carr firm in Boston.

He had been retired for many years.

He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean War working in photo intelligence.

Mr. Bean was a former member of the Braintree Art Association and had taken art lessons with the Copley Society in Boston.

He enjoyed being an usher at the Wang Center in Boston for many years.

He is survived by a brother, Robert C. Bean; and two cousins.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Joseph T. Sullivan, 75

Retired Postal Service Manager

A funeral Mass for Joseph T. Sullivan, 75, of Quincy, a retired manager of the U.S. Postal Service, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mr. Sullivan died March 2 at High Manor in Dedham.

Born in Boston, he grew up in Jamaica Plain and lived there until moving to Quincy 40 years.

He was a graduate of St. Thomas Aquinas Grammar and High School in Jamaica Plain.

He was a retired manager of the U.S. Postal Service. At the time of his retirement in 1990 he was working at the Wollaston Post Office, where he had worked a number of years.

He was also a former employee of Colonial Tanning in Boston.

Mr. Sullivan was an honorary member of the Jamaica Plain American Legion Post #76 and the Boston Emerald Society. He was a late member of the Castle Island Association, South Boston.

He enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren and family. He also enjoyed his Irish heritage, golfing, walking, bowling and vacationing in Florida.

He was an avid fan of the Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots.



JOSEPH T. SULLIVAN

Mr. Sullivan is survived by his wife, Cecilia A. (Kawalski) Sullivan of Quincy; two daughters, Sheila M. Paolucci of Milton and Moira Sweetland of Canton; a sister, Marion E. Rogantino of Quincy; three brothers, John L. Sullivan of Jamaica Plain, Kevin J. Sullivan of Braintree and Thomas A. Sullivan of St. Petersburg, Fla.; four grandchildren and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, 326 Granite Ave., Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Agatha Church Renovation Fund, 432 Adams St., Milton, MA 02186.

David L. Petterson, 87

Photographer

A private funeral service for David L. Petterson, 87, of Quincy, a photographer, was held in the Washington Street Cemetery in Norwell.

Mr. Petterson died Feb. 23 at Boston Medical Center.

He served during World War II in the Navy's largest photo processing and intelligence squadron.

Born in Braintree, he lived in Quincy for the past 65 years. He graduated from Braintree High School in 1937 and Northeast Uni-

versity in 1956.

Mr. Petterson was a long-time member of the Braintree Rifle and Pistol Club as a finance officer. He was also a recreational pilot with several ratings.

He is survived by a sister, Anne H. Petterson of Stoughton; two nieces and three grand nieces.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Grace L. Blaikie, 89

Office Manager

A funeral Mass for Grace L. Blaikie, 89, of Quincy, a retired office manager, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Blaikie died March 1 at Queen Anne Nursing Home, Hingham.

Born in Quincy, she was a lifelong resident of the city. She grew up in Houghs Neck and later moved to Wollaston.

She worked with her husband as an office manager for the New England office of Ebsco Subscription Service.

In her youth, Mrs. Blaikie was an excellent diver and swimmer. She loved family pool parties at her home,

dancing, and was a long-time member of the Squantum Yacht Club.

Wife of the late Richard J. Blaikie, she is survived by a daughter, Barbara (Blakie) Schott of Plymouth; a son, Richard G. Blaikie of Quincy; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Central NE Region, 18 Tremont St., #700, Boston, MA 02108.

Irene D. McCarthy, 96**Assistant Pharmacist, Drug Store Manager**

A funeral Mass for Irene C. (DeNis) McCarthy, 96, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester and South Boston, a retired assistant pharmacist, was celebrated Wednesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. McCarthy died March 3 at the Hancock Park Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

Born in Manchester, N.H., she was raised and educated in Lowell and Somerville schools. She lived in Dorchester and South Boston before moving to Quincy 32 years ago.

She was employed for 36 years with the former Liggett-Rexall Drug Stores. During her career she held a variety of positions including assistant pharmacist and later as store manager. She retired in 1976.

After retirement, Mrs. McCarthy worked several years with the Quincy Council on Aging.

**IRENE D. MCCARTHY**

She enjoyed needlepoint and the arts.

Wife of the late Charles W. McCarthy, she is survived by a son, Robert D. McCarthy of Raleigh, N.C.; two daughters, Irene "Renie" McCarthy of Quincy and Karen J. McCarthy of Freyburg, Maine; seven grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Interment was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, Quincy.

Joseph H. Carter, 98**Carpenter**

A funeral Mass for Joseph H. Carter, 98, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a carpenter, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Carter died March 2 at Bostonian Nursing Care Center in Boston.

Born in Canada, he came to the United States 65 years ago. He had lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 35 years ago.

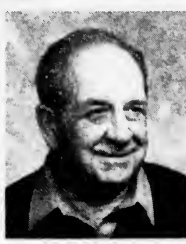
Mr. Carter was a logger, a chef and cook at his own restaurant in Jackman, Maine, prior to moving to Massachusetts.

He was a member of the Pile Drivers Union for more than 30 years, retiring in 1975.

He worked as a carpenter, on such projects as the Callahan Tunnel, the Forest Hills Overpass, Storrow Drive and various other tunnel construction projects around Boston.

Mr. Carter was a member of the Knights of Columbus in Dorchester Redberry Council #117.

He enjoyed playing the

**JOSEPH H. CARTER**

lottery, especially the daily numbers.

Husband of the late Rachel (Veilleux) Carter, he is survived by a son, Norman G. Carter of Dorchester; two daughters, Norma L. Farley and Kay L. Borek, both of Quincy; and 15 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to The Jennifer Creed Fund, Box 469, Boston, MA 02127.

Marguerite T. Lamb, 93**Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Marguerite Teresa (Mullen) Lamb, 93, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Feb. 28 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Lamb died Feb. 24 at Life Care Center of the South Shore, Scituate.

She was a member of the Sacred Heart Silver Citizens Club, Wollaston Mothers Club and Catholic Women's Club, and was a former member of Squantum Women's Club.

She was an avid bowler and loved to shop.

Born in Boston, Mrs. Lamb was raised in Roxbury. She lived in North Quincy for 60 years before moving to Scituate last August.

Wife of the late Henry Lamb, she is survived by a daughter, Linda Murphy of Scituate; a son, Henry J. Lamb Jr. of North Quincy

**MARGUERITE T. LAMB**

and Bourne; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Benedict Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171.

**Open House, Adoptathon
At Animal Shelter March 17**

The Quincy Animal Shelter will host a "St. Patrick's" Day Open House and Adoptathon Saturday, March 17 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the shelter, 56 Broad St.,

Quincy. There are many cats and dogs available for adoption. There will also be a prize drawing and a bake sale.

Proceeds benefit the all-volunteer, non-profit shelter. For more information call 617-376-1349.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0374EP**
In the Estate of
ELINORE P. RYAN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 4, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that W. PETER WOOD of GRAY in the State of MAINE or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MARCH 28, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 16, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/8/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06D1750-DV1**
**DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS
BY PUBLICATION**
AICHA EL MELLAH,
Plaintiff(s)
V.
NELSON CRUZ,
Defendant(s)

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff, AICHA EL MELLAH, seeking **DIVORCE.**

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to the Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon AICHA EL MELLAH, whose address is 1 VANNESSE ROAD, WEYMOUTH, MA 02191, your answer on or before 5/04/07. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. YOU are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 8th day of FEBRUARY, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0051GI**
In the Matter of LORNA CELESTIN OF QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN**

To LORNA CELESTIN OF QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said LORNA CELESTIN OF QUINCY is a mentally ill person and praying that SUITABLE PERSON of in the County of or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve without surety of the person - and property - with the authority to administer antipsychotic medications in accordance with the treatment plan - for reasons more fully set forth in said petition.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 5, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, January 10, 2007.

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3/8/07

**Free Legal Clinics
At Quincy District Court**

The Bar Association of Norfolk County is sponsoring free legal clinics as a public service to the community at Quincy District Court.

Attorneys experienced in all areas of the law will be available for a one-on-one consultation to discuss legal questions. All consultations are confidential.

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Call Adrienne Clarke at 617-471-9693 for more information.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0388AD**
In the Estate of
ROBERT J. O'NEIL SR.
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
May 18, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that ROBERT J. O'NEIL, JR. of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 4, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 20, 2007.

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3/8/07

LEGAL NOTICE

The Transitional Care Unit @ Quincy Medical Center (the "TCU"), 114 Whitwell Street, 5th Floor, Quincy, MA 02169, will no longer participate in the Medicare program (Title XVIII of the Social Security Act), effective May 1, 2007. The agreement between Quincy Medical Center, Inc. and the Secretary of Health and Human Services regarding the TCU will be terminated as of May 1, 2007, in accordance with the provision of the Social Security Act.

**David Becker, Administrator
The Transitional Care Unit
@ Quincy Medical Center
3/8/07**

NOTICES OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-004

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169** on the application of Warren Acker for a variance to construct a single-story garage, as an accessory use to his residence located at 246 Rock Island Road, Quincy MA in violation of the provisions of Title 17, Section 17.28.030 (Parking Facilities Regulations - setback) and Section 17.24.080 (Accessory uses - Setback), each as amended.

3/8, 3/15/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-005

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Nextel Communications, an affiliate of Sprint for a Special Permit to install and operate a wireless communications facility consisting of nine (9) antennas in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.06 (wireless), and Chapter 17.04.180 (special permits) on the premises numbered 7 SEAPORT DRIVE, QUINCY.

3/8, 3/15/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICES OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-006

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of OmniPoint Communications Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile USA, Inc. for a Special Permit to install nine (9) wireless communications antennas flush-mounted to the existing water tank in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.04.180 (special permit), Chapter 17.06.040 (wireless) on the premises numbered 289 QUARRY STREET, QUINCY.

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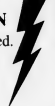
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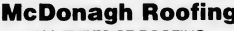
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LEGAL NOTICE Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07P0349EP In the Estate of PAUL F. GILLIGAN Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death December 23, 2006 NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that DORIS DESMOND of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety. IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MARCH 28, 2007. In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16. WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 13, 2007. PATRICK W. McDERMOTT Register of Probate	BUY A BILLBOARD THE SIZE OF A BUSINESS CARD with 2x2 New England. Place your 2 column by 2 inch ad across New England with just one phone call! Call Latifa Sanchez at the New England Press Association 617-373-5611 for details. www.nepa.org	REACH MORE THAN 4 MILLION READERS with just one phone call! New England Press Association can place your classified ad in more than 200 newspapers throughout the six-state New England region. Call this Newspaper of Latifa Sanchez at 617-373-5611 for more information. www.nepa.org	EDUCATION TRAIN FOR A HIGH-GROWTH MEDICAL CAREER , in less time, THE SALTER SCHOOL will train you! Medical Assistant, Health Claims Specialist, or Massage Therapist. CAMPUSES: WORCESTER, MALDEN, CAMBRIDGE, TEWKSBURY, FALL RIVER. Day/evening classes now forming. 1-800-299-1074, www.salter.edu ATTEND COLLEGE ONLINE from Home. *Medical, *Business, *Paralegal, *Computers, *Criminal Justice. Job Placement assistance. Computer provided. Financial Aid if qualified. Call 866-858-2121 www.onlineTideWaterTech.com	PERSONAL PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN "Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, Fruitful vine, splendor of heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. Oh, Star of the Sea, help me and show me, herein you are my Mother. Oh, Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth! I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in this necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands (three times). Say this prayer 3 consecutive days, and then you must publish and it will be granted to you. M.L.R.	PERSONAL PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN "Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, Fruitful vine, splendor of heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. Oh, Star of the Sea, help me and show me, herein you are my Mother. Oh, Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth! I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in this necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands (three times). Say this prayer 3 consecutive days, and then you must publish and it will be granted to you. D.A.B.
	LEGAL NOTICES Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07P0388AD In the Estate of ROBERT J. O'NEIL, SR. Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death May 18, 2006 NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that ROBERT J. O'NEIL, JR. of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety. IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 4, 2007. WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 20, 2007. PATRICK W. McDERMOTT Register of Probate	AUTOMOTIVE DONATE YOUR VEHICLE! UNITED BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION. A woman is diagnosed every two minutes! Free Annual Mammogram www.ubcf.info Fast, Free Towing. Non-Runners Acceptable 1-888-468-5964 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY ALL CASH CANDY ROUTE. Do you earn \$800 in a day? Your own local candy route. Includes 30 Machines and Candy. All for \$9,995. 1-800-921-3949 AREA REPS NEEDED Make 100K First Year Helping Local	EARN UP TO \$550.00 INVITATION TO BID INVITATION TO BID CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS PURCHASING DEPARTMENT 1305 HANCOCK ST., QUINCY, MA 02169 The City of Quincy invites sealed bids/proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City of Quincy: PARK DEPARTMENT PRE-PACKAGED PUMP STATION FOR GRANITE FOUNDATION Detailed specifications are on file at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Bids must state exceptions, if any, the delivery date and any allowable discounts. Bids/Proposals must be in a sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelope is to be clearly marked "BID ENCLOSED" with time/date of bid call. Firm bid prices will be given first consideration. Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be publicly opened and read. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected. If applicable, bids shall be in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, Chapter 149 as amended, and Chapter 30, Sections 39A, 39B and 39F-R. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the City and waive any informalities in the bidding if it is in the best interest of the City to do so. William J. Phelan, MAYOR Laurie M. Allen, PURCHASING AGENT	WEEKLY Helping the Government PT, No experience needed. Call Today!!! 1-800-488-2921 Ask for Department T-4 Mortgage Loan Officers. \$55Six-figure income \$\$\$ Work-from-home or our state-of-the-art NY facility. Training prov'd. Call for phone interview: 866-882-9175 EQUIPMENT FOR SALE SAWMILLS from only \$2,990.00—Convert your LOGS to VALUABLE LUMBER with your own Norwood portable band sawmill. Log skidders also available. www.norwoodindustries.com—Free information: 1-800-578-	HELP WANTED Become a Surrogate Mother Give the gift of life & earn generous compensation. Call 1-888-363-9457 or Visit us at www.reproductivelawyer.com AVON! Career or pocket money, you decide! Up to 50% commission profit. Low start up. Email ISR Lisa@LWiber@aol.com or call toll free 1-800-258-1815 DRIVERS! ACT NOW! 21 CDL-A Drivers needed *36-43cpm/\$1.20pm* \$0 Lease New Trucks CDL-A + 3 mos OTR 800-635-8669

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John Hancock Plungers And Toe-Dunkers Raise Over \$3,000

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father, Pat, a member of the commission. Father and son "went all the way, and were the last two out." Jennie Pentz, award-winner for the best Dunking Toe-Nut, said her friend, Betty Sweeney, sent her frequent emails with directions on what she should do in preparing for this plunge, telling her to gradually lower the water temperature in her showers so that her toe could get used to the cold water.

Other plungers and gift

certificates were presented to Barbara Gilliland for being the oldest plunger; Lorraine Pallucci, who they said made the most noise going in the water, received the most enthusiastic award; eighteen year-old Nicole Ash, Abdallah's granddaughter, who said she couldn't feel her toes during the award-presentations-received the youngest plunger award; Christina Mendez, a Mound St. native who raised over \$200 wore a bathrobe which clinched the ugliest costume award for her; Abby Ash,

Abdallah's daughter, received the most original costume award. Various other prizes and goodies were distributed to participants in a random drawing, so each of the plunge participants received recognition.

Laura Stracco, Executive Director of Interfaith Social Services, located at 105 Adams St., was grateful for the turn-out.

"We are inundated with requests from people who are having all kinds of problems with fuel and electricity and food, trying to decide

which bills they are going to cover this month. We run a bureau-drawer thrift shop that we invite everyone to make donations of everything except large appliances, year round. People come and they say they can't believe the bargains they get, that is one of the nicest thrift shops on the South Shore. And we still have a bunch of plunge T-shirts left over which are available at the agency for a minimum \$15 donation."

Saturday's plunge was only one of the many events

held on city-owned beaches and sponsored by the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, which has been encouraging resident use of Quincy's beaches since its formation in 1998. Publishers of the yearly "Beach Guide," the group is dedicated to restoring and protecting the city's beaches.

Interfaith Social Services is a private, non-sectarian, non-profit agency, which offers assistance and support to those in need, including access to food, clothing and

counseling. Donations may be made payable to Interfaith Social Services, and mailed to Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission, c/o Chickie Abdallah, 48 Silver St., Quincy 02169.

Upcoming events for Interfaith Social Services include a South Shore Walk on April 22 and a golf tournament June 25. For more information on ISS visit [HYPERLINK http://www.interfaithsocialservices.org](http://www.interfaithsocialservices.org) or call 617-773-6203.

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DANGEROUS CROSSING. Quincy American Legion Post 95, which has no parking space of its own, abuts Revere Road, a barrier between the Post Home and the municipal parking lot. Veteran members are seeking to have the post taken by eminent domain to make way for the Quincy Center Concourse connector.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

New Highway Will 'Put Us Out Of Business'

Quincy Legion Post WANTS To Be Taken For Concourse

By TOM HENSHAW

For years, Quincy American Legion Post 95 at 27 Revere Rd., one of the oldest veterans' posts in the nation, has operated at a disadvantage.

It has no parking lot of its own. Guests at the many dances, receptions, christenings and the like have to leave their cars in the municipal lot and cross busy Revere Road to the post.

For a while, with the expected coming of the Quincy Center Concourse, it appeared to the 300 veteran members of the post that their 30 years of problems were over.

The Concourse would run right through their building. The city would take it by eminent domain and the post would be able to move into a new building with ample parking.

But when the list of landtakings came out the other day, Quincy Legion Post 95 was conspicuous by its absence among the estimated 24 businesses that were to be taken.

Worse than that, Revere Road would become an even busier four-lane highway whisking traffic from

one main highway, Hancock Street, to another, Washington Street.

"If that plan goes through, we're out of business," said George McRay, commander of Post 95, which derives a good part of its income from rentals of its hall.

"Senior members of the post and people attending events there will not want to cross that street from the parking lot.

"There is no provision for a stop sign at Revere Road and Mechanic Street and there are already traffic lights at Revere Road and Hancock and Washington Streets."

While others may be ready to fight City Hall to retain their property, members of Post 95 are fighting to offer it up.

Leonard Seitz, a member of the post's executive committee, said the initial proposal for the Concourse would have taken it through the vacant lot where the Kincaide building used to be.

"That would have wiped out the post," he said. "Now the plan is to go through the cinema and the less expensive route was scrapped."

McCray said ever since the cross

town connector was first discussed more than 10 years ago, Post 95's location was expected to be directly impacted by the roadway.

"At a chance meeting with (Planning Director) Dennis Harrington last summer, he told me that all of the plans under review at that time impacted the Post home in some fashion," he wrote to Mayor William Phelan.

"As you can imagine, our membership was genuinely surprised to learn that our building at 27 Revere Rd. was not included in the city's proposal to create a cross town connector.

"Our membership has long accepted the fact that our present location was vulnerable to this likely fate.

"As a consequence, we deferred necessary improvements to this property, electing instead to invest in many civic and charitable endeavors, which benefited the city of Quincy and its residents during this time.

"In addition, our membership is concerned that the proposed cross

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'No Way' Will He Fire Police Chief Phelan Stands Behind Crowley

The head of the patrolman's union wants the police chief fired for endangering public safety with inadequate patrols.

The mayor says "no way," and points to FBI statistics that have crowned Quincy as the second safest city in the state.

Union President Bruce Tait started the current dustup when he charged that, in defiance of a City Council order, Chief Robert Crowley used fewer than 13 cruisers to patrol the city at least three times.

"Enough is enough," Tait wrote in his blog. "I'm calling on Mayor Phelan to immediately terminate the employment of Robert Crowley as police chief."

Mayor William Phelan told *The Quincy Sun* that he has no intention of firing Crowley and he told his weekly press availability on Access TV that "I support the

chief."

At the behest of Ward 2 City Councillor Daniel Raymondi, the Council voted to direct Crowley to use no less than 13 cruisers per shift to patrol the city. Tait said he did not.

"Specific shifts call for a different number of cars," Crowley told *The Sun*. "Some call for less than 13, many call for more."

"Our issue is public safety. We never do anything to compromise public safety."

"For anyone to say that we would do that is totally irresponsible."

"I'm satisfied that what we are doing is more than adequate."

Crowley said he is willing to discuss that and other issues of disagreement with Tait and his union officers.

Last fall the union passed over-

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Koch, Phelan Trade Jabs Gloves Off In Mayoral Race

The gloves apparently are coming off in the 2007 campaign for mayor of Quincy — and the final balloting is still nearly eight months away.

Candidate Tom Koch has claimed that Mayor William Phelan used taxpayer money to include a four-page color brochure about himself in this year's annual city census.

He called it "a clear misuse of public money for political purposes."

Koch's campaign filed formal requests with both the State Ethics Commission and the State Office of Campaign and Political Finance asking if the flyer violates state election law.

Phelan declined an opportunity



KOCH



PHELAN

to comment to *The Quincy Sun* on Koch's charges but later he told his weekly press availability on Quincy Access TV that "this tells you where this campaign is going."

Thomas Largey, spokesman for the mayor, told *The Sun* the complaint "says more about the Koch campaign than the Phelan administration."

"It is absurd," he said, "to com-

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Gloves Off In Mayoral Race

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plain to the Ethics Commission about how the government is run."

Koch, who is basing his candidacy in part on the need for better communication with the public, said the brochure was symbolic of deepening disconnect between the mayor's office and residents of the city.

"It seems we've captured the mayor's attention," he said.

"That said, I don't think the taxpayers should be required to pay when the mayor feels the need to communicate with our residents."

"There are plenty of other ways for a sitting mayor to talk with the public at no cost. That's what being the mayor is about."

Largely said the Phelan administration has been one of "openness with a five-year record of reaching out to the taxpayer."

"We have weekly press availabilities that are televised and dozens of neighborhood meetings where we

have acted on the input.

"That's not campaigning. That's good government."

"The administration that Tom Koch served went in the other direction. They wanted to build a new high school on a toxic waste dump and lost millions trying to revive shipbuilding at the shipyard."

Largely was referring to Koch's role as chief of staff to Mayor James Sheets, whose 12 years in office ended in a grand jury investigation and a breakin at City Hall.

Koch's Ethics Commission complaint noted that production of the brochure came after Koch announced his candidacy, thus requiring overtime payments to at least one city worker who stuffed the envelopes and delayed mailing of the annual city census, an important legal document.

Largely said the brochure was being drafted long before Jan. 23 when Koch made his announcement.

State law, said Koch, prohibits public officials from using their positions for political gain.

Specifically, he said, the law states that candidates who are also public employees cannot use "staff time, publicly-provided stationery, office supplies, utilities, telephones, office equipment (copying machines, typewriters, word processors, fax machines, e-mail), office space and other facilities."

"These are intended for the conduct of public business, not for conducting po-

litical activity or otherwise advancing the political interests of public employees."

The Koch campaign also filed a public records request to the mayor's office seeking detailed explanations of the costs associated with producing the brochure.

Campaign Chairman Jack Nigro, who filed the complaints, estimated that producing a four-page color brochure sent to nearly 50,000 people would cost at a minimum thousands of dollars.

"It may end up being legal but there's no question in my mind that it is inappropriate," said Koch. "I can't wait to talk about many of the issues the mayor raised in his brochure but the taxpayers won't have to foot the bill."

He noted that the top of the brochure declares that it is the "premier issue" of the brochure.

"I find it ironic that after five years as mayor, he decides to send out the 'premier issue' of a brochure with the goal of communicating with residents," said Koch.

"If this mayor was truly intent on communicating with the public, he wouldn't have waited five years."

"The mayor has nearly \$200,000 in his campaign war chest to pay for things like this, so the use of taxpayers money is truly inexplicable."

Phelan hinted at his press availability that he is eager start campaigning "on the issues."

"Quincy is moving in the right direction and I can't wait to start talking about it," he said. "I hope that will be the direction the campaign is going in. I'm willing to talk all day about the good things we have done."

Quincy 2000 Training For Start-Up Businesses

Quincy 2000 Collaborative will host a four-week Entrepreneurial Training Program tailored for start-up businesses and individuals thinking about launching a business.

The program will be held on four consecutive Tuesdays beginning April 3 through April 24 from 9 p.m. at the office of Quincy 2000 Collaborative, 1250 Hancock St.

Program topics include a self-evaluation to make sure you are ready to run your

own business, establishing the company's legal structure, and reaching your target market.

Bi-lingual translation assistance is available in Cantonese, Mandarin and Portuguese with advance notice. The program is free and refreshments are provided. Registration is necessary.

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'Dr. D' Provides Ears For Those Born Without Quincy Plastic Surgeon Make Life Normal For El Salvador Youngsters

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Their real names are Armando and Madeline, Rudy and Carlos but classmates taunted them with names like "Goat ear" and "leper", and even worse, in their schoolyards.

Afflicted with microtia, these children were destined to suffer lifelong discrimination because of the birth defect that causes the absence or deformity of an ear.

But, for nearly three dozen youngsters in El Salvador, that doesn't happen anymore. Their future is brighter now.

Thanks to Dr. Raffi Der Sarkissian, a plastic surgeon based at Crown Colony in Quincy, and his team from Salem's Medical Missions for Children (MMC), these children will lead more normal lives. One little boy now dreams of becoming a lawyer.

Dr. Der Sarkissian, better known as "Dr. D," recently completed his second trip to El Salvador where he operated on 18 children, surgically creating and attaching actual ears where nature forgot them.

On his previous trip in 2006, Dr. D operated on 14 children and this second trip allowed follow-up on past surgeries. "It's pretty much a long-term commitment," Dr. D said of the return visits.

Three other surgeons and four anesthesiologists joined the MMC team for this year's trip with Dr. D. If one had to put a price-tag on February's medical mission, it would surpass \$1.2 million after tallying the value of eight doctors, medical aides, drugs and equipment.

The other surgeons operated on children with cleft lip and palate problems while Dr. D focused on microtia patients. All told, the team treated 40 children during their nine days in a modern medical facility donated by

British philanthropist Benjamin Bloom.

"My area of expertise is making ears," Dr. D said recently during an interview at his Crown Colony office where he specializes in aesthetic and reconstructive surgery, a career that combines his love of art and science.

According to Dr. D, one out of 10,000 American babies are born with microtia while the problem occurs three times more often in El Salvador, possibly due to heavy use of insecticides on banana crops and to a genetic element.

While surgery can repair the physical damage, the children's hearing will always be somewhat impaired.

"They can hear as if you and I were hearing with our fingers in our ears," according to Dr. D.

"There's very few of us who do ears," Dr. D said, estimating that only 20 surgeons in the United States are specialists in the field and few, if any, in other parts of the world.

One youngster's parents saved all their money to go to Mexico for an operation for their son only to be told in Mexico that nothing could be done. Dr. D and his team gave him a new ear.

Given the opportunity, Dr. D will walk his visitor through every phase of the ear restoration operation from the removal of three to four ribs to the sculpturing and implanting of the new

ear.

Dr. D follows his patients with pictures and answers e-mail questions from his patients in El Salvador, such as the parent who wanted to know when his son could shower. Just this week, a father e-mailed him a note, "I consider you my best friend in the case of the my child."

Dr. D grew up in the Bronx surrounded by art and beauty as his parents were artists. He chose to specialize in plastic surgery in medical school after "I broke my nose playing soccer." And the plastic surgeon repaired his nose.

The former Chief of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery at Boston Medical Center and assistant professor at Boston University School of Medicine, Dr. D is proud of his profession but wary of new trends that "trivialize" plastic surgery, making it as frivolous as getting a new hairdo.

For him, on any given day, his work is exciting as he can help someone restore their looks or reconstruct a nose battered in an accident.

Dr. D still teaches, still lectures and still writes ar-



QUINCY PLASTIC SURGEON Dr. Raffi Der Sarkissian, known as Dr. D and nine-year old Jonathan Ernesto share hugs. Dr. D surgically created and implanted an ear for Jonathan during his recent visit to El Salvador with Medical Missions for Children.

ticles and books on plastic surgery but his private practice now allows him more freedom for his family, his wife and two toddlers, and his pro bono projects which have also taken him to Arme-

nia, Europe and Vietnam.

Sadly, such charitable work has gone out of fashion in the United States, according to statistics from the American Medical Association quoted by Dr. D who

said that 20 years ago, 40 % of America's doctors offered pro bono services.

"It's probably less than five percent today," Dr. D said.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

- On March 15, 44 B.C., Julius Caesar is murdered by his own senators at a meeting in a hall next to Pompey's Theatre. In a dagger attack, Marcus Brutus wounded Caesar, and Caesar is said to have remarked in Greek, "You, too, my child."
- On March 17, 1762, in New York City, the first parade honoring the Catholic feast day of St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, is held by Irish soldiers serving in the British army.
- On March 12, 1776, in Baltimore, a public notice appears in local papers recognizing the sacrifice of women to the cause of the revolution. The boycotts that united the colonies against British taxation were generally of products used mostly by women. The colonists only resorted to an attempted boycott of rum after Britain closed the port of Boston.
- On March 13, 1865, the Confederate States of America reluctantly approves the use of black troops. Several thousand blacks were enlisted in the Rebel cause, but they could not bring to bal-

ance out the nearly 200,000 blacks that fought for the Union.

• On March 16, 1909, a federal court ruled in Harper and Bros. v. Kalem Co. that the movie studio's 1907 production of "Ben-Hur," filmed without the author's permission, was a copyright violation. Kalem paid the author's estate \$25,000 in damages.

• On March 18, 1925, the worst tornado in U.S. history passes through eastern Missouri, southern Illinois and southern Indiana, killing 695 people, injuring some 13,000 people and causing \$17 million in property damage. The "Tri-State Tornado," which traveled 219 miles, had a diameter of more than a mile, spent more than three hours on the ground and traveled at speeds in excess of 70 mph.

• On March 14, 1967, the body of President John F. Kennedy is moved to its permanent spot at Arlington National Cemetery. JFK's original gravesite attracted 16 million visitors in the first three years after his death.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

An Anchor A Nautical Touch

That new 50-foot flagpole at the Fore River bridge rotary is a majestic eye-catcher.

Old Glory flying at the top with the MIA-POW flag and the City of Quincy flag fluttering from the yardarm.

But, I still think something is missing: a Navy ship anchor at its base.

The flagpole, erected in January, replaced the Granite Ball that had been there some 68 years before it was moved back to City Hall, its original site.

Quincy Point residents were disappointed when the ball was moved. Some of the newer residents thought it has always been at the rotary and saw it as "Quincy Point's ball."

But the ball was a gift from the Quincy Granite Manufacturer's Association June 25, 1925 to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the settlement of Quincy in 1625. And stipulated that the ball be placed outside City Hall.

It was moved in 1937 when the Fore River rotary was named Wigglesworth Circle in honor of Congressman Richard Wigglesworth.

Mayor William Phelan brought it back to City Hall last June where it belongs and where it is the crown jewel in the Constitution Common picturesque setting.

And where it can be seen close-up and appreciated, more than it was at the rotary. And where children again can delight in seeing their reflections in the polished granite.

As the years went by, the ball became less visible at the rotary with shrub growth and an accident risk for motorists trying to get a glimpse of it.

But the flagpole certainly is visible and will remain so. It makes for a pretty picture with the three flags.

An anchor, an appropriate nautical touch, would complete the picture.

The old Fore River shipyard just a few feet away was famed for building some of the great Navy fighting ships that played a major role in winning World War II.

Such ships as the battleship Massachusetts, the aircraft carriers Lexington and Wasp, cruisers Quincy and Boston.

In the three years after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor in 1941 the yard turned out some 88 ships from LST's (landing ships tanks) to carriers an average of one every 12 1/2 days.

After the war, the yard built the first nuclear-powered surface combat ship, the cruiser USS Long Beach in 1961 and the second, the frigate Bainbridge in 1962. It also built luxury liners.

And in the shipyard today is the USS Salem Naval Shipbuilding Museum.

An anchor at the base of the flagpole would be a most fitting tribute to Quincy Point and its shipbuilding history.

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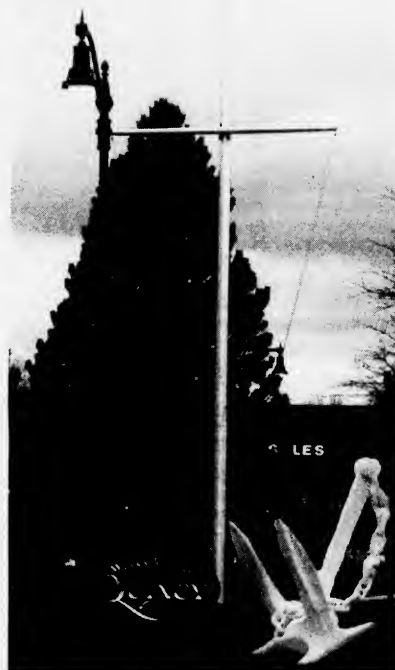
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THIS GIVES YOU an idea of what a ship's anchor would look like at the base of the new flagpole at the Fore River rotary. The anchor was superimposed on the photo taken by Robert Noble.

There's been talk of getting an anchor but one has yet to be found. Maybe Congressman Bill Delahunt could track one down.

Maybe from a ship in mothballs or one about to be scrapped.

And maybe from one built in Quincy.

LEO KELLY isn't letting any grass grow under his feet this election year. Kelly has named George Murphy of Rock Island Road, a retired Weymouth teacher, as his campaign manager.

Kelly will be seeking his ninth term as Ward 1 councillor.



KELLY

SMILE DEPT: Mayor William Phelan sent out a newsletter with the 2007 city census forms mailed last month.

It provided neighborhood updates, information on the energy saving program in municipal buildings, streets and sidewalk improvements, etc.

There was also a suggestion form inviting residents to submit ideas to help the city provide better services or to save money.

A Bowdoin Street resident got right to the point: "Use common sense. Don't water the grass when it's raining."

Scenes From Yesterday

The Uljas-Koitto,
Temperance Society Hall,
Quincy, Mass.

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THIS IS A 1920 postcard showing the Finnish Uljas-Koitto Temperance Society Hall that was on the corner of Nelson Street and Suomi Road in West Quincy for 75 years. A fire set by vandals destroyed the building in 1974. Finnish people first arrived in South/West Quincy in 1886 to work in the granite industry. Over time hundreds of Finns had settled in what became known as the Brewer's Corner neighborhood. By 1890 they had formed their own temperance society and in 1898 had sufficient funds to build the small hall shown in the front here. The building was expanded with the large addition on the rear in 1912. After the fire, only a small stone tablet marks this site. In 1926, the society had purchased a small summer camp on Furnace Pond in Pembroke and expanded their presence there over the years. Known as the UKTS sauna camp they are still in operation there on Suomi Road off Route 36. Suomi is the Finnish word for Finland and/or Finnish, Uljas-Koitto translates to "Noble Endeavor." To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

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From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Quincy Shore Adopt Mandatory Recycling

We moved to Quincy six years ago from out of state and have been advocates for our beautiful city, until now. I am thoroughly disgusted with the arrogance of our city councillors regarding mandatory recycling.

The nation has been focused on global warming and ways to reduce our energy consumption. Forgive my ignorance but wouldn't mandatory recycling help the environment? Not only would mandatory recycling help the environment, it would also save our city more money.

After living here for a few years I noticed the politics of many of the city projects and proposals, naive as to why it had gone on for so long. Then after attending a social function, a long time Quincy resident said to me, "Don't you know Quincy is an Old Boy's Network and if you're

not an Old Boy it won't get done." At the time I didn't feel this was true, until now. Mandatory recycling should be adopted in the city of Quincy.

I know I am not an Old Boy, not born and raised in Quincy, but my opinions and the opinions of others matter. Not only do our opinions matter but we vote. It's a sad statement when an elected official is afraid to enforce mandatory recycling in an

election year.

Maybe our global environment is slightly more important than your own individual city council seats. Myself and many other Quincy residents will be watching to see how the council resolves this issue. Remember the face of Quincy is changing and this "Young Girl" votes every chance she gets.

Holly Meade
Waban Road

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Treatment Of Illegal Immigrants 'Most Intolerable'

Quo Vadis America?! Whither, America?!

The recent shock treatment of the illegal immigrants by the USA Federal Authority in New Bedford, Mass, represents, as Sen. Edward Kennedy declared, "the most intolerable, the most irresponsible and the most un-American activity."

It is significant that the same behavior is exhibited by us nationally and internationally. It is directed against our friends. The goal is to make our friends our enemies.

In the Arab world, Saddam Hussein has been our most loyal friend, for many years. The whole world knows what happened to his country, to him and to his two sons. The next in line for our mistreatment of our friends are our illegal immigrants, the people who love us and who contribute to the quality of American lives, for less money than the American citizens and documented immigrants.

After an unexpected arrests and deportation in New Bedford, a young woman gave to a TV station a very

beautiful description of the illegal immigrants: "The illegal immigrants did not come to America to be illegal. They came to work and to make a better life for themselves and for their children."

The illegal immigrants did not have a choice to be

legal or illegal and chose to be illegal. The illegal immigrants are "the smallest of men" that Christ implored all men on earth to treat them as God's most favorite children.

Michael Jovanovic
Town Hill St.

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Quincy's Yesterdays

Mayor Urged To Reconsider \$58,000 School Cut

By FRANK McCAULEY

The school budget committee of the Quincy Parent-Teacher Council asked Mayor Charles A. Ross to reconsider his \$58,000 cut in the 1949 school budget.

The request was made in a statement issued by Earl Lantery, chairman of the committee, which was formed by the Parent-Teacher Council for the express purpose of trying to regain the money, which the mayor had stricken from the departmental budget.

The school budget advisory committee has been investigating quite extensively the cut in the school budget by Mayor Ross. "We are firmly opposed to this cut or any other cut that might be made by the council finance committee," the committee said. "We feel that the Mayor's actions was decidedly unwise."

AUDITOR OPPOSES

PUBLIC FUNDS FOR CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Quincy merchants were told that there are "limits to what they can expect from public funds," by a city official who opposes legislation requiring a \$2,500 municipal appropriation to help finance Christmas decorations at Quincy trading centers.

City Auditor Leo E. Mullen told a legislative committee at the State House that a city appropriation for this purpose has been sought for several years. Mullen said, "We have done all right by the merchants. We gave them a million-dollar parking area. Talk about being Santa Claus, there are limits to what they can expect from public funds."

HOSPITAL OUT-PATIENT

DEPARTMENT TO BE OPENED

Dr. Ensio K.F. Ronka, director at Quincy City Hospital, announced that the long awaited outpatient department will be opened. "For the people of Quincy it means that they will be able to get certain types of medical and surgical care at substantially reduced costs," he said.

QUINCY-ISMS

Fre-Dels Carroll Cut Rate Pharmacy, 1149 Hancock St., Quincy Center, was advertising a 5 x 7 enlargement for only \$.29 with each roll of film developed... Jack Donohue, athletic coach at North Quincy High, showed a motion picture on football at a communion breakfast and meeting of the Star of the Sea Holy Name Society in Squantum... The Stop and Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery, was advertising "Fresh Native Mushrooms for \$.49 a lb..." Quincy High School's basketball team was preparing to take on powerhouse Attleboro High School in round one of the Tech Tourney. The Presidents team included Ralph Beaton, Bob Pettinelli, Walker Wheelock, Captain Peter Lura, Al Pasquale and Doug Campbell. The team is coached by Munroe MacLean. Editor's Note: The Quincy Presidents defeated Attleboro by a score of 45-43. Top scorers for Quincy High included Al Pasquale, 13 points, Walker Wheelock, with 11 points, and Ralph Beaton, with 10... "Red River" starring John Wayne and Montgomery Clift, was playing at the Lincoln Theatre, Washington St., Quincy Point... Arthur Harrington, chairman of the Men's Fellowship of Houghs Neck Congregational Church, announced that the Fellowship is planning to hold a membership meeting and supper at the church hall... Ralph Moorhead, area manager of the Norfolk County Trust Co., was appointed area treasurer for the Easter Seals Campaign of the Bay State Society for the Crippled and Handicapped... C. Peter Wyllie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wyllie, 88 Elmwood Ave., Wollaston, was elected treasurer of the freshman class at Mount Herman Prep School, Mount Herman, MA... Walter E. Sears, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy Sears of 243 Presidents Lane, was a recent graduate of Harvard University. Sears graduated with honors, earning a degree in anthropology... Gerald J. Antonelli was elected president of the South Quincy Bocce Club for the year 1949. The club has its own quarters and bocce courts at 112 Liberty St., South Quincy... Three little girls dressed in Dutch costumes served as salesgirls at the Tulip Tea held at the First Church of Squantum. The young ladies were Susan Westerbeke, Gail Lounsbury and Susan Abbe... Clarence Edwards presided over the monthly dinner meeting of the Bethany Church Men's Club. Guest speaker was Rev. John H. Scammon.

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BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Laurie's 'Crabbies'

At our daughter Nancy's barbershop, her employees are always exchanging various recipes, and while I was having my hair done, one of her talented barbers is also a great cook and gave me this wonderful recipe.

Here is Laurie's recipe for 'Crabbies' of course made with crabmeat, a favorite of so many.

LAURIE'S CRABBIES

- 1 package English muffins
- 1 jar of Old English cheese spread (or other favorite)
- 1 1/2 teaspoons mayonnaise

- 1 can crabmeat (drained)
- 1 stick butter (or margarine)
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt (optional)

Soften the butter, and place in a bowl with the cheese spread, mayonnaise, garlic powder, salt and crabmeat. Spread on halves of the muffins. Cut each muffin half into quarters.

Bake in a 400 degree oven for 20 minutes or until bubbly.

P.S. You can certainly leave the muffins in halves if you don't want to quarter them.

Wine Tasting, Art Show To Raise Funds For Library

The Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library are planning a major fund-raising event in observance of 125th anniversary of the founding of the library.

They will hold a wine tasting in conjunction with an exhibit of paintings of the Fore River Shipyard by Quincy artist Mary Smith Friday, June 8, at the library, 40 Washington St.

During the last fiscal year, ending in June, 2006, the

Friends contributed some \$24,000 to 744 library programs attended by more than 7,000 persons, 2,000 of them children.

The next meeting of the Friends' planning committee will be March 19 at 7 p.m. in the community room at

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10

the library.

The committee welcomes anyone who wishes to take part in the planning and organizing of events. Call Harold Crowley at 617-471-6881 or e-mail him at Hcro1868@apl.com if you plan to attend.

a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

Call 617-376-1506.

'Beatlemania Live' To Benefit Teacher Mini-Grant Funds

The Quincy School-Community Partnership will present its fifth annual benefit concert, "Beatlemania Live," Friday, March 16, at 8 p.m. in the President's Grand Ballroom at the Boston Marriott Quincy Hotel, 1000 Marriott Drive, West Quincy.

General seating tickets are \$30 and doors will open at 7 p.m.

The event will capture the authentic sound, manner-

isms, costumes and original instruments and take the audience on a magical trip through the entire career of the Beatles.

All proceeds will benefit the Quincy Public Schools teacher mini-grant program, which provides funds for more than 130 Quincy teachers to purchase items that enhance the educational lives and opportunities of their students.

For more information and tickets, call 617-984-8888.

Coming events for the Quincy School-Community Partnerships include:

"An Evening at the Pops," with the Quincy Symphony Orchestra. May 10, at the Boston Marriott Quincy.

Quincy Historical Walk for Education, June 2, at the Dorothy Quincy Homestead.

Annual Partnership Golf Tournament, June 21, at the Presidents Golf Course.

'Celebration Of Fine Arts' At Central Middle School

The public is invited to celebrate students' talent at Central Middle School on Tuesday, March 27 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. when the students' art work, as well as their drama skills, will be on display.

Central's PTO will host

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St.

this "Celebration of the Fine Arts" which will also feature a silent auction and raffles. The students' art work will be displayed and available for purchase for \$5 throughout the evening. During the evening, the Drama Club/Theater department will,

also, present a preview of the fabulous production of "The Point."

All past and present Central families are invited. For additional information, contact Joanne Minton at 617-328-5746.

Senior Scrabble Every Monday

Elderly devotees of the game "Scrabble" meet every Monday from 12 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive at the corner of Channing Street.

Beginners are welcome. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

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QHS Student Celina Abundis Wins First Place Essay Prize From Harvard

Celina Abundis, a sophomore at Quincy High, won first place in an essay competition offered by Harvard's Program for International Education (HPIE).

For the past few months, undergraduates from Harvard have been making weekly visits to Quincy High to teach students about the historical, cultural and modern issues concerning the very heated immigration debate.

HPIE's program is offered to students in the Boston, Belmont and Quincy school districts. The program culminates with a full day trip to Harvard which includes a tour, additional debates, lectures, and a team response to a mock-immigration-crisis situation.

Abundis's essay included thoughtful and insightful in-



QUINCY HIGH sophomore, Celina Abundis (left) accepts first place essay prize from Alyssa Connolly, HPIE's Director.

formation on the history of immigration as well as opinion on the recent passing by Congress of the building of a fence along the Mexican border. First place prize was a generous gift certificate to Border's and an HPIE t-shirt.



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL History class toured Harvard Yard during HPIE's Harvard Day. From left to right are teacher Meg McMillen, Dylan Young, Celina Abundis, Alfredo Barzola, Kaitlyn Burgess, Brendan Geaney, Nancy Brown, Alex Lynch. Second row: Rob Krueger, Annie Tran, Jennifer Nhan, Jeff Pereira, Tony Nguyen, Lydia Points and Claire Brennan.

50 Residents On Suffolk Dean's List

Fifty Quincy students were named to the Dean's List at Boston's Suffolk University for the Fall semester of the 2006-2007 academic year.

The following students earned the top honors: Paul Adams, Julie Ann, Arthur Barrett, Rawan Barri, PingTing Chen, Mei Cao, Christine Cheong, Diane Chin, Kelli Connors, Kelci

Conte, Francis Dunn, Sarah Flynn, Yu Fu, Daijana Goncalves, Catherine Gropp, Yolanda Hales, Nicholas Hamlet, Heidi Hu, Maureen Kelley, Gregory Kodgis, Fun Lau

Joy Lin, Dennis Liu, Songer Liu, Kourtney Mark, John McGuigan, Jonathan Mendez, Michael Nee, Anna Ngo, Kimthy Nguyen, Agnes

Nyeck, Joseph O'Connor, Bryan Petit, Jorida Qafa, Michael Rispin, Carol Rodriguez, Samantha Saccardo, Nicole Shruhan, Amanda Silverman, Alba Spahiu, Kathleen Sullivan, Vicky Tom, Alexandra Valli, Thuy-Lieu Vu, Lin Wang, Xiaomin Wu, Pui Yee Yeung, Yuki Yu, Hao Yue and BiYun Zeng.

Open House At Animal Shelter

The Quincy Animal Shelter will hold a "St. Patrick's Day" Open House and Adoption Saturday, March 17, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the shelter, 56 Broad St., Quincy.

Those attending will meet the cats and dogs that are available for adoption, participate in the raffles and purchase goodies from the bake sale.

For more information, call 617-376-1349.

Adams Shore St. Patrick's Dinner

The Adams Shore Association will hold its Third Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner at Adams Shore Friday from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. at the Quincy Yacht Club, Sea St, Houghs Neck.

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Phelan Stands Behind Crowley

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whelmily a "no confidence" vote in the chief and last month Tait called him "a liar" before a City Council subcommittee.

"I am more than happy to sit down with the Patrolman's Union executive board any time they want," said Crowley.

"My door is open to discuss any issue they want. I want to open communications."

"He can have his executive board and I'll have two

or three of my command staff and we can come to a mutual agreement or agree to disagree."

Phelan told his press availability audience that, 13 cruisers or not, "the Quincy Police Department has never been more visible. I'm proud of what our Police Department does."

He noted that recent FBI crime figures ranked Quincy second behind only Newton as the safest city in Massachusetts.

"Something must be going well," he said, "but we can do better. We are strong but we want to be first."

Phelan said the current controversy "is not driven by the public. The issue is between management and the union."

"My only concern is public safety. We have an extremely safe city due to the good work of our police. I'm proud of them. But we'll keep working on it."

By TOM HENSHAW

Health Care Reform Topic At Business Owners' Breakfast

Quincy Medical Center and Quincy 2000 will co-sponsor a Business Owners' Breakfast focused on health care reform Tuesday, April 3 from 8 to 9:30 a.m. at Presidents Place, 1250 Hancock Street, Quincy.

The Business Owners' Breakfast is designed to help local business owners to understand how the current health care reform will impact their businesses and employees.

Topics covered during the breakfast will include a review of the state's new Commonwealth Care and Commonwealth Choice insurance products, as well as the Commonwealth Insurance Partnership, a state and federally funded program that helps qualified businesses with uninsured employees and the self-employed pay for health insurance.

Attendees will also learn the obligations for local busi-

ness owners under the new health care reform, as well as the potential penalties for non-compliance.

Simultaneous translation will be available to present attendees who speak a primary language other than English.

Space is limited and pre-registration is requested.

To register, call 617-847-1454 or visit www.quincy2000.org.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit

themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

The Council is mandated by law to do background checks on all volunteers.

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Richard Gormley Re-elected President

Quincy Business Assn. Elects Officers, Board Members

The Quincy Business Association's Board of Directors recently re-elected Richard Gormley, vice president of Sovereign Bank, to a second-term as president.

Other officers elected for the coming year are: Brad Fredericks, Fajitas & Rita's; first vice president, Paul McConnell, Norfolk Electric Company, second vice president and Dorothy Foley, South Shore Savings Bank, treasurer.

Re-elected to the Board for new three-year terms were:

David Murphy, South Suburban Oncology; Eileen Robertson, Sherman Realty; Caryn Smith, Caryn's Corner and Michelle Stenberg, Quincy Youth Hockey Skating Arena. Smith is former president of the Board.



RICHARD GORMLEY

Elected for the first time to the Board for three-year terms were Donna Smith Bocash, Bank of America and Mary Jane Roxbury, Odyssey Solutions. Daniel Taylor, South Coastal Bank was newly elected to serve an open two-year term.

Continuing to complete their current terms as Board

members are:

Kenneth Anderson, The Bank of Canton; Jeff Bertman, Rogers Jewelry; Chris Baker, BB ParadiCE; Robert Bosworth, The Quincy Sun; William Bragdon, Stop & Shop Companies; Elizabeth Campbell, Quincy Community Access TV; David Dennis, Dennis and Associates; Angela Di Tunno, Mary Kay Cosmetics; Michael Flavin, Flavin & Flavin Real Estate and Insurance; James McLean, Daniel J. Flynn Company; George Nolan, Mansfield and Nolan, Accounting; Atty. James Timmins and Tina Tuggle, River Bay Club. Bertman is a former president.

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Literacy Volunteers Adult Spelling Bee Fundraiser At Marshall School March 21

Literacy Volunteers of Massachusetts-Quincy at the Thomas Crane Public Library will hold its annual fundraiser Wednesday, March 21 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Clifford Marshall School, Moody St., Quincy.

This year's fundraiser will be an adult spelling bee, where teams of three spellers per table.

The event will not require people to spell out loud. Instead, each team will spell on a white board and hold up the answer for the judges to see.

Donation for the event is \$300 per team. There are also a limited number of corporate sponsorships available.

The evening will also feature a raffle, refreshments,

prizes and surprises.

D.J. Hank Morse of WROR FM 105.6 will be the master of ceremonies.

Andrea J. Cabral, sheriff of Suffolk County, will be the word pronouncer.

Three judges will time the 30 seconds allowed for the answer and will also resolve any disputes about pronunciation or time.

All proceeds will benefit the literacy program and will be used to purchase reading and writing software to reinforce their learning and also

teach a most necessary skill: using the computer to communicate and search for information.

Crane Library literacy program serves the South Shore community. Volunteers are trained and matched through LVM-Quincy and have provided free tutoring to adults in basic reading and writing since 1985.

For a registration form and more information about the spelling bee, call Elaine Kline at 617-376-1314.

Space is limited.

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someone else.

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MBTA Passes

For Seniors

A man from the MBTA will be at City Hall, 1305 Hancock St., Tuesday, April 10 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. to sign up seniors and the handicapped for new T passes.

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VETERAN MEMBERS of Quincy American Legion Post 95, from left, Leonard Seitz of the executive committee, Past Commander Bill James and Commander George McCray are leading the fight to have the Post Home taken by the city by eminent domain to make way for the Quincy Center Concourse.

Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

Quincy Legion Post WANTS To Be Taken For Concourse

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town roadway will isolate the Post Home and make access from the adjacent parking area across a four-lane parkway very hazardous, especially for our older members.

"... We remain hopeful that your administration will consider acquiring our property as part of the roadway project."

McCray said he has tried to arrange a meeting with Phelan to discuss the taking

but has had no response other than a letter noting that:

"Our planning efforts under the preferred alignment have been ongoing for more than a year. This alignment satisfies both state safety and traffic regulations."

"The city cannot duly justify the purchase of 27 Revere Rd. under a plan that clearly avoids impact to the property."

"The roadway design included sound engineering work for improved traffic

flow as well as better pedestrian access. Under the current plan, there will be a center median in front of the Legion to assist safer crossing."

"The City believes the roadway will improve the area surrounding 27 Revere Rd. and produce greater benefits for the community at large."

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FOOT NOTES

by Joel Chariton, D.P.M.

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Kelly Invites Gore Here To Talk Global Warming

Call it a longshot, but who knows?

Ward 1 City Councillor Leo Kelly has invited former Vice President Al Gore to meet with his Environmental and Public Health Committee to discuss global warming.

Gore, fresh from an Academy Award for his documentary film "An Inconvenient Truth," has also been mentioned as a possible candidate for president in 2008.

"Who knows," said Kelly, "he may be up here in New England sometime looking for certain locations to talk about global warming."

And what better place than the Council Chamber in City Hall to talk about global warming — or to announce one's candidacy, for

that matter.

In a letter to Gore's office in Nashville, Tenn., Kelly congratulated the former veep for his Oscar and for bringing "climate changes in the world to everyone's attention."

"Whenever you are available, the meeting will be held at your convenience," he wrote.

"The city of Quincy with its population of more than 90,000 is the birthplace of two presidents — John Adams and John Quincy Adams — and also John Hancock.

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Verizon Blames City Inaction For 93 Double Telephone Poles

By LAURA GRIFFIN

A Verizon spokesman this week fired back at city councillors critical of the company's slow response on double telephone poles and blamed city officials for dragging their feet on the problem.

Double utility poles exist when a second utility pole is erected to prop up an existing pole that is either tipping or leaning or deemed too weak to stand alone. Locally, such poles are often tied to each other with cable or nailed together with plywood.

Verizon press officer Rick Colon charged Monday that his company can't act on nearly 50% of the city's double poles or 93 poles because of the Quincy Fire Department's attachments on the poles.

"In the City of Quincy, there are 218 double poles out of a base of several thousand," said Colon, noting that the "93 attachments are the responsibility of the fire department before anyone else can do anything."

"We can not remove anybody's attachments," Colon said during a telephone interview, adding "Other attachments above (on the poles) need to do their work first."

Colon was contacted after the City Council, on March 5, unanimously passed a two part resolution aimed at slashing the number

of double telephone poles on city streets.

At that meeting, Councillors described the double poles littering the city landscape not only as a visual blight, but, in some cases, as dangerous impediments for drivers.

City Council President Douglas Gutro said there were 35 double poles in his Ward 5 district alone and double poles on over 100 streets. Another councillor described a double pole standing in place for two years while a state law already requires that double poles be removed in 90 days.

"They're violating state law. We need to send a message," Gutro said before the resolution, which he hoped could force "utilities to remove these poles."

In the first part, Councillors voted to invite utility company representatives to their next scheduled meeting to discuss the problem. The second part of the resolution offered the Council's support for state legislative initiatives by the Massachusetts Municipal Association (MMA).

Double poles are apparently a statewide problem because the

MMA developed the proposal which could fine utility companies for up to \$1000 for each occurrence of leaving double poles in place beyond the legal limit.

Councillors also considered delaying votes on new requests for additional poles until the company takes action.

Gutro was contacted by telephone this week and asked to respond to Verizon's charges this week. Gutro said "That's the first time that has been brought to the attention of City Council." He also asked what kind of notice Verizon issued to the fire department or to city officials and in what time frame.

When discussing the issue, Verizon's Colon outlined Verizon's limited ability to remove poles, stating that other parties or attachments must act first. Colon listed the order of attachments as follows: 1. Electric companies 2. Street lights 3. Fire alarms 4. Private attachments 5 cable television and 6. Verizon.

The City Council has scheduled a discussion of the issue at their next meeting on March 26.

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ONE OF QUINCY'S 218 doubled up utility poles stands at the intersection of Adams Street and Beale Street. The poles are held together with a wire cable belt while another double pole stands across the street. That one is held together with plywood stripes.

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JACQUELINE COLLINS

Collins worked in Fleet Financial Group as director of Quality Management for Fleet Retirement Plan Services, and before that with Putnam Investments. She has

also owned and operated several small businesses in the retail, service and consulting sectors.

She holds a bachelor's degree from the State University of Iowa, and has taken additional business courses at Northeastern University, The Sloan School of Management, and has completed National Quality Award training attending the Juran Institute.

Collins is an active member of The Sea Level Exchange. She is also a member of Rotary and is an Ambassador for the South Shore Chamber of Commerce.



FIRE SAFETY

by Captain Tom Lyons
Fire Prevention Bureau
Quincy Fire Department

Appreciation And Gratitude

I'll photograph occasionally during an adventurous day. It might take place on the water kayaking amongst the seals at Monomoy, or during a long remote winter's walk amongst the sand dunes on the Cape, prodding along for a nine mile trek to photograph some winter scene. I typically focus on during the warmer summer months. It doesn't much matter when or where, if I get a photograph that represents the day and connection experienced during that adventure, I'm driven to write an essay to prolong and appreciate the experience. Here I am doing so again while prolonging and appreciating a different type of experience that I would like to share with you here.

Often times within my office, we'll start the day by searching for incident reports within the system that officers have previously flagged giving notice to us of a situation needing additional attention. Through these flagged reports, an officer can indicate to us that another agency should be contacted to refer an issue to them, or that an individual resides at an address needing intervention or assistance beyond our emergency response. It's not in the last infrequent that fire prevention is asked to chan-

nel a request to another agency or party, or follow up on a hazardous condition. I received one such flagged report today.

Without giving too many details, a concerned lieutenant had previously responded to an incident where a resident needed medical assistance. This individual happened to be elderly and the lieutenant saw enough within the apartment that he was concerned about the overall safety and welfare of this individual and another. Meanwhile she was transported to the Medical Center by ambulance and while that addressed an immediate need, the officer felt and noted through a flagged report, that should this individual return to risk, they could remain at risk without assistance in their daily life.

Reading this, I was prompted to contact members of the Health Department where the report narrative raised a concern about health issues. The Health Department in turn filtered this information to an appropriate inspector and a visiting nurse and I was told they would meet me at that address that afternoon to assess the claim. With community police officers present, five of us then met and knocked on the door introducing ourselves and asking to be invited in. We were welcomed, while each of us entered assessing the condition of the interior with each step we took. We did so, I believe, while conveying our genuine empathy and concern for the patient who had been released from the Medical Center. We were pleased to find her doing well and in good spirits.

While a conversation continued, we each assessed the condition of the living space

through our own trained eyes. I looked for signs of excessive accumulations of combustibles, blocked exit access and smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. The health inspector looked through her own eyes at the condition of the interior, and the nurse, the appearance of the occupant's health and welfare. I experienced the connection of a joint effort focusing on the welfare of these seniors.

We each discussed our own concerns with them and conveyed our suggestions and our involvement here on in. I believe it was a fruitful visit and we all felt pretty good about our efforts for them.

That's my point here. Through these years in the fire department, particularly these last 13 years in fire prevention, we have the unique opportunity to work with others from other departments for the common good of citizens within Quincy. I believe that each inspector, officer and nurse today was genuinely involved in focusing upon the welfare of these individuals, and channeling them to into a system for assistance. Besides the outcome, just the opportunity to work with such dedicated people is a gift.

Unlike the adventures referred to above, there is no photograph to focus on as I write this I don't need one. There is however, the appreciation and gratitude that comes with the connection of working with these dedicated people. From the lieutenant who flagged his concern, to the agents who walked through that door to assess the need for further help, it's a great opportunity to connect and be a part of an effort larger than ourselves. I'm grateful to be a part of it.



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GUESTS AT THE ROTARY CLUB luncheon this week included (left to right) Mayor William Phelan, Marianne Peak, Adams NHP Superintendent, Dean Reeder, Director of Tourism for the National Park Service and Kathy Melia from Congressman William Delahunt's office.

Quincy Sun Photo/Laura Griffin

Mayor Says Downtown Makeover Key To Increased Tourism

Mayor William Phelan Tuesday promised that he'd work with local business leaders toward revitalizing the city's center as a boon to both business and tourism.

Addressing some 80 Rotarians at The Neighborhood Club, the mayor called a "vibrant downtown" the key to drawing new visitors and said a downtown makeover will "benefit tourism."

Phelan envisions a downtown destination attracting tourists to lunch, dinner and, maybe, shopping. "We're working on that."

At the luncheon, the mayor welcomed Dean Reeder, the National Park Service Tourism Director, to Quincy. This week, Reeder kicked off a tour of the state's national parks with a first stop at Adams National Historical Park.

Reeder, the featured speaker for the Rotary, said his agency has already begun planning for the 100th anniversary of the National Park Service in 2016.

Earlier this week, Reeder told The Sun that the Park Service is gearing up to increase the diversity of park visitors. Reeder said that young people and people of

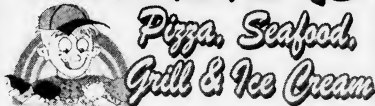
more diverse backgrounds must be encouraged to visit the parks.

Reeder will be the keynote speaker at the Governor's Conference on Travel and Tourism scheduled for March 22 and 23 in

Worcester.

Marianne Peak, Superintendent of the Adams National Historical Park, introduced Reeder to the Rotary luncheon which was a joint meeting of Milton and Quincy members.

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Other films in the series will be shown and discussed

every Thursday evening until April 24. They will feature lectures by Newbury College Professor of History Dan Breen.

Titles of the six sessions include Road to War, Over There, Modern War, The American People in War-time, Peace Making and Af-

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FOUR CENTRAL MIDDLE School sixth graders were among 17 local school students who recently received Junior Hero Awards from the Quincy Kiwanis Club for exemplifying the service organization's motto: serving others. Katie and Megan White, Matthew Levine and Andrew Minton are congratulated by (back row from left) School Committee members Kevin Mulvey and Elaine Dwyer, Quincy Kiwanis Club President Michelle Stenberg and Norfolk County Sheriff Michael Bellotti who served as master of ceremonies at the awards breakfast held at the Quincy Lodge of Elks.



ASHMARE APPOLON and Lynn Leger, fifth graders at the Merrymount School who are cousins, were honored as Junior Heroes by the Quincy Kiwanis Club at a recent awards breakfast held at the Quincy Lodge of Elks.

Photos Courtesy Of Maralin Manning and Jean McCarty



CHRISTINE CALLAHAN, a seventh grader at the Broad Meadows Middle School and Junior Hero Award recipient.

Awards Presented In Memory Of First Recipient Patrick Toland White

Quincy Kiwanis Club Honors 17 Junior Heroes

The Kiwanis Club of Quincy recently recognized 17 young leaders at its second annual "Junior Hero Awards" breakfast held at the Quincy Lodge of Elks Firell Room in West Quincy.

The awards are presented in memory of Patrick White, who died in December 2005 after battling cancer for six years. He was a freshman at North Quincy High School. Patrick was known for his courageous battle with rhabdomyosarcoma, a cancer of the soft tissues and muscles. During his illness, he continued to help others working with the Jimmy Fund.

"This year's top quality group was nominated and selected because they stood out amongst their peers," said Maralin Manning, a member of the Quincy Kiwanis Club and executive director of the Quincy Business Association.

"Their special civic efforts and contributions helped identify each one as a leader within their student body," Manning said. "In addition, these contributions give a whole new perspective on just how local youngsters selflessly contribute to those less fortunate amongst them."

"These young people have learned early in life the skill of giving back. With sustained community encouragement, they should continue to use this skill their whole life," she added.

This year's students attend Quincy and North Quincy High Schools, Central, Broadmeadows, Atlantic Middle Schools, Snug Harbor, Merrymount and Squantum Elementary Schools, St. Mary's School, Woodward and Archbishop Williams High Schools.

GRADE 1

Devin Zambruno, St. Mary's School, Devin had donated her hair to Locks of Love after getting her waist-length hair cut above her shoulders. Locks of Love is a non-profit organization that provides hairpieces to children suffering medical hair loss who can't afford them.

GRADE 5

Ashmare Appolon and **Lynn Leger**, Merrymount School, Ashmare and Lynn raised \$100 from their lemonade stand last summer and donated the money to the American Cancer Society.

Joseph Hutchins, Squantum School, was recognized for his general work in the classroom and for being a "buddy" to students who function below him.

Hang I Lam of the Snug Harbor School received her award for her contributions to the school's media center and her help with younger students.

GRADE 6

Katie and Meghan White, **Andrew Minton** and **Matt Levine**. The foursome was honored for their participation in a coin drive for the Snug Harbor Community Center. Katie and Meghan White are sisters of Patrick White and make and sell bracelets for the Patrick White Foundation.

GRADE 7

Christine Callahan, Broad Meadows Middle School, was recognized for her six years of volunteer work at Quincy Interfaith Social Services, arranging car washes and bake sales for Avon Walk for Breast Cancer and victims of Hurricane Katrina. She also works with Broad Meadows service groups Workerbees and Operation Day's Work.

GRADE 8

Krisi Gjini, Atlantic Middle School, was honored for helping a fellow student with special needs. After learning the sixth-grade boy could no longer be driven to school by his grandmother, Krisi volunteered to help him learn how to take an MBTA bus to school.

She worked to build his confidence by walking with him to the bus stop and riding with him to the school.

Krisi was also nominated as a peer leader at her school. She helps teach the lessons on the dangers of cigarettes and how to ease the transition to middle school.

GRADE 10

Nicole Casinelli and **Logan White**, North Quincy



DEVON ZAMBRUNO, a first grader at St. Mary School and Kiwanis Junior Hero, with School Committee member Elaine Dwyer.



KRISI GJINI, a fifth grader at the Atlantic Middle School, and Kiwanis Junior Hero.

High School. Nicole and Logan were honored for their work in the school's child development program.

GRADE 12

Donyelle Carmody, North Quincy High School, was recognized for raising money to help low-income children.

Dung My Pham, a student at Quincy High School, was one of only two children from the U.S. who traveled to New Delhi, India, to participate in the second Children's World Congress on child labor.



DONYELLE CARMODY, a senior at North Quincy High School, was a Junior Hero Award recipient.



JOSEPH HUTCHINS, a fifth grader at the Squantum School and Quincy Kiwanis Club Junior Hero Award recipient.

Mary Harris, the senior class president at Woodward School for Girls, was nominated for the award for volunteering with Project Piaba in Brazil which focuses on fish studies and conservation.

Laura Bloomer, a senior at Archbishop Williams High School, was a guest speaker at the United Nations International Year of the Volunteer reception in New York City. She has been recognized with many other awards for her activism and accomplishments.



QUINCY KIWANIS CLUB Junior Hero Award recipient Logan White, a sophomore at North Quincy High School.



MARY HARRIS, a senior at the Woodward School, displays her Quincy Kiwanis Club Junior Hero award.



LAURA BLOOMER, a senior at Archbishop Williams High School, was among 17 Junior Hero Award recipients.



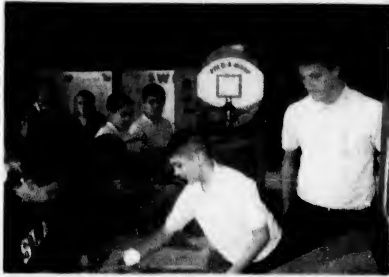
NICOLE CASINELLI, a junior at North Quincy High School, with her Kiwanis Junior Hero Award.



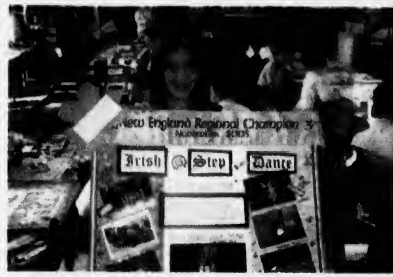
JUNIOR HERO Dung My Pham, a senior at Quincy High School, with School Committee member Elaine Dwyer.



HANG I LAM, fifth grader at Snug Harbor School and Junior Hero award recipient.



DOMINIC VENUTI (left) and Myles Carrigan, Grade 8, chose a basketball game for their project.



MAUNA HENLEY, Grade 7, picked Irish Step Dance for her project.



JOHN MARTIN (left) and Kyle Johnson, Grade 8, demonstrated simple machines.

St. Ann's Observes Catholic Schools Week

Students at St. Ann's School celebrated Catholic Schools Week with activities aimed at expressing their gratitude to the men and women who are fighting for freedom in Iraq.

Colorful displays were created to be sent to our forces in the Middle East and each student contributed a dollar to buy the supplies needed but not provided by the government.

The students also showed their concern for people in the community and around the world by contributing nearly 800 pair of white socks for the homeless and Valentines for priests and nuns who are sick or retired.

They also made time capsules containing meaningful things in their lives, which are to be saved and opened at a later date.

Middle school students from Grades 6, 7 and 8 staged their annual educational fair for parents, family and friends.

Grade 6 presented projects on the saints and the popes; Grade 7 researched and displayed U. S. and world history; and Grade 8 built simple machines from candy dispensers to slush makers.

The week began with a Mass at St. Ann's Church and ended with a Mass celebrated in the school gym. Mrs. Alanna Edstrom, a fifth grade teacher, organized and coordinated the week's activities.

SHINE Counsel At Aging Office

A SHINE counselor will be available Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Quincy Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., Quincy, to assist the elderly and adults with disabilities with health information and benefits.

Home visits can be arranged for shut-ins.

SHINE is the acronym for Serving the Health Information Needs of Elders. Call 617-376-1247 to make an appointment or to speak with a SHINE counselor.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.



MEGAN KELLEY (left) and Emily Gray, Grade 8, were partial to pinball machines.



GRACE O'DONOVAN, Grade 7, shows off her historical project during National Catholic Schools Week at St. Ann's School in Wollaston.



DAVID JOYKE, Grade 7, selected the Ellis Island Immigration Station for his project.



ELIZA McDONALD, Grade 6, chose St. Ignatius as the subject of her project.



SARAH KING, Grade 7, reached back 75 years to the Great Depression for her project.

9 From Quincy Win BU Honors

Nine Quincy residents have been named to the dean's list for the fall semester.

They are Alegria Albarran, May Cheung, Maria Constantopoulos,

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Here are some tips from the Department of Energy (DOE) and CertainTeed, a leader in Building Science,

on selecting and using insulation:

- Determine where you need insulation, what type is needed and what R-value and thickness you need in various parts of your home. The higher the R-value, the better your walls and roof will resist the transfer of heat. The DOE recommends ranges of R-values based on local heating and cooling costs and climate conditions in different areas of the nation. Check with your local insulation contractor or retailer to learn

the recommended R-value for your region.

- Check the insulation in your attic, ceilings, exterior and basement walls, floors, and crawl spaces to see if it meets recommended levels. For example, if your attic has six inches or less of fiberglass insulation, it should likely be upgraded to meet local standards. Or, if your exterior walls feel cold to the touch in the winter or hot in the summer, they may need more insulation.

- Insulate pipes to keep the hot water flowing through them hotter. In the winter

insulation helps prevent pipes exposed to the cold from freezing.

- Insulate air ducts to increase the energy efficiency of the overall heating and cooling system.

- If mold is a concern, especially in parts of the country where humidity fluctuates seasonally, a new insulation product is available to help control moisture within wall cavities. Called DryRight FiberGlass Insulation, it provides exceptional thermal and acoustical benefits while helping to control moisture.

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Don't Let Germs Crash the Party

(NAPS) – According to the Centers for Disease Control, approximately 76 million cases of food-borne diseases, commonly known as food poisoning, occur in the United States every year. Fortunately, you can help keep your family out of such statistics.

Food-borne illnesses are attributed to bacteria that can grow and spread throughout the home. The best way to protect yourself is to understand the science behind bacteria growth and spread. Noted microbiologist Joe Rubino recommends taking preventative, scientifically proven measures to help keep your family healthy, happy and safe.

1. **Keep your refrigerator at the proper temperature.** "The temperature of the food, as well as where it is stored, is crucial to the safety of everyone. Make sure the temperature of your refrigerator is accurate to prevent bacteria growth and spread." Test the temperature of your refrigerator to ensure that it is no higher than 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

2. **Thaw and cook food**

to proper temperature. Use a thermometer to make sure that meat and poultry have been thawed all the way through. "Do research on the time needed to thoroughly thaw ingredients. The heat from cooking food kills bacteria that live in things such as meat and poultry. If the inside of your food is not thawed completely, it won't get hot enough to eliminate the threat."

3. **Prevent cross contamination.** "The danger lies in contact between cooked and uncooked food and remnants, so take precautions to always keep them separate. Use cutting boards that come with removable mats to cut down on washing time and keep food safe." If you can't find one of these, wash your cutting board with hot water and soap after each use.

4. **Sanitize all surfaces that come into contact with food.** "Sanitizers, such as Lysol Food Surface Sanitizer, can kill bacteria and eliminate the threat of illnesses caused by E. coli and salmonella. They also require no rinsing and cleanup is quick and effective."

5. **Properly store leftovers.** Store remaining food in resealable containers and high-quality plastic bags. "Leftovers are enjoyed for days after. It is important that they are stored properly." Rubino recommends looking for products that boast airtight seals to keep food fresh.

For more information, see www.lysol.com.

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Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

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At the workshop, QCAP's property maintenance and home ownership professionals will discuss

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Tom Weitbrecht Joins Century 21 Network Richmond Associates

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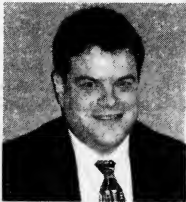
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Century 21 Network/Richmond Associates Earns Quality Award

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To contact Weitbrecht, call 508-726-6437.

Jack Conway & Co. Realtors Quincy office, located at 253 Beale St. in Wollaston, was honored recently for their outstanding commitment to community organizations and events throughout the City of Presidents.

The "Community Involvement Award" was presented to Quincy office manager Diane Furness and her 18 agents during the 20th annual "Conway Country" convention, held at the Sheraton Four Points Hotel and Conference Center in Norwood. This year's convention theme was "Building Blocks for the Future."

Jack Conway & Co. Quincy associates regularly participate, and frequently win top commercial prize in the annual Quincy Christmas Festival Parade. In addition, the agents volunteer in the annual August Moon Festival, Quincy Medical Center Cancer Walk, Meals on Wheels for South Shore Elder Services, South Quincy Italian Festival, and Fall Harvest Festival.

Last year the Quincy office also sponsored a Halloween pumpkin decorating and costume contest for youngsters.

"This is an extremely ac-



JACK CONWAY & Co. Realtors Quincy office manager Diane Furness accepts her office's Community Involvement Award from Jack Conway & Co. Realtors Regional Manager and Vice-President of Sales Denis Lilla. The award for community volunteerism was also presented to Conway offices in Falmouth, Scituate and Brockton during the 20th annual "Conway Country" convention, held recently at the Sheraton Four Points Hotel and Conference Center in Norwood.

tive and growing city," said Furness. "Our entire team feels very fortunate to be able to work here and give back in any way they can."

Jack Conway & Co. Re-

altors offices in Scituate, Brockton, and Falmouth also received Community Involvement Awards for taking part in various activities ranging from collecting food

for the needy, sending care packages to troops overseas, and for helping to build a playground.

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LARCENY, 10:58 a.m., Thompson Weather Proofing, 93 Federal Ave. Past larceny of over \$5,000.

LARCENY, 11:23 a.m., 89 Elmwood Park. By credit card.

ARMED ROBBERY, 2:36 p.m., Randolph Police Department. Be on look out all Quincy cruisers. Randolph PD looking for a white male 5-6 1/2-10, wearing jeans and blue shirt with green coloring, a white baseball cap with letter "M", who passed a note stating he had a weapon, but no weapon was shown. Fled on foot toward Holbrook after robbing Rockland Trust Bank on Main St.

LARCENY, 3:14 p.m., 1027 Southern Artery. Past. Theft of clothing from community dryer.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:02 p.m., 23 Lancaster St. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 6:57 p.m., 39 Hudson St. Cashed a check for someone and check was bad.

LARCENY, 8:03 p.m., 545 Willard St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:24 p.m., Hancock St. and Kendall St. Large pot hole, caller got a flat tire.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:07 p.m., 33 South St. Past. Brick thrown through glass front door.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:44 p.m., 788 Willard St. Past. Damage to garage door entrance.

SATURDAY, MARCH 3

LARCENY, 3:44 a.m., 52 Stoughton St. Complaints filed for malicious damage and domestic A&B.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 7:23 a.m., 142 Glendale Rd. Possible.

LARCENY, 10:22 a.m., 20 Payne St. Gold rope chain stolen.

LARCENY, 12:39 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 65 Newport Ave. Past. Counterfeit American Express check.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:33 p.m., 276 Winthrop Ave. To property.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:19 p.m., 145 Willard St. 2006 Toyota Corolla, color silver.

SUNDAY, MARCH 4

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:54 p.m., 2 Farnum St. Arrest. Male party vandalized a fence.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:03 a.m., Moran Landscaping, 103 Penn St. Windows all smashed, unknown if anyone entered the building.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:33 a.m., 13 Junior Ter. To motor vehicle. Sprayed passenger side window and rear quarter panel.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:56 a.m., 36 Birch St. To home.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:29 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Slashed tire.

LARCENY, 1:45 p.m., iParty Retail, 100 Granite St. TV. Vandalism/Property, 3:44 p.m., 326 Franklin St. Smashed door.

LARCENY, 5:44 p.m., 14 LaFayette St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:28 p.m., 435 Granite St. Past. Window just smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:31 p.m., 80 Clay St. Window smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:49 p.m., 1504 Hancock St. Two parties involved, one party pushed another into a glass door and smashed it.

MONDAY, MARCH 5

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:39 a.m., 82 Albertina St. Cars egged.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:14 a.m., 25 Ocean St. Dwelling. Purse stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:36 a.m., 45 Smith St. Malicious damage over \$250.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:52 a.m., 5 Avalon Ave. Tires slashed.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:34 p.m., 333 Ricciuti Dr. States he gave permission to a female to use his car for one evening. She failed to return it as of this date even though repeated calls were made to her cell number. 2004 Ford Explorer, color black.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:11 p.m., 7 Fur-nace Ave. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:44 p.m., 71 Station St. Dwelling.

TUESDAY, MARCH 6

LARCENY, 7:58 a.m., Montilio's Bakery, 638 Adams St. Past. Glass show case taken. Item was stolen from outside building which is being remodeled. A walk-in cooler, which had been dismantled, was also stolen.

LARCENY, 10:01 a.m., 176 Holbrook Rd. Possible larceny.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:56 a.m., 333 Ricciuti Dr. Dwelling. \$25,000 taken.

LARCENY, 4:26 p.m., 375 Water St. TV.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:36 p.m., 20 Remington Ct. Dwelling. Cash missing. Entry made, no sign of force.

A Job Well Done

On Monday, March 5, at approximately 11:35 a.m., Officer Steve O'Donoghue was dispatched to the lobby of the station to meet a female and her roommate about damage to her vehicle. The female victim said she purchased a car from a man (suspect) about a year ago and that he remained friends with her for the past year, although the relationship was plutonic.

The victim stated she believed the man was becoming "attached to me." She said the man was coming by more often and wanted a relationship. The victim said the suspect came by two nights ago (March 3) and began banging on her apartment door, yelling "Open the #%^&#! Door - Don't ignore me."

The victim said she was afraid so she hid in the back bedroom from inside as the suspect left the door area and then walked around the apartment. He then tried to force open a window without success, and then walked over to the victim's car and crouched behind it.

The roommate opened the door and witnessed the suspect straighten up from behind the left rear tire. She asked him what he was doing and he responded, "I'm not doing anything" as he hurried away. Once they decided it was safe to go outside, the victim and her roommate examined the car and found all four tires had been slashed.

The victim then went to the phone and called the suspect and asked him why he slashed her tires. He said, "because I wanted to go shopping and use the car and you would not answer the door or your phone when I called." The victim hung up the phone, which resulted in the suspect calling back over and over. The victim said she finally picked up the phone and the suspect said he would go to the junkyard and get her some tires.

The victim told the suspect she never wanted to talk or see him again. He responded by saying he wanted the car back. The victim said she wanted her money back and this went back and forth for a few minutes until the victim hung up. During this time that Officer O'Donoghue was interviewing the victim, she cried and was visibly upset, holding hands with her roommate.

When Officer O'Donoghue told the victim he was going to find the suspect and arrest him for the malicious damage, the victim became even more frightened. The officer questioned the victim as to why she was so fearful. The victim said the suspect never harmed her but did reveal to the officer that the suspect returned on the 4th and the roommate answered the door.

The suspect walked right into the apartment and the victim and roommate immediately noticed a bulge in his waistband under his shirt. When the roommate inquired about the bulge, the suspect then pulled up his shirt to exhibit a silver and black handgun. The victim became extremely fearful and screamed at the suspect to leave or she would call the police. The suspect then left without incident.

Officer O'Donoghue transported the victims to the courthouse so they could speak with a domestic violence advo-

cate. He then met with Sgt. Tim Sorgi, who organized a team of officers to apprehend the suspect at his worksite. Detectives Dennis Maloney, Jason MacIsaac and Officer Dan Francis went to the Copeland Street work address of the suspect. The officers approached a male in the parking lot, confirmed his identity as the suspect and placed him into custody.

Det. Maloney asked the suspect if he owned a gun and he said he did not. Consent was given by the suspect to search his home for the handgun. The suspect's home was a single family home with three bedrooms on the second floor and only one had a mattress and clothes in it. In the closet of that room inside the pocket of a hooded sweatshirt, Det. Maloney located a pellet gun. The gun was a black and silver Powerline brand and had a magazine that could be removed from it.

Det. MacIsaac took several photos of the gun and the location that it was found in. The gun was taken into evidence at this time to show the veracity of the victim's story. Once at the station, the suspect was fingerprinted and minutes later, the FBI teletype indicated that the suspect had provided a false name, had a criminal record out of state and had a warrant out of New Jersey for "unlawful possession of a handgun." The suspect, a 27-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with "vandalism and fugitive from justice."

Nice work!

What could these victims have done better? The first issue is hiding in the bedroom for fear of the person at the door. Ideally, a call to the police prior to this escalation would be the correct action, so that an officer could intervene and advise the suspect to stay away from the victims and their home. Since this didn't happen, a quick "911" call would let the suspect know the victims were serious about ending their relationship and probably would have saved them the aggravation of getting new tires.

If you are in a situation where you are in fear and hiding in a back bedroom, this would be time to call the police for help.

Another concern was the victims on the following day would open the door without inquiring who was there, after being in such fear. Once he returned, a call should have been made to the Quincy Police, but instead, the victims appeared willing to let anyone in who was at the door. Remember, as in any incident when someone is knocking at your door, once the door is opened, it takes only a second for someone stronger or armed to gain entry. Once that has been accomplished, those inside have created significant risk to themselves.

The best action is to ask who is there and their reason for being there. As always, when in doubt, call the police and let us assess the situation.

CRIME PREVENTION ADVICE: Officer Bob Pearson, who works the dayshift in Houghs Neck, asked me to reach out to the citizens of Quincy with this request: Please lock your car doors at night. There have been breaks into cars recently but few by force. This is usually done by youths, who walk around looking for the easy access of an open car. He added that some car owners were angry that someone had been inside their car, but angry with themselves that they left the car unlocked and had valuables left in plain sight taken.

Legacy, color red.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6 a.m., 84 Edgemere Rd. Dwelling. Entry through rear window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:05 a.m., 111 Greenleaf St. Dwelling. Entry through rear window. Pocket-book taken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:27 a.m., 25 Broadway. Dwelling. Kitchen door window was entry. iPod taken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:30 a.m., 74 Greenleaf St. Dwelling. Wallet stolen from purse.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:50 a.m., 133 Edgewater Dr. Dwelling. House under construction; rear door on Macy St. side has been pushed in.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 10:12 a.m., 291 Southern Artery. Dwelling.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:39 p.m., 114 Arnold St. 2000 Kia Sephia, color red.

LARCENY, 9:55 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Wallet.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau** at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line** at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh** at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton



LT. DAN MINTON

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:40 p.m., 425 Hancock St. Past motor vehicle. 2005 Jeep Wrangler, color green.

LARCENY ATTEMPT, 10:35 p.m., Delaney's Pub, 35 Franklin St. Purse. Party tried to snap handbag of female in bag. White male, red hair, blue jacket, fled down the street.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 3:02 a.m., 10 Highpoint Cir. Dwelling. Two white males knocking on the doors, one party has a gun. One has a backwards fitted ball cap, black shirt, stated he has a gun and that he is going to start spraying. While transporting to the station, suspect made furtive movements and alleged to a second weapon and was subsequently searched at Burgin and Granite. No weapon found. Arrest for attempted armed burglary. Additionally charged with illegal possession of mace.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:46 a.m., 351 Water St. Dwelling. PlayStation II and games missing, and \$30 from purse.

LARCENY, 1:59 p.m., 22 Quarterdeck Rd. U.S. mail package contained two shirts, jeans, and a watch.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:27 p.m., 15 Doble St. No plates on vehicle at time of theft. 1994 Geo Prizm, color green.

LARCENY, 3:55 p.m., 25 Brooks Ave. Tools.

LARCENY, 4:04 p.m., 14 LaFayette St. Past. Prescription medications taken.

LARCENY, 5:13 p.m., 545 Willard St. Past. PlayStation.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:45 p.m., 14 Russell St. Dwelling. Door forced open; electronic keyboard and about 50 CDs known missing.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:41 p.m., Faxon Commons, 1055 Southern Artery. Keys were left in it. 1992 Subaru

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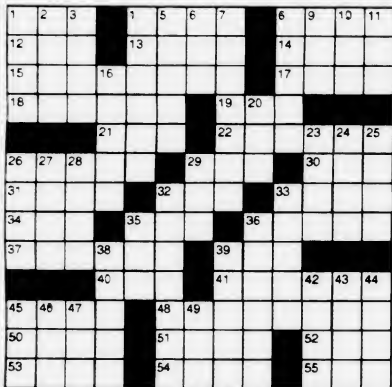
King Crossword

ACROSS

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- 4 Nerdy sort
- 8 Morass
- 12 Yuletide beverage
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- 14 Radius' neighbor
- 15 Puccini opera
- 17 List-ending abbr.
- 18 "Tristram Shandy" author
- 19 "Undeniably" - the fields we go
- 22 Pipe-bowl residue
- 26 Fmr's tribute
- 29 Sermon subject
- 30 Dinner for Dobbins
- 31 "Grapes of Wrath" type
- 32 Legume holder
- 33 Stupely
- 34 Branch
- 35 Rev the engine
- 36 Wept
- 37 Dancer's partner
- 39 For example
- 40 Parisian pal
- 41 Necktie
- 45 State
- 48 Carelessly put together
- 50 Story teller
- 51 Rent
- 52 The girl
- 53 Compassion
- 54 Cushy
- 55 Ball-bearing item
- 20 A billion years
- 23 Type of Oriental cuisine
- 24 Hang out in the hammock
- 25 Black - Susans
- 26 Kerouac's place
- 27 Gumbo ingredient
- 28 Intentions
- 29 Bart, to Homer
- 32 Shunners of the colloquial, maybe
- 33 Wood nymph
- 35 Jewel
- 36 Rug
- 38 Houdini or Truman
- 39 Muffler
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- 43 Arthur of tennis
- 44 Biblical pronoun
- 45 Matterhorn, for one
- 46 Half of XIV
- 47 Nosh
- 49 Privy

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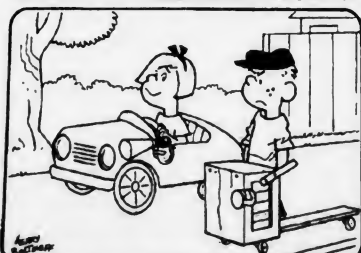
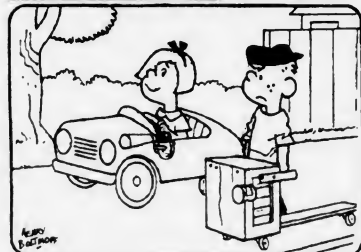
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- 4 Fish-eating seabird
- 5 Doyen
- 6 Id
- 7 Chirping grasshopper
- 8 Search
- 9 Last (Abbr.)
- 10 Literary collection
- 11 Cowboy's sweetie
- 16 Got up



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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. Girl's color is missing. 2. Horn is bigger. 3. Wheel spokes are different. 4. Boy's hair is turned. 5. Hat is turned. 6. Headlights are different.



"Irish" daylies

The American Hemerocallis Society records daylies with such names as Cody's Irish Heritage, Irish Ale, Irish Curls, Irish Delight, Irish Elf, Irish Envy, Irish Fantasy, Irish Flame, Irish Glory, Irish Hills, Irish Ice, Irish Limerick, Irish Linn, Irish Love Song, Irish Lullaby, Irish Magic, Irish Morning, Irish Spring, Irish Wedding, and Old Irish Blessing

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

- Bedding
- Beggar
- Coffin
- Drilled
- Fiddle
- Fooled
- Funneled
- Grassy
- Mellow
- Middle
- Princess
- Skimmer
- Steering
- Summit

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- 1. TELEVISION: In which 1960s TV show did the character of Dr. Zorba appear?
- 2. LANGUAGE: What does "Mardi Gras" mean in French?
- 3. GAMES: What is the minimum weight of a Major League baseball?
- 4. FAMOUS QUOTES: Who once said, "Art is a jealous mistress."
- 5. GEOGRAPHY: Which nation lies directly on the eastern border of Lebanon?
- 6. THEATER: In what year did the musical "Grease" debut on Broadway?
- 7. RELIGION: Who were the sons of Isaac?
- 8. GEOLOGY: What kind of stone is an onyx?
- 9. MOVIES: Who directed the 1993 film "The Piano"?
- 10. ANCIENT WORLD: Who is known as the father of history?

Answers

- 1. "Ben Casey"
- 2. Fat Tuesday
- 3. Five ounces
- 4. Ralph Waldo Emerson
- 5. Syria
- 6. 1972
- 7. Jacob and Esau
- 8. Agate
- 9. Jane Campion
- 10. The historian Herodotus

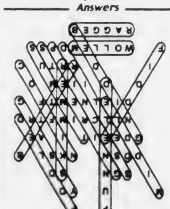
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LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Help with a personal problem comes from an unexpected source. You also find workplace pressures easing. Use this period of calm to restore your spent energies.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You might have to share the credit for that project you're working on. But there'll be enough credit to go around, and your efforts will be recognized and rewarded.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Details need to be dealt with before you can move on to another area. Make sure you don't leave any loose ends that could later cause everything to unravel.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) News about a change in the workplace carries with it a challenge you could find difficult to resist. Check it out. It could be what you've been waiting for.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Allowing your artistic nature full expression will help restore your spirits and will put you in the mood to take on that new career challenge. A Libra creates excitement.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Expect to happily plunge right into a hectic social whirl starting at week's end. Your aspects favor new friendships as well as the strengthening of old relationships.

BORN THIS WEEK: Like St. Patrick (who was also born this week), your spiritual strength is an inspiration to others.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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SPORTS

Quincy Falls In South Sectional Semi-Finals

Presidents' Campaign Ends With Loss To CM

By SEAN BRENNAN

A trip to the Division 2 South Sectional finals was not in the cards for the No. 8 Quincy Presidents, as the team lost to No. 5 Catholic Memorial 75-66 in the semi-finals. The game was played last Thursday night at Brockton High School.

After dispatching No. 9 Silver Lake 62-48 in the first-round and steam-rolling No. 16 Sharon 73-52 in the quarterfinals (both games were played in Quincy), the Presidents jumped out to an early 13-5 lead against Catholic Memorial behind seven straight points from junior forward DeShawn Matthews. Junior guard Paris Amado dropped in two three-pointers for Quincy in the early going to give the Presidents a night point lead just 3:23 into the semi-final game.

The Knights quickly answered their early deficit with an 8-0 scoring run to tie the game at 13-13. The two teams traded baskets throughout the next five minutes of play, but with the score tied at 20-20 (with 6:28 left in the half) the Knights took over the game during the next three minutes. A 20-20 tie quickly became a 36-20 lead for Catholic Memorial, as the Knights went on a blistering 16-0 scoring run.

When the dust finally settled to end the first half, Quincy was facing the daunting task of having to come from behind. The score at halftime was Catholic Memorial 40 and Quincy 25.

But the Quincy Presidents were not one of the best teams

BOYS' BASKETBALL

in the Atlantic Coast League by accident. After Catholic Memorial upped their lead to 20 points early in the second half, Quincy had one more spirited run in them. Sophomore sensation Doug Scott, who was held to zero points in the first half, helped fuel the Quincy comeback bid in the final 16 minutes. Scott made his first bucket of the game with 10:09 left (a three-pointer) and would go on to score 19 points in the half.

"Everything has to go right on a comeback," head coach Bob Fisher said. "We just didn't finish some layups we could have finished, but I think they knew they were in a ballgame."

Matthews led all President scorers with 21 points. Scott finished the game with 19 points and Steve Connolly chipped in 8 points.

The final score may have made the final outcome look a little more respectable, but in no way was the final outcome indicative of just how successful the season was for the Presidents.

The team finished the 2006-2007 season with a 17-6 overall record and ended the regular season in second-place in the Atlantic Coast League North Division (behind Whitman-Hanson High School). The team's trip through the post-season, which ended in the semi-finals, was the farthest a Quincy team had gotten in the last 30 years.

"Our kids had a heck of a year to get to the semi-finals,"

Fisher said. "For Quincy High School this is a great accomplishment for the kids... The seniors were special."

For a program that found itself at or near the bottom of its league standings just a few years ago, the influx of a talented senior class, a handful of promising underclassmen and a coach who knows how to get the best out of his teams, Quincy has shot up the ranks as one of the best teams in the area.

Since Fisher took over the program in '04-'05 the Presidents have gone a remarkable 51-14 and have two Atlantic Coast League regular season titles to go along with this season's semi-final appearance on their resume.

Although the team will lose seven seniors, it also will be in great shape next season, as the team will return 3/5 of its starting lineup. Graduating this year are seniors Steve Connolly (captain), Wendell Cosgrove (captain), Sean Boyd, Jared Tucker, Joe Pantano, Charles Dybaud and Matt Boyle.

Key players returning next season include juniors DeShawn Matthews, Kenny Francis, Lias Zhi Chao and Paris Amado, sophomores John Parry, Jean Baptiste Adams and Doug Scott (if you have not seen him play, make sure to check him out next year, he is that good). The only freshman on this year's roster was Robbie Bina.

season-high 22 points. Also playing well on defense were Courtney Peters, Uyen Vu and Erin Hockey. The team will play against Abington at home on Saturday, March 17.

T-ball is for children who are 5 to 7 years old on Jan. 1, 2007.

The registration fee covers the cost of bats, balls, T-shirts and equipment. The fee also pays for the Field Day events and presentation of trophies after the All-Star games.

If you have any questions, call Helen Irvin at (617) 376-0368 (softball), Lee Piatelli at (617) 413-4442 (baseball) or Pat Kelly at (617) 770-1196 (t-ball).

Registration fee is due at the time of registration.



THE CENTRAL MIDDLE School boys' volleyball team won the City Championship on Jan. 27 by defeating Sterling Middle School 2 games to 0 in the finals held at Quincy High School. Team members from the left: Matt Layden, Nick Carbone, Christian Durham, Tim Liuzzo, Greg Nelson, Devin Djerf, Dallana Wijesundrera, Liam Cain, Adam Nazarro, Coach Cordero, Dan Gould, Pat Gould, Tim McNally, Andrew Minton, Nick McGaughy and Michael Stille.

Seniors Training For Olympics

Spring training for Senior Olympians has begun.

"Each Friday morning, adults 55+ are invited to come down to check out the Senior Game activities," reports Sharron Beals, Executive Director of Beechwood On The Bay. "On some Fridays, our Basketball Hall of Fame friend, George Burke, coaches basketball."

"We call it 'Fitness for Fun'," said Maryann Mahony, the Senior Center's Coordinator. "All are invited—no cost."

This year's Senior

Olympic Games (May 7-14) will expand to all eleven South Shore communities and beyond. Registrations are expected from New Hampshire and Rhode Island as well.

A kick-off breakfast with Dr. Wayne Wescott has been planned for April 4th. Those who wish to learn more about fitness and the Olympic Games are invited. Reservations are needed. There is no cost for the breakfast—but seating is limited.

To register for the 9 a.m. breakfast, call Beechwood at (617) 471-5712.

Registration packets for the Senior Olympics will soon be available at these locations: Beechwood On The Bay, the City Hall Information Booth, the Recreation Department, the Council on Aging, the Quincy Sun and The Quincy Business Association.

For more information on the Senior Olympics and/or other Senior Center activities, call (617) 471-5712.



City of Quincy Park Department FIELD PERMIT APPLICATIONS

Applications are now available for spring and summer 2007 field permits. You must be a Quincy resident to apply for a permit.

To make a request, contact:

The City of Quincy Park Department
Richard J. Koch Park & Recreation Complex
One Merrymount Parkway

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617-376-1259 (fax)

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Lady Presidents Defeat Hingham

The Lady Presidents 5th grade travel team defeated Hingham last Saturday in Old Colony League action. Playing well for the fifth grade team were Alycia Spargo, Cassidy Toldness,

Kyra Hockey, Lauren Gambon and Kelsey Tucker.

The 8th grade team defeated Hingham 41-23. It was an all-around effort from all ten girls, however Shelby Oliver led the team with a

per child, \$35 for each additional family member. T-ball registration is \$50 per child, \$25 for each additional family member.

Baseball I is a competitive learning league for players who are 7 to 10 years old on Jan. 1, 2007.

Baseball II is a semi-competitive league for players who are 11 to 13 years old on Jan. 1, 2007.

Softball is a competitive learning league for players who are in grades 3 through 8 on Jan. 1, 2007.

Squantum Sports League Registration

The Squantum Youth Sports League will be holding baseball, softball and t-ball registration on the following three days:

Sat., March 17 from 9 a.m. to noon, Friday, March 23 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sat., March 24 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Registration will be held at the Squantum Community Center, near the Squantum Elementary School at the corner of Standish Rd. and Huckins Ave.

The registration fee for baseball and softball is \$60

Baby Boy Needs Bone Marrow Transplant

Danielle Thibeault To Host Benefit Dinner March 30

By SEAN BRENNAN

In a selfless act of good will, Quincy resident Danielle Thibeault will be hosting a benefit dinner at the Quincy Sons of Italy to help raise money and awareness for Giovanni Gughelmo.

Giovanni is a baby boy who is in dire need of a bone marrow transplant. He possesses a rare disease, NEMO, which is confirmed in only 60 children worldwide and at the moment he is under the care of doctors at Children's Hospital-Boston. To continue living, he needs a bone marrow transplant within the next five months.

Thibeault, who is planning on running April's Boston Marathon in Giovanni's name, is hosting the benefit dinner and Boston Marathon Sponsorship event in order to support Giovanni

and his family.

"I read his story (which can be found in the Boston Herald archives) and wanted to learn more about him and his family," Thibeault said recently. "I decided to go to a bone marrow drive that was being held for him in South Boston. I met his father at the drive and decided since I was already planning on running the Boston Marathon, that I would run and raise money in Giovanni's name."

"I don't have a set fundraising goal for the benefit dinner or the marathon, but I am hoping once the word gets out, people will donate to his cause. I am doing this because he deserves to live."

The dinner at the Sons of Italy in Quincy will take place on March 30 from 7 p.m. to midnight. Tickets for the event are \$30.

The dinner will have a DJ, possibly some celebrity guests and a raffle. Thibeault is asking local businesses to consider providing any of the items listed below to help her cause:

- Sponsoring her in the Boston Marathon.
- Providing in-kind donations for the Giovanni benefit dinner.
- Provide a monetary donation to assist with the dinner.
- Hanging a copy of the Benefit Dinner poster in their store window front.

If any resident or local business would like to donate to the cause, you can contact Danielle Thibeault at (617) 529-5169 or reach her by email at dthibeault@hotmail.com.

To learn more about Giovanni or to become a bone marrow donor, visit www.helpgiovannigughelmo.org.

Fire, Police Charity Hockey Game Raises \$20,000

The Quincy Fire and Police Departments got together last Saturday night to play a friendly game of ice hockey.

The 1st Annual Charity Hockey Game, which was held at the Quincy Youth Arena, raised nearly \$20,000 to benefit the Officer James Cochrane "S-6" Scholarship Fund.

The money raised for the

James Cochrane Foundation will go toward scholarships for a graduating senior from Quincy and North Quincy High School.

Detective William Ward and firefighter Kevin Ferent presented Cochrane's widow with a memorial plaque that held the ceremonial puck. The puck was fitted with a sticker representing the S-6 unit. This was the unit

Cochrane spent most of his police career in.

The event is scheduled to continue next year for another Quincy-based charity or family in need. The hope is to hold the charity game next year to benefit DOVE, a Quincy shelter for abused women and their children.

The Quincy Police Department defeated the Fire Department, 8-6.

Knights Of Columbus Golf League Meeting March 19

The Greater Quincy Knights of Columbus invite interested golfers of all levels to participate in the year's golf league.

An organizational meeting will be held on Mon., March 19 at 7 p.m. at the council hall located at 340 Hancock St., North Quincy. Any interested Catholic man (18 and older) is eligible.

Nine holes of golf are played every Monday night

at the Furnace Brook Golf Club, with tee-off starting at 4 p.m. The league starts on a date TBA in April and continues through the summer. Annual dues for the golf league are \$100, which includes two banquets and a year-end tournament. Greens fees are paid each Monday. Last year the fee was \$26 with a cart.

Membership in the K of C is mandatory to join the

league and membership applications will be available on March 19.

The K of C is the largest Catholic men's organization focusing on charitable works and a commitment to church, family and community.

For more information, contact Grand Knight Patrick McDermott at (617) 594-0640 or via email at patrick.mcdermott.91@bc.edu.

Houghs Neck T-Ball League Registration March 23-24

The Houghs Neck T-Ball league will be holding open registration for Quincy youngsters on Friday, March 23 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sat. March 24 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Registration will be held at the Houghs Neck Community Center, located at 1193 Sea St. in Quincy. Players will be accepted from 3 to 7 years of age. Players must be three by Jan. 1, 2007.

Games will be played at Labrecque Field on Sea St. Sat. mornings at 9 a.m.

Registration fee is \$25. Coaches and helpers are needed. For more information visit www.houghsnecktball.com.

Council On Aging Seeks Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medi-

cal equipment that is no longer needed by the current

owner but can be loaned to someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats.

Call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Applications Accepted For High School Coaching Openings

All coaching openings for the upcoming spring sports season at North Quincy High School and Quincy High School have been filled. Any

future applications will be put on file for possible openings that may open at another date.



You Auto Know

by Bill Starkie and Kevin McGroarty

DOES YOUR VEHICLE HAVE A NAME?

Many people are so attached to their vehicles that they give them names and assign them personalities. According to researchers at Colorado State University, more than half of the students surveyed identified their vehicles by gender and about one-third gave them names. It may seem a bit eccentric to assign personalities to automobiles, but researchers say that this behavior may reveal something about the drivers themselves. Specifically, people who assign personalities to their automobiles may exhibit more aggressive driving behavior. This may be due to the fact that these drivers have a more heightened attachment to their vehicles and general driving sensibility. These drivers want to protect and defend what is theirs. After all, friends look out for one another.

We can appreciate dedication to vehicles. Some of us at LEO & WALT'S SUNOCO have been known to name their cars themselves. We care for your car as if it was one of our own vehicles. Your safety and satisfaction are important to us. We are located at 258 Quincy Ave., E. Braintree, and our phone number is 781-843-1550. Open Mon.-Fri. 6am-9pm, Sat. 7am-9pm, Sun. 9am-5pm.

HINT: People who assign their automobiles names and personalities are likely to be greater adherents to preventive maintenance because they anticipate the needs of their "loyal friend."

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Mad Science To Explain Special Effects In Movies

Quincy youngsters will explore the intricacies of special effects in movies through demonstrations and hands-on activities Saturday, March 17, when Mad Science of Greater Boston holds a workshop at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Registration, limited to Quincy residents only, may be made by stopping by the Children's Room in the Main Library or by calling 617-376-2411.

The workshop, "Movie Effects," will demonstrate how the special effects are achieved through science and technology, including how the concept of 3-D was pioneered using red/blue anaglyph glasses.

The children will put their own movie making skills to the test by creating their very

own mini-animation booklet to take home.

There will be two sessions of the workshop March 17, the first at 10 a.m. for youngsters age 7 and older and the second at 11:15 a.m. for ages 4 to 6.

The program is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Tax Assistance For Low, Middle Income Payers

The Council on Aging will again sponsor the AARP Tax Aide Program to provide free, personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers.

Special attention is given to those 60 years old and older.

The assistance will be

provided, by appointment, each Monday beginning Feb. 12 and lasting through the tax season at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, contact the COA at 617-376-1508.



by Chris Richcreek

1. For three consecutive seasons (2003-05), a Minnesota Twins pitcher led the American League in most relief victories. Name two of the three players.

2. How many times has pitcher Curt Schilling won 20 or more games in a season?

3. In 2006, San Diego's LaDainian Tomlinson became the second player in NFL history to score at least 15 touchdowns in five consecutive seasons. Who was the first?

4. When was the last time before 2006 (Miami Heat, Florida Gators) that a state had the NBA basketball and the NCAA men's basketball champion in the same year?

5. Chris Chelios set an NHL mark in 2006 for most games played by a U.S.-born player. Whose mark did he break?

6. Which two male athletes

have won the Ironman Triathlon Championship in Hawaii the most times?

7. Name the last player before Annika Sorenstam in 2006 to win an LPGA tournament by shooting a final-round 62.

Answers

1. LaTroy Hawkins (nine victories, 2003), Juan Rincon (11, 2004) and Jesse Crain (12, 2005).

2. Three — 22-6 in 2001 (for Arizona), 23-6 in 2002 (Arizona) and 21-6 in 2004 (Boston).

3. Shaun Alexander of Seattle (2001-05).

4. It was 1989 (Detroit Pistons, University of Michigan).

5. Phil Housley, who played in 1,495 games.

6. Mark Allen and Dave Scott with six apiece.

7. Juli Inkster in 2003.

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SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 19

Taco hot pocket, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, March 20

French toast with pork sausage patty, applesauce cup, fruit juice, maple syrup.

Wednesday, March 21

Meatball submarine sandwich, vegetable, fruit juice.

Thursday, March 22

Chicken fajita in tortilla wrap with Spanish rice, corn niblets, fresh fruit or juice.

Friday, March 23

Tuna salad sandwich, cup of tomato soup, potato chips, fruit cup.

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, March 19

Taco hot pocket, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, March 20

Full day of School: Chicken nuggets, potato puffs, vegetable, dinner roll.

Wednesday, March 21

Rotini with tomato and meat sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, fresh fruit or juice.

Thursday, March 22

Grilled hot dog on a bun, baked beans, fresh fruit or juice.

Friday, March 23

Tuna salad on a bun, potato chips, carrot snack pack, fruit juice.

RELIGION

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service.

Lector will be Norman Guivens. Ushers are Ardy Peterson and Kelly Coble.

Coffee hour hosts are Peg McCulley, Mary Emsheimer and Linda Nogueira.

Upcoming events are:

Movie Night, Saturday, March 17 featuring the film "Hoot." Admission is free. On Saturday, March 24, a

Safari pot luck supper will be held followed by a slide show of Pastor Susan's trip to Africa.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for more information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship, baptism and Sunday School at 10 a.m. Sunday.

The Rev. William C.

Harding will conduct the service. His sermon topic is "Sermons from Mark 20 - The Clash of Ideas."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers. Fellowship will follow the

service in Allen Parlor. Refreshments will be served.

A Lent worship service will be held Wednesday, March 21 at 7 a.m. All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Veterans Adviser At Council On Aging Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83

Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of

their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call 617-376-1506.

Parent/Grandparent CPR, First Aid Class

Quincy parents and grandparents are invited to attend a parent/grandparent first aid/CPR class Thursday, March 22 at 5 p.m. at Beechwood on the Bay, 440 East Squantum St., North

Quincy. Beechwood First Aid/CPR instructor Sandra Arabian has taught teachers, staff and family at the center for 10 years.

Beechwood health and

safety classes are sponsored by Fallon Ambulance.

Parents are invited to bring grandparents, relatives, babysitters and anyone who cares for children. Class is free. Pre-registration is required. Call 617-471-5712.

Quincy Point Congregational Church

St. Patrick's Day Sunday will be observed at the 10 a.m. worship service March 18 at the Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy.

The Irish melody "Danny Boy" will be played by

Nozomi Murayama on the violin.

History and traditions about the life and mission of St. Patrick will be shared.

The Chancel Choir will sing under the direction of Paul Thistle.

Following the service, there will be a bus trip to the Flower Show at the Bayside Expo.

For more information, contact the church office at 617-773-6424; office@qpcc.org.

Lenten Series At Wollaston Church

The Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 48 Winthrop St., Wollaston, is offering a Lenten Series on Wednesday evenings at 7

p.m.

Participants will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of spiritual practices as follows:

• March 14, "Pray With-

out Ceasing."

• March 21, "Scripture in Community."

For more information, call the church office at 617-773-7432.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy are sponsoring a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group which meets the third Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8:15 p.m.

in St. Joseph's Parish Center,

22 Pray St., Quincy Point.

The next meeting is March 20.

The evening provides an opportunity for participants to deepen their relationship

with Christ.

All are welcome.

For more information contact Sister Pay Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero, 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

New Youth Group At United Methodist

A new youth group has formed at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The group, called "Beale Street Buddies," consists of youth from grammar school to early high school.

Under the guidance of co-leaders Brian and Nancy

White, the group meets once a month after worship for crafts and games.

Future events planned include mystery rides, picnics, and trips to Pawtucket Red Sox games.

The group's first major project will be Feb. 10. The Buddies, under the supervision of church adults and

members of the New Women group, will prepare and serve a pasta dinner. This will be followed by a dj'd dance.

The group welcomes all to join in the fun.

For more information, call Quincy Community United Methodist Church at 617-773-3319.

Quincy Religion Directory SERVICES & ACTIVITIES			
Catholic	Congregational	Congregational	Episcopal
Glad Tidings 158 Washington St., Quincy phone: 773-9797 Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor Sunday Worship, 8:30-11 a.m. Christian Ep 10 a.m. Senior H. Youth 7 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study Royal Ranger Missionaries Friday Junior H. Youth 7 p.m. Youth & Children's Ministry • Contemporary Worship • Marriage & Family Group • International Fellowship • DivorceCare	Sacred Heart Church A Roman Catholic Community, working together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat) 7:45am 9am Family Liturgy 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am Sat: 9am Handicapped Accessible Confessions Sat. 3-4:30pm in Saint Joseph's Oratory.	HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org Sunday, March 18 Worship Service 9:30 am "Come Home" (Lent 4) Luke 15: 1-3, 11b-32 Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Castiglione 617-479-8773	St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy 617-472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Heffling Sunday School 9 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m. Nurses' Care During Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME
St. Mary's Church 95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120 Masses Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30 & 11:30am, Weekdays 9am Handicapped Accessible New Members Welcome!	ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH 550 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-472-6321 SUNDAY MASSES: 4 p.m. (On Saturday) 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. Weekday Masses 9am CONFESIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm Handicapped accessible & Handicapped parking side entrance on Constitution	WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 48 Winthrop Ave. • 617-773-7432 Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford 10 a.m. Worship Service Sunday, March 18 "ONE YEAR AT A TIME" Rev. Mary Louise Gifford Preacher Lenten Series Wed. March 21 7 PM Scripture in Community	Evangelical EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC 65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy 617-347-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue 10:30 Sunday Worship 6PM Prayer Meeting 7PM Brazilian A/G Service 7PM Thursday Bible Study
UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy 1308 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T Worship Service & Church School SUNDAYS: 10:30 a.m. Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister • A Welcoming Congregation • 617-773-1290 • www.ufpc.org	BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 20 Elm Street & Constitution St. Quincy, MA 02169 • 617-773-6424 10 AM Sunday Worship & Baptism And Sunday School 9:30-10:30 AM Sermons From Mark 20: The Clash of Ideas Lent Worship Service March 21 7 PM	UNION CHURCH Beach St. & Rawson Rd. Wollaston 617-479-6661 Catholic Worship Service 10 AM "From Grief To Joy" TEXT: John 16: 1-33 Rev. John Swanson, Pastor	Squantum Christian Fellowship 50 Hickox Ave. Squantum 617-773-5873 • Pastor Mike Panar Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Special Christmas Christmas 9:30 a.m. Bible Disciples in Bible 10:30 a.m. Handicap Accessible ATTN: BETHANY CHURCH
First Church of Squantum 164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649 Pastor: Michael S. Robertson Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson 10 a.m. Sunday Worship All Are Welcome	QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424 Worship and Church School 10 am Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor visit us at www.QPCC.org	COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Winthrop & Spring St. Sunday Worship 10:30 AM Rev. Karen Palmer, Pastor 9 am - Christian Education and Prayer Child Care Available Wed. Thurs 9:30 am - 10:30 am 617-479-6728	Methodist QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship 9:30 AM Christian Education
PEACE To advertise in this directory call 617-471-3100	ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST 44 School St., Quincy 617-773-1021 Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy) Weekday Masses Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Handicapped Accessible Saint Ann's Church 757 Hancock St., Wollaston • 617-479-5400 Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30 AM Daily Masses: 9:00 AM Handicapped Chant Available	Covenant Nazarene Wollaston Church of the Nazarene 37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston (617) 472-5669 On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College Pastor Rev. Fred Fullerton Sunday Services 8:30 am - Holy Communion 9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School 11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service Come Worship with Us!	Salvationist THE SALVATION ARMY 66 Salem St., Quincy • 617-773-0300 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. 11 AM WEDNESDAY SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 10M TUES WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY 7 PM WED BIBLE STUDY
	Christian Science First Church of Christ, Scientist 10:30 AM Sunday Service & Sunday School 7:30 PM Wednesday Evening Meeting 20 Greenleaf Street Quincy off Hancock St. 617-472-0053	Spiritualist First Spiritualist Church of Quincy 40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169 (617) 770-2246 Services Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM Coffee and Conversation opening service Services 3 PM Wednesdays June 11, August Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz 2nd 2nd	

OBITUARIES

Mary M. Callahan, 96

Retired Bookkeeper

A funeral Mass for Mary M. (Regan) Callahan, 96, of Quincy, a retired bookkeeper, was celebrated March 9 at Holy Trinity Parish in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Callahan died March 4 at Eventide Home in Quincy after a long illness.

She worked for the Boston School Department for more than 10 years and retired in the early 1980s. She previously worked for Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Boston for several years.

Born and raised in Boston, she graduated from Boston Clerical School. She had lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 24 years ago.

Mrs. Callahan was a former member of St. Peter's Parish in Dorchester.

Wife of the late Edward J. Callahan Sr., she is survived by five sons, Edward J. Callahan Jr. of Marshfield, John J. Callahan of Centerville, George J. Callahan of Boston, Gerald



MARY M. CALLAHAN

F. Callahan of Long Beach, Calif., and Paul C. Callahan of Weymouth; a daughter, Mary M. Callahan of Long Beach; a sister, Anna Drimmon of Reading; 16 grandchildren and more than 20 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Benedict Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1115 West Chestnut St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Ruth Penn, 89

Homemaker

A memorial service for Ruth (Henrickson) Penn, 89, of Quincy, a homemaker, will be held at a later date in Bethany Congregational Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Penn died Feb. 23 at Quincy Medical Center.

She was a member of Bethany Congregational Church, where he was a chaplain for the Bethany Church women, involved in the Chancel Choir and publicity

committee.

She is survived by her husband, Charles Penn of Quincy.

She was the daughter of the late Rev. Karl and Augusta Henrickson who founded the West Quincy Congregational Church on Buckley Street.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St.

Priscilla 'Cookie' Barkhouse

Financial Service Specialist

A Mass of Christian Burial for Priscilla R. "Cookie" Barkhouse of Quincy, a financial service specialist and active parishioner of St. Joseph Parish in Quincy, was celebrated March 9 in St. Joseph Church.

Mrs. Barkhouse died March 5 at the Marina Bay Rehabilitation Center in Quincy.

Born in New Bedford, she was raised in the Magnolia section of Gloucester. She was a graduate of Gloucester High School and worked as a lifeguard for several summers, her first job.

Following her high school graduation, she worked for the New England Telephone Company before leaving to begin to raise her family.

She later worked for Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston and Scudder Funds in Norwell before taking a position with Boston Financial Data Services in Quincy where she worked as a service specialist until her illness forced her retirement.

Mrs. Barkhouse was active in her parish and community. She served as a Girl Scout leader and volunteered with the PTO. She was known as the "Number 1 Fan" of the St. Joseph Parish basketball program. She was also a member of the Stonehill College Mothers Club.

She was a past prefect of St. Joseph's Ladies Sodality at St. Joseph's Parish. She also served as a Eucharistic minister, volunteered with the Marriage Preparation Program and volunteered at



PRISCILLA BARKHOUSE

the parish's St. Vincent dePaul Society Food Pantry, even during her illness.

Mrs. Barkhouse was a member of the Ward 2 Civic Association and was a past president of the Quincy Womens Club Juniors. She also served as treasurer of the Greater Federation of Women's Clubs of Massachusetts.

She is survived by her husband of 45 years, Edward R. Barkhouse; two daughters, Donna M. Tocchio of Weymouth and Deborah M. Kinney of Hanover; a son, Air Force Captain Joseph E. Barkhouse of Brighton; a sister, Virginia A. Aitken of Braintree; six grandchildren and three nieces.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the St. Vincent dePaul Food Pantry at St. Joseph's Parish, 550 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169, or the Beacon Hospice, 529 Main St., Suite 101, Charlestown, MA 02129.

David G. LaPlante

A funeral Mass for David G. LaPlante, 57, of Quincy, a risk manager director, was celebrated Monday at Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Chicopee.

Mr. LaPlante died March 4 at home.

He worked 11 years for MassPort.

He served in the Navy during the Vietnam War.

Born in Springfield, he attended the former Mount Caramel School and Chicopee Comprehensive High School. He was a graduate of Western New England

College with a bachelor of arts degree.

A longtime resident of Chicopee, he also lived in Quincy for 11 years.

Mr. LaPlante is survived by two sons, Benjamin LaPlante of Woburn and Andrew LaPlante of Enfield, Conn.; a sister, Michelle Desilets of West Springfield; and a niece.

Burial will be at a later date.

Arrangements were made by Brunelle Funeral Home, Chicopee.

Kathryn L. Goduti, 99

Retired Sales Associate

A funeral Mass for Kathryn L. (Lawton) Goduti, 99, of Quincy, a retired sales associate, was celebrated March 8 in St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Goduti died March 5 at Marian Manor Nursing Home in South Boston.

She worked for Filene's for 20 years and retired in 1977.

She enjoyed traveling, reading and knitting.

Born in Boston, she was a lifelong Quincy resident.

Wife of the late Frederick A. Goduti, she is survived by two daughters, Marilyn A. Goduti of Quincy and Janet M. Hansen of Madison, Conn.; a son, Frederick L.



KATHRYN L. GODUTI

Goduti of Naples, Fla.; six grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Gretchen H. Vartanian, 99

Owned Variety Store

A funeral service for Gretchen H. (Stone) Vartanian, 99, of Quincy, a former variety store owner, was held March 9 at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Vartanian died March 5 at Hancock Park Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, Quincy.

She owned Gretchen's Variety Store in Charlestown for more than 30 years. After retiring from the store, she was a doctor's receptionist in Brookline for more than 20 years.

Born in Scranton, PA, she was raised in Pennsylvania and lived in Charlestown before moving to Quincy 60 years ago.

Mrs. Vartanian was an accomplished seamstress and enjoyed doing crossword puzzles, gardening and sing-



GRETCHEN VARTANIAN

ing. She sang on the radio in Buffalo, N.Y., when she was 16.

She was the wife of the late Edward P. Golden and the late Walter Vartanian.

She is survived by two nieces, Ruth E. Fullerton of Weymouth and Dorothy Sullivan of Charlestown; and two nephews, Brenford K. Stone of Medford and Jack Stone of Pennsylvania.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Norman F. Adams

A graveside memorial service for Norman F. Adams, 77, of Quincy, a retired Massachusetts Water Resources Authority employee, was held March 9 at St. Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Adams died at home Feb. 22.

He worked many years for the Boston utility.

Mr. Adams was an Air Force veteran of the Korean War, serving four years.

Husband of the late Joan (Burke) Adams, he is survived by two daughters, Susan Butler of Quincy and Lisa Adams of Lynn; a brother, Walter Adams of Weymouth; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Cremation Society of Massachusetts, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Lung Association.



DON McARTHUR
Managing Director

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

How often do you express a doubt? How often do you have doubts about your abilities or doubts about other people? It is healthy and wise to have doubts at times about certain things, but when doubts become chronic and cloud simple reasoning, then doubting has deteriorated to a sickness of skepticism.

We all know people of poise and serenity; we see them with all the trappings of faith and dignity and we doubt whether these persons ever have a doubt about anything. They seem so sure of themselves . . . But, they too have doubts at times.

To doubt is only human. This was true from the days of the Psalmists and through the days of Thomas and is true today. When we find ourselves gripped with uncertainty, we are bound to have doubts. But promiscuous doubting should not be.

Doubts torment us only because we have too little faith. This is true whether it applies to people, science, religion or anything else. Obviously then, the best way to reduce doubts is to increase faith. Sounds simple? It is . . .

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Douglas H. Seggelin, 67

Electrical Engineer

A funeral Mass for Douglas H. Seggelin, 67, of Whitman, an electrical engineer, was celebrated Monday at Holy Ghost Church, Whitman.

Mr. Seggelin died March 7 at Tufts New England Medical Center in Boston after a short illness.

He was manager of engineering technical services at Lexicon, retiring in 1998. Previously he worked at Bethlehem Steel in Quincy and in the research and development department at Honeywell Corp.

After his retirement he worked as an assistant at Blanchard Funeral Chapel in Whitman.

He served in the Navy from 1958 to 1960.

Mr. Seggelin was born in Quincy and raised in Braintree. He graduated from Braintree High School in 1958 and from Northeastern University with a degree in engineering.

He had lived in Whitman for 46 years.

Mr. Seggelin enjoyed ham radio and was interested in science, especially computers.

He also ran two marathons, the Ocean State Marathon and the Foxboro Marathon.

He is survived by his wife,

Kevin C. Kynock, 64

Retired English And Theater Teacher

A memorial Mass for Kevin C. Kynock, 64, of Quincy, a retired English and theater teacher, was celebrated March 9 at the Chapel of Boston College High School, Dorchester.

Mr. Kynock died March 3 at South Shore Hospital.

He taught at Boston College High School for 40 years and when he retired he was given the Boston College High School chair. He was a Shakespearean scholar.

Mr. Kynock was a graduate of Marian High School in Framingham, where he wrote the school song. He earned a master's degree in English from Boston College.

He enjoyed attending Shakespearean events, such as the Shaw Festival in Canada, the Stratford-on-Avon in Ontario, the



DOUGLAS H. SEGSELIN Lois (Townson) Seggelin; a son, Charles Seggelin of Fitchburg; a daughter, Donna Cokely of Easton; his mother, M. Virginia (Babin) Seggelin of Norwell; three brothers, Richard Seggelin of Halifax, Paul Seggelin of Florida and Braintree and Lawrence Seggelin of Quincy; three sisters, Linda E. Seggelin of Scituate, Anna May Birtwell of Norwell and Joan Yeomans of Capitan, New Mexico; two granddaughters and several nieces and nephews.

He was also the son of the late Lawrence H. Seggelin.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Randolph.

Funeral arrangements were made by Blanchard Funeral Chapel, Whitman.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701-4688.

Shakespeare Festivals in Stratford, Conn., and Ashland, Ore., and the Berkshire Festival of Massachusetts.

Mr. Kynock was selected to attend a seminar at Stratford-on-Avon in English, during which he worked with the Royal Shakespeare Academy and visited the Globe Theater.

He enjoyed going to the theater in New York and Boston.

He received the Boston College High School Faculty Support of the Arts Award, which was renamed the Kevin Kynock Memorial Award.

Funeral arrangements were made by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Falmouth.

Sarah Stewart Towne, 88

A funeral service for Sarah Stewart Towne, 88, of Quincy, formerly of Gratton, Wrentham, Norwell and South Weymouth, was conducted March 7 at Wiggins-Purdy-McCooney-Dion Funeral Home in Dover, N.H., by the Rev. Robert S. Ervin, rector of St. Thomas Episcopal Church of Dover.

Mrs. Towne died March 1 at Quincy Medical Center after a period of failing health.

She was born in Rome, N.Y.

Wife of the late Clifford H. Towne, she is survived by a son, Everett B. Towne of Quincy; a brother, Merrick Stewart of Gaithersburg, MD; four grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. She was the mother of the late Susan L. Towne.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Dover, N.H.

Vincent 'Jimmy' LaRosa, 77

Master Plumber

A funeral Mass for Vincent "Jimmy" LaRosa, 77, of Quincy, a master plumber, was celebrated March 10 in Saint Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Mr. LaRosa died March 7 at home after a long illness.

Born in Quincy, he was raised in the city and educated in Quincy schools. He was a 1948 graduate of Quincy High School. He was a lifelong Quincy resident.

Mr. LaRosa was a master plumber. He worked for the Gillette Safety Razor Company in South Boston for 30 years. He retired in 1991.

He was a disabled U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War.

Mr. LaRosa was a ham radio operator and was known by the call sign "Underdog." He also enjoyed gardening and automobiles.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Pia (DiVito) LaRosa; two sons, James LaRosa of Bridgewater and John D. LaRosa of Rockland; two daughters, Mary Macone



VINCENT LAROSA of Rockland and Teresa Anne Goyette of Randolph; two sisters, Angelina Guzzo of Beverly and Jeanette Burke of Brockton; a brother, Joseph LaRosa of Rockland; and four grandchildren.

Burial with military honors was at Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, 85 Astor Ave., Suite 2, Norwood, MA 02062.

Eunice H. Bilotas, 79

Retired Telephone Operator

A funeral Mass for Eunice H. Bilotas, 79, of Quincy, a retired telephone operator at the Boston Sheraton Hotel, was celebrated March 9 at St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Bilotas died March 5 at Quincy Medical Center.

She worked for Local 26 of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees and Bartenders Union.

Born in Weymouth, she lived in South Boston before moving to Quincy 41 years ago.

Mrs. Bilotas was an avid bingo player at St. Ann's and Sacred Heart Church. She also enjoyed going to a Connecticut casino with her family and friends.

She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Arthur Bilotas; two daughters, Theresa White of Weymouth and Laura Bilotas of Quincy.



EUNICE H. BILOTAS

three sons, Kevin Bilotas and Ronald Bilotas, both of Boston, and Robert Bilotas of Braintree; and a brother, Charles "Buddy" Wolfe of Westboro.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, MA 02169.

David L. Petterson, 87

Photographer, Chemical Engineer

A private funeral service for David L. Petterson, 87, of Quincy, a photographer, was held in the Washington Street Cemetery in Norwell.

Mr. Petterson died Feb 23 at Boston Medical Center.

He served during World War II in the Navy's largest photo processing and intelligence squadron.

He worked as a chemical engineer for Godfrey L. Cabot in Billerica.

Born in Braintree, he lived in Quincy for the past 65 years. He graduated from Braintree High School in 1937 and Northeastern University in 1956.

Mr. Petterson was a long-time member of the Braintree

Rifle and Pistol Club as a finance officer. He was also a recreational pilot with several ratings.

He is survived by a sister, Anne H. Petterson of Stoughton, two nieces and three grand nieces.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Agnes Johnson, 95

Electronic Manufacturing Inspector

A funeral Mass for Agnes (Shamaly) Johnson, 95, of Quincy, a retired electronic manufacturing inspector, was celebrated Monday at Our Lady of the Cedars of Lebanon Church, Jamaica Plain.

Mrs. Johnson died March 7 at Armenian Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Jamaica Plain.

She worked 15 years for Honeywell Corp. in Brighton, retiring in 1977.

She was raised in Troy, N.Y., and Buffalo, N.Y. After high school, she entered a convent to become a nun in the order of the Sisters of Charity in Baltimore, MD, but an illness in her family caused her to leave.

Mrs. Johnson lived in West Roxbury, Roslindale and Oldsmar, Fla., before moving to Quincy a few years ago.

In Oldsmar, she received many awards for civic and political contributions to the community. She was presented a key to the city before moving back to Massachusetts.

Mrs. Johnson enjoyed



AGNES JOHNSON

dancing.

She served on the resident committee at the River Bay Club in Quincy where she lived.

She is survived by her husband, Clement Johnson of Quincy; a daughter, Judith A. Lyons-McBride of Wollaston; a granddaughter, and many nieces and nephews.

She was the wife of the late Thomas Yared.

Burial was in Mount Benedict Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Helen L. deVarennes, 82

Medical Secretary

A funeral Mass for Helen L. (Frazier) deVarennes, 82, of Bourne, a homemaker, was celebrated March 9 at St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. deVarennes died March 6 at Charlton Memorial Hospital in Fall River.

As a young woman, she worked for New England Telephone Co. and as a medical secretary at Milton Hospital for several years.

During World War II, she was a secretary for the war department in Washington, D.C.

Mrs. deVarennes was born in Braintree. She was raised in Braintree and Quincy and was a graduate of Quincy High School.

She had lived in Wareham for 16 years.

Wife of the late Edouard W. deVarennes, she is survived by four sons, Edouard A. deVarennes of Northampton, James T. deVarennes and Charles W. deVarennes of Quincy, and Robert L. deVarennes of Braintree; two daughters, Mary L. deVarennes of Quincy and Ann M. deVarennes of Newton; a sister, Patricia Keizer of South Hampton, N.H.; and seven grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.



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OBITUARIES

Barbara M. Victoriano, 78 High School Math Teacher

A funeral Mass for Barbara M. (Vasta) Victoriano, 78, of Braintree, formerly of Dorchester and Quincy, a retired high school math teacher, was celebrated March 7 in Saint Francis Assist Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Victoriano died March 3 at home.

She was born in Philadelphia, Penn. and raised and educated in Philadelphia and Dorchester schools. She was a graduate of Girls High School in Boston and Emmanuel College, Class of 1952.

Mrs. Victoriano received her master's degree in education from Boston State College and her master's in bilingual education from Southeastern Massachusetts University.

She was a high school math teacher with the Boston Public Schools for 32 years. She taught at the

Jeremiah Burke High School and the Hyde Park High School and retired in 1993.

Mrs. Victoriano lived in Quincy and Dorchester before moving to Braintree six years ago.

She was an active member at both Saint Francis of Assist Church in Braintree and Saint John the Baptist Church in Quincy. She was also a member of the Apostolate of Prayer.

She is survived by a daughter, Barbara M. Nieman of Falls Church, Va., and a grandson.

Burial was in New Calvary Cemetery, Rosindale.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Friends of the Unborn, P.O. Box 692246, Quincy, MA 02269.

Paul S. Harvey, 62 Retired YMCA Executive Director

A Mass of Christian Burial for Paul S. Harvey, 62, of Quincy, the retired executive director of the Armed Services YMCA in Charlestown, was celebrated Monday in St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Harvey died March 8 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

He began his career at the South Shore YMCA in Quincy and later took a position with the YMCA of Greater Boston.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Melrose and graduated from Melrose High School and Eastern Nazarene College in Quincy, where he played on the baseball team.

Mr. Harvey was a member of the board of directors of the American Lung Association of Greater Norfolk County.

He was active in church and community groups and enjoyed gardening and sports, especially golf.

He is survived by his wife,



PAUL S. HARVEY

Nancy E. (Mullen) Harvey; a daughter, Kristen Nehiley of Hanson; a son, Paul Scott Harvey of Milton; a sister, Gayle Cohen of Melrose; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Cancer Care Connection, 1 Innovation Way Suite 300, Newark, DE 19711.

James J. Rose, 45 Inventory Control Team Leader

A funeral service for James J. Rose, 45, of Quincy, an inventory control team leader for Whole Foods, was held Wednesday at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Rose died March 10 at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

Born in Boston, he grew up in South Boston and was a graduate of South Boston High School.

He moved to Quincy two years ago.

Mr. Rose was employed by Whole Foods in Cheshire, Conn., for the past 15 years as an inventory control team leader.

He also worked for The Boston Globe for many years delivering a large amount of early morning papers.

He was an avid fan of the Patriots, Red Sox and NASCAR racing.

Mr. Rose also enjoyed traveling to Disney World in Florida and spending time at Lake Winnepesaukee in New Hampshire.



JAMES J. ROSE

Mr. Rose is survived by two daughters, Rebecca E. (Rose) Rose of Mansfield and Rachel E. (Rose) Rose of Mansfield; two brothers, John Rose of Framingham and Robert Rose of South Boston; his long-time companion, Roxane Renken of Quincy; and several nieces and nephews.

He was the son of the late Robert E. Rose and the late Charlotte Sanford Rose.

Memorial donations may be made to the Greater Boston Food Bank, 99 Atkinson St., Boston, MA 02118.

Bertie Preston, 67 Retired Carpenter

A Mass of Christian Burial for Bertie Preston, 67, of Quincy, a retired carpenter, was celebrated Monday at St. Gregory's Church, Dorchester.

Mr. Preston died March 8 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

He operated Eugene Preston Construction with his father, the late Eugene Preston.

Mr. Preston was a long-time member of Carpenters Union Local 40.

Born in Dublin and raised in Sligo, Ireland, he moved

to Boston in 1958.

He had lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy.

He is survived by his wife, Bridie (Fitzgerald) Preston; a son, John Preston of Whitman; three daughters, Colleen King of Marshfield, Janet Preston of Los Angeles and Joanne Preston of Quincy; two brothers, Joe Preston of South Yarmouth and Patrick Preston of Braintree; and two grandsons.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dolan Funeral Home, Dorchester.

Helen M. Ferrigno, 91 Retired Administrative Assistant

A Mass of Christian Burial for Helen M. Ferrigno, 91, of Quincy, a retired administrative assistant, was celebrated Wednesday in St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Miss Ferrigno died March 11 at the William B. Rice Eventide Home, Quincy.

Born in Hurricane Island, Maine, she moved to Quincy as a child. She was a graduate of Quincy High School and the Chandler Secretarial School.

She was a communicant of St. Mary Church in West

Quincy for many years before moving to Quincy Center and St. John the Baptist Parish. She was active with the St. John's Seniors.

She was the daughter of the late Frank and Camelia (Fiorella) Ferrigno.

She is survived by her nieces and nephews, Theresa Post of Braintree, Lorraine Qualler of Florida, Edna Ferrigno of Rockland, Helene Ferris, John Ferrigno and Leslie Marlar, all of Florida.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, Quincy.

Jack J. Congdon, 78 Retired Automobile Upholsterer

A funeral Mass for Jack J. Congdon, 78, of Quincy, a retired automobile upholsterer, was celebrated Wednesday in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

Mr. Congdon died March 10 at Brigham and Women's Hospital.

He worked for the former Bob's Auto Top in Quincy for many years. Previously, he owned Jack's Auto Tops in Weymouth. He retired many years ago.

Mr. Congdon was an Army veteran of the Korean War.

He was a member of Cedar Hill Golf Course in Stoughton and a fan of

Boston's professional sports teams.

Mr. Congdon is survived by his wife, Mary B. (McClelland) Congdon; a son, Jack J. Congdon III of Duxbury; four daughters, Debbie J. Congdon of Plymouth, Doreen M. Gaylord of Kanazawa, Japan; Diane M. Prakop of Middleboro and Jill Bowman of Marshfield;

a sister, Elizabeth McLaughlin of Weymouth; and seven grandchildren.

Burial was in Village Cemetery, Weymouth.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Clancy-Lucid Funeral Home, Weymouth.

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CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
Department of Public Works
William J. Phelan
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Commissioner of Public Works
INVITATION TO BID

The Department of Public Works for the City of Quincy, Massachusetts will receive sealed bids for **Sidewalk Repairs/Spring 2007** until 11:00 AM local time **Wednesday, March 28, 2007**, in the offices of The Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 2nd Floor, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts 02169. At which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work under this contract consists of improvement of the sidewalks and for the safety of the pedestrian traffic. **MASS HIGHWAY PREQUALIFICATION IS REQUIRED.**

All work under this contract shall be completed within one hundred eighty (180) calendar days.

A **refundable deposit of \$50.00** in cash or check payable to the City of Quincy shall be required for each set of Contract Documents. Bidders requesting Contract Documents by mail shall also include an additional **non-refundable mail fee of \$15.00** in cash or check payable to the City of Quincy. The contract documents may be obtained during the business hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock St., Quincy, MA 02169. Specifications will be available March 13, 2007.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total value of the bid in the form of bid bond or certified/treasurer's check.

The bidding and award of this contract shall be in full compliance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30, Section 39M, as last revised. All Federal, State and City of Quincy regulations in relation to Minority Business Enterprise, Women's Business Enterprise, Minority Work Force, Equal Employment Opportunity, Employment of Quincy Residents and subject to the minimum wage rates set under the Massachusetts Prevailing Wage Law Chapter 149, § 26. The City reserves the right to waive any informality in or to reject any or all bids when such an action is deemed in the best interests of the City.

Non-responsive and/or unbalanced bids may be rejected.

William J. Phelan

Mayor

Stephen O'Donnell

Commissioner of Public Works

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CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169

The City of Quincy invites sealed bids/proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City of Quincy:

PARK DEPARTMENT

TREE PLANTING

APRIL 5, 2007 @ 11:00 A.M.

Detailed specifications are on file at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts, 02169, between the hours of 8:30^{am} and 4:30^{pm}.

Installation and planting operations shall be conducted by an on-site Arborist, who holds at least one (1) of the following licenses: Massachusetts Certified Arborist (MCA); and/or Massachusetts Certified Horticulturist (MCH); and/or an International Society of Arboriculture Certified Arborist (ISAC); with at least ten years experience in the field of municipal tree planting.

A pre-bid conference will be held on **March 27, 2007 at 11:00 am** at the Park and Recreation Building at 1 Merrymount Parkway. Locations for the planting of the trees will be provided at that time.

Bids must state exceptions, if any, the delivery date and any allowable discounts. Bids/Proposals must be in a sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelope is to be clearly marked **"BID ENCLOSED"** with the time/date of bid call.

Firm bid prices will be given first consideration. Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be publicly opened and read. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

If applicable, bids shall be in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, Chapter 149 as amended, and Chapter 30, Sections 39A, 39B and 39F-R.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the City and waive any informalities in the bidding if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

William J. Phelan, MAYOR

Laurie M. Allen, PURCHASING AGENT

3/15/07

John D. Twomey, 73

Retired HVAC Mechanic, Navy Communications Specialist

A funeral Mass for John Deviny Twomey, 73, of East Falmouth, formerly of Quincy and Braintree, a retired HVAC mechanic, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Anthony's Church, East Falmouth.

Mr. Twomey died Feb. 26 at his winter home in Hallandale, Fla.

He worked at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy and obtained his heating, ventilation and air-conditioning mechanic's license from the Massachusetts Institute of Technical Trades.

After his retirement, Mr. Twomey built a house in Falmouth with his wife, Marjorie Twomey.

He was a member of Pipefitters Local 537 in Boston for nearly 40 years.

Mr. Twomey was a communications specialist in the Navy during the Korean War. He was born in Manch-

ester, N.H., and raised in West Quincy. He moved to Braintree in 1958.

Mr. Twomey attended St. Mary's School and graduated from Quincy High School. He was inducted into the high school's baseball hall of fame in 1998.

He was a past president of Braintree Little League and coached the boys and girls softball teams. He also coached Braintree Youth Hockey.

Mr. Twomey was a member of the Morrisette American Legion Post, the Adams Heights Men's Club and the Elks. He enjoyed playing and writing music.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three daughters, Kathleen McNeil of

Mashpee, Patricia Johnson of Falmouth and Colleen Crowley of East Bridgewater; a son, Jack Twomey of Mashpee; a sister, Connie Antonellis of Falmouth; a brother, George Twomey of Falmouth; 11 grandchildren; a great-grand-

child; and four nieces and nephews.

Burial was in St. Anthony's Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were made by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Falmouth.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0414EP

In the Estate of
ANN M. DONOVAN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 11, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that MARY A. CHIAMPA OF QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 26, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/15/07

NOTICES OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Nextel Communications, an affiliate of Sprint for a Special Permit to install and operate a wireless communications facility consisting of nine (9) antennas in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.06 (wireless), and Chapter 17.04.180 (special permits) on the premises numbered 7 SEAPORT DRIVE, QUINCY.

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Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of OmniPoint Communications Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile USA, Inc. for a Special Permit to install nine (9) wireless communications antennas flush-mounted to the existing water tank in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.04.180 (special permit), Chapter 17.06.040 (wireless) on the premises numbered 289 QUARRY STREET, QUINCY.

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Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0475AD

In the Estate of
MARY DELOREY
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 10, 2005

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that KEVIN G. DELOREY OF QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 11, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 1, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0415EP

In the Estate of
MICHAEL J. SMITH AKA
MICHAEL J. SMITH SR
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 30, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that VICTORIA L. SMITH OF QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 26, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0489AD

In the Estate of
BARBARA L. BLAKE
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
December 4, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that TRACY LEE BLAKE OF QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 11, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 2, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/15/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P2826EP

In the Estate of
ANNE MARIE SEHOVEY
Late of N. QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 8, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JOY MARIE JAGNOW also known as JOY MARIE SEHOVEY OF HOLIDAY in the State of FLORIDA or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 26, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/15/07

Lucy

Bowman, 93

A memorial service for Lucy M. (Robertson) Bowman, 93, of Quincy, a secretary and treasurer of a machine shop, will be held at a later date at Quincy Point Congregational Church, Quincy Point.

Mrs. Bowman died March 8 at John Adams Health Care Center.

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, she was raised in Quincy and graduated from Quincy High School.

She was an active member of Quincy Point Congregational Church and volunteered at the Boutique at 1000 Southern Artery in Quincy, where she lived for 20 years.

Mrs. Bowman also enjoyed floral design and had worked at a flower shop in Quincy.

She previously lived in East Braintree and was a Girl Scouts leader.

Wife of the late John Swan and the late Edward Bowman, she is survived by two daughters, Lucy A. Parlee of Quincy and Helen Joan Carter of Braintree; two sons, John Bruce Swan of Weymouth and Alan Glen Swan of Meredith, N.H.; and 13 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Burial was private.

Arrangements were made by Mortimer N. Peck - Russell Peck Funeral Home, Braintree.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MARCH 27, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 on the application of Warren Acker for a variance to construct a single-story garage, as an accessory use to his residence located at 246 Rock Island Road, Quincy MA in violation of the provisions of Title 17, Section 17.28.030 (Parking Facilities Regulations - setback) and Section 17.24.080 (Accessory uses - Setback), each as amended.

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Mayor, Health Department Recruiting Medical Reserve Corps Volunteers

Mayor William Phelan and the Quincy Health Department are continuing to recruit volunteers for the Quincy Medical Reserve Corps, cadre of trained medical and non-medical professionals prepared to assist officials during an emergency.

Training on Behavioral Health Disaster Response-Psychological First Aid will be held for Medical Reserve Corps members March 22 in Quincy. Liam Seward from the Department of Mental Health will discuss behavioral health response to a disaster or emergency. This

interactive program covers the long-term behavioral health effects of disaster and intervention techniques. Anyone interested in becoming a part of the Medical Reserve Corps may attend the training, and CEUs will be offered for physicians, nurses, paramedics and EMTs.

Nearly 2500 volunteers already have been recruited through orientation sessions held last year to recruit volunteers. Quincy recruited 163 volunteers at two recruitment seminars held last December.

"Getting volunteers trained is a key component in preparing Quincy to be able to respond to any type of emergency," Phelan said. "While nurses initially were recruited, anyone interested in joining the MRC is invited to attend. Participants enjoy connecting with co-workers, local officials, neighbors and friends."

"We were excited to see so much of a response from the community," said Alison Minkoff, Region 4B assistant emergency preparedness coordinator who oversees MRC in the region. "We're

looking forward to the training and seeing more new faces."

You do not have to attend an orientation to attend the

March 22 training at City Hall, second floor conference room at 6 p.m. To RSVP to this training, or for more information on the

Medical Reserve Corps contact Alison Minkoff at 617-665-3871 or aminkoff@challiance.org.

Broad Meadows Wins Top Prize In Coats For Kids Drive

For the second year in a row, Broad Meadows Middle School has won the top prize in the 12th annual Coats for Kids drive.

Students under the direction of teachers Donna Miller and Maureen McKenna collected more

than 500 coats and delivered them to Anton's Cleaners.

After cleaning, the coats will be distributed to needy youngsters around the city.

For its win, Board Meadows will receive \$1,000 in furnishings from Jordan's

Furniture and the entire school will be treated to an ice cream sundae party.

A member of the Boston Bruins will visit the school. Citizen's Bank and Package Supply Corporation also donated prizes.

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OVER 1,000 CITY union employees rally outside City Hall Monday for contracts and health benefits.
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Unions Unite At City Hall Protest

Over 1,000 Rally For Contracts, Benefits

By LAURA GRIFFIN
More than 1000 city workers, including teachers, firefighters, police, custodians and secretaries, rallied at City Hall Plaza Monday afternoon to demand action on their contracts and protection of their current health insurance benefits.

School bells rang, whistles and horns blew, and chants of "No Pay Cuts" resounded as city employees from 16 unions formed an ever-expanding circle around the plaza's granite ball, then up and down the sidewalk on Hancock Street.

"Most of us are stalled. Some of the units haven't even started to talk," charged Paul Phillips, president of the Quincy Education Association (QEAs) which represents

the 900 teachers in the public schools and at Quincy College. The unions still negotiating contracts represent 2,100 employees.

The main purpose of the rally was to "break the logjam and begin real negotiations." For all of the unions, Phillips said, "The issue is the same, benefits. We have to bargain. We are waiting for the city to do some negotiating."

Mayor William Phelan and his opponent, Tom Koch, both issued statements Tuesday regarding Monday's rally while taking issue with one another. Phelan said in part, "It is difficult to negotiate with the work force because at all times the taxpayer must be our primary consideration."

Quincy Sun Staff

City Reaches Agreement With Superior Officers

The City of Quincy and the Quincy Police Superior Officer Association have reached a contractual agreement, Mayor William Phelan's office announced Tuesday.

The 49 members of the Superior Officer's Union comprises sergeants, lieutenants and captains within the Quincy Police Department.

The agreement, the Mayor's office said, calls for the members of

the Superior Officer's Union to pay 85% of their employee benefit package in Fiscal Year 2008, 80% of their employee benefit package in Fiscal Year 2009, and the doubling of the employee co-payment to \$10 in Fiscal Year 2010. The employee salary compensation package works out to an approximate 13% raise over four years.

"I am pleased to hear that our bargaining team and the Superior

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Rabies Clinic Set For April 21

The Quincy Health Department will hold a rabies immunization clinic Saturday, April 21, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Quincy Animal Shelter, 56 Broad St.

The clinic, which will be held rain or shine is offered at a cost of \$10 for each dog and cat in an effort to encourage pet owners to have their animals immunized

against the disease.

Residents must bring proof of immunization from the previous year to obtain a three-year shot.

Rabies is an infectious and contagious disease transmitted from exposed wildlife to dogs and cats who in turn can transmit it to humans through bite wounds.

The disease is considered 100

percent fatal if not treated. Exposed cats and dogs that are not vaccinated must be either isolated for three months or destroyed.

Pets must be vaccinated once over three months of age and re-vaccinated within nine to 12 months after the first vaccination. Thereafter, the dog or cat may be vaccinated once every three years.



GIFTS FOR AMERICAN TROOPS in Iraq are shown in this picture of Sterling students Jose Vasquez, Julia Bettiol, Jamie Shaughnessy, Winnie Akoury, Giulia Murphy, Sarah Spargo, Emily Kelley, Lisa Marie Flora, Juliette Callahan, Elizabeth Kelley and Nicole Parry.



STERLING'S STUDENT COUNCIL, School Council and Youth Council members assisted in the shopping at Walmart for the George De Paulo Troop Drive. Shown with the students are Elks members Paul Tracey, Paul MacDonald, Jim Folk, Bern Wilcoxon and Walmart managers Ty White and Jeff Manning.

In Tribute To George DePaulo

Sterling Students Ship Over 3,000 Items To Troops In Iraq

By **LAURA GRIFFIN**

American soldiers in Iraq are already enjoying the 3000 plus items collected by students at Sterling Middle School during the George De Paulo U.S. Troop Drive last month.

E-mails and letters from the front-line describe soldiers delighted with the T-shirts, the shaving cream, the moleskin for sore feet, the sweatpants, sunglasses, and phone cards chosen from the 47 different items in the CarePacks collected by Sterling's students and packed by 20 volunteer teachers.

Over in Iraq, when those soldiers unwrapped their packets, they not only got special gifts, but notes from the students wishing them well and offering their support.

The soldiers, also, learned about another soldier of a half century past named George De Paulo, a decorated veteran of World War II and a special hero to the Sterling School community.

Through this gift drive, students not only wanted to remember American soldiers in battle, but, also, to honor De Paulo as Sterling's own special hero.

De Paulo recently retired from his job as Sterling custodian after serving that school for over 45 years, the Quincy Public School for just under 60 years, and the City of Quincy for 61 years, officials believe it's a record for both the City and the school system.

Rather than have parties and ceremonies marking his retirement, De Paulo chose to have the students run a United States Troop Drive for the soldiers.

Tucked into each soldier's packet is a note from the Sterling School which describes De Paulo, "The items in this package...are due to the life works of a great man...."

"This man is an ordinary man who lived his life honorably as he served his country, his community and, most importantly, his family. He embodies the truly good qualities in all men which is precisely what makes him great."

As a WWII soldier, De Paulo came home a decorated hero awarded the Purple Heart, Bronze Star, a Presidential Unit Citation and four Campaign Stars.

At the height of WWII from 1942-1945, De Paulo served as a rifleman in the Infantry. It is that battlefield service of over seven decades past that makes him identify with the troops in Iraq.

As a result, Sterling's students rallied to the cause, tapping family and friends and shopping for soldiers with cash gifts. The Quincy Elks were major donors to the drive.

Reached by telephone last week, De Paulo declined to be interviewed at all, but his family, friends and work associates told his story anyhow.

To the Sterling commu-

nity, De Paulo is their hero because his ordinary life was, in fact, extraordinary. He was far more than their school's custodian; he was there every day by 4:30 a.m. working to keep things right with a smile and encouragement. Sometimes, he still stops by.

Sterling's Principal Earl Metzler and Vice Principal Christine Barrett kicked off the drive with a letter that began, "The Sterling Eagle is about to take flight in honor of our very own "Hero" George De Paulo."

Metzler and Barrett then described De Paulo as "a man we can all look up to and only hope to emulate....George has never stopped living the values the Army instilled in him many years ago. Values such as loyalty, duty, respect, service, honor, integrity and personal courage are only a few attributes."

De Paulo turned 85 in December but still rises around 3:45 a.m. each day, according to Mark Holleran who teaches Grade 8 Social Studies at Sterling. Now, De Paulo concentrates on his wood-working projects at home but still stops by at Sterling on occasion. "I wish I had his energy," said Holleran who is less than half his age. He added that, like the Sterling students, he's learned a lot from De Paulo who seems to be able to do everything, "He's been like a second father to me."

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E-Mail Glitch At City Hall

They've got e-mail at City Hall; they just can't always get to it.

Ward 3 Councilor Kevin F. Coughlin told the City Council Monday that there were glitches in the city e-mail system last weekend, and after the Council meeting David Murphy, the Mayor's Director of Operations, agreed.

Murphy acknowledged that widespread problems are occurring sporadically in the city's system with e-mail and internet connections, but added that the city's technical team is working on it with Comcast. The problem affects external e-mail connections, blocking incoming and outgoing messages.

"Comcast is having some problems providing stable connections for the city," Ron Donovan, the City's Chief Information officer, said on Tuesday, adding that

there were three Comcast technicians working on equipment at City Hall at that very moment.

"We lost connections last Friday and we lost it again over the weekend," Donovan said, adding both City Hall and the elementary and middle schools are in the system.

Donovan said that there is absolutely no security issues involved in the current problems but added, "What we've lost is productivity." All the e-mails were simply delayed and stored and, later, recovered.

As an example, Donovan said that the nurses in the middle school could not access the health applications until the connections were stabilized. The nurses' data base could not be accessed during any of the periods the system was down.

"A number of depart-

ments conduct business through e-mail," Donovan said, citing the Mayor's office, auditing, and purchasing departments. "E-mail is critical today in anybody's business."

Donovan said the City will work with Comcast for the short term in solving the problems but may be shopping for a new internet provider for the long-term.

Actually, Ward 6 Councilor Brian F. McNamee had a different solution which he offered at Monday council meeting. He said you can't depend on e-mail, adding "The assumption is that they're bullet-proof but they (systems) are down for a few hours and the e-mail goes over an electronic cliff."

"Voice mail is much more reliable than e-mail," said McNamee.

LAURA GRIFFIN



NORTH QUINCY HIGH School students recently helped raise money for charity. School Store employees sold school t-shirts and donated \$1 for each sale. They also placed a memory tree in the store where faculty and students could place an ornament on the tree in memory of a loved one during the holidays for a donation of \$1. Their combined efforts raised over \$450. The students chose the Jimmy Fund as their charity. The donation will be in memory of Patrick White who lost his battle with cancer last year as a ninth grade student at North.

Free Legal Clinics At Quincy District Court

Lawyers in Norfolk County will offer free legal advice at five evening clinics scheduled on specific Tuesday evenings each month from April to August.

The clinics sponsored by the Bar Association of Norfolk County will be held at

Quincy District Court from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on the following Tuesday evenings: April 10, May 8, May 22, July 10, and August 14.

At these clinics, attorneys offer free private on-on-one confidential consultations on any or all legal issues. No

appointments are necessary as the service is on a walk-in basis depending on the legal issue.

The attorneys who volunteer are experienced in different fields of law. For further information, contact Adrienne C. Clarke at 617-471-9693.

Over 200 Residents Submit Ideas For City Improvements

More than 200 Quincy residents submitted suggestions through the "Mayor's Suggestion Box" column in the recent "Quincy View" newsletter, his office said Tuesday. The "Suggestion Box" was designed to allow residents to offer input into ways the City can improve services and/or save money.

One winner will be chosen from the entries and will be featured in the next edition of the "City View" newsletter. The winner will also be invited to lunch with Mayor William Phelan to further discuss their ideas.

"I want to thank everyone that took the time to offer helpful suggestions," said Phelan. "Through our

'Neighborhoods First' initiative and our newsletter, we have created an on-going dialogue with residents on how best to improve our neighborhoods and our city. I was encouraged to see that many of the suggestions are projects that we are currently working on."

Suggestions included: exploring wind energy possibilities, creating a dog park, adding traffic signal improvements, addressing safety issues along Sea Street, improving bicycle lanes, improving ferry service, revitalizing downtown Quincy, combining mailings to save costs, website improvements, enhancing community service opportunities

with City government and many more.

A winner will be selected and announced next week, Phelan said.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On March 20, 1345, the Black Death (bubonic plague) is created from what University of Paris scholars call "a triple conjunction of Saturn, Jupiter and Mars in the 40th degree of Aquarius." The plague, carried by fleas that usually traveled on rats, killed an estimated 25 million people.

• On March 23, 1836, in hopes of keeping pace with the furious march of technology, the U.S. Mint unveils its first steam-powered press. The new-fangled contraption helped crank out coins more efficiently.

• On March 25, 1901, the Mercedes automobile is introduced by Gottlieb Daimler at in Nice, France. After seeing a Daimler car win a race two years previous, businessman Emile Jellinek approached Daimler with an offer to buy 30 of them. Jellinek requested that the cars be named after his daughter, Mercedes.

• On March 24, 1934, the debut of radio program "Major Bowes' Original Amateur Hour" launches a national craze among amateur performers. Families sold their homes and youngsters ran away to audition in

New York, hoping to win and pull themselves out of Depression-era poverty.

• On March 22, 1947, President Harry Truman issues an executive decree establishing a sweeping loyalty investigation of federal employees in every department and agency. The program resulted in the discovery of only a few employees whose loyalty could be "reasonably" doubted.

• On March 19, 1952, the 1 millionth Jeep is produced. The name "Jeep" is reportedly derived from the Army's 1941 request that car manufacturers develop a "General Purpose" vehicle. "Gee Pee" turned to "Jeep" somewhere along the battle lines.

• On March 21, 1980, President Jimmy Carter informs a group of U.S. athletes that, in response to the December 1979 Soviet incursion into Afghanistan, the United States will boycott the 1980 Olympics in Moscow. The U.S. boycott had no impact on Soviet policy in Afghanistan, as Russian troops did not withdraw until nearly a decade later.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Corned Beef And Political Ribs

Photos On Pages 16, 17

You could say there were two main courses at the Quincy Partnership's 11th annual St. Patrick's Day Luncheon.

Corned beef and cabbage.

And the roasting of Mayor Bill Phelan and his challenger, Tom Koch.

With a few jabs, zingers tossed back and forth by and at other political figures for desert.

It was an afternoon of laughs for the near 300 who filled the Quincy Elks Turrell Room last Friday.

The event was co-emceed by City Clerk Joe Shea and real estate manager-developer Dan Flynn, both of whom got in their own potshots.

Flynn got the crowd's immediate attention when he looked around and asked, "Anyone see Joe Shea?"

At that, a young lady stood up and exclaimed, "Someone stole my pocketbook" and pointed to the windows.

Everyone turned to look and there was a figure in Superman-like costume streaking through the parking lot.

Minutes later, Shea emerged with the pocketbook after "retrieving" it. (But was that figure running in the parking lot really Joe Newton impersonating Shea, impersonating Superman?)

Anyway, it set the fun stage.

Phelan mentioned the new fountain donated by the Quincy Partnership for Merrymount Park, adding "at the formerly known Dick Koch complex."

The complex was named in honor of Koch's late father, who served as park and forestry executive director.

When it came Koch's turn at bat, he told Phelan: "Let's make a deal. If you

don't change the Koch complex name, when I'm mayor I won't change the name of Tobin Towers."

That seniors facility was named for former Mayor Arthur Tobin, Phelan's father-in-law.

There were quite a number of bumper stickers on cars in the parking lot and on the podium.

"I hope bumper stickers don't vote," Phelan mused.

Flynn, clearing the bumper stickers "so they won't distract you," held one up for the crowd to see.

"Nothing seems funny to me," Phelan said.

But he and his brother Ged as "Crazy Guggenheim" ala Frankie Fontaine teamed in a crowd pleasing routine, with His Honor as the straightman.

Phelan recalled that some wanted to build the new Quincy High School on a toxic waste dump.

"I went to a high school on a toxic waste dump," Ged as "Crazy" said, apparently illustrating the effects toxic waste can have on students.

But, he added, he couldn't be too crazy because Police Chief Robert Crowley "gave me a gun permit."

Ged finished the routine with a stirring "God Bless America" in tribute to those serving overseas, with the crowd standing and joining in.

"The Phelans are playing the patriotic card," Flynn quipped.

Koch said Phelan should have realized he was going to run for mayor when he gave him advice such as:

• Just keep telling people taxes aren't going up. Nobody will even notice.

• Don't even worry about the police chief and the union—they're just hitting a little rough patch. Deep down, they really love each other.

• Forget recycling, contracts, building a high school or fixing fire houses, all we need is a newsletter.

• When all else fails, in (Tom) Large we trust. If that doesn't work, blame Sheets.

Shea did his popular Johnny Carson "Amazing Sheazack" with Flynn in the Ed McMahon role.

Q: William J. Phelan, Phelan/Tobin, Wink.

A: Three names for the new Quincy High School.

Q: Pens, notebooks, a phone call from Dad.

A: The easiest way for Mike Bellotti to get through law school.

Q: Excedrin, Tylenol, Councillor Kevin Coughlin.

A: Two headache remedies and why you would take them.

Q: Quincy Center Concourse, new Quincy High School, Gov. Deval Patrick.

A: Three things that sounded good in the beginning.

Q: A broom from Curry Hardware, Mayor Bill Phelan, a lottery snowbrush.

A: Three things likely to fly off the handle this year.

Q: The best place to find Tom Koch signs.

A: Newbury Avenue, Sacred Heart's parking lot, Joe Canavan's trunk.

Q: Taxes, mayoral favors, Jay Davis' chin.

A: Three things that will double this year.

State Treasurer Tim Cahill acknowledged:

"I wish I had a brother as funny (as Ged Phelan) with me." (You could have used him, Tim).

Cahill did have a display of funny photos of "separated at birth" figures. The top tickler was one of Phelan and Howdy Doody.

Shea showed a photo of Koch in a Liberty Tax Man Uncle Sam costume waving at passing motorists in Quincy Square.

So that some people who are concerned over Koch giving up a good paying job (park commissioner) to run for mayor needn't be concerned.

Sheriff Mike Bellotti in his usual top form, praised Koch for his "savvy" but noted that Koch had run for city councillor, Norfolk County treasurer and is now running for mayor.

"If he loses," said Bellotti, "the only thing left to do is run for governor."

And, from his good news/bad news routine:

Good news: Governor Deval Patrick has his own line of clothing to support the local fashion industry.

Bad news: It looks great, but it comes apart at the seams.

Good news: Our patriotic mayor is going to show his support of our men and women in harm's way.

Bad news: Chief Crowley is out of a job.

Bellotti also got in a few humorous "long distance" telephone calls.

Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis, looking over the crowd: "It's great to be on Jim Sheets' reunion team."

He also had a solution to the feud between the police union and Chief Crowley over 13 cruisers being on patrol duty on all shifts.

Davis called council colleagues to the podium and with a nod from Phelan,

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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1920 real photo postcard showing the old slate quarry that was off Aphorpe Street in Norfolk Downs. Actually two separate quarry holes, the site was surrounded by Billings Road, Aphorpe, Warwick and Marshall Streets. The house shown here is number 15 Warwick St. First opened in 1687, this ancient Quincy quarry was the source of thousands of slate gravestones

found throughout the region. The quarry was filled in the late 1940s to eliminate the danger to children. It had been a favorite spot for ice-skating in the winter and carp fishing in the summer. The site is now zoned open space. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

Quincy's Yesterdays

Revaluation, Master Plan, Trash Major Issues

By FRANK McCAULEY

The City Council has a number of major issues to deal with over the next few months. Among them:

Revaluation – Several orders are now pending in the council's finance committee, including: an appropriation order of \$70,000 to hire an outside firm to start work on the revaluation of all real and personal property in the city. A second order would put this issue on the November ballot. A third would require the council to take a position on the issue.

Master Plan – Within a month, members of the city council should receive copies of the city's Master Plan and zoning studies.

Rubbish Disposal – Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa is considering that the city take and prepare an incinerator site in the Cashman's Quarry area of West Quincy.

COUNCIL TABLES

CONFLICT OF INTEREST ISSUE

The City Council ordinance committee tabled action on a proposal to classify members of the unpaid city boards as "special employees" under the conflict of interest law. The proposal was made by Ward 6 Councilor Richard W. Barry. At present, all city employees, including unpaid ones, are classified "regular" employees, prohibiting them from doing any business with the city. As "special" employees, unpaid board members would be restricted from doing business with the city only in areas over which they have jurisdiction.

MARSHLAND REZONING DRAWS OPPOSING VIEWS

Conservation of marshlands or retention of a valuable industrial site were the alternatives placed before the planning board as it considered a proposed zoning change for the Montclair marshes. Ten people spoke in favor of the proposal while 17 recorded their opposition. The Planning Board took the matter under advisement.

QUINCY-ISMS

Ruth Miller of the Marvel Beauty Salon, 29 Cottage Ave., was advertising the "Nationally Known Cold Wave at a Price You Can Afford To Pay" \$6... Paula Shay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Shay of 86 Vassall St., Wollaston, was the first-place winner at the North Quincy High School Science Fair. Her topic was "Research on Planaria"... The Quincy High School debate team advanced to the state finals in Fitchburg. The varsity team members include David Barzelay, W. Roderick MacDonald, Steven A. Magnell and Lewis Trout. English teacher John J. Mahoney is coach... The Quincy Lions Club was planning its annual Community Auditions Talent Show April 25 at the Quincy High School auditorium. Proceeds will be used for eye research and other club charities... The Quincy Kiwanis Club announced that the club will award \$1,200 in scholarships to Quincy students. The awards include \$400 each to a student Quincy High School and a student at North Quincy High School in addition, \$200 each to a student at the Quincy City Hospital School of Nursing and a student at Quincy Junior College... Army Capt. Gordon K. Sullivan, 105 Granite St., Quincy, received a commendation from his commanding officer at Ft. Knox, KY. The commendation was for intelligence work in Saigon, Vietnam... The Quincy Legion Post celebrated the 46th anniversary of its founding. Participating in the cake cutting ceremony were Commander Thomas C. Gerrior, first vice commander Paul A. McLaughlin, second vice commander William W. Hancock, and third vice commander George H. Drysdale... The George Burke Friendship Dinner Committee was completing plans for the dinner honoring George G. Burke, councillor at large and state representative. The event will be held at the Surf Ballroom in Hull on April 7... Anthony F. Lotti of 64 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point, has been promoted to airman second class. Lotti is stationed at Pease Air Force Base, N.H.... The junior city champions of the Koch Club winter basketball program included: Dean Johnson, Bob Bouchard, Jim Finnity, Don Connolly, and Arthur Connolly... James Stewart, along with Fabian and Cindy Carol, were appearing at the Strand Theatre in "Dear Brigitte"... William W. Jenness, chairman of the Republican City Committee, appointed committee members Charles N. Ross and Joseph A. MacRitchie co-chairmen of a committee planning a banquet honoring Gov. John A. Volpe.

READERS FORUM

She Backs Coughlin's Proposal On Recycling

Recently, several Quincy city councillors dismissed a recycling proposal by Councilor Kevin Coughlin. When pressed for their reasons for the dismissal, they indicated that it would be a "burden" and that people were too busy and no one wants to be forced to recycle.

Furthermore, they did not consider the incentive-based portion of the proposals, an alternative to the mandate. Progress for improving recycling in Quincy was halted in its tracks.

Yet consider the alternatives. Not a day goes by that

we do not hear about global warming and the carbon footprints we all leave on the environment. No one seems to be saying, it's all right, no worries, continue as you were. Instead we are bombarded with the importance of taking action now; not tomorrow, not later, but now.

Sure we're all busy, but we'll be a lot busier later trying to fix the issues that could have been prevented had we but acted. We hear so many negative things on the news, things we feel powerless to influence or stop. This is one area in which a small

contribution by one becomes a substantial one when done by many.

We complain about our taxes, about funds that are cut for certain jobs or programs. It's always about juggling the money. With recycling, we have an additional benefit in that it saves the city substantial money. Talk about a win-win situation: you do good for the environment and you save money.

Still not convinced? People name their children after themselves. Benefactors donate art or hospital wings. All so that their legacy will live on. What

legacy do we intend to leave for our children and future generations of Quincy residents? Will anyone applaud our efforts to remain firm and not be told what to do, even as our landfills become more and more engorged with recyclable waste?

If you are concerned with the recycling problem, please, consider recycling your trash; it's easy and requires little effort. Finally, contact your city councillors and tell them of your concerns (617-376-1340).

Mary Grace Montalto
151 Parke Ave.
Quincy

He Agrees With Koch On Brochure Mailing

As I read the front-page news story (*Gloves off in Mayoral Race, March 15*), I apparently viewed that recent four-page color brochure included in this year's annual city census mailing much the same as mayoral candidate Tom Koch, who saw the brochure as "a clear misuse of public money for political purposes." And like Koch, I agree that it "may end up being legal but there's no question that it is inappropriate."

Koch's Ethics Commission complaint is being viewed by the Phelan administration as negative politics, but is it? All Koch wants to know is did the mayor violate state ethical standards in sending out the brochure in question. He has a right to question the timing of the brochure and its contents and why tax dollars were used to create and distribute the flashy look how great Quincy is thanks to me "Quincy View."

Tom Largey, spokesper-

son for the mayor, told *The Quincy Sun* that Koch's action "says more about the Koch campaign than the Phelan administration. This tells you where this (Koch's) campaign is going." Boy, is Largey sounding like Karl Rove on this brochure.

Phelan hints he is eager to start campaigning "on the issues." Says Mayor Phelan, "Quincy is moving in the right direction and I can't wait to start talking about it.

I'm willing to talk all day about the good things we have done."

Who isn't willing to talk all day about good news? The question is, is the mayor ready to put up his 3-terms to date against a strong challenger who thinks things could still be better?

By the way, if the "Quincy Views" brochure was governmental, how come it didn't come inside my auto excise tax bill?

I'm also so happy that the mayor is touting a "more customer-friendly" city website. Why go all the way down to City Hall to pay taxes and fees when you can dish out your money online. Ah, customer friendly. Since when did citizens become customers? This ain't K-Mart, this is our government and we deserve better.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Gloria Robertson's Artwork
Featured In New Exhibit

New works by Quincy artist Gloria Robertson are on display through April 11 as part of the Marion Art Center's "Fiftieth Anniversary Decorative Arts Show."

Two of the artist's pieces, titled "Water Flowers" and "Inspirations by Matisse," are featured in the main exhibit, and several other pieces by Robertson and other decorative artists will be also on display.

"This exhibit is a terrific celebration of the many different, and often unexpected, ways that decorative artists bring beauty and color to homes, businesses, and lives every day," said Robertson. "I'm very happy to be a part of this show and am thrilled that the Marion Art Center is so supportive of decorative arts and the artist community."



A LAMP decorated by Quincy artist Gloria Robertson is one of two of the artist's pieces on display at the Marion Art Center. The artwork is entitled "Inspirations by Matisse."

Robertson is a decorative artist and color consultant who works out of her studio, Twinkle Designs, in Quincy.

and on-site for commercial and residential clients. A graduate of the Rhode Island School of Design's decorative arts program, she has also studied at the University of the Arts in Philadelphia, the School of Visual Arts in New York City, and Brockton's Fuller Museum of Art.

Celebrating its 50th Anniversary this year, the Marion Art Center is a non-profit cultural organization founded in 1957 that promotes visual and performing arts throughout southeastern Massachusetts via its two art galleries, theatre and auditorium, classes, and art camp.

Marion Art Center is located on Buzzards Bay in the charming village section of Marion, Massachusetts. Learn more at www.marionartcenter.org.

Crane Library Planning
For 125th Anniversary

"I cannot guarantee that the building, when completed, shall conform to (your) ideas of beauty and taste," said the architect, H. H. Richardson, to his patron, Albert Crane.

It did and come Friday, June 8, from 7 to 9 p.m. the Thomas Crane Public Library, named for Albert's father, will celebrate its 125th anniversary with a party at 40 Washington St.

The library was dedicated May 30, 1882 with the principal oration delivered by Charles Francis Adams Jr., great grandson of John

Adams, future mayor and member of the board of trustees.

The various committees planning the celebration have scheduled a meeting Monday, April 9, at 7 p.m. in the Community Room of the Main Library.

Mabel Biagini will provide the musical entertainment at the celebration and an exhibit of paintings of the Fore River Shipyard by Quincy's Mary Smith will be open in the atrium.

The Wollaston Wine & Spirits Co. has agreed to supply the wine for tasting — 25

varieties — a cash bar will be available and portions of the library will be open for viewing and socializing.

The subcommittees organizing the program include event, tickets & sales, ad/program, raffle, mailing list and publicity.

Funds raised by the event will be used to support the programs sponsored through the year by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Anyone wishing to participate in the planning for the celebration should contact Harold Crowley at 617-471-6881.

Quincy High School Drama Club
To Present The Musical 'Grease'

Quincy High School's Drama Club will present its version of the classic rock-n-roll musical "Grease" in the Lloyd H. Hill Auditorium beginning Friday, March 23 at 7 p.m.

Other performances are scheduled Friday, March 30 at 7 p.m.; Saturdays, March 24 and 31 at 7 p.m. as well as matinees on Saturdays at 1 p.m.

Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door.

Call 617-984-8782 or e-mail qhstheatre@aol.com.

In the show, the "bad boy" Danny Zuko (portrayed by Jeff Ohlson), and the "good girl" Sandy Dubrovski (Alicia Woodberry) face an array of obstacles while trying to reclaim their summer loving. While Danny and Sandy struggle to salvage their relationship, Rizzo (Lilian Sticco) and Kenickie (Lawrence Furbish) go through a string of breakups and make-ups; Frenchy (Kristen Cummings) drops out of school to become a beautician; Sonny (James

Fay) tries to escape Ms. Lynch (Tina Hicks/Paige Neumann) while bouncing from one girl to the next, Rodger (Brendan Paine) and Jan (Kayla Dolan) find romance underneath a full moon; Doody (Zack Dwyer) learns that is means to be in a gang, and the head cheerleader, Patty Simcox (Meghan Hardee) tries to get Danny's attention.

'Morning Chair Yoga' At Beechwood Center

Yoga is a popular choice at Beechwood On the Bay, according to Program Coordinator Amy Drinkwater who announced that the current yoga offerings are very well enrolled.

At this time, "Morning Chair Yoga" meets each

Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. and "Gentle Yoga" meets on Thursday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Cost is \$45 for six weeks.

Registration for both classes is underway now. Interested persons may call

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Rotary Club's Kids Classic Auction To Be Held March 28

The Quincy Rotary Club will hold its annual Kids Classic Auction to benefit a scholarship fund and other charities Wednesday, March 28, at 6 p.m. in the Neighborhood Club, 27 Glendale Rd.

The goal is \$50,000, most of which will go to scholarships for graduating seniors at Quincy and North Quincy High Schools.

Other Rotary-supported programs include Boy Scouts, YMCA, Salvation Army, Quincy Youth Hockey, Red Cross, Quincy

Medical Center, Jimmy Fund and the Dianne DeVanna Center.

Dan Flynn will be the auctioneer and Rotarian Marty McGovern, the newly appointed manager of the Neighborhood, promises a memorable evening of fine wine and gourmet dining.

Rich Barry, the committee chair and vice president, said the auction will include some 100 items worth about \$30,000, most of them unique one-of-a-kind prizes.

They include a golf package with Luis Tiant at Gran-

ite Links, gift certificates to Quincy's finest restaurants, Red Sox tickets, sports memorabilia and trips to far away places.

Members of the committee include Richard Barry, Dan Flynn, Mary Beth Curran, Lynne Houghton, Karyn Smith, Bruce Wood, Marianne Peak, John Sharry, Bob Kachinsky, John Spillane, Mary Jo Cicchetti, Mary Hurley, Kao Li, Ruth Crocker and Jay Eckblom.

Rotary's Interact Club is assisting in setting up the items for exhibit.



THREE GENERATIONS - Allerton House at Hancock Park resident Mary Williams (center) visits with her daughter, Mary Francioso (right) and her granddaughter, Daniella Francioso during one of the community's many intergenerational events. Mary serves as one of the Quincy assisted living community's "goodwill ambassadors," greeting and welcoming newcomers. She enjoys being close to her family, which includes six adult children, 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Of Allerton House, she says, "I love it here." To learn more about Allerton House at Hancock Park call Kelly Richards at 617-471-2600, or visit at www.welchhr.com/allertonhouse.

18 On Woodward School Headmaster's 'A' List

Eighteen girls, including two from the Republic of Korea, have been named to the headmaster's list with straight "As" for the second term at the Woodward School for Girls in Quincy.

Those on the list and their grades included:

Sharon Lawler (12) of Avon; Sarah Bender (9) of Boston; Julia Butts (6), Rachel Padell (6), Sidonia Maninos (10) and Joelle Tobin (10), all of Braintree.

Alexandra Baylis (6), Courtney Sheridan (6), Lilli Ann Plourde (7), Shannon Galvin (8), Jade Hoang (11), Sally Vo (11) and Alyssa Colby (12), all of Quincy; Olivia Grover (11) of Randolph; Ayaman Qazi (7) and Rose Perinello (9), both of Weymouth; Joo Hyun Oh (8) and Yun Hwa Chang (9), both of South Korea.

Those receiving honors with all "As" and "Bs" included:

Niamh O'Connor (6),

Emily Rines (6), Amanda Rowen (6), Sarah Saccoach (6), Emiliija Baksys (7), Allison Howie (7), Shannon Leary (7), D'onna Roche (7), Caroline Spada (7), Elizabeth Spellberg (7), Mariana Verenis (7), Elizabeth Spada (9), Rebecca Lee (10), Mary Cate Rivera (10), Jocelyn Spellberg (10), Shawna Ferullo (11), Tina Le (11), Linh Nguyen (11), Michele Norton (11), Holly Canale (12), Casey Doherty (12), Brittany Norton (12) and Alessandra Davin Sangurima (12), all of Quincy.

Madison Dillon (6), Elizabeth Egan (8), Aoife Leonard (8) and Lisa

Sullivan (9), all of Braintree; Katherine Dunn (6), Emma Whitley (6), Lindsey Michetti (8), Bonetta Shaw (10), Meaghan McDermott (12) and Ekta Nail (12), all of Randolph; Ashley Jean Robing (11) and Mary Torrey (11), both of Weymouth; Lydia Grabowicz (7) and Miriam Roberts (11), both of Milton.

Jamie Brids (11), Njide Adichie (9), Tatiana Rosado (10), Ye Eun Kim (9), Jasmin Johansen (12), all of Boston; Samantha Ludwig (10) of Duxbury; Nicole Frazier (9) of Hanover; Dara Keyes (9) of Hingham; Sarah Wheble (10) of Kingston; and Samantha Smith (8) of Pembroke.

Quincy High '52 Reunion Aug. 22

The Quincy High School Class of 1952 will hold its

55th anniversary reunion Wednesday, Aug. 22, at 12 noon, at Pageant Field in Merrymount Park.

For more information, contact Gene Long, 27 Beach Rd., Weymouth, 781-337-4370 or Bill Parsley at beld.net.

Mr., Mrs. Michael Shea Parents Of Daughter

Michael and Phyllis Shea of Marshfield are parents of a daughter, Amanda Grace born Jan. 22 at South Shore Hospital, Weymouth.

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22 On St. Mary School Honor Roll

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They are:

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Grade 5: Julia Goyette.
Grade 7: Jay Trebicka and Rene Norton.

HIGH HONORS

Grade 5: Conor Dane and Julia Goyette.

Grade 7: Jay Trebicka and Rene Norton.

HONORS

Grade 8: Peter Fullerton, Alex Furtado, Amanda Hyslip, Richard Long, Derek Matthies, Andrew Norris and Myles Riddell.

Grade 7: Seamus Keaveny.

Grade 6: Michael Ciardelli, Alexander Lasdow-Doussard, Brendan McAdams and Erin Norton.
Grade 5: Abigail Akoury, Angela Hyslip and Victoria McIntyre.

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Ursula's Corn Pudding

It was Christmas with the cousins when some of us gathered at our cousin's Gen's beautifully decorated home on a Sunday in December.

Some of us brought a favorite recipe to go with her delicious buffet ranging from Lasagna, meatballs, sausages and on and on.

One of the dishes that were brought in was a corn pudding by my cousin Ursula.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees

Corn Pudding

- 1 egg (beaten)
- 2 cups milk (Ursula used skim)
- 4 tablespoons flour

- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 packages frozen corn niblets (or 2 cans)
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine

In a bowl mix the egg, milk, flour, sugar and salt until blended. Stir in the corn.

Pour in a slightly greased shallow casserole dish. Dot the top with the butter or margarine.

Bake for 15 minutes. Then stir and bake for another 20 minutes or until inserted knife comes out clean.

It's a delicious side dish and so easy to prepare. We cut it into squares to serve.

'An Inconvenient Truth' Screening, Discussion At Library Sunday

A free screening of the Academy-Award winning documentary "An Inconvenient Truth" will be held Sunday, March 25 at 1:30 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy Center.

Following the movie, there will be a discussion with local officials and environmental activists centered on Quincy's response to the global warming issue and steps to save on energy costs.

In the critically acclaimed

film, former Vice President Al Gore presents an eye-opening and compelling view of the future of our planet, cutting through myths and misconceptions about global warming and urging that citizens act now to save the earth.

After the screening, scheduled to take part in the discussion are members of the Quincy Environmental Network, Green Start, the Massachusetts Climate Action Network, Mayor William Phelan, and Quincy City

Council Environmental and Health Subcommittee members Leo Kelly and Kevin Coughlin.

The event is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library and the Quincy Environmental Network, in cooperation with the Quincy City Council Environmental and Health Subcommittee.

For more information about the program, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Interpreters Needed At Historic Church

Historic United First Parish Church, where two presidents worshipped and are buried, is seeking volunteer historic interpreters to conduct tours for visitors.

The visitors' program be-

gins in mid-April and extends to mid-November.

Known as the Church of the Presidents and part of the Adams National Historical Park, it is the final resting place of Presidents John and

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FIRST GRADE STUDENTS in Andrea Curtin's classroom organized the sock and underwear drive for the Boston Health Care for the Homeless. Aiden Foley and Luca Smith are shown marking the tally board as another pair of socks is collected to help the homeless.

Squantum School Collects New Socks, Underwear For Homeless Kids

A first grade class at the Squantum School has collected over four hundred pairs of new socks and underwear for area homeless children.

"The school's sock and underwear drive has been an overwhelming success," said first grade teacher Andrea Curtin, whose class organized the collection. "It's been an important educational experience as well, with the children learning about homelessness and... they've really enjoyed the collection part as well."

First graders speaking about the collection shared the same feelings. MaryKate Moriarty said, "I feel good helping the homeless." Samantha Striffler said she felt, "super happy." Antonia Alvarado "liked helping people." Spencer Smith and Max Storch both agreed, "Donating socks and underwear for the homeless made

us feel proud."

During the two-week drive, which ended Feb. 15, the children collected new socks and underwear. The entire school has gotten involved. One kindergarten, Aiden Foley, decided to forgo presents at his recent birthday party and instead asked friends to bring new socks and underwear for the drive, according to Principal Donald Houghton.

The Squantum School's collection is part of a larger annual drive organized by Boston Health Care for the Homeless Program, (BHCHP), an organization that delivers medical care to homeless patients in the Boston area. The organization's staff members will distribute the socks and underwear collected by the Squantum School at the family shelters where they deliver care. School nurse Maureen

Spillane was instrumental in starting the drive at the school.

Community groups and schools are welcome to do their own drives for Boston Health Care for the Homeless Program. For more information, please contact Leanna Varga at lvarga@bhchp.org or 617-414-2140.

BHCHP provides health care to more than 9,000 homeless men, women and children annually. With clinics in three Boston hospitals and more than 70 community sites, teams of doctors and other clinicians offer comprehensive care in places familiar to homeless persons, including shelters and soup kitchens, on the streets, in the backstretch of Suffolk Downs Racetrack and at the Barbara McInnis House, a 90-bed medical respite care facility.

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Sterling Students Ship Over 3,000 Items To Troops In Iraq

(Cont'd From Page 2)

Holleran described an "awesome" man who "never gets angry, never sat down and would do anything around the building."

Despite his retirement, De Paulo still checks by, once in a while, at the Sterling Middle School to see if the heat is working and things are still shipshape for the school's 300 students, according to Holleran.

"He loved his job with all his heart," said Holleran.

In recent years, Holleran has worked with his mentor on a Holocaust presentation for Sterling students and for Quincy High School students.

Holleran said that, after 9/11, De Paulo wanted the students to know about the Holocaust. De Paulo and his unit with Allied troops liberated one of the Nazi concentration camps. "He doesn't want it to ever happen again."

During the Veterans Day assemblies, De Paulo tells of the freed prisoners "coming up and hugging him." De Paulo, also, describes the camp's barracks with bedridden prisoners so emaciated that the soldiers couldn't tell if they were alive or dead.

De Paulo's been in battle and he knows firsthand that soldiers in the field need support and kind words from home.

Through the Sterling

drive, the soldiers not only got pillows and phone cards, hand warmers and sun block and peanut butter and jelly squeeze, they also got a boost from the 10, 11, and 12-year-old youngsters who inserted letters in each packet.

Many of the letters are filled with questions about the heat, the food, and conditions but they all echo the words of Alysha Dunbar from Grade 6, "I am writing to thank you for all that you've done."

Alysha told her soldier that she was on the volleyball team and while they didn't win the championship this year, "There's always next year."

Grade 8 student Lizzie Feenan told her "service member" that "I know I speak for everyone when I say we can sleep much more soundly because you are fighting for America.... I hope you return home super soon."

After praising the soldiers "selfless acts of courage and bravery," Grade 8's Courtney Hyman promised

"You and all of the other service members are in my prayers. Thank you for being courageous and strong."

"Thank you again for serving our country," wrote Grade 6's Pat Dowling after asking what the weather was like in Iraq. "Over here in Quincy, it is very cold."

De Paulo and the students have already heard back from some of the soldiers including the nephew of one of Sterling's teachers. One of the most touching thank you's for De Paulo arrived from the soldier son of fellow custodian Mike Campanelli.

The Sterling School opened as South Junior High School in 1927 and De Paulo was one of its early graduates. He has worked with every one of the nine principals in Sterling's history.

Married for over 50 years, De Paulo and his wife Mary live in Quincy and have three children, Mary Beth Flora of Quincy, John De Paulo of Winchester and their daughter Kathy Scribi, a secretary at Sterling.

Hot Lunches At Beechwood

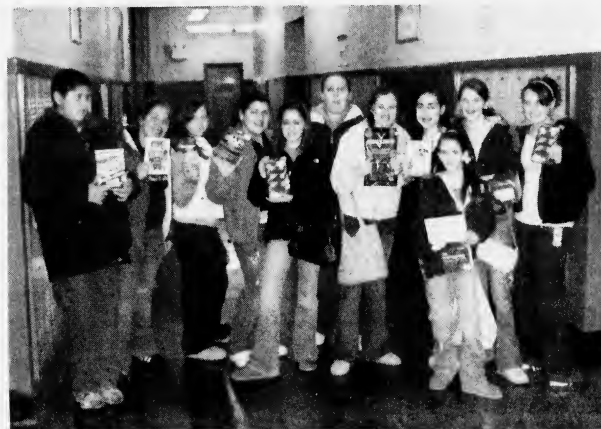
Two days a week, seniors can enjoy hot lunches at Beechwood Community Life Center for only \$2. The sit-down lunches are scheduled Wednesday and Thursday at noon.

"Ours are sit down din-

ners provided through South Shore Elder Services and are served by wonderful volunteers," said the Center's Maryann Mahony. Interested seniors may call 617-471-5712.



EIGHTH GRADE CLASS officers Jamie Shaughnessy, Julia Bettiol, Giulia Murphy and Winni Akoury accept a large donation from the Quincy Elks for the De Paulo Troop Drive. Shown with the student officers are Paul Tracey, Paul MacDonald, Jim Folk and Ben Wilcoxon.



GEORGE DE PAULO who served Quincy residents for over 60 years is surrounded by Sterling students and some items collected for American soldiers in Iraq during the George De Paulo U.S. Troop Drive. Students shown are Jose Vasquez, Sarah Spargo, Jamie Shaughnessy, Nicole Parry, Giulia Murphy, Julia Bettiol, Juliette Callahan, Elizabeth Kelley, Emily Kelley, Shelby Oliver and Winnie Akoury.

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469 On Quincy High School Second Term Honor Roll

Quincy High School lists 469 students on its second term honor roll.

They are:

Distinction

Grade 12: Elizabeth Bergstrom, Meaghan Brown, Felicia Canney, Jiawei Chen, Suqun Chen, James Christie, Hope Collins, June Dandhanin, Krysta Davis, Christine Distasi, Laura Doherty, Luis Miguel Dos Santos, Anthony Dunner, James Fay, Kelsey Flanagan, Ashley Fooks, Megan Hardee, Ralfi Kondili, Raymond Lam, Ngo Lau, Qitao Lu, Joseph MacDonald, Christina Manipon, Kshitij Nagpal, Paige Neumann, Robert Page III, Joseph Pantano, Suji Park, Stephen Reed, Lihian Sticco, Xiao Ying Tan, Sanam Wahid and Jing Zeng.

Grade 11: Miguel Barzola, Thanh Chau, Hui Ping Chen, Yi Mei Dong, Hannah Donovan, Trung Duong, Wai Man Fan, Wu Xi He, Thanh Trang Hoang,

Xing Ling Huang, Yu Fei Lin, Minh Luc, Mortada Najem, Stephanie Nye, Andrew Paine, Si Yuan Peng, Michael Pyle, Robert Ranalli, Richard Salvucci, Sarah Sullivan, Meagan Tobin, Marybeth Torpey, Wing Yee Tsoi, Phan Vong, Melissa Walter, Ziheng Wang, Alicia Woodberry, Ming Zhen Wu, Qi Qing Wu, Shi Jun Wu, Yijuan Wu, Robert Yee, Xiaolin Zhen, Xiaowen Zhen and Ying Ping Cindy Zheng.

Grade 10: Celina Abundis, Xiao Chen, Richard Cheung, Olivia Cruz, Nhung Dinh, Joseph Flanagan, Mike Ford, Shui Miao Ge, Petrika Gjini, Salma Goummih, Lili Gu, Michael Kwang, Elisa Lam, Jin Lem, Corey Loza, Christopher McGroarty, Matthew McGroarty, Robert McGroarty, Dallas Miller, Jessica Ngo, Da Som Park, Vivian Pham, Michelle Rizza, Anthony Sheldone, Danielle Silva, Xiao Dan

Situ, Phuong Thao Tammy Thai, Annie Tran, Trang Vo, Shu Wang, Xi Xi Wang, Leah Wood and Xiao Tung Zheng.

Grade 9: Stephanie Annessi, Eric Arabian, Alexander Astofsky, Trisha Barungi, Olivia Berry, Bianca Blakesley, James Bottary, Chun Hin Chan, Xiaojun Chen, Jessica Drago, Sara Elder, Ka Kui Fong, Joshua Gerry, Caylie Gibson, Emily Hajjar, Kevin Keith, Kylie Kozlowski, Genesys's Lai, Ka Kit Li, Shayne Lopez, Kevin Mei, Naima Mohamed, Jillian Monahan, Kenny Nguyen, Vasil Palo, Mehul Patel, Dora Pepo, Lance Peterson, Lyna Pham, Brienne Phelan, Sarah Schulte, Gaclen Suarez, Amanda Sullivan, Wai Ki Tang, Phwe Main Tham, Collen Tobin, Julie Tran, Amy Walsh, Winnie Yang, Timothy Young and Yan Michelle Zhang.

High Honors
Grade 12: Pluton Angjeli,

Joshua Berry, Alex Chan, Wendell Cosgrove, Kristin Cummings, Kristen Daniels, Si Yun Deng, Kayla Dolan, Nada Eid, Michael Galvez, Jun Chao Gao, Shawn Hamel, Bridget Hawko, Kai Lang, Zhong Lin, Korey Little, Sean Lombard, Hien Luong, Taysir Mahoud, Kenneth Mei, Victoria Murphy, Christina Nilovic, Stephen Palmatier, Courtney Palmer, Kimberly Pham, Jessica Powers, Jessica Shipley, Loren Spahiu, Heather Sullivan, Patrick Timmons, Nensi Veselaj, Phuong Vo, Thuy Vuong, Joshua Wallace, Rong Yu Zhen and Jin Fang Zheng.

Grade 11: Leah Buccheri, Raymundo Chen, Shengnan Chen, Yue Mei Chen, Michael Cheung, Heather Coletta, Kyle Craig, Melissa Dresselaers, James Flaherty, Jessica Giordani, Diana Giunta, Loren Golubic-Campbell, Leanne Hall, Yu Xuan Huang, Michael Lebel, Amy Little, Lu Yuan Liu, Tao Lu, Danielle Millan, Shawn Neenan, Tsz Tsun Ngan, Imelda Nini, Zachary Ohlson, Paul Oldham, Brendan Paine, Kimberly Papile, John Rodrigues, Brendan Shea, Armela Thano, Kevin Trenh, Thuyduy Trinh, Thanh Vo, Vincent Wong, Cheng Wei Yang, Amanda Young and James Yu.

Grade 10: Mai Chau, Katherine Chernicki, Dee Dee Chin, Marykate Delaney, Hoa Duong, Amber Duran, Katie Geraghty, Jacqueline Gore, Qi Ling Huang, Kavi Jaggernath, Georgios Kalogeras, Stephen Kamb, Long Huang Lin, Bonnie Madeiros, Katherine Marchand, Renee Murphy, David Nguyen, Edward Sholes, Andrew Trubiano, Angela Vallone, Aldoron Villena, Thuy Vo, Carlson Wang, Ming Wood, Patrick Young, Tony Yu and Kun Zeng.

Grade 9: Ngozi Aguguo, Richard Ash, Mark Baladiang, Kristen Bardon, Jimmy Bui, Leslie Campbell, Elizabeth Carella, Cassandra Deiorio, Zachary Dwyer, James Finn, Devon Grogan, Shantelle Johnson, Seth Lally, Van Lam, Angela

MacDonald, Paul Miranda, Flavia Mori, Nathaniel Pahud, Maris Pepo, Allen Rand, Rebecca Shea, Ronald Smith, Nurulaane Taudih, Danielle Urbanus, Barbara Wong and Sandy Xie.

Honors

Grade 12: John Alexander, Camilo Arredondo, Robyn Bernstein, Levi Boateng, David Cavanagh, Kevin Chan, Hong Li Chen, Xiao Hong Li Chen, Xiao Hong Chen, Danielle Chiachio, Stephen Connolly, Jonathan Conso, Alex Domingo, Parmanand Doodnauth, Marissa Elliott, Thomas Hurney, Wed Hussein, Gabrielle James, Michael Leone, Marie Long, Deirdre McCombs, Allison McDonough, Charles McGee, Shu Bing Amanda Mei, Alison Moriarty, Carlson, Stephanie Moronta, Jeffrey Mui, Brendan Mulrooney, Deziree Nascimento, Shaneia Nelson, Daniel O'Connell, Jeffrey Ohlson, Wanessa Pereira, Katherine Shea, Terry Szteto, Jinlong Tan, Wilkinson Theodoris, Brian Thomas, Kathleen Volta, Hong Vong, Taila-Jade Whitford, Wing Shing Yeung, Lin Zheng and Xiang Li Zhuo.

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Six New Governors Join Quincy College Board

Six new members have been sworn in at a special session of the of the board of governors of Quincy College, bringing the board to a full complement of 13.

The new members are:

Jo-Ann Bragg of Quincy, a former member of the Quincy School Committee for 10 years and now proprietor of Up and Running, an income tax business based in Quincy. She is a graduate of Quincy College with an associate in science degree and has a certificate in finance from Northeastern University. She was named Citizen of the Year by the City Council in 2006.

Mary Jo Brogna of Quincy, a nurse with 20 years experience who is Director of Throughput at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston. She has a bachelor's degree in nursing from Southeastern Massachusetts University and a master's degree in nursing administration from UMass.

She has two daughters who attended Quincy College.

Edward M. Browne of Milton, vice president of General Services at Quincy Medical Center. He holds a bachelor's in marine engineering from Mass Maritime Academy and a master's in management from RPI. He is a member of the Boston Hospital Engineer Society and the American College of Health Care Executives.

Francis E. Byrne of Quincy, a certified public accountant who is chief compliance officer for Southcoast Health System in New Bedford. He has a bachelor's degree in business administration from UMass-Amherst and recently was a speaker at the Association of Healthcare Internal Auditor's National Conference in Orlando, Fla.

Thomas G. Feenan of Quincy, a former school teacher who is now treasurer of FFG Mortgage Corporation. He is also president of

Feeny Financial Services and a member of College Course Incorporated, which began as "sponsors" of Quincy Junior College. He holds bachelor's and master's degrees from UMass.

Pedro Viejo-Rodriguez of Rockland, an associate business analyst for Investors Bank & Trust and has launched his own company, Classifier Company, selling stationary products. He is a graduate of Quincy College with a degree in management from UMass-Boston and a master's degree in finance from Suffolk University. He is a native Spanish speaker and is proficient in Portuguese.

Other members of the Quincy College board of governors include: Mark Bertman, David M. Dennis, William S. Grindlay, Richard A. Nici, Jarrell Riggins, Peter H. Tsaffaras and Joanne Condon Walsh.



NEW MEMBERS of the Board of Governors for Quincy College are (left to right) Edward Browne, Mary Jo Brogna, Jo Ann Bragg, Francis Byrne, Pedro Viejo-Rodriguez and Thomas Feenan.

City Reaches Agreement With Superior Officers

(Cont'd From Page 1)

Officers have reached an agreement," said Phelan. "We continue to negotiate in good faith with all of our unions and I appreciate the hard work that was done by Roberta Kety, David Grunebaum, Captain Paul Keenan, Lt. John McDonough, and Sergeant Bina. I also want to thank all the members of the Superior

Officers' Union for acting professionally throughout the process."

The City has also reached an agreement with the employees of the Library Department. Their agreement also involves a gradual rollback of the City's share of employee benefits to 80%. Their salary compensation package amounts to roughly 9% over three years with

other staff upgrades included.

"We will continue to negotiate with all of our City's bargaining units in an effort to recognize their hard work and value to our city," Phelan said. "However, we must balance the concerns of our taxpayers and the enormous burden placed on our taxpayers by swelling employee benefits costs."

Beechwood Center Collects Donations For Food Pantries

Beechwood Community Center is a popular drop-off point for donations to Quincy's food pantries and shelters all year long, according to Frances Shields, Beechwood's Building and Program Manager.

According to Shields' figures, the center collects some 225 items weighing some 150 pounds 52 weeks a year. "Children, families, seniors and residents from all Quincy neighborhoods contribute to this important and

ongoing effort," said Shields, adding that the March donations are designated for the Interfaith Social Services.

The drop-off site at Beechwood opens each

morning five days each week at 7:30 a.m. On Tuesdays and Thursdays, the Center is open until 9 p.m. On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, the Center closes at 5:30 p.m.

Hot Lunches At Beechwood

Full balanced hot lunches are served to seniors at the Beechwood Community Life Center, 440 East Squantum St., each Wednesday and Thursday at 12 noon.

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Councillors Want Action On Double Telephone Poles

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Doubled up telephone poles are a hazard to drivers and pedestrians, particularly for the handicapped and those with baby carriages, and the poles are a blight on the city landscape, according to city councillors.

At Monday's City Council meeting, members urged a Verizon official to move faster on the 223 double poles in Quincy, improve their communication lines and notification process and meet with city officials to devise a removal plan.

Council President Douglas S. Gutro told Verizon's Regional Director Richard B. Colon that some of the city's doubled up poles have been in place for two years or longer.

Ward 5's Gutro called the two year delay "disgusting" and cited state law which requires such poles to be dismantled in 90 days. He asked why Verizon officials can't act faster and said he would not vote on a new pole installation until he sees action, "I am not going to support any pole replacements."

Colon warned that such a position would penalize the city's residents or businesses seeking new connections and needing new telephone poles.

On March 6 on Gutro's recommendation, the City Council supported a legislative initiative by the Massachusetts Municipal Association that would fine companies \$1000 for each a double pole left standing after 90 days.

At that time, councillors also voted to ask that Verizon officials attend this week's council meeting.

"We're not sticking our heads in the sands," Colon said, reporting on the progress that has been made. He stated that there are 10,000 telephone poles in Quincy and fewer than one half percent are double poles. "Our commitment is firm."

In fact, Colon presented a report showing that 126 double poles had been removed since January, 2006. Those removals leave 223 doubled poles still standing and the company is actively working on 20 poles at this time.

Colon then showed the sta-

tus of each of the remaining 223 poles on a graph which indicated that the Quincy Fire Department has fire alarm attachments on 100 of the remaining 223 poles.

Using the chart, Colon said that Verizon can not act until all of the attachments are removed. However, Verizon files no formal written notification to any of the attaches, a fact that disturbed some councillors like Ward 6 Councillor Brian F. McNamee.

McNamee said that Verizon should be sending out notices, first, second, and third times. "I get phone calls regularly regarding double poles. Verizon is the custodian. Why aren't you more clearly monitoring them?"

McNamee concluded that Verizon had nothing to lose by delays on the problem as it doesn't cost the company anything. "There's no leverage."

That wasn't always the case, according to Quincy Fire Department Fire Alarm Superintendent Bill Griffin. In the past, Griffin told councillors that his department got carbon notices indicating that

attachments had to be removed and provided information on other attaches.

Griffin also said his unit, which once employed five workers with four signal maintenance technicians, is now down to three persons. At this time, one maintenance worker is sick. Now, the department only has two workers, including Griffin.

"We're a small department," Griffin said, "We do what we can." With two full-time workers, Griffin estimated that the city could re-

move the 100 boxes in six months.

Ward 3 Councillor Kevin F. Coughlin said he gets most of his calls regarding double poles on Beale Street, a busy connector in the city. He cited Colon's graph showed four of the poles did not have fire department attachments on them.

Even when the poles are removed, Verizon leaves unkempt and, possibly unsafe, conditions, according to Councillor James H. Davis, 3rd who described one pole

that was repaired in his ward. Davis said the sidewalk "was ripped up and has never been fixed."

Colon said that Verizon fills in gaps with asphalt after telephone poles are replaced.

"Can Verizon take the leadership?" Davis asked, suggesting a paper trail rather than the current data-based system. "They're (attaches) not getting the notice."

Colon agreed to meet with Griffin and city officials to iron out a plan.

Four's Restaurant Plans To Add Sidewalk Cafe

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

The License Board continued a hearing Tuesday regarding the Four's Restaurant, 15 Cottage Ave. who are seeking to alter the premises by adding a sidewalk cafe.

The board said they wanted to review the plans more thoroughly. The hearing will be held March 27.

Ed Morris, representing The Sydney Group, Inc. doing business as the Four's told the board that the plan is to have 20 tables placed outside the back of the restaurant in the Hancock parking lot, which will seat 70 patrons. He said there will be a hostess outside at all times to obtain seats for the customers.

Morris said the front of the building which faces Cottage Ave., will remain the same. Morris said a temporary fence would be installed

around the perimeter of the lot.

Health Commissioner Drew Shee, and acting chairman said the precedent to open sidewalk cafes began last year with several restaurants in the city applying for the license.

Marlin Manning, executive director of Quincy Business Association said it was time for the city to "step up to the plate" and making sure that the area of the sidewalk cafes be made "more attractive."

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

- Granted a one day all alcoholic license to St. Mary's School, 115 Crescent St. for the annual Spring-Fling Dance Saturday, April 28 from 6 to 11:30 p.m.

- Granted a common vict-

ualer license to the Giang's Family doing business as Quincy Jade, 20-22 Cottage Ave. Giang Lo is manager. The board also granted a request to extend their hours from 11 p.m. to 1 a.m. to 11 p.m. to 2 a.m.

- Granted a request of the Adams Inn Facilities, doing business as Best Western Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St. for a pledge of license to River Bank. Chris Harrington is counsel.

- Granted a one day permit for the grand opening of the Christian Science Reading Room, 18 Beale St. Saturday, March 31 from 12 noon to 3 p.m. (former Wollaston Music Shop).

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LINCOLN-HANCOCK SCHOOL grade two classes recently collected more than 100 cans of food for the Quincy Food Pantry. They are the students of teachers Gillian Bianculli, Carolyn Eckhardt, Beth Kelly and Robin Norton.

Lincoln-Hancock School Students Collect Cans For Food Pantry

Youngsters are never too young to learn to share and 88 youngsters at Lincoln-Hancock Community School learned their lesson well by sharing their food recently with Quincy's less fortunate through the Quincy Food Bank.

All 88 of the school's second graders brought canned goods to school to celebrate their 100th day of school in early February, according to the project's organizer Grade 2 teacher Carolyn Eckhardt who said she got "100% participation from all four (second grade) classes."

And all the food is badly needed. "We always need the

donations," Mary Bradley, Director of the Food Bank at 1 Copeland St. said this week, noting that the Food Bank easily serves 300 families a month.

"We wanted to do something to give back to the community," Eckhardt said, adding that this is the second year that they've matched the

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second grade community project with the Food Bank. The classes also collect cans to buy turkeys for donations at Thanksgiving.

Participating with Eckhardt in the project are fellow second grade teachers Gillian Bianculli, Bdeh Kdely and Robin Norton.

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Underage Sales of Alcohol - Too Convenient

Teens are purchasing alcohol from off-premise stores around the city. The offending stores are licensed to sell beer and wine only and are making underage access to alcohol far too convenient. We're talking about 15 and 16 year old children. Last time anyone checked the legal age to purchase alcohol was 21 years old. Do the math...

The evidence is well documented at the local licensing board. The stores range from East Squantum Street, to Franklin Street, Centre Street-twice. This is a disturbing trend. Residents are concerned and should be.

The police department, particularly, Lt. Peter Turowski, must be commended. Their efforts in addressing the problem are admirable, more can be done to help the police. City officials can take this opportunity to evaluate the policies and see if there are possible solutions to slowing down underage sales. Inexperience is a common theme.

As public officials, the local licensing board has a social responsibility to the residents of the city, the property owning, the tax paying, registered voters of Quincy. That responsibility includes: improving public safety, impeding underage access to alcohol, and enhancing the quality of life in our neighborhoods. That social responsibility is being relied upon by the many concerned residents in Ward 5.

Concerned residents in Wollaston have made their feelings known to public officials. The application for beer and wine license at West Elm Variety, located on West Elm Avenue, has been met with overwhelming opposition by homeowners in the neighborhood. Councillor Doug Gutro has facilitated two neighborhood meetings and the licensing board has held their customary public hearing. The issue is currently pending a vote by the board.

The concerned residents of Wollaston have faith in our city leaders and are confident that they will take the appropriate action to address the well documented concerns, which go far beyond the potential for underage sales. The recent information on this trend with underage purchases of alcohol is cause for great concern, but the other issues in West Elm Variety's beer and wine application are far more difficult to control.

The geographic location of the store alone presents some serious issues. First, it is in the middle of a busy and congested T-shaped intersection where the parking is tight and the roadway even tighter. West Elm Ave is an emergency artery for emergency response vehicles responding to crisis in the neighborhood. Further congestion with additional parking and additional delivery trucks, coupled with the existing traffic of cars, delivery trucks, MBTA and school buses, will negatively impact emergency response time. The buses are already stopped and blowing their horns for minutes to get cars moved and be able to proceed. Seconds save lives. Next, parking is at premium. There are multiple bus stops, residential driveways, a fire hydrant, a guardrail, and handicapped ramps surrounding the intersection, but notice no crosswalks. Third, West Elm Ave is already burdened with volume off Hancock St, off Quincy Shore Drive, and off Billings Rd. Fourth, the store is about 500 feet from Wollaston Beach, a popular teen hangout in the summer, an area where police jurisdictional issues are a hot topic. Overflow beach parking further complicates the neighborhood parking situation. Lastly, there is plenty of beer and wine available at multiple locations and outlets on and around Hancock Street. A little over a 1 minute drive timed by one local resident.

It must be noted that the residents of Ward 5 Precinct 5, where West Elm Variety is located, soundly defeated ballot question 1 in November 2006. That initiative would have expanded the sale of wine in convenience stores across the state and into our neighborhoods. Those residents who choose to exercise their right to vote have already said "NO" to the expansion of alcohol availability in this family neighborhood.

A review of the timeline tells the story. April 2006 - West Elm Variety withdraws initial application for beer and wine license due to overwhelming neighborhood opposition. November 2006 - Voters in Ward 5 Precinct 5 lead the city in opposition to question 1. March 2007 - West Elm Variety reapplies for the beer and wine license and is met with even stronger neighborhood opposition. We all want to support the neighborhood store, but without alcohol.

The City of Presidents? The Birthplace of Forefathers? A Launching Pad for Democracy? Well, The People of 5-5 have spoken, We Voted, "NO" to expanding alcohol into our neighborhood, and it was a landslide.

Neil McCole Jr. - West Elm Ave - Just one of the many opposed residents in Wollaston.
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CITY COUNCILLORS Doug Gutro (left) and Kevin Coughlin met with Senator John Kerry (center) while they were attending the Congressional City Conference in Washington.

Ten From Quincy Earn BU Degrees

Ten students from Quincy were among 1,412 men and women who were awarded academic degrees at the January graduation at Boston University.

The students, their degrees and their fields of study included:

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Kristy A. Kade, MPH in International Health;

Kevin Ng, MS in Administrative Studies; Alegria Albarran, BA in Economic & Mathematics (Magna Cum Laude); Rawabi Z. Zahed, BS in Biomedical Laboratory and Clinical Sciences (Magna Cum Laude); Christine McDonald, MS in Journalism.

Councillors Take Quincy's Concerns To Washington

City Councillors Doug Gutro and Kevin Coughlin went all the way to the top last week in the never-ending search for solutions to Quincy's concerns.

They spent their time at the Congressional City Conference in Washington, where they attended workshops, listened to speakers and button-holed those in position to bring immediate help.

"There is absolutely no doubt in my mind that when one is given an opportunity to plead your city's case in a face-to-face fashion with your congressman or U. S. senator, you can and will help your community," said Council President Gutro.

"Councillor Coughlin and I have brought home some fresh ideas and new relationship that we hope will bring

quality of life benefits for all Quincy residents."

Coughlin and Gutro met with Congressman Bill Delahunt and Senator John Kerry to discuss issues of potential transportation funding, support for renewable energy initiatives and prospects for economic development.

They heard speakers like Transportation Secretary Mary Peters, Senators Hillary Rodham Clinton of New York, Norm Coleman of Minnesota, Christopher Dodd of Connecticut and House Majority Leader Steny Hoyer of Maryland.

"This was a singularly unique and valuable opportunity to actively engage with, share ideas and learn from municipal leaders around the country facing all the same challenges we face

in Quincy," said Coughlin.

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Wednesday, March 28

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Thursday, March 29

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Friday, March 30

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Tuesday, March 27

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Thursday, March 29

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In his statement, Koch challenged Phelan to solve the rising health care cost problem by "pursuing solutions." The full text of both statements appears below.

Phillips said that QEA officials were actually engaged in a bargaining session while the rally was going on. He noted that it was the 20th meeting of city and union officials.

"We're all in the same boat," said the president of the firefighters' union Ernie Arienti, one of the major organizers of Monday's rally, the first ever to bring the city's 16 union members together for one cause. "We need to all work together."

Arienti, also, said protection of health insurance benefits is the major issue and that union members want the public to "realize it's not a little thing. We have given up things. We've taken cuts. Every time there are cuts in the city, it's always the employees" who bear the brunt," Arienti said.

At this time, the city covers 90% of most employees' health insurance costs, a percentage that's higher than many other municipalities. The city librarians signed a contract last October which included staff upgrades across the board, percentage raises, an increase in the value of sick leave buy-back in return for increasing their contribution to health insurance to 20%.

When addressing the rally, Phillips said that city workers have regularly chosen better benefits over salary increases and that Quincy's public employees' salaries reflect the lower pay scales. "God knows you don't get rich being a teacher."

In the past, Mayor Phelan has pointed out that employee benefits and health insurance now cost the city more than \$38 million or more than 15% of the city's budget.

Near the end of Monday's rally, Arienti and Phillips and other leaders addressed the protestors near the City Hall entrance. All remarked on the solidarity of the city unions coming together for one protest.

"Never before have the city unions all come together," said Bruce Tait, president of the police patrolmen's union before urging the workers to "stand together and stay the course." Tait claimed the city has a multi-million reserve fund at the same time that officials are attempting to cut benefits.

Speakers also included Mary Beth Phillips who represents the para-professionals in the schools, Pam Maher, the secretary's union, Carol Block, the supervisors' union and Dominic Venturelli of the Public Employees Association.

The following statements were released by Mayor Phelan and his opponent, Thomas Koch.

Statement by Mayor Phelan

Quincy residents are well-served by the public employees that work for the city. Our public safety departments are second to none and I genuinely respect them and all city employees. It is difficult to negotiate with the work-force because, at all times, the taxpayer must be our primary consideration.

"There is no city or town in the Commonwealth that is as generous to its public employees as Quincy when it comes to benefits. We pay 90% of health insurance costs and require a mere \$5 co-payment. This is out of line with other municipalities, and it is out of line with what the public at large pays for its health care costs. And it comes at a price: taxpayers foot the bill for these benefits. In fact, it takes the yearly tax bills of four average taxpayers to pay for the benefits package of just one city employee."

"Our position in these contract negotiations is merely to ask that the employees begin the process of bringing their benefit packages into line with what virtually every other taxpayer lives, works, and raises families with. Municipal health insurance costs are growing at unsustainable rates, impacting taxpayers at both the state and national level.

"I have been an active

member of a group that, for the past two years, has been working to address rising health care costs as the state level. As a member of the Municipal Health Insurance Working Group, an initiative facilitated by the Metropolitan Area Planning Council, I have been working with other municipal leaders, employee unions, retired municipal employee groups, designated state legislators, and executives for the Group Insurance Commission to find common ground related to municipal health insurance reform.

"Tomorrow, March 21st, I will be addressing a State House hearing on the work of the task force. Our work has been endorsed by the governor as a key element of his municipal relief package.

"It is critical that we work together to address the looming issue of runaway health insurance costs. We owe it to the Quincy taxpayer."

Mayor Phelan's Director of Operations Dave Murphy said, "Tom's (Koch) comments are a political ploy that show a lack of understanding of the larger health care crisis. People in both the public and private sector are struggling with this issue and Mayor Phelan does not intend to give away the store, as was done by the prior administration."

Statement by Thomas Koch

"The mayor has said, in his own midterm address, that health care costs have skyrocketed under his tenure.

"If the mayor worked together with all the stakeholders over the last several years, any number of ideas could have been discussed to address rising health care costs but, instead of pursuing solutions, he assigns blame, proclaims he's taking a stand and then leaves the root problem virtually untouched.

"That's not leadership."

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FIREFIGHTERS MARCH MONDAY during the city's joint union rally at City Hall Plaza. Some 1000 members of 16 different city unions chanted, "No paycuts," and "Contract now."



QUINCY TEACHERS CARRY posters during Monday's union demonstration at City Hall Plaza which drew some 1000 members of the city's 16 employee unions. The 900 member Quincy Education Association, along with the city's other unions, are seeking to protect their health benefits.



UNION DEMONSTRATORS MARCH around the Granite Ball at City Hall Plaza during Monday's rally at which some 1000 union members gathered to support efforts to protect employee health benefits and to negotiate new contracts. Quincy Sun Photo by Bob Noble

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STATE TREASURER Tim Cahill (right) brought along a display of "separated at birth" figures including this one of Mayor William Phelan and Howdy Doody.



CITY CLERK Joe Shea holds up a photo of Tom Koch in a Liberty Tax Man Uncle Sam costume waving to passing motorists in Quincy Square as his new job since resigning as Park Commissioner.



BOB CURRY, that's him under the hat, welcomes the crowd to the Quincy Partnership's 11th annual St. Patrick's Day Luncheon at the Quincy Elks.



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN and his brother, Ged, as "Crazy Guggenheim" teamed in a crowd-pleasing routine. At left is co-emcee Dan Flynn.



CITY CLERK Joe Shea as "Amazing Shea-Zack" ala Johnny Carson and Dan Flynn as straightman Ed McMahon.



PART OF THE full house enjoying the festivities.



COUNCILLOR JAY DAVIS tells colleagues and Police Chief Robert Crowley he has the solution to the 13-cruiser patrol issue: make the councillors junior police to help man them.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



TROUBADORS TOM CLASBY, Quincy Council on Aging and Mark Carey, Discover Quincy, were in fine Irish voice.



WHO'S THAT MAN? Was that Joe Shea or Joe Newton retrieving a "stolen" handbag?
Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



TOM KOCH tells Mayor William Phelan that if he doesn't change the name of the Koch Recreation Complex, he won't change the name of Tobin Towers when he is mayor.



SHERIFF MIKE BELLOTTI goes through his popular "Good News, Bad News" routine.

Corned Beef And Political Ribs

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got Crowley to join them.

The solution: Make the councillors junior police officers with badges and handcuffs to help man the 13 cruisers.

Davis held up a bulletproof vest for him to wear, prompting Flynn to tell him: "It's going to be a little snug."

Norfolk County Register of Probate Pat McDermott, didn't get the laugh-o-meter running but had Irish eyes smiling with a Frank Patterson-like rendition of "Galway Bay."

Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee with a bit of dry humor offered the reason why people like to watch the city council meetings on cable television:

"To see if Mike McFarland has broken his vow of

silence. To see if Kevin Coughlin is going to quote himself. To see if the clicker is broken. It's free."

Even members of the Quincy Partnership weren't spared in the ribbing.

As the snow set in, Flynn announced that the snow shovels at Bob Curry's hardware store that had been on sale at 50 percent off, just went back to full price.

He also referred to the Jordan Furniture store commercial that anyone buying a piece of furniture would get their money back if the Red

Sox win the World Series.

Mark Bertman, Flynn said, had an offer to top that one: if the Celtics win the NBA championship things will be 5 percent off at Rogers Jewelry.

All in fun. And for a good cause. Proceeds will help the Quincy Partnership to continue its civic and cultural projects such as:

Commissioning of the bronze statues of John Adams, Abigail Adams with John Quincy Adams as a boy, uplifting historic sites, proving those inviting "Welcome To Quincy" signs at the entrances to the city and the new Granite decorative fountain for restored Merrymount Park.

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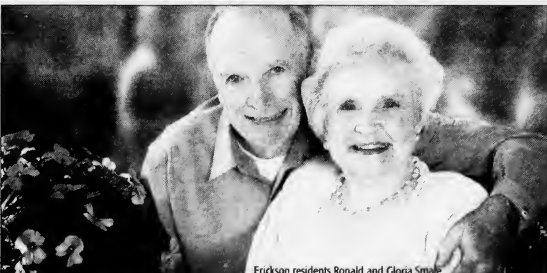
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CITY CLERK

Koch Official Campaign Kick-Off April 12

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch will hold his official campaign kick-off Thursday, April 12 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. in the Granite Links ballroom at Quarry Hills.

"It's going to be a great way to celebrate our hometown, the grassroots energy of this campaign, and all of our shared hopes for a better tomorrow," said Koch. "It'll be a fun, family-oriented event where people can see some old friends and hopefully meet some new ones. I'm really looking forward to it."

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The event will feature entertainment, including a DJ and refreshments for the family. Tickets are \$20, and can be obtained by calling (617) 472-1306 or by visiting www.kochforquincy.com.

"I can't think of a better way to really start spreading our message of respect, responsibility, and a positive new vision for Quincy than this type of community-wide celebration," Koch said. "We're off to a great start,

but it's going to be along and challenging road, and we really want to use the event as a springboard to launch the campaign."

Koch, first appointed to a public service job by Mayor Francis McCauley in 1988, resigned his job as the Executive Director of Parks, Forestry and Cemetery in January to run for mayor, giving up a job once held by his father because he felt so strongly that "we can do better for Quincy," he said.

Billard Club License Suspended By Board

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

While planning to appeal 10-day suspension by the License Board for serving alcohol after hours on New Year's Eve, Guy Jolly, owner of the Renaissance Billiard Club, 1585 Hancock St. faces another suspension.

At Tuesday's meeting, the License Board suspended Jolly's license for 14 days with seven days to be served for purchasing alcohol from a package store rather than a wholesale liquor distributor.

Lt. Peter Turowski, liquor agent for the board said Jolly had not paid a bill to wholesale distributors for liquor for more than 60 days.

According to the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission, (ABCC) when a person is in arrears they must pay cash, and are not allowed to use a credit card. Jolly had purchased

move then three gallons of liquor from Shop & Save. The law says no more than three gallons can be purchased.

Turowski said he observed Jolly emptying his car with cases. When asked what the boxes contained, Jolly said they were cases of beer. However, when Turowski entered the Renaissance, he found several bottles of alcohol containing whiskey, vodka and others.

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele said he was bothered by the fact that Jolly lied to Turowski about the contents of the cases, and said "maybe he can't be trusted."

Atty. Louis Cassis acknowledged that Turowski's report was accurate, but told the board that Jolly had recently paid \$30,000 for a new sprinkler system, plus

other renovations made to a building "he does not own". Also Cassis said on top of all of this, the new concourse will take the building that houses the Renaissance. He said a list is made up by the ABCC concerning unpaid bills, and promised that Jolly, who owes a little more than \$700 would be cleared up by next week.

He said as far as lying to Turowski, Cassis said Jolly "panicked a bit" and called it an "unfortunate lapse in judgement."

Police Chief Robert Crowley said "this case is something different" and said he would like to see Jolly's name off the list in two weeks and then report back to the board. Cassis promised that Jolly planned to pay the bill by next week.

Jolly may appeal to the ABCC.

Massachusetts Water Supply Topic At Historical Society

State Environmentalist Glenn Haas will discuss Massachusetts' water supply — past, present and future — Thursday, March 29, at 7:30 p.m. at the Quincy Historical Society, 8 Adams St.

The Bay State is consid-

ered "water rich" in comparison to other regions of the country but its water is not always located in areas where it is most needed.

Haas, an acting assistant commissioner in the Department of Environmental Pro-

tection, will discuss how our patterns of consumption have affected the water supply.

His presentation will reveal the value of regaining a natural balance in our pattern of water use and the surprising impact of simple decisions in the way each of us uses water.

Everyone is welcome and there is no admission charge.

FEMA Newsletter Features Quincy Pre-Disaster Moves

Quincy's efforts in the

area of pre-disaster mitigation are featured in the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) last quarterly newsletter of 2006.

The city is cited for helping more than 100 properties to move vital infrastructure such as electric panels and heating systems out of base flood elevation.

"We are trying to help folks with chronic flood problems avoid significant damage to their property infrastructure," said Mayor William Phelan.

"While we work with state and federal officials to alleviate the root causes of flooding problems, we can help homeowners avoid major damage during a flood event.

"I encourage Quincy residents with flood issues to seek information on this very valuable grant program."

FEMA has invested close to \$3.5 million in Quincy projects and the city has submitted grants on behalf of eight additional Quincy homeowners for the current federal and state grant rounds.

The grants are administered through the city's Department of Planning and Community Development with oversight from the city's Housing Rehabilitation Office.

For more information on the pre-disaster mitigation grant program, contact Sean Glennon in the Planning Department at 617-376-1167.

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Unlike a traditional IRA account wherein your contribution is tax deductible and distributions are taxable as ordinary income when received, in a Roth IRA contributions and accumulated earnings on the account may be withdrawn free of federal and state income taxes. There are however two requirements for tax-free withdrawals. First, just like any other retirement plan you must be at least 59½ years old; secondly, your Roth IRA account must have been established for 5 years prior to taking a distribution.

Roth IRA contributions are allowed for single tax payers with adjusted gross incomes less than \$95,000/\$150,000 if married and filing a joint return. The amount of the contribution is phased between \$95,000 and \$115,000 of adjusted gross income if single and \$150,000 and \$160,000 for married and filing jointly.

Many middle class taxpayers, when reaching 72½, find they are not in significantly lower tax brackets than when they were working yet they are required to start taking minimum distributions from their traditional IRAs. A Roth IRA does not have a minimum distribution requirement. A Roth IRA also offers flexibility in case of an emergency. You can withdraw the contributions that you have made to your Roth IRA without income taxes or penalty at anytime. If you withdraw the earnings in the account prior to age 59½ you will pay income tax and a penalty but only on the earnings. When you make a premature withdrawal your contributions are deemed to be withdrawn first.



Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617)376-6226

QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: March 9 - 16

Total Calls for Service: 1,239

Total Arrests: 38

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 3

FRIDAY, MARCH 9

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:35 a.m., 1000 Southern Artery. Car window - passenger side window smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:29 a.m., 82 Albertina St. Vehicle egged.

LARCENY, 8:22 a.m., 48 Walker St. Past. Digital mixing board, three microphones, condenser microphone, multi-effects pedal and a mini disk recorder were stolen from common basement of duplex.

LARCENY, 10:39 a.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Cell phone, occurred March 5.

SATURDAY, MARCH 10

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:13 a.m., Carol's Shear Performers, 316 Safford St. Business. Building was entered overnight - unknown what is missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:19 a.m., 73 Glover Ave. Slashed tires on two cars, one car in driveway and other was on street.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:12 a.m., 362 Centre St. To vehicle. Driver's side door kicked in.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:19 a.m., 8 Carlmark St. Dwelling. Several items taken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:42 a.m., 8 Lawn Ave. Graffiti. White house was spraypainted black with someone's initials.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:55 a.m., 89 East Squantum St. Already found. Vehicle was involved in an accident at 29 Vassar St., Dorchester. Vehicle was towed to Auto & Tire Service, 1988 Olds 98, color red.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:29 p.m., 8 Ruggles St. To fence. Youths broke pickets off fence.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:09 p.m., Berry Loud, 760 Southern Artery. Malicious damage to motor vehicle. Swastikas scratched onto vans parked at above.

LARCENY, 5:15 p.m., Prime Gas, 700 Hancock St. Just occurred. 17-year-old white male fled on foot; blue coat, dungarees, short, fled south on Hancock St.

SUNDAY, MARCH 11

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:38 a.m., 103 Atlantic St. To motor vehicle. All the windows smashed sometime last night.

LARCENY, 1:05 a.m., Citizens Bank, 495 Southern Artery. Checks.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 12:18 p.m., 51 Chickatabot Rd. Dwelling. Bathroom window damaged - no B&E attempt.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:08 p.m., 83 Davis St. Vehicle. Glass in driver's side mirror was taken sometime during night.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:10 p.m., 8 Lawn Ave. Graffiti. Initials "JG" tagged on side of the house for the second time.

MONDAY, MARCH 12

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:28 a.m., Granite City Self Storage, 95 Old Colony Ave. To truck. Graffiti written on 24-foot box truck.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:39 a.m., 95 Old Colony Ave. Mailbox. Graffiti written on blue mailbox; postal package notified.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:10 a.m., 73 Dale Ave. Window. Smashed. Rock thrown through front window, happened overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:36 a.m., WORK, Inc., 30 Fayette St. Graffiti. Three of their vehicles spray-painted.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 9:38 a.m., 127 Federal Ave. Dwelling. States someone was trying to get in his house, male outside yelling he was going to kill him. 785 states party is wanted for attempted B&E. 25-year-old male from Braintree charged with malicious destruction over \$250, threats, attempted B&E.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:17 p.m., Preville's Market, 72 Sumner St. Tires slashed on two trucks.

LARCENY, 2:58 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 65 Newport Ave. Past incident. Uttering a false traveler's check.

LARCENY, 2:59 p.m., Subway, 245 Quincy Ave. Pay check. Someone stole pay check and deposited in another account.

LARCENY, 4:06 p.m., Discount Self Storage, 169 Parkingway, Past. On or about 9-1-06, backpack containing two hard drives went missing from storage unit.

LARCENY, 7:38 p.m., CVS Pharmacy, 321 Quincy Shore Dr. Cellphone. Personal cellphone owned by an employee's mother was stolen.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 11:58 p.m., 14 Presidents Ln. Just occurred. Caller attacked while putting out trash. Poss. black male fled on foot. Possible suspect stopped in front of 22 Avon Way. Suspect wanted for unarmed robbery and indecent A&B. Described as black male, over 5'9", skinny, dark clothing, New York Yankees ballcap, stole \$300 cash, all \$20 bills.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:34 a.m., WORK, Inc., 3 Arlington St. Graffiti. Box truck spray painted while at this location overnight. Appears paint was brushed on, unable to read what it says.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:51 a.m., American Chair and Seating, 132 Washington St. Company vans. Two vans were spraypainted overnight.

LARCENY, 9:04 a.m., Subway, 301 Falls Blvd. Past. Money taken from the register by an employee.

INDECENT ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:22 a.m., Hancock St. and Temple St. Women entered the store claims a man tried to grab her outside. Suspect description: white male, approximately 40-50 years old, grey hair pulled back into ponytail, plaid jacket with hood. Hood has black interior.

LARCENY, 11:28 a.m., Citizens Bank, 371 Hancock St. By ATM card. Accidentally left her ATM card in the ATM. Was then fraudulently used at CVS, Blockbuster and Hannaford Market in Quincy.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:03 p.m., 13 Cross St. Dwelling. No sign of forced entry. "Cheap" Timex watch is only item that appears missing.

LARCENY, 1:06 p.m., Alltown Check Cashing, 34 School St. Money orders. Manager has six counterfeit money orders.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:26 p.m., 31 Tyler St.

A Job Well Done

On Sunday, March 11, at approximately 4:12 p.m., Officers Bruce Tait, Tom Loughlin, James Flaherty and Sean Kelley responded to a Main Street apartment complex on a call of a "man armed with a knife." The officers learned that the suspect with the knife was making threats, and held the knife to the neck of a female.



LT. DAN MINTON

Officer Tait was familiar with the occupants because he had been there the night before and took out criminal charges against a female and her former boyfriend. Enroute to the call, officers learned the female victim fled to another apartment and the suspect was still in his ex-girlfriend's (the victim) apartment.

Officer Tait was the first on scene and was met by the victim in the vestibule of the apartment building, holding out a set of keys. She told Officer Tait, "He came back, he's in my apartment now and he has a knife." Officer Tait recognized the female victim as the same person he had an incident with the night before. He asked the victim if the suspect was the same man she had a problem with the day before and she said that it was and were boyfriend-girlfriend.

Officer Tait took the keys and made his way to her apartment, where he was last seen. The front door to the apartment was open about three inches. Based on training and experience and knowing the victim was out of harm, Officer Tait waited for the other officers to arrive. While waiting for backup, Officer Tait saw the door suddenly slam shut, then heard the sound of a dead bolt being thrown shut.

Due to the escalating situation, additional officers arrived, including Steven Kelly and Joseph Pacciorretti. Officer Flaherty covered Officer Tait with his service pistol drawn as the key was used to open the door.

Once the door was open, the officers entered the apartment with guns drawn. The officers cleared the living room, kitchen, and the bedroom areas of the apartment and then headed to the bathroom, where they could hear a shower running. Officer Flaherty reached the bathroom first, identified himself as a police officer and ordered a male out of the bathroom. The suspect dressed only in sweatpants slowly complied. He appeared dazed and inquired what was going on. The suspect was handcuffed and searched without further incident. He was transported to the Quincy Police station by Officer Sean Kelly and booked by Sgt. Goyette.

Officer Tait then interviewed the victim. It was not possible initially because the suspect was still at-large. The victim said the suspect appeared at her apartment door. She stated she left him in because she knew that he was wanted by the police and wanted to keep him there until the police arrived.

The victim said the suspect started taking his clothes off and brandished a small, black-handled knife. He said he

would kill her if she called the police. The victim then attempted to flee the apartment, but the suspect grabbed her by the arm and stuck the point of the knife against the back of her neck. She stated she felt a "prick like a needle" and instantly froze. The suspect again stated he would kill her if she called the police, and continued disrobing.

When the suspect went to turn the shower on, the victim fled to another apartment to call the police. The apartment was searched and a black-handled knife was recovered. The victim identified the knife as the one used against her and was not in the apartment before he came in.

A search of the suspect's jacket revealed three capped syringes/needles, and a crack pipe made from a brandy "nip" bottle. These items were submitted to the Quincy Police evidence room for processing.

The suspect, a 36-year-old Boston resident, was charged with malicious damage to a motor vehicle and domestic assault and battery for the incident on March 10; and charged with armed assault with the intent to murder, assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, kidnapping, intimidation of a witness, domestic assault and battery and threatening to commit a crime (murder) for this incident.

The victim was offered an emergency protective order, but she declined, stating the suspect wouldn't be released before court anyway, so she would apply for one in Quincy District Court on Monday morning.

The victim stated the suspect has in the past possessed a .45 caliber handgun, but none was displayed or found.

Officer Tait called the Boston Housing Authority Police, where the suspect resides, to make them aware of the incident and possible weapon the suspect may have.

In closing, Officer Tait advised the victim that she should have called the police when the suspect first arrived and kept him outside of the apartment. When the victim let the suspect in, knowing that he was dangerous and a threat to her, (as recent as the night before) she put herself in grave danger. She was fortunate she had the opportunity to escape and call the Police.

As Officer Tait advised her: next time, leave him outside of the apartment and call "911" immediately. To all officers involved, Nice Work!

TELEMARKETING SCAM UPDATE: "Disabled Police Officers of America." Many local residents have been receiving telephone solicitations from the "Disabled Police Officers of America." Charity Navigator recently listed his Florida group in an article called "Lousy Charities Multiplying."

The article lists numerous groups in the article, describing them as "more concerned with lining their own pockets than doing good work." Keep in mind that many law enforcement agencies hire a telemarketing agency to solicit donations, then keep close to 80 percent of your money you donated.

For more information, check out <http://www.charitynavigator.org>.

Microsoft Chain letter: promises to send out money for each time you forward the chain email to another person. There will be no money, contrary to claims that people received large sums. When you submit your email to scams like this, your e-mail and personal information is at risk and you will also get more junk mail.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:12 a.m., 24 Field St. Motor vehicle damage. Vehicle scratched on passenger side overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:40 a.m., Chenette Plumbing Heating, 204 Washington St. Tagging.

LARCENY, 12:55 p.m., 173 Huckins Ave. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:55 p.m., Patriot Plumbing Heating, 113 Garfield St. Tagging in back of the building.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:21 p.m., 55 Franklin St. Party just threw bottles at caller's motor vehicle.

LARCENY, 7:20 p.m., 92 Spring St. Disorder. Report submitted for larceny of checks, one being cashed at Citizens Bank for \$3,000.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:51 p.m., 30 Hunt St. Dwelling. Entry was forced; jar of change and bank check stolen.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:11 p.m., 4 Proust St. Dwelling. Entry made via open skylight. Samsung LCD TV, Sony camcorder, and Xbox 360 were stolen.

LARCENY, 10:11 p.m., 87 Dorchester St. Past. Internet transaction made for \$250 in lieu of Red Sox tickets that were never delivered.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:47 a.m., 100 Coveaway. Fire alarm. Arrest for malicious damage over.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

Motorcycle, 2006 Honda Motorcycle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:15 p.m., Solomons Collections, 809 Hancock St. Tagging.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:17 p.m., 38 Eustis St. Dwelling. No sign of force. Cash and a Chase credit card which was already used several times in Braintree and Dorchester were stolen.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 6:35 p.m., Clipper Apartments, 75 Palmer St. Past.

LARCENY, 11:32 a.m., 235 Atlantic St., Luminary Salon. Past. Cash box taken.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 12:35 p.m., Hancock St. and Moscow St. Past.

LARCENY, 12:56 p.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Pocketbook stolen within past hour.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 2:07 p.m., 46 Ruggles St. Dwelling. Man on the porch attempting to open the window.

LARCENY, 2:11 p.m., 200 Coveaway. Surveillance video of female stealing a coyote decoy.

LARCENY, 2:46 p.m., 20 Payne St. Gold rope chain.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:01 p.m., 30 Ebbetts Ave. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:21 p.m., Harbor Express, 703 Washington St. Car keyed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:17 p.m., 96 Washington St. Past. One window damaged.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:09 p.m., Clipper Apartments, 75 Palmer St. 2004 Aag Motorcycle, color black.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:47 a.m., 18 Harriet Ave. Truck window. Passenger's side window smashed out.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:34 a.m., Excel Tool Die Co., 69 Sumner St. Window broken, also past graffiti.



REAL ESTATE



By Samantha Mazzotta

National Poison Prevention Week

March 18-25 is National Poison Prevention Week, an observance that calls attention to the more than 2 million accidental poisonings that are reported each year at the 61 Poison Control Centers in the United States.

More than 90 percent of all poisonings occur in the home, and are a leading cause of death among adults. Children under 6 are most at risk from ingesting chemicals or medicines that, even if not fatal, can cause permanent injury. In 2004, about 85,000 children visited emergency rooms due to unintentional poisonings; 30 children died.

The Consumer Product Safety Commission and the American Association of Poison Control Centers offer these tips to lessen the risk of accidental poisoning:

- Separate cleaning products, medicines and food/beverages by placing in separate storage cabinets or in separate rooms.
- Keep chemicals and medicines in their original containers and close securely after use.
- Always clean up work areas promptly and store

materials securely.

- Turn on the light when giving or taking medicine, to make sure you are using the correct dosage listed on the package.
- Avoid taking medicine in front of children, and never refer to medicine as "candy."
- When answering a phone or doorbell, take young children along with you so they do not have the opportunity to explore unsupervised.

- Teach the entire family how to responsibly handle cleaning products and medications, and urge older children to watch out for their younger siblings.
- Write and post emergency numbers in a visible place, including the number of the national Poison Control Center (1-800-222-1222).

The National Poison Prevention Week Council maintains a Web site with information on how to reduce the risk of poisoning at www.poisonprevention.org. Send questions or home-repair tips to home2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Jack Conway & Co. Realtors Walk For Hospice

Fourteen members of the Jack Conway & Co. Real Estate Firm of Norwell were among the more than 2,500 people who awoke early on Saturday, March 3 and helped raise almost \$250,000 in the 16th annual Walk for Hospice of the South Shore at South Shore Plaza in Braintree.

Jack Conway & Co. Realtors is a longtime supporter of the hospice program, and the company was a "Pacesetter" sponsor this year.

"This is a wonderful organization of caring people who make what could be the most difficult time in a person's life a very dignified, and respectful period both for the patient as well as their family," said Chairman Jack Conway.

South Shore Hospice provides end of life care for individuals and families regardless of their ability to pay.

Hospice of the South



FOURTEEN MEMBERS of Jack Conway & Co Realtors recently joined 2,500 walkers to raise almost \$250,000 for Hospice of the South Shore during the 16th annual Walk for Hospice, held at South Shore Plaza in Braintree. Jack Conway & Co. is a longtime supporter of the hospice program, and this year participated as a "Pacesetter" sponsor. Front row left to right are: Margaret Kelley, Jennifer Spadea-Keating, Mary McCready, Susan Conway, Dawn Stevens, and Julie Simmons. Back row left to right: Joyce Delgado, Diane Furness, Joe Kameese, Marie Battles, Toni Manning, and Jennifer Kern. Not pictured are Conway Team Leader Joyce Gerraughty, and Teri Nardini.

Shore was founded in 1981 and is the first Medicare-certified hospice program in the region. Staff members provide

24-hour care in the areas of pain management, respite care, support groups and bereavement groups.

For additional information call Hospice of the South Shore at 1-800-432-9995 or visit www.southshorehospital.org

Hints for Homeowners

Protect Your Home from Termites

(NAPS)—Termites could be eating you out of house and home and you might not even know it.

Termites are a problem in 49 out of 50 states. They cause homeowners an estimated \$5 billion in damage and treatment cost each year, according to the National Pest Management Association.

That's and equivalent of thousands of dollars of damage each year per house. While most evident during

the swarm season, termites work 365 days a year, 24 hours a day.

"Most people do nothing to treat for termites, which can put their homes at risk," said Lance Walheim, Bayer Advanced Garden Expert and author of more than 30 gardening books.

The good news: There is no reason why homeowners themselves can't kill termites. The destructive pests live in about 100 percent humidity, so a wet spring

coupled with a damp, low-lying side of the house could spell trouble.

Spring is a great time to treat for termites, which season moves south to north through the country.

Contact your local county extension service to find out when the swarm season occurs in your area.

There are some measures you can take to prevent or tackle termites around your home right now. These help make your home less conducive to termites:

- Fix plumbing and roof leaks.
- Divert water at least 18 inches away from your house with properly functioning downspouts, gutters, and splash blocks. Also, check your irrigation system so it doesn't spray the sides of your home.
- Move firewood at least 10 feet away from the foundation of your home.

• Don't let mulch or soil touch siding on your home. Better yet, keep it about a foot away.

• Prevent wood from touching the ground outside, except if the wood is pressure-treated.

• Seal foundation cracks to help prevent moisture from entering your home.

• Hire a professional to conduct a thorough annual termite inspection.

• Sprinkle new Bayer Advanced Termite Killer granules around your home's perimeter and water in the granules. The special formula penetrates the soil to get to the termites with much less labor than other do-it-yourself products. Termites will be killed with one application.

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Organizing Your Home To Maximize Space And Simplify Life

(NAPS) – Almost every homeowner has called on a handyman to take care of the little irritants around the house—a squeaky door, a dripping faucet, replacing a non-functioning ceiling fan. While these jobs certainly improve quality of life for a time, there are a few things a competent home improvement contractor can do that will enhance your quality of life long term.

“Organizing the home is an often overlooked home improvement project, because it doesn’t necessarily silence a squeak, halt a drip or light a room,” says Jim Rocchetta, vice president of marketing for nationwide home improvement contracting network Handyman Connection. “Still, the benefit of really taking a hard look around the house and getting things organized can be phenomenal and lasting; it’s essentially a matter of simplifying a homeowner’s life.”

The subject of home

organization frequently emerges when children enter the picture, says Rocchetta. For young families, adult-sized closets can offer a trove of storage options. Simple built-in wooden shelves offer an excellent hideaway for toys until children are old enough to hang their clothes. Cabinets, baskets or shelving built under beds or into corners can also help keep toys, books, shoes and other items off the floor and out of the way.

Throughout the rest of the home, look for storage spaces that could benefit from a few design enhancements. Deep kitchen cabinets, for example, frequently become “black holes.” Installing a lazy Susan or slide-out shelving keeps everything at arm’s reach and lets homeowners reclaim lost space. Do you have a cabinet that’s unnecessarily tall? Adding a shelf can double the amount of unusable space. How about that “junk drawer” just about every

house has? Using well-designed dividers can separate the clutter and help you find what you need.

Tired of tripping over tools and boxes in the garage? Installing Peg-Board with heavy-duty hooks can be the perfect option for garden hoses, shovels and rakes. Metal shelving, readily available at most home improvement stores, will get paint cans, household chemicals and smaller tools off the floor. Sturdy hooks hanging from the ceiling get bicycles and other large items out of the way.

“Take a three-dimensional view of the home,” Rocchetta suggests. “Don’t just look at floors, closets and shelves as they currently exist. Instead, look at the whole space, floor to ceiling; wasted space is everywhere and a clever home improvement contractor can help you make the most of it.”

For more information, call (800) 88-HANDY.

Protecting Your Home

A Home Inventory Can Help Manage Loss

(NAPS) – Insurance experts say that having a detailed inventory of your possessions can make a real difference in the event your belongings are destroyed or stolen.

That’s because an up-to-date home inventory list can ensure a speedy settlement from your insurance company in the event of a loss.

An inventory can be simple to create. Start by going through each room of your home or apartment and making a list of all your personal property, including furniture, clothing, bedding and jewelry. Be sure to write the date you bought each item, if you know it, and how much you paid.

When you’ve completed your inventory, make copies and put the originals in a safe and put the originals in a safe place away from your home, such as a safety-deposit box.

The Chartered Property Casualty Underwriters (CPCU) Society urges consumers to follow these additional tips for maintaining a personal inventory:

- Supplement a written inventory with photographs or a video. Use a camera that date-stamps, or write the date on the back of each photo.

Let the person who is most familiar with the room describe each item.

- Don’t forget to take inventory of your basement, attic, garage, and storage shed. Include all patio furniture and recreational equipment.

- Pay particular attention to financial records. Make a list of all your bank accounts, brokerage accounts, insurance policies, etc., noting where the pertinent documents for each are located.

- Make at least two copies of the inventory. Leave one in a fireproof box and another in a safety-deposit box. If you have a third, give it to someone you trust in another city.

- Update the inventory every time you redecorate or make a new purchase.

- Contact your insurance company if you have any questions about your policy. Also, ask your agent about obtaining replacement cost coverage on contents, because this provision allows you to receive the entire cost for replacing lost items, regardless of depreciation.

“Above all, having a home inventory will save a lot of time in the event that you need to submit a claim to your insurance company. I

recommend using a video camera to verbally and pictorially describe your home and personal contents,” says Robert E. McHenry, CPCU, chairman of the CPCU Society’s Claims Section.

To find an insurance agent that has the CPCU designation, visit www.cpcusociety.org and access the Agent & Broker Locator—a database of CPCU Society members searchable by location or company.

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Neighborhood Housing Services Homebuyer Workshop At City Hall

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore in conjunction with Sovereign Bank will host a First-Time Homebuyer Workshop Wednesday, April 4, 11 and 18 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the second floor conference room of Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock St.

Attendance at all sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate. All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. At the workshop, participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal

aspects of the home buying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from related professionals.

Participants must

complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs. There is a \$15 fee per person.

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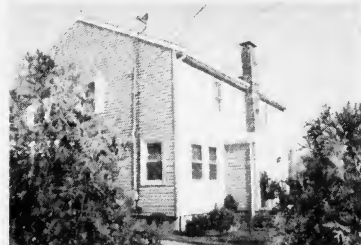
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Safe Ways To Get Back In Shape

(NAPS)—Whether you're hitting the gym, Pilates mat or the treadmill to get back in shape, it's best to start with baby steps.

"People should take their time getting back into an exercise routine—otherwise they risk injury," says Gerald W. Clum, D.C., of the Foundation for Chiropractic Progress. He recommends warming up before exercising and working out with a partner or trainer.

Still, injuries can happen, regardless of how fit you may be. Even Sarah Harding, the reigning Mrs. Fitness USA and a spokesperson for the Foundation, worked with chiropractors to recover from

a back injury she sustained while exercising.

"There's no way I could perform at this level without chiropractic care," says Harding. "Chiropractic works. It's as simple as that."

The Foundation is a not-for-profit group dedicated to increasing awareness of the benefits of chiropractic care. Its website features a free "Health Seeker's" calendar which can be easily downloaded—with steps you can take to achieve physical, mental, emotional and spiritual well being.

For more information on wellness, visit www.foundation4cp.com.

Red Cross Blood Drives March 26, March 30

The American Red Cross has scheduled two community blood drives in Quincy this month.

On Monday, March 26 from 1 to 7 p.m., there will be a blood drive at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center, 120 Quarry St., West Quincy.

Another blood drive is scheduled Friday, March 30 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Ameriprise Financial, One Adams Place, 859 Willard

St., West Quincy.

For an appointment, call 1-800-448-3543 or visit www.newenglandblood.org.

To donate blood through the American Red Cross, individuals must be at least 17 years of age or older, weigh 110 pounds or more and be in general good health.

March has been declared Red Cross Month by the President of the U.S. every year since 1943.

American Cancer Society Encourages Men, Women To Get Tested Colorectal Cancer Is Largely Preventable

March is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month. The American Cancer Society uses this opportunity to raise awareness that colorectal cancer (commonly referred to as "colon cancer") - the third leading cause of cancer deaths in both men and women in the United States - is largely preventable.

In January, the American Cancer Society reported that cancer deaths dropped for the second year in a row. The study noted that there was a significant decline in colorectal cancer mortality. Although this is good news, the Society estimates that in 2007, in Massachusetts, 3,850 people will be diagnosed with colon cancer, and more than 1,180 will die, a number that could be cut in half if Americans followed American Cancer Society screening recommendations.

The American Cancer Society says increasing co-

lon cancer screening among adults 50 and over represents the single greatest opportunity to decrease colon cancer death rates.

"Everyone over 50 has the wonderful opportunity to avoid developing colon cancer completely or to find the disease in an early stage," says Richard C. Wender, MD, national volunteer president of the Society. "Since most people with colon cancer do not have a family history of the disease, waiting for symptoms to develop is a tragic mistake."

"Symptoms can be a sign of more advanced disease. Finding and removing polyps before they turn into cancer, which can be done without surgery, can help us defeat this major cancer killer by preventing it altogether. The tests can also detect cancer in an early stage. If a cancer is found, treating it before symptoms develop dramatically increases the like-

lihood of a cure. When found at its earliest, most treatable stage, colon cancer has a 90 percent survival rate."

The decline in colon cancer deaths recently reported is largely attributed to early detection, which is why it's so important for everyone 50 and older to get tested.

Getting tested can stop the disease before it starts. Colon cancer tests can enable doctors to detect and remove hidden growths (called "polyps") before they become cancerous.

The tests can also detect cancer in an early stage. When found at its earliest, most treatable stage, colon cancer has a 90 percent survival rate. Early colon cancer often has no symptoms, which is why testing is so important.

Getting tested is especially critical for Americans age 50 and over as more than 90 percent of colon cancer cases are diagnosed in people over the age of 50.

In conjunction with National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month, the American Cancer Society has just published a new book on colon cancer, QuickFACTS™ Colon Cancer. The book is designed to give people the many facts they need to know about colon cancer, in an easy-to-read format.

The book provides a detailed summary of colon cancer and then goes on to discuss risks factors, causes, prevention and detection, diagnosis and staging, conventional treatment options and complementary and alternative methods, life after treatment, and the latest research. The detailed explanations are written in easy-to-understand everyday terms.

QuickFACTS™ Colon Cancer (ISBN #0-944235-67-0, \$7.95) is available at www.cancer.org/bookstore, by calling 1-800-ACS-2345 and in bookstores nationwide.

Red Cross CPR, First Aid Courses Start April 4

The American Red Cross is offering the following courses at its South Area Office, 1495 Hancock St., third floor, in Quincy, from April 4-21.

• Adult CPR/AED - Wednesday, April 4, 6 to 10:30 p.m. Cost \$55. Course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims

over eight years of age.

• Adult CPR/AED - Monday, April 9, 6 to 10:30 p.m. \$55. Bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

• Infant and Child CPR and First Aid - Tuesday, April 10 and April 17 (two sessions), 6 to 9 p.m. \$70. Course teaches rescue breathing, choking and CPR for children under eight years of age. Also, bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

• Adult CPR/AED and First Aid - Wednesday, April 11 and April 18 (two sessions), 6 to 9 p.m. \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a first

aid certificate valid for three years.

• Adult CPR/AED Review - Thursday, April 12, 6 to 8:30 p.m. \$50. Pre-requisite: current certification in Adult CPR/AED.

• Adult CPR/AED - Thursday, April 19, 1 to 5:30 p.m. \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

• Adult, Infant and Child CPR and First Aid - Saturday, April 21, 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. \$80. Course teaches res-

cue breathing, choking and CPR for adults and children of all ages. Also, bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Also, registration is being accepted for a daytime Home Health Aid and Certified Nursing Assistant course starting April 23. Cost is \$800.

Pre-registration is required for all courses. Call 617-770-2600 Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for information.

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Two minutes can be a long time if you have holding your breath. Or, it can be a short time if you are eating dinner. The real question for dental patients is: Do you know how long two minutes is while you are brushing your teeth? The fact is that it takes at least two minutes to thoroughly clean your teeth, whether you are using a manual toothbrush or an electric one. It takes two minutes to remove the film known as "plaque," which contains bacteria that cause tooth decay, gingivitis, and, eventually, periodontal disease. Most of us only brush our teeth for one minute, which is not long enough to do an effective job.

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Best NQHS Wrestler In School History

Big Year In Wrestling For North's Phil Kelly

By SEAN BRENNAN

Sometimes bigger is best.

And in the case of North Quincy High School senior heavyweight Phil Kelly, that rings true.

His just completed senior season puts him firmly at the head of the class in terms of being the best wrestler to ever compete for the North Quincy Red Raiders.

Kelly, who weighs in at 285 pounds, has spent the last three winters dominating each and every opponent who dared to challenge him in the heavyweight division. He finished this season as the top dog for all of New England.

Kelly's accomplishments in the wrestling arena this winter included sterling 48-4 overall record, a Sectional championship, a State championship and a New England title.

"Phil lost three times before New Year's," head coach Dan Regan said last week. "But he went on a roll and won the Sectionals, won the States, lost in the All-States and came back and won the New England title. He is the first North Quincy wrestler to win a New England championship, and he is just the fourth Red Raider wrestler to become a state champion."

You may think that with his stellar performance on the mats and his physical size and strength, that Kelly may be intimidating or unapproachable, but that would be the farthest thing from the truth. He is equally as humble as he is modest, and according to his coach, that is what makes him so good.

"His best qualities are that, although he is so imposing, he is well-liked, modest and he carries himself in a respectful manner. The other kids look up to him for leadership, and he delivers by leading by example," Regan added.

Kelly's path to wrestling immortality started the winter of his freshman year.

Kelly, who had wrestled through the 6th grade, had stopped competing on the mats through the seventh and eighth grade, but he decided to get back into the sport once he got to the high school.

After a freshman campaign that saw him go 0-1 (there was a senior already at the heavyweight spot), Kelly finished his second winter with a 21-14 record. He followed up his sophomore season with a 41-14 record as a junior. Last summer Kelly did something that made him even more dangerous this winter, he started to lift weights. Adding that dimension to his practice



NORTH QUINCY'S Phil Kelly finished the 2006-2007 wrestling season in dramatic fashion. Kelly won the Sectional, State and New England Championships as a heavyweight, and finished his high school career with a 109-35 overall record.

routine and his past experience at the varsity level, and it is easy to see what made him one of the best wrestlers in the entire region.

"He is one of the best wrestlers as a heavyweight in the state," Regan said. "But it is not just because he is so good. Phil does everything the smaller wrestlers do at practice, which has helped him become so good. A lot of the heavyweights get out on the mat and try to stall, but Phil goes out there headhunting. He can leg wrestle, he can use the cross-wrist technique and he can wrestle from either the top or bottom. His different style, his quickness and his weight advantage is what made him so dangerous."

Kelly may be an imposing force as a heavyweight, but he is modest when discussing his personal accomplishments and the things he did to help the rest of his team.

"I love doing it (wrestling). You have to work hard all the time and it is all about you," Kelly said. "At the same time, if you do well, that means that the team has done well."

"I started wrestling my freshman year and did pretty decent at the jayvee level, and since there was a senior at the heavyweight spot, I only wrestled once at the varsity level. My sophomore season I went on varsity and I didn't win a duel meet until after Christmas, but then I started winning and ended up seventh at Sectionals."

Houghs Neck T-Ball League Registration Friday, Saturday

The Houghs Neck T-Ball league will be holding open registration for Quincy youngsters on Friday, March 23 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sat, March 24 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Registration will be held at the Houghs Neck Community Center, located at 1193 Sea St. in Quincy.

The work ethic that Kelly brought to each and every practice and meets propelled him further and further up the heavyweight charts during his junior and senior seasons. After finishing in fourth place at the State tournament last year, Kelly came into his senior year on a mission.

"I spent the past summer wrestling with a local club team out of Franklin," Kelly said. "And with the lifting that I did, I got stronger and was able to overpower most of the opponents that I faced. I feel like I improved each year."

His coach agreed, "He is a great leader," Regan said. "He did well on the mats his sophomore season, but he didn't stop there. He has shown above average improvement over the years. And he did everything that we asked of him at practice, including all the drills that the smaller weight classes did"

The hard work and dedication paid off handsomely this season for Kelly. On top of the Sectional, State and New England titles (and a second-place finish at the All-States), Kelly was named as a Boston Globe all-star and an Atlantic Coast League all-star (three years running). He has also been named to a Patriot Ledger all-star the last two years, and undoubtedly will earn his third all-star appearance this year.

As the New England champion in the heavyweight division, Kelly has been invited to take part in the Senior Nationals on March 28 through April 1 down in Virginia.

His wrestling resume has also drawn the interest of some local colleges looking to have him become part of their collegiate programs. Kelly is deciding between WPI, Roger Williams and Rhode Island College.

Phil Kelly finished his high school career with a 109-35 record and North Quincy High School will soon be hanging its first individual New England Championship banner in the gym.

Now, that is big-time.

SPORTS

Banquet May 10 At Quincy Sons Of Italy

QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame To Induct 15 New Members

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee announces the names of 15 former Quincy High School baseball players to be inducted into the Quincy High School Hall of Fame on Thursday, May 10.

The Hall of Fame Banquet will be held at the Quincy Sons of Italy. The social hour is from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., with dinner and the awards ceremonies to follow. Tickets to the Hall of Fame Banquet are \$25 and can be purchased by contacting Joseph Brill, chairman of the QHSBBAA, at (617) 770-4813.

The 2007 inductees include Gerald Curtis ('46), Bob Gumprecht ('41), Frances "Frannie" Pineau ('49), Frank Barone ('51), Dan Raymondi ('65), Ted Meyers ('69), Bob Pettinelli ('69), Bob Lane ('73), Joe Brill ('74), Paul Sutherland ('76), Gary DiNardo ('81), Tom Balzano ('91), Robert "Robbie" Kane ('93), Tom Malvesti ('94) and the late Steve Barrett ('95).

For the first time the

QHSBBAA/Hall of Fame Committee is including the Old Quincy Trade School and announces that Gino Pettiti ('39) and Frances "Shorty" Donovan ('42) have been inducted.

George Burke will be inducted as only the third Honorary Member into the Hall of Fame, joining former Quincy mayor James Sheets and former Minnesota Twins manager Sam Mele.

Warren Finley and A. "Bud" Mosher will join the Hall of Fame as former coaches.

The Hall of Fame committee will also honor four youth coaches who have given their time to teaching

the game of baseball to so many kids for so many years. The four include Bill Draicchio, Dick Lombardi and the late John Rossi of Quincy Youth Baseball and Tony Constantino from St. John's Baseball.

The Paul Grasso Memorial Baseball Book Scholarship will be awarded to a senior who will further their education and baseball skills at the college level. Grasso, who graduated from Quincy High School in 1967, was killed while serving his country during the Vietnam War. Book Scholarships in the name of the late Bill Sullivan and Joe Conti will also be awarded.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River

Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Line Dancing At Fore River Clubhouse

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every

Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

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Congratulations on completing your high school career. To help further your post high school education:

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Eligibility requirements and application forms may be found on our web site quincyyouthsoccer.com or from your high school guidance counselor.

APPLICATION DEADLINE APRIL 15TH 2006 recipients:

Megan Campbell-Arch. Williams HS
Caroline Gillis-North Quincy HS
Caitlyn McCleary-North Quincy HS
Brandon Ranalli-Boston College HS
Juliana Eagles-Fontbonne Acad.
Courtney Hall-Quincy HS
Marissa Monaco-Quincy HS
Richard Sweeney III-Boston College HS

North Quincy High School Football Banquet

Honors,



Highlights



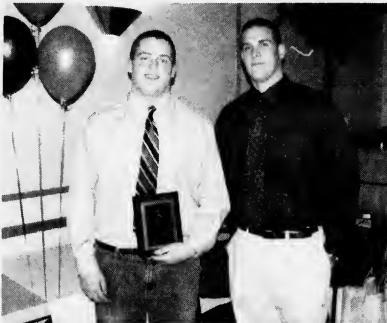
SENIOR CAPTAIN DAVE GUERRIERO, pictured here with head coach Jim Connor, was presented with the Peter J. Zoia, Sr. Best Offensive Player Award at this year's North Quincy High School Football Awards Banquet, which was held on Feb. 8.



SENIOR ADAM TRAGELLIS (center/right) and junior Efrain Melendez (center/left) received the Quincy/North Quincy Football Hall of Fame trophies for outstanding play on offense and defense in this year's Thanksgiving Day game. Alumni Joe Minukas (far left) and Hall of Fame president Ron Ivil (far right) presented the awards.



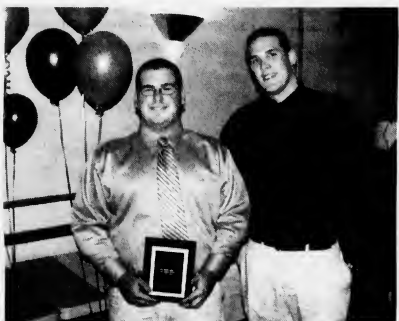
SENIOR CAPTAIN SHAUN MCBRIEN received the William J. Schaezler Leadership Award. He is pictured here with head coach Jim Connor.



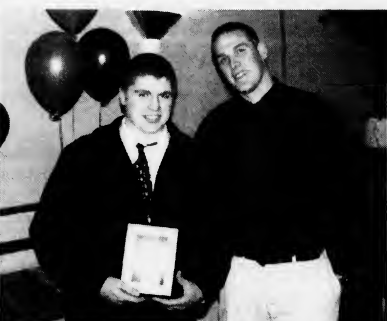
SENIOR JOE PAGE, pictured here with head coach Jim Connor, was awarded the Leroy "Curly" Rogers Unsung Hero Award.



SENIOR KAN WIWATYUKHAN, with head coach Jim Connor, received the Minukas Scout Team Award.



SENIOR BENN JOHNSON-TATE, pictured here with head coach Jim Connor, was awarded the Peter J. Zoia, Jr. Scholarship Award.



SENIOR NICK GIZZARELLI, with head coach Jim Connor, received the Coach David Burke 12th Player Award.



SENIOR CAPTAIN JON BENOIT, with head coach Jim Connor, received the Ken McPhee Coaches Award at this year's banquet.



SENIOR STEVE MATOS, with head coach Jim Connor, was awarded the Dr. Allan Yacubian Best Defensive Player Award.



SENIOR NICK POLI, with head coach Jim Connor, received the Atlantic Coast League's Sportsmanship Award.



SENIOR PHIL KELLY, with head coach Jim Connor, gave the "peace sign" after being awarded the Thaddeus "Ted" Sadowski Best Lineman Award.

Registration Friday, Saturday For Squantum Youth Sports League

The Squantum Youth Sports League will be holding baseball, softball and t-ball registration on the following three days:

Friday, March 23 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sat., March 24 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Registration will be held

at the Squantum Community Center, near the Squantum Elementary School at the corner of Standish Rd. and Huckins Ave.

The registration fee for baseball and softball is \$60 per child, \$35 for each additional family member. T-

ball registration is \$50 per child, \$25 for each additional family member.

Baseball I is a competitive learning league for players who are 7 to 10 years old on Jan. 1, 2007.

Baseball II is a semi-competitive league for

players who are 11 to 13 years old on Jan. 1, 2007.

Softball is a competitive learning league for players who are in grades 3 through 8 on Jan. 1, 2007.

T-ball is for children who are 5 to 7 years old on Jan. 1,

2007.

The registration fee covers the cost of bats, balls, T-shirts and equipment. The fee also pays for the Field Day events and presentation of trophies after the All-Star games.

If you have any questions,

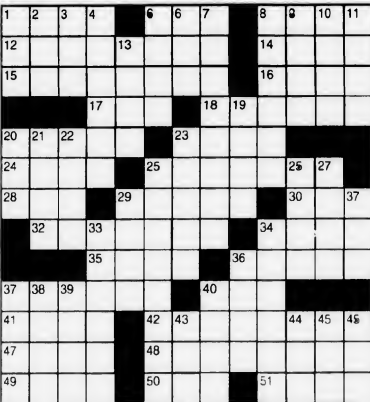
call Helen Irvin at (617) 376-0368 (softball), Lee Piatelli at (617) 413-4442 (baseball) or Pat Kelly at (617) 770-1196 (t-ball).

Registration fee is due at the time of registration.

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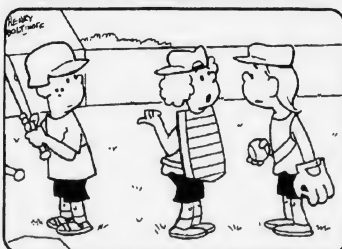
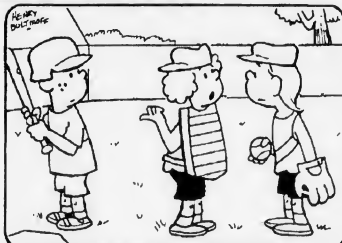
- ACROSS**
- Green gem
 - Beta Kappa
 - Hallmark offering
 - The Wright stuff?
 - Hodgepodge
 - In-box fillers
 - Philippine knife
 - "the season ..."
 - Tin alloy
 - Runway figure
 - Karaoke prop
 - Finished
 - Melted-cheese recipe
 - Wire measure
 - Celebrated lavishly
 - Deity
 - Solved a cryptogram
 - "David Copperfield" character
 - Sediment
 - "Hammerin' Hank"
 - Read
- DOWN**
- Toast topper
 - "Hail, Caesar!"
 - Insult (Sl.)
 - Time for an egg roll?
 - Swine
 - Weeding tool
 - Brilliant
 - Network that gets wiped out during sweeps week?
 - Oodles
 - Anger
 - Entrance
 - Follow relentlessly
 - Supplemented, with
 - Shade source
 - Physical
 - Rubdowns
 - Hairpieces
 - Publicity
 - Remain
 - Lair
 - Recognized
 - Composer
 - Stravinsky
 - Corrida critter
 - Adversaries
 - Rather or Rowan
 - Hardly agile
 - Lustrous
 - weave
 - In addition
 - Church furniture
 - Way out
 - Style of Indian music
 - Game lover's channel
 - Do some downsizing
 - Pistol
 - Before
 - Wield a needle
 - "out"
 - Off-tattooed word
 - "Metamorphoses" poet
 - Strike out
 - Partners
 - Cashed in, as a coupon



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FOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



FIND AT LEAST 9 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. Bat on the ground. 2. Ball has turned. 3. Umpire's hat is different. 4. Batter's pants are different. 5. Tree is gone. 6. Pitcher has no sock. 7. Umpire's hat is different. 8. Umpire's pants are different. 9. Umpire's hat is different.

The Garden Bug

Sun is directly overhead at the equator

First day of spring

Between the short days and long nights of winter and the long days and short nights of summer comes the vernal equinox, when day and night are equal in length. It marks the first day of spring in the northern hemisphere, and has long been celebrated in many ways among many cultures, marking nature's rebirth and the renewal of life.

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MAGIC MAZE • CITY WAYS

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| Callaway | Goodway | Ordway | Treadway |
| Dugway | Greenway | Ridgeway | |

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- MOVIES:** What movie series was spun off by an earlier TV series called "Police Squad"?
- MUSIC:** Which one of the Beatles was the oldest member of the band?
- MEASUREMENTS:** What happens to water at 100 degrees Celsius?
- FAMOUS QUOTES:** Where did the expression "Physician, heal thyself" originate?
- GEOGRAPHY:** What American city's ZIP code is 22222?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What was a favorite expression of sports broadcaster Harry Caray?
- ANIMATION:** What was the name of Bambi's rabbit friend in the Disney movie?
- HISTORY:** What was the nickname of German Field Marshal Erwin Rommel in World War II?
- MONEY:** What country has an investment coin called the Knuggend?
- NATURAL WORLD:** The decorative plant jasmine is native to which continent?

Answers

- "The Naked Gun"
- Ringo Starr
- It boils
- The Bible
- Arlington, Va.
- "Holy cow!"
- Thumper
- The Desert Fox
- South Africa
- Asia

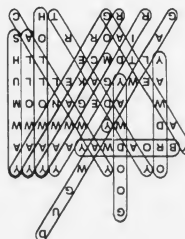
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King-Crossword Answers



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Magic Maze Answers



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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) This is a good time to reassess important relationships, both personal and professional, to see where problems might exist and how they can be overcome. Keep communication lines open.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It's not easy to bring order to a chaotic situation, whether it's in the workplace or at home. But if anyone can do it, you can. A pleasant surprise awaits you by week's end.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Be careful that you don't make an upcoming decision solely on the word of those who might have their own reasons for wanting you to act as they suggest. Check things out for yourself.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A personal relationship that seems to be going nowhere could be restarted once you know why it stalled. An honest discussion could result in some surprising revelations.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) That unexpected attack of self-doubt could be a way of warning yourself to go slow before making a career-changing decision. Take more time to do a closer study of the facts.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A workplace problem needs your attention, now, before it deteriorates to a point beyond repair. A trusted third party could be helpful in closing the gaps that have opened.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A recent family situation could give rise to a new problem. Keep an open mind and avoid making judgments about anyone's motives until all the facts are in.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Rely on your always-sharp intuition to alert you to potential problems with someone's attempt to explain away the circumstances behind a puzzling incident.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Although you still need to do some snipping off of those lingering loose ends from a past project, you can begin moving on to something else.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) With your self-confidence levels rising, you should feel quite comfortable with agreeing to take on a possibly troublesome, but potentially well-rewarded, situation.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Travel is favored, both for business and for fun. The end of the week brings news about an upcoming project that could lead toward that promised career change.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You might feel suddenly overwhelmed by a flood of responsibilities. But if you deal with each one in its turn, you'll soon be able to hold your head above water and move on.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a wonderful way of offering comfort as well as guidance. You would do well in the healing arts.

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Wishing Well®

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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OBITUARIES

Judith A. 'Cissy' Layden, 56 Former Nurse

A funeral Mass for Judith Anne "Cissy" (O'Brien) Layden, 56, of Quincy, a former nurse, was celebrated Monday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Layden died March 14 at home.

She worked at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston for 12 years.

Born in Boston, she enjoyed reading, shopping, crocheting and cooking for her family.

Mrs. Layden is survived by her husband, Kevin Layden of Quincy; a son, Patrick Layden of Boston; two daughters, Janet Kent of Hanson and Devin Layden of Quincy; two brothers, Timothy O'Brien of Milton and Jack O'Brien of Nantucket; and five grandchildren.



JUDITH A. LAYDEN
dren.

She was the mother of the late Judy Anne Layden.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, MA Affiliate, P.O. Box 845037, Boston, MA 02284-5037.

George T. Gardner Jr., 95 Retired Radio Technician

A funeral service for George T. Gardner Jr., 95, of North Quincy, a retired radio technician, was held Monday at Sampson & Hall Funerals, Brockton.

Mr. Gardner died March 13 at Caritas Carney Hospital in Dorchester.

He worked at the Fore Rivers shipyard in Quincy and retired from WBZ-TV.

He was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Born and raised in Brockton, Mr. Gardner graduated from Brockton High School and a radio school in Boston.

He moved to West

Yarmouth and North Quincy in retirement.

He was a former member of the Sons of St. George.

Husband of the late Nyllis L. (Cornell) Gardner, he is survived by two sons, G. Tom Gardner III of North Weymouth and Bruce R. Gardner of Amelia Island, Fla.; three granddaughters and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Melrose Cemetery, Brockton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Arthritis Foundation, 29 Crafts St., Newtonville, MA 02160.

Edward F. Barry, 86 Retired Quincy Fire Chief

A funeral Mass for Edward F. Barry, 86, of Quincy, retired chief of the Quincy Fire Department, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Barry died March 17 at home after a brief illness. Born and raised in Quincy, he graduated from Saint John's Grammar School in Quincy in 1934. He graduated from Sacred Heart High School in Weymouth in 1938.

Mr. Barry was also a graduate of Bridgewater State College in 1942.

He was a lifelong Quincy resident and a lifelong member of St. John the Baptist Parish in Quincy.

In July 1942, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served on active duty on the escort aircraft carrier, USS Sangamon, during the North Africa American landings. In 1943 he was sent to Columbia University where he was commissioned as an officer and he eventually attained the rank of lieutenant.

Mr. Barry continued to serve in the Navy during the remainder of World War II on various ships in both the Atlantic and Pacific Theater. He received the European-African-Pacific Campaign Ribbon (1 Star), the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon, the American Theater Campaign Ribbon and the World War II Victory Medal.

After World War II, Mr. Barry taught in the Quincy Public School system for a brief period before being appointed to the Quincy Fire Department on March 25, 1950. He came from a family of Quincy firefighters: his late father was Quincy Captain Edward H. Barry and his late brother was Quincy Deputy Chief Russell J. Barry.

After working his way through the ranks, he was promoted to lieutenant on April 2, 1955; captain on Sept. 6, 1958 and Deputy Chief on Nov. 14, 1964.

Mr. Barry was appointed chief of the Quincy Fire Department on Nov. 25, 1967 by the late mayor, James R. McIntyre. He served as chief for 18 years and was well-known and respected in fire



EDWARD F. BARRY

service for his leadership skills and his dedication to his men and the Quincy Fire Department.

Chief Barry retired on Aug. 3, 1985 after serving the Quincy Fire Department for 35 years.

He was a member of the International Association of Fire Chiefs, the New England Division of the International Association of Fire Chiefs, the New England Fire Chiefs Association, the Massachusetts Association of Fire Chiefs, the Retired State, County and Municipal Employees of Massachusetts and the Quincy Retiree Association.

Mr. Barry is survived by his wife of 63 years, J. Rita (Lambert) Barry; three daughters, Frances R. Rocha of New Bedford, Mary T. Barry of Quincy and Rita K. Barry of Abingdon, MD; two sons, Edward F. Barry, Jr. of Framingham and Patrick J. Barry of Quincy; a sister, Mary A. Alves of Falmouth; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was also the father of the late Barbara A. Casagrande.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Burial with military honors will be at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Saint Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or to St. John the Baptist Parish, 21 Gay St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Robert A. Driscoll Jr., 82 Retired Electrician

A funeral service for Robert A. Driscoll Jr., 82, of Quincy, a retired electrician, was held March 16 at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Driscoll died March 14 at home.

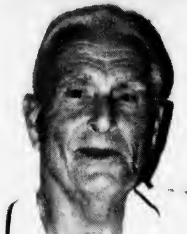
He worked for Polaroid in Norwood for 21 years and retired in 1988. He also worked at B.F. Goodrich for 15 years.

He was born in Boston and graduated from North Quincy High School where he was quarterback of the football team. He also attended the former Dean Academy, now Dean College, in Franklin.

After graduation, he joined the Marine Corps and served during World War II, from June 1943 to February 1946.

In the 1940s, Mr. Driscoll was a pitcher in the Cincinnati Reds Farm League.

He was a member of the Quincy Tennis Club and Trout Unlimited.



ROBERT A. DRISCOLL

He loved tennis, fishing, baseball and cribbage.

Husband of the late Roberta E. (Lewis) Driscoll, he is survived by three sons, Robert A. Driscoll III of Quincy, James S. Driscoll of Dennis and William L. Driscoll of Worcester; a daughter, Cynthia M. Bowes of Squantum; and 11 grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

Brenda J. Yalmokas, 49 Lunch Attendant

A funeral Mass for Brenda J. (Callahan) Yalmokas, 49, of Quincy, a lunch attendant, was celebrated March 15 at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. Yalmokas died March 11 at Milton Hospital.

She worked for various Quincy Public Schools for seven years, including Lincoln Hancock Elementary School.

Born in Boston, she was educated in Norwood and Stoughton schools. She graduated from Stoughton High School in 1976.

Mrs. Yalmokas lived in Quincy for 25 years.

She enjoyed camping, animals and going to the ocean.

She is survived by her husband of 26 years, Jerry E. Yalmokas; three sons, Michael A. Yalmokas, Jerry R. Yalmokas and Christopher

W. Yalmokas of Quincy; her mother, Brenda J. (Payne) Callahan of Quincy; two sisters, Carol A. Lance of Winchendon and Patricia L. Danielson of Fort Myers, Fla.; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was the daughter of the late Joseph E. Callahan.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1115 West Chestnut St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Donations for her children may be sent to Quincy Credit Union, c/o Evelyn Leber, 100 Quincy Ave., Quincy, MA 02169.

Gerald L. Kane, 53 Former Employee Of WORK, Inc.

A funeral Mass for Gerald

L. Kane, 53, of Quincy, a former employee of WORK, Inc., in North Quincy, was celebrated March 17 at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Kane died March 13 at Cedar Hill Nursing Home in Randolph.

Born in Quincy, he was a lifelong resident of the city.

He is survived by a sister, Catherine Arlene Wyman of Weymouth; a brother, Richard Lagerquist of Hingham; an aunt and many cousins.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, Weymouth.



SCOTT DEWARE

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

From childhood on, every human being likes to be praised for effort and accomplishment. It is a human characteristic that creates confidence and tends to improve personalities. When a job is well done, recognition is appreciated. In the business world,

financial benefits, better privileges and promotions speak well understood language of praise.

Unfortunately, however, in personal relationships, praise can and does spill over into compromise at times. It occurs when one praises with the expectation to be praised in turn. Such a compromise violates the principle of giving credit where and when credit is due.

An anonymous writer expresses the thought beautifully in these words: "It isn't enough to say in our hearts - that we like a man for his ways... It isn't enough that we fill our minds - with reams of silent praise... Nor is it enough that we honor a man - as our confidence upward mounts... It's going right up to the man himself - and telling him so that counts."

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Julia K. Greenlaw, 85

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Julia K. (Wholley) Greenlaw, 85, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy and Squantum, a homemaker, was celebrated March 17 at St. Clare Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Greenlaw died March 11 at home.

She worked at Grass Instrument Co. for many years as an EKG and EEG wiring specialist.

Born in Haverhill, she lived in Braintree for 42 years. She had lived in Quincy and Squantum.

She enjoyed golfing, especially at Braintree Municipal Golf Course. She was the Women's League president in 1983. She planned many tournaments and luncheons and once shot a hole-in-one.

Mrs. Greenlaw also enjoyed bowling and maintained a high average.

Wife of the late Frederick J. Greenlaw, she is survived by two daughters, Linda A. Dean of Henderson, Nev.,



JULIA K. GREENLAW and Carol A. Sacchetti of Quincy; a son, Michael F. Greenlaw of Keaua, Hawaii; 11 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollastone.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimers Association, MA Chapter, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Roy F. Matthews, 76

Retired Pipefitter

A funeral service for Roy F. Matthews, 76, of Quincy, a retired pipe fitter, was held Wednesday at 10 a.m. in the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Matthews died March 17 at home.

Born in Lebanon, N.H., he moved to Braintree as a boy. He was a graduate of Braintree High School.

After high school, Mr. Matthews moved to Barre, VT, to study for a career in granite monuments before enlisting in the U.S. Army. He served for two years during the Korean War.

In 1962 he moved to Quincy and worked as a pipe fitter for General Dynamics at the Fore River shipyard for many years. He was a member of the Shipbuilders Union Local 5.

He was a member of the Houghs Neck American Legion Post and the George F.



ROY F. MATTHEWS

Bryan VFW Post both in Quincy.

He is survived by his wife, Freida (Mark) Matthews; a daughter, Elsa Paton of Athol; four step-children, Penny Mills of Hudson, Kenneth L. Mills of Saugus, Kenna L. Villa of Marlborough and Lori-Ann Stebbins of Chicopee; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Gregory M. Puricelli, 28

Motorcycle Mechanic

A funeral Mass for Gregory M. Puricelli, 28, of Quincy, a motorcycle mechanic, was celebrated Monday in St. Mary's Church, 115 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Puricelli died March 12 in a motorcycle accident in Milton.

He worked at Dunbar Eurosports in Brockton.

Mr. Puricelli was born and raised in Quincy. He graduated from Boston College High School in 1997 and received his associate's degree from Dean College in Franklin.

He graduated from Lyndon State College in Vermont in 2004 before moving to Arizona, where he attended Motorcycle Mechanics Institute in Phoenix.

Mr. Puricelli was a fan of the New England Patriots and

Boston Red Sox. He enjoyed motorcycles and listening to music.

In his youth, he played in a garage band and worked at Newbury Comics.

He is survived by his fiancée, Audrey Mahoney of Quincy; his parents, Christopher Puricelli of Quincy and Christine (Zoladkowski) Puricelli of Boston; a sister, Robin Nicole Puricelli of Player Del Rey, Calif.; his grandparents, Elio A. Puricelli and Eleanor Puricelli of Quincy, and Antonio Zoladkowski and Stella Zoladkowski of Florida; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Helen C. Koslowski, 87

Worked For Raytheon Co.

A funeral Mass for Helen C. (Romanowsky) Koslowski, 87, of Rockland, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Tuesday at Holy Family Church, Rockland.

Mrs. Koslowski died March 16 at her daughter's home in East Taunton after a long illness.

She worked for the Raytheon Co. in Quincy for 35 years. She retired in 1985.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Quincy and had lived in Rockland for the past 20 years.

She was the former vice president of the Junior Women's Club of St. Joseph's Church in Quincy and officer of the Rockland Golden Ages Club.

Mrs. Koslowski received

awards from the Blue Ribbon Club for her baking. She also enjoyed playing bingo.

Wife of the late Walter T. Koslowski, she is survived by four daughters, Helen Shackley of Florida, Wanda Rose of East Taunton, Millie Watkins of Virginia and Maggie Smith of Hanover; a son, Wally Koslowski of North Carolina; two sisters, Genevieve Coughlin of Rockland and Felecia McDonald of Texas; 11 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the McDonald Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Kathleen M. Bennett, 50

Nurse's Aide

A funeral service for Kathleen M. (Sparks) Bennett, 50, of Quincy, a nurse's aide, was held March 15 at Lydon Funeral Chapel, 644 Hancock St., Wollastone.

Mrs. Bennett died March 12 at South Shore Hospital after a brief illness.

She worked at Hancock Park, an assisted living facility, in Quincy for many years. Born in Brookline, she was raised in Maynard. She had lived in Quincy for more than 20 years.

Mrs. Bennett enjoyed reading and visiting nearby casinos and race tracks.

She is survived by a daughter, Amanda Brilliant of Quincy; a son, William Bennett of Quincy; her mother, Carol Fall of Maynard; two sisters, Evelyn Miller of Brockton and Charlene Croushore of Maynard; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Shelba J. Barnes, 69

Homemaker

A prayer service for Shelba Jean (Booth) Barnes, 69, of Quincy, a homemaker, was held Wednesday at Mortimer N. Peck-Russell Peck Funeral Home, Braintree.

Mrs. Barnes died March 16 at home.

Born in Roanoke, Vir., she graduated from Roanoke High School. She was a long-time resident of Weymouth before moving to Quincy six months ago.

Wife of the late Edson J. Barnes, Jr., who died in 1986,

she is survived by six sons, William Barnes of Virginia, Brian Barnes of Mansfield, Jeffrey Barnes of Stoughton, Scott Barnes of South Dakota, Michael Deaguero of Quincy and Mark Deaguero of South Boston; three daughters, Debra Barnes and Brenda Barnes of Quincy and Wanda Mullen of Weymouth; 13 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Patrick F. Tevenan

Worked At Labor International Union

A funeral Mass for Patrick F. Tevenan of Quincy will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10:30 a.m. at St. Agatha Church, 432 Adams St., Milton.

Mr. Tevenan died March 17 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked at the Labor International Union of North America, Local 223, Boston. He had been working there for five years.

He enjoyed sports and was a member of the Quincy Youth Hockey League for many years.

Mr. Tevenan was also involved with the Montclair Stickball Tournament in Quincy.

A lifelong Quincy resident, he was a graduate of North Quincy High School.

He is survived by his parents, Francis E. and Geraldine M. (O'Sullivan) Tevenan of Quincy; two sisters, Kathleen M. Tevenan of London, England, and Eileen M. McDonald of Weymouth; and a niece.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home,

Stephen L. Bergonzi, 51

Mortgage Broker

A funeral service for Stephen L. Bergonzi, 51, of Marietta, GA, formerly of Quincy, was held Sunday in the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Bergonzi died suddenly March 9.

Born in Tewksbury, he was raised in Quincy and graduated from Quincy High School and Sylvania Technical School.

Mr. Bergonzi was working as a mortgage broker in Georgia at the time of his death.

He is survived by a daughter, Andrea Bergonzi of Quincy; a sister, Marcia Befera of Halifax; three nieces; his fiancée, Janet Dennis of Georgia; and his former wife, Judith Bergonzi of Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice.

Tax Assistance For Low, Middle Income Payers

The Council on Aging will again sponsor the AARP Tax Aide Program to provide free, personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers.

Special attention is given to those 60 years old and older.

The assistance will be

provided, by appointment, each Monday beginning Feb. 12 and lasting through the tax season at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, contact the COA at 617-376-1508.

Veterans Adviser

At Council On Aging Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

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RELIGION

Communion Breakfast Sunday At Knights Of Columbus Hall

Scott Whale, Channel 4 newscaster, will be the guest speaker at the Annual Communion Breakfast sponsored by the Greater Quincy Council 2259 Knights of Columbus. The breakfast will be held Sunday, March 25, 2007 at the Council Hall.

Grand Knight Pat McDermott will be the Honorary Chairman of the Breakfast.

Tickets can be obtained by calling Kevin Nestor, chairman of the breakfast, at (781) 659-7549. Committee members include ticket

chairman Howie Crowley at (617) 479-8883, Jim McAuliffe, Kevin Mullaney and Joe Donnelly.

Tickets for the catered breakfast are \$12 per person and must be purchased in advance.

Houghs Neck Congregational Church Auction March 31

Houghs Neck Congregational Church, 310 Manet Ave., will hold an auction featuring antiques, collectibles, art and household items Saturday, March 31 at 2 p.m.

Doors will open for viewing at 1 p.m. During the viewing period, an Easter

decoration sale will be held, with many gifts and Easter items available for \$1 or less.

A sandwich and snack bar will also be available.

The auction is co-sponsored by the church's Mothers Club and Fair Committee, with assistance provided by Boy Scout Troop 6 and

Pack 6 Webelos.

Houghs Neck Congregational Church is handicapped accessible.

For more information on the auction or to donate items, e-mail gaylemackay@comcast.net or call (617) 479-2311.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m. Sunday.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the ser-

vice. His sermon topic is "The Narrow Door."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Fellowship will follow the service in Allen Parlor. Re-

freshments will be served.

A Lent worship service will be held Wednesday, March 28 at 7 a.m. All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Christian Seder Meal At St. Ann Parish

St. Ann Parish will host a Seder Meal Sunday, April 1 at 4 p.m. in the school hall, 1 St. Ann Rd., Wollaston.

Why a Seder Meal?

When Catholics assemble to celebrate Mass, they not realize the Eucharistic liturgy has its origin in the Jewish Passover ritual. The unleavened bread and wine used at Mass, as well as the Psalms that are sung, were

used at Passover meals in Jesus' day and are used by Jews today.

The Seder Meal on April 1 will not be a strict Passover meal. It will incorporate some of the rituals, some traditional foods and the retelling of the story of deliverance.

It is an opportunity to gather with other parishioners as they begin their jour-

ney in to Holy Week.

Along with the Seder ritual, a catered (turkey) meal will be served.

The cost is \$15 per person, or \$50 for a family of four.

RSVP to the rectory/Sister Pat no later than March 27, with the names and number of people who will attend the Seder Meal.

All reservations must be made in advance.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible study begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service. Lector will be Kelly Cobble. Ushers are Linda and Paul DeGreco. Coffee hour hosts are Ginny Hawes, Jeanne Couillard and Dottie Hall.

A Safari pot luck supper will be held Saturday, March

24 followed by a slide show of Pastor Susan's trip to Africa. Contact the church at 617-773-3319 or further information.

All are welcome; the church is handicapped accessible.

Quincy Point Congregational Church

The sacrament of baptism will be celebrated at the 10 a.m. worship service Sunday at Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St.

Angelina DeCristofaro

will play the flute and the Chancel Choir will offer a Lenten choral anthem. Deacon Adam McGhee will play the guitar to accompany young people from the

church singing a contemporary song of faith.

Donations for the special Mission offering One Great Hour of Sharing will be dedicated.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Quincy Religion Directory

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Weekday Masses

Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.

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Saint Ann's Church

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• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan

Weekend Mass Schedule:

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Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM

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Mount Vernon Mortgage Homebuyer Seminar At Marina Bay March 24

Mount Vernon Mortgage Corp. will host a free homebuyer seminar Saturday, March 24 from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at 500 Victory Rd., Marina Bay, North Quincy.

The seminar is free for South Shore residents.

Pre-registration is required. Call 781-337-2432

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0467EP**
In the Estate of
CHARLES E. JOSSELYN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 24, 2006
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL.**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **MICHAEL R. JOSSELYN** of the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 11, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 1, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/22/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Omnipoint Communications, a wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile USA for a Variance to install and operate a wireless communications facility in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.04.160 (variances) on the premises numbered 1080 SEA STREET, QUINCY.

3/22, 3/29/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0591EP**
In the Estate of
JAMES F. LYONS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
September 17, 2006
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL.**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **DANIEL J. LYONS** of the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 18, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/22/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 03P2264EP**
In the Estate of
JOHN J. CONNOLLY JR.
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 26, 2003
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL.**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **CHRISTOPHER M. CONNOLLY** of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 18, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 7, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/22/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Donna Nguyen for a Special Permit & Variance to convert the existing single family dwelling to a two-family dwelling in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.24.20 (non-conformance) and Chapter 17.20.24 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 150 BILLINGS STREET, QUINCY.

3/22, 3/29/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0524EP**
In the Estate of
KATHLEEN HANNON
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 24, 2007
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL.**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **JOHN J. HANNON** of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 18, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 8, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/22/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0556EP**
In the Estate of
WILLIAM C. EDWARDS JR.
AKA **WILLIAM C. EDWARDS**
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 25, 2007
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL.**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **CLIFFORD C. EDWARDS** of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK and **NANCY J. KANE** of BRAINTREE in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 18, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/22/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Eoghan Kelly for a Variance to demolish the existing mudroom and construct a farmer's porch in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (setbacks) on the premises numbered 80 MAIN STREET, QUINCY.

3/22, 3/29/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0533AA**
In the Estate of
MARILYNN JEAN TIONG
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 7, 2007
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT OF
ADMINISTRATOR WITH
THE WILL ANNEXED**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **MARY LOUISE REHM** of MILTON in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 9, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 8, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

3/22/07

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169**

In accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, The City of Quincy requests proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City:

QUINCY COLLEGE LEASE OF CLASSROOM AND OFFICE SPACE **APRIL 20, 2007 @ 11:00 A.M.**
The City of Quincy, on behalf of Quincy College, the department of the City, is seeking to lease space in Quincy, Massachusetts, to be used as classrooms and offices in both the day and evening for credit and non-credit courses for Quincy College students. The City is seeking a site located in Quincy Center and within easy walking distance of Saville Hall, (24 Saville Avenue, Quincy, Massachusetts). The site must be easily accessible to the Quincy Center MBTA station and within one-half of a mile from Saville Hall. Quincy College is seeking a site between 35,000 and 45,000 square feet. A copy of the specifications may be obtained at the Purchasing Department, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts, 02169, after March 21, 2007, between the hours of 8:30AM to 4:30 PM.

Non-Price Proposals must be in a sealed envelope and price proposals must be in a separate sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelopes are to be clearly marked "**RFP - NON PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED**" with time/date of RFP and "**RFP - PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED**" with time/date of RFP opening.

Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be opened and registered. Late proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

The right is reserved to reject any or all RFP's or to accept any part of an RFP or the one deemed best for the City, and waive any informalities in the bidding, if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

William J. Phelan, MAYOR

Laurie M. Allen, CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER

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Air Force General Lynch Vietnam Memorial Speaker

Air Force Major General Michael K. Lynch will be the featured speaker at the Vietnam Combat Veterans Combined Armed Forces annual Memorial Service Thursday, March 29, at 3 p.m. at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Clock Tower across from 500 Victory Rd., Marina Bay.

Gen. Lynch is the mobilization assistant to the commander, Headquarters Air Command at Langley Air Force Base, Va., an operation of more than 1,900 aircraft which trains, equips and maintains combat ready

forces for rapid deployment.

Mayor William Phelan, Senator Michael Morrissey, Rep. Bruce Ayers, Vietnam Veterans President Joseph Brooker and the Navy's Joseph McCain and Robert Brudno also are scheduled to address the service.

Vietnam veterans and their families will be introduced by Sgt. Thomas Bolinder, USMC retired; Lawrence Norton, past commander of the Quincy Veterans Council, will introduce the dignitaries; and Brooker will preside at the ceremonial placing of the wreath.



**MAJOR GENERAL
MICHAEL LYNCH**

The 103rd Fighter Wing, "the Flying Yankees," from Bradley Air National Guard Base in Connecticut, will perform the fly over (the

missing man formation).

The National Anthem will be sung by Officer Donald Sautter and "Taps" will be sounded by Sgt. Steven Kring, both of the Quincy Police Department.

Breast Cancer Benefit At Torre Dei Passeri

Andrea Cappellano is conducting a benefit to raise fund to fight breast cancer Saturday, March 24, from 7 a.m. to 12 midnight at the Torre Dei Passeri Social Club, 252 Washington St.

The event will include a buffetstyle dinner, raffle prizes, a silent auction, gift

Invocation and benediction will be delivered by the Rev. John Carl Swanson, pastor of the Union Congregational Church of Wollaston and a former of-

baskets and music provided by DJ Danto.

The suggested donation is \$20, all of which will be donated to the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer. Checks should be payable to Avon Walk for Breast Cancer.

For tickets or more information call Andrea at 857-

ficer in the U. S. Navy.

In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved to the North Quincy High School auditorium at 3 p.m.

753-1076 or email to cappygirl215@aol.com.

Andrea will have a team of four walkers, known as Team Cappellano, in the Avon Walk, which starts in Boston and continues through the South Shore on May 19 and 20.

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A SLEEPING RACCOON took a nap in a tree along Hancock Street in Quincy Center recently, oblivious to the noise of motor vehicle and pedestrian traffic.



TWO PASSERSBY stop to get a look of the raccoon sleeping in a tree on Hancock Street in Quincy Center. The animal stayed in the tree all day until waking up in the early evening and leaving his comfort spot on his own.

Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth

Council Members Debate Food Sales At Gas Stations

Milk and gasoline don't mix, according to Ward 1 Councillor Leo J. Kelly who said Monday that he opposes any changes in the city's ordinance prohibiting gas stations from selling groceries.

Kelly spoke as the Council's Ordinance Committee debated a request by the owners of Exxon Mobil at Furnace Brook Parkway to sell food at their gas station.

Other councillors expressed fear that a change in the city's ordinance would open the door for supermarkets and big box stores to install gasoline pumps at their sites.

"This is a concept that has been shown to work," Attorney Robert Fleming, Jr., told the committee when urging a positive recommendation. Fleming represented the station owners who have eliminated the repair business at their station and hope to balance that change with

the sale of groceries.

Councillor Michael McFarland said that the combination of gas stations and grocery shops appears to be an attractive option in areas other than Quincy.

"We need to make life more convenient for people who live in the city," stated McFarland, noting that with 70,000 vehicles, Quincy residents no longer walk to shopping destinations.

McFarland added that

working couples could purchase a few essential items on their way home from their jobs while, at the same time, they could fill their car's gasoline tank.

Chairman Jay Davis, also, said, "It's an issue of convenience. There is a benefit to our constituents."

Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin and Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond both raised the specter of supermarkets selling gasoline.

Coughlin noted that the idea of supermarkets selling gasoline has been "floating around."

"Even though this starts out as an opportunity to help a small business," Raymond said that approval could have "unintended consequences.... This really does open the door."

The Committee agreed to take up the issue again at a later date.

--LAURA GRIFFIN

Police Chief, Sheriff To Hold Substance Awareness Night

Police Chief Robert Crowley and Norfolk County Sheriff Michael Bellotti will sponsor a substance abuse awareness night Tuesday, April 3, from 7 to 9 p.m. in Conference Room A at Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St.

Speakers at the event, entitled "Not My Child! — What Every Parent Needs To Know About Drugs," will be Dr. Daunce Cox, clinical director of Bay State Community Services, as well as recovering addicts, an inmate

and a parent.

One of the goals of the evening is to increase public awareness of substance abuse and to announce the formation of a support group for families called "Parents Helping Parents."

Both Sides Need 'To Tone Down The Rhetoric'

Councillors Urge Crowley To Sit Down With Union

By LAURA GRIFFIN

City councillors urged Police Chief Robert Crowley to improve relations with the patrolmen's union before they voted 8-1 to approve his request to transfer \$46,500 from the department's Personnel budget to Current Expenses.

Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond opposed the transfer after stating that he objected to moving money from the personnel line while the police department still has unstaffed cruisers on some early morning shifts.

Prior to their vote, several

councillors said that the chief and the patrolmen's union which has repeatedly called for Crowley's ouster must begin talking.

"We don't get anywhere name-calling," said Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis.

In addition, City Council President Douglas Gutro suggested that Chief Crowley review his facts more carefully in the future in order to avoid misstatements and misunderstanding.

No one questioned the need for the funds of which

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Council Wants Accurate Count On Bad Hydrants

City Councillors Monday directed Fire Chief Thomas Pettinelli to organize the correct data on the number and location of city's faulty and defective fire hydrants after learning that neither the Fire Department nor the Department of Public Works (DPW) has accurate records and there is no coordination between the two departments.

Councillors, also, asked the chief to choose a method for identifying faulty hydrants, such as a vandal-proof marker. Several weeks ago, councillors

recommended that faulty hydrants be painted white. However, Pettinelli said that that system could attract vandals who might paint working hydrants white.

At Monday's joint meeting of the Council's Public Works and Public Safety Committee, Pettinelli also said there is no communication system between the department's different fire stations. He was encouraged to work with the DPW and also, to establish a system for notifying the entire fire

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Mayor Appoints Community Preservation Committee

Mayor William Phelan Tuesday announced his appointments to the City's first Community Preservation Committee.

The Committee is charged with recommending appropriations to the Mayor from the Community Preservation Act funds.

The voters of Quincy passed a 1% surcharge on their property tax bills, with certain exemptions, in the

November 2006 election. The surcharge first appeared on local tax bills in January.

The local fund is expected to collect approximately \$1 million and the City of Quincy is eligible for 100% matching funds from the State.

The monies must be spent on open space acquisition/park enhancements, affordable housing efforts and historic preservation projects.



WILLIAM PHELAN

The Community Preservation Act calls for members of the Planning Board, Park and Recreation Board, Historic Commission, Conservation Commission, and Housing Authority Board to be represented on the committee. In addition, the City Council's local ordinance called for a City Councillor and three additional representatives to be appointed by the Mayor.

Appointed to the committee are: Steve Perdios, Maureen Mazzimas and Paul Kodad. City Councillor Jay Davis was recommended by City Council President Doug Gutter.

The following are the re-

maining members elected by the respective boards: P.J. Foley (Planning), Connie Driscoll (Park and Recreation), Martha King (Conservation), Susan Canavan (Historic District Commission), and Kevin Cotter (Housing Authority).

"I am eager to get the committee started and planning the best use of these funds," said Phelan. "There are some timely issues that I hope to work with the committee to address immediately."

The State match comes from the fees paid by residents on transactions at the various Registries of Deeds throughout the Common-

wealth. Prior to 2007, fees paid by Quincy residents have been used exclusively in other communities that accepted the Community Preservation Act. Quincy is now eligible for a 100% match on local surcharge revenues.

"I want to thank the volunteers that will add their skills, talents, and time to this important effort," Phelan said. "The impact of this committee can last generations. I thank them for their service and I look forward to working with the committee and the City Council in accomplishing great things for Quincy with the Community Preservation Act."

Quincy 2000 Training For Start-Up Businesses

Quincy 2000 Collaborative will host a four-week Entrepreneurial Training Program tailored for start-up businesses and individuals thinking about launching a business.

The program will be held on four consecutive Tuesdays beginning April 3 through April 24 from 6 to 9

p.m. at the Quincy 2000 Collaborative office, 1250 Hancock St.

Program topics include a self-evaluation to make sure you are ready to run your own business, establishing the company's legal structure and reaching your target market.

Bi-lingual translation is

available in Cantonese, Mandarin and Portuguese with advance notice. The program is free and refreshments are provided. Registration is necessary.

For more information or to register call 617-847-1454 to fill out the online registration form at www.quincyaaa2000.org.

'Gateway' Used Car License Hearing Continued To April 10

The License Board Tuesday continued to April 10 a request by Right Deal, Inc., for a Motor II used car license at 451 Quincy Ave.

Charlie Aihelo, appearing in place of his brother, Antwane, told the board that they plan to purchase the property from the owner, Harvey Kertzman.

Charlie said he was appearing alone because his brother, who was listed as the

manager, was in California and Kertzman was in Maine.

"It's important that Antwane and Harvey come to the meeting," said Chairman Joseph Shea. "I want them here on April 10."

Police Chief Robert Crowley indicated that he may have an additional request for them when they do appear.

"This is the gateway to the city," he said. "It needs

some sprucing up."

The License Board also:

- Approved a request by the Quincy Business Association for a general license to hold its 36th annual Summer Sidewalk Sale in Quincy Center Thursday, July 19, through Saturday, July 21.

- Approved a request by the Sons of Italy for a change in manager from Louis Arienti to Dennis Bertoni at the SOI Lodge, 120 Quarry St.

- Approved a request by The Sydney Group, Inc., doing business as Four's, for a sidewalk cafe at 15 Cottage Ave., subject to the approval of the State Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission.

Building Inspector Jay Duca said he inspected the property Monday morning and "everything looks good."

- Approved a request by Donald Ormond, doing business as The Coffee Break Cafe, for a common victualler's license in a kiosk inside Richard's Market, 243 Atlantic St.

Ormond, who operates two other Coffee Break Cafes in Quincy and one in Braintree, said he plans to open in two or three weeks.

- Approved a request by Firefly's Quincy LLC to pledge its license, which was granted in February, to Quincy 2000 Collaborative for a business loan, subject to the approval of the State Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission.

Attorney Richard Barry said Firefly's plans to open May 1 at 516 Adams St.

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West Elm Variety License Approved By 3-1 Vote

One last hands-on test by Fire Chief Tim Pettinelli and one final visit by City Clerk Joe Shea and Health Commissioner Drew Scheele and it was done.

The License Board Monday approved the controversial wine and beer license for the West Elm Variety Store at 139 West Elm Ave., Wollaston.

The roll call vote was 3-1 with Scheele against, Shea, Pettinelli and Building Inspector Jay Duca for and Police Chief Robert Crowley sitting it out with a conflict of interest.

The license now goes to the State Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (ABCC) for review.

Only members of the License Board were permitted to speak before Monday's final vote. The last public testimony was taken March 6 when the pros and cons seemed to be equally divided.

"All arguments for and against the sale of alcohol are emotional," observed Shea.

The March 6 meeting was unprecedented in that it was attended by only three members of the board when Pettinelli was called away to a fire.

The fire chief was briefed and listened to a tape of the meeting he missed and, for good measure, he told his colleagues that he visited the West Elm Street area that

very morning.

"I parked on the side of the street," he said. "Just then a ladder truck came down the street. A truck was turning down Billings Road. An elderly woman was turning into the street.

"It was a good test of safety in the intersection. The traffic issue is not as critical as some may think."

Scheele came out with a different view when he and Shea visited the area the same morning.

"There's too much traffic," he said. "The street is a tight squeeze. It's heavily traveled. It'll be worse when you get the big delivery trucks delivering beer."



QUINCY POLICE STUDENT Academy recently received a donation from Star Market in Quincy and the Coca-Cola Company. Star Market has long supported the many programs provided to local youths by the Academy. From left to right: Lt. Dan Minton of the Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit; Kevin Barry, Star Market store manager; and Quincy High School Teacher Jim Flahive, who is the director of the Student Academy.

Civil Service Exam May 19

An entry level written Civil Service exam to select a pool for municipal service and MBTA police officer is

scheduled for Saturday, May 19.

Interested parties can contact Rep. Ron Mariano's of-

fice at 617-722-2220 for an application or apply online at www.mass.gov/civilservice. The deadline is April 2.

Adams National Park Seeks Comments On Boosting Entrance Rates

The cost of visiting the Adams National Historical Park is going up and if you have any comment on it Superintendent Marianne Peak wants you to tell her before Thursday, April 5.

The park is seeking to increase the entrance fees from the current \$5 to \$7 per person and the annual family pass from \$10 to \$30, effective Thursday, April 19.

Public comments should be addressed to Marianne Peak, superintendent, Adams

National Historical Park, 181 Adams St., Quincy MA 02169 or e-mail to marianne_peak@nps.gov.

The Adams National Historical Park is allowed to keep no less than 80 per cent of the fees collected which are used to fund positions directly related to assisting visitors.

The National Park Service also offers a variety of federal passes, including those good for senior citizens and people with disabilities

as well as annual passes, which anyone can purchase.

The Adams National Historical Park is open from April 19 through Nov. 10 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For further information, call 617-770-1175 or visit www.nps.gov/adams.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On March 29, 1806, the first appropriation of \$30,000 is made to build the first highway funded by the national treasury. The Great National Pike, also known as the Cumberland Road, stretched from Cumberland, Md., to Vandalia, Ill. Eventually more than \$6 million was appropriated for the highway.

• On March 28, 1814, the funeral of Guillotin, the inventor and namesake of the infamous execution device, takes place outside of Paris. The guillotine was not an immediate sensation when it was first used in 1792. The crowds seemed to miss the gallows at first. However, the guillotine quickly caught on with the public, and many thought it brought dignity back to the executioner. It was used sporadically in France until the 1930s.

• On March 27, 1905, Thomas and Ann Farrow, shopkeepers in South London, are discovered brutally bludgeoned in their home. The Farrow case was the first time that cutting-edge fingerprint technology was used in a high-profile murder case.

• On April 1, 1945, after suffering the loss of 116 planes and damage to three aircraft carriers, 50,000 U.S. combat troops of the 10th Army, under the command of Lt. Gen. Simon B. Buckner Jr., land on the southwest coast of the Japanese island of Okinawa.

• On March 30, 1962, Jack Paar films his final episode of "The Tonight Show." Paar had hosted the show since July 1957, six months after Steve Allen stepped down. The unflappable Johnny Carson took over as host starting in October 1962.

• On March 26, 1970, the classic documentary "Woodstock," showing the 1969 concert that drew half a million people, premieres. The film won an Oscar for Best Documentary.

• On March 31, 1992, "Dateline NBC" premieres. In November 1992, the show caused a scandal when it was revealed that an expose on General Motors trucks was rigged to show a dramatic explosion.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

One More Time . . .

(Henry Bosworth decided to take the day off. So he's running a column that appeared in September 1993. He says TV has re-runs all the time.)

Things I wish I could see, do, or hear once more. (But not necessarily in this order.)

- Take in a movie at the Lincoln, Strand or Quincy Theater.

- Sit down to a 45-cent luncheon special at the Howard Johnson restaurant downstairs at the Granite Trust. (Now Bank of America).

- Order a Coke with a dash of lemon at the Alhambra Tea Room.

- Plunk a nickel in the jukebox and get Glenn Miller, Tommy Dorsey, Harry James or Jimmy Dorsey with Bob Eberly and Helen O'Connell.

- Look at Monroe MacLean on one side and Jack Donahue on the other plotting strategy at the Quincy-North Quincy Thanksgiving Day football game.

- Hear former Mayor and Councillor Tom Burgin stand up and tell his colleagues: "It's time to fish or cut bait."

- Henry Prairie at Point Junior High School stressing: "Always give it (effort) that extra ounce."

- Percy Lane, punster, newspaper man and bachelor observing: "You don't have to be crazy to be a newspaper man, but it helps..." "Marriage is an institution, but who wants to live in an institution."

- Dorothy Lamour, at our second meeting 10 years later, pulling me down beside her at the Latin Quarter and kidding: "C'mon now, you're not a cub reporter anymore."

- Ruth Gordon, calling from her apartment in

New York City or her home on Martha's Vineyard all excited about her latest movie or TV show and asking me to keep an eye on her birth certificate at City Hall.

- President-elect John Kennedy in his father, Joseph's, home in the Kennedy compound a few hours after his slim win over Richard Nixon pouring drinks for and chatting with the press. When asked to explain what he thought made the difference between victory and defeat, he replied: "He (Nixon) stayed around too long in the South." And confessing he was going to play some golf when he got to Florida. "But don't print that, they'll think I'm another Ike."

- Watch Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa walking through City Hall turning off unnecessary lights.

- Ride a streetcar from Quincy Point to Quincy Square and for only a nickel.

- See City Clerk John Gillis in a new crew cut.

- Buy a suit or sport coat from Ray Josephine at Remick's.

- Or a TV set from Remo and Pete DeNicola.

- And a big band album from Jason Feldman at Jason's.

- Walk up the runway at Fenway Park and see Jimmie Foxx, Bobby Doerr, Joe Cronin and Ted Williams taking batting practice.

- Take a seat in the stands at Fore River Field and see Jay Desmond, Fran Desmond, Nick Malvesti, Clappy Wildridge, Joe Shapiro, etc. in action.

- Stop at the Quincy Arena to boo Ted Germaine or Tony Palapino.

- Get up at 4 a.m. for Quincy High School hockey practice at the Boston Arena. (I'm not so sure about doing that again.)

Montclair School Celebrates 'Read Across America'

Waldo and Willy Wonka walked the hallways of the Montclair School and quite a few Cats in the Hat raced around with Thing 1 and Thing 2 the other day, all in the interest of reading a book.

Members of the Montclair School community, including more than 200 students and their parents, celebrated "Read Across America," the nation's largest reading event, with a week of activities dedicated to the importance of reading.

The week kicked off with

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an evening program, Salute to Reading," presented by magician Steve Rudolph, who encouraged students, parents and staff to explore how they think about books, the places they can take you and the characters you meet.

The following day, 75 students and staff members arrived at school dressed as characters from their favorite books, Waldo and Willy

Wonka, the Cat in the Hat and Amelia Bedelia picking up after the Three Little Pigs, Cinderellas and Sleeping Beauties.

More than 60 members of the community, both students and staff, celebrated the 103rd birthday of Dr. Seuss and the 50th birthday of the Cat in the Hat with a birthday cake that was shared by all.

Tracey Phelan, the First Lady of Quincy; public school administrators, police, firefighters, Rotarians,

state and local officials visited the classrooms to share their love of reading and discuss their favorite books with the kids, kindergarten through Grade 5.

Through the generosity of the PTO, all students received a book to help build their personal libraries at home.

Firefighter and author Bill Arienti ended the celebration with a sneak preview of the final draft of his next book in the Tales of Faxon series, "Leaper and Quills."

QHS Renewable Energy Advisors Meet Tonight

The Advisory Board of the Renewable Energy Integration Project at Quincy High School will meet tonight (Thursday) from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Three Seasons Restaurant in Quincy High School.

The citizens board has been put together by the Career and Technical Education Center to help develop science and construction trades courses that address renewable energy at the school.

Quincy High School was the recipient of a grant from the State Department of Education to assist in developing

the curriculum with a target completion date of June, 2007.

The agenda for tonight's meeting includes the status

of the curriculum, a review of quotes, a decision on components, specs to engineers and permitting needs.

Plans are to display the

three energy sources — photo voltaic, solar thermal and wind — on the bridge between schools as a method of teaching students about renewable energy.

High School To College Subject Of Discussion

Outreach Counselor Elizabeth Fitzgerald will be at the Broadmeadows Middle School, 50 Calvin Rd., Tuesday, April 10, from 7 to 9 p.m. to discuss student transition from high school to college.

Some of the issues to be discussed include: What happens now? Where do I go for

help? What to think about when planning post-secondary education. And suggestions for local colleges with support services.

Those planning to attend the event, sponsored by the Quincy Parent Advisory Council, should RSVP by April 5 to qpacsped@comcast.net or

by contacting Andrea White at 617-479-8776.

An RSVP is needed to make sure enough material is available for everyone.

For more information about QPAC contact Toni-Marie Mahoney, president, at 6.7-773-4558 or tmahoney77@comcast.net.

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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1920 postcard view of St. Mary's Catholic Church on Crescent Street in West Quincy published by Drohan News. Some of Boston's most prominent Catholic prelates are woven into the history of this church's buildings. In 1841 Bishop Fenwick dedicated the wooden church on the right as the first Catholic Church south of Boston. It served parishioners all the way down to Plymouth. In 1901, Archbishop Williams laid the cornerstone for what is the basement of the

present seam-face granite church in the center. And then in 1917, when the upstairs was built, Cardinal O'Connell dedicated that portion of the church. After serving the parish for 60 years, the original church on the right was named St. Joseph's Hall to honor Mary's husband. That site is now a parking lot. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tomgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

Sacred Heart School And NQHS Set To Rally Against Cancer

Sacred Heart School and North Quincy High School are both joining the Rally Against Cancer to support the Jimmy Fund and the Boston Red Sox. North Quincy students are honoring Patrick White, a classmate who lost his battle to cancer last year. Plus, students are trying to win a school visit from Red

Sox infielder Kevin Youkilis.

The Rally Against Cancer coincides with the Sox home opener on Tues., April 10. Participation is as easy as putting on a Sox hat and T-shirt, and it is a great way to build team spirit in school.

To Rally Against Cancer, students must each pitch in at least \$5 for the Jimmy

Fund and then wear their favorite Red Sox gear to school on opening day. Plus, the top school wins a visit from Youkilis.

Dana-Farber in Boston is a world-renowned pioneer in discovering and developing innovative, effective cancer therapies for adults and chil-

dren. Its fundraising arm is the Jimmy Fund, which also is an official charity of the Boston Red Sox.

To support either school or to register, just step up to the plate and visit www.jimmyfund.org/rally, or contact Charles Savicki at (617) 632-5420.

Quincy Farmers' Market To Offer CSA's For 2007

Quincy Farmers' Market will be offering shares for Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) in addition to its normal farmers' market operation, according to Anneli Johnson, market manager.

According to Johnson, consumers, restaurant owners, chefs and schools can order their produce or shares

ahead of the season. Then, when the season is in full swing, they will have their weekly produce needs already purchased and ready to take home in a convenient reusable box that can be reused for the entire season.

The shares can include a variety of fruits and vegetables, along with custom ordered beef, lamb and pork

produced on Stillman Farm in New Braintree and Hardwick, MA.

CSA's are considered a means for farmers to have the start-up money needed for seeds, planting and labor, before the season begins. Shareholders can pick up their orders at Quincy Farmers' Market on Fridays start-

ing in July or make special arrangements with the farmers.

Brochures describe the CSA's are available at the Main Library on Washington St. and the North Quincy Branch Library. Contact Johnson at 617-479-1601 or Valarie Burrows at 617-479-8750.

Quincy's Yesterdays

Sale of Historic Site Proposed

By FRANK MCCAULEY

Historic Moswetusset Hummock in Squantum from where Massachusetts got its name, would be transferred to the North Quincy Knights of Columbus Council under a bill now pending in the State Legislature.

The K of C Council is seeking a site for a new home, which would have recreation and meeting facilities for outside groups.

The bill sponsored by Representatives Amelio Della Chiesa, Joseph E. Brett, James R. McIntyre and Charles L. Shea, is now before the Ways and Means committee.

The proposal met strong opposition from the Quincy Board of Managers of Historic Places and City Historian William Churchill Edwards who feel that a historic shrine should not be transferred by the MDC to any private organization. (Editors Note: It didn't happen.)

MEN'S CLUB TO HEAR COUNCILLORS

The Montclair Men's Club has invited Council President William C. Ellis and Councillors George G. Burke and John J. Quinn, to discuss local projects that the city is about to undertake.

QUINCY-ISMS

William J. Martin, president of the South Shore National Bank, began his 28th year of voluntary service to the Norfolk County Tuberculosis and Health Association. Jan Nickerson of Norton Rd., Merry Mount, writer of books for teen-age girls, had a new book published. Linda Mae Bakery, 523 Southern Artery, Quincy, was offering "One Dozen Delicious Hermit Cookies" with every purchase of \$1 or more. Several Quincy students at the Boston College of Arts and Sciences were named to the dean's list for the first semester. They included Basil Coughlin, Marsh St., Richard Ward, Rock Island Rd., Francis Cahill, Hilma St., William Mitchelson, Whitwell St., Paul O'Keefe, Wadsworth St., James Autio, Trafford St., John Shaughnessy, Cedar St., and Paul Hamil, Jr., Glendale Rd. The Ship and Sake Market, 20 Independence Ave., South Quincy, was advertising "White or pink grapefruit, 5 for only \$2.49." Rear Admiral Bartholomew W. Hogan, a Quincy native, received the Distinguished Service Medal at ceremonies marking his retirement in Washington, D.C. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tyll were crowned King and Queen of the 10th annual Beth Israel Pumm Ball held in Quincy. Rev. Frank J. Bauer, pastor of Wollaston Lutheran Church's sermon at the Lenten Vespers was titled "The Sign of Forgiveness." Umberto V.E. Giarusso, presided over the March meeting of the North Quincy Adams Club. "The Marriage Go Around" starring Susan Hayward, James Mason and Julie Newmar was playing at the Art Theatre. Mrs. Daniel Swan of Quincy, was nominated president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the North Quincy District of the Massachusetts Medical Society. Mrs. Gerald Dowling of Merry Mount was the chairman of the ticket committee of the Merrimount Association's annual scholarship dance at Coral Cliffs, North Weymouth. Miss Wilma Shields, head of the Science Department at North Quincy High School, and Dr. Robert P. Fox, assistant principal at Atlantic Junior High School, were planning to attend and participate in the meeting of the National Science Teachers Association meeting to be held in Chicago. Jack Garrity, football coach at Quincy High School, was the guest speaker at the Father and Sons Communion Breakfast at St. Mary's Holy Name Society. Joseph R. Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan, 92 Boston St., North Quincy, recently joined the Navy for four years. He is undergoing basic training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois. David S. Ayers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth N. Ayers of 150 Quincy Ave., a senior at William College, has been awarded a Horace F. Clark Fellowship for graduate study at a school of his choice. Mr. Ayers, a physics major, plans to attend Stanford University. Miss Janet Zanelli, drama chairperson for the Quincy Woman's Club Juniors, participated in the State Federation drama workshop at the Quincy Woman's Club. "Onions in the Stew," a play sponsored by the Mr. and Mrs. Club of the Houghs Neck Congregational Church, raised \$450 for the church scholarship fund.

READERS FORUM

QHS's Production of 'Grease' Was 'Superb'

My granddaughter, Elia, daughter and I attended the matinee showing of "Grease" at Quincy High School on March 24.

My granddaughter loves plays. She even prefers Fairytale Theater productions to Disney.

We were not disappointed. She didn't even miss John Travolta, who is an all-time favorite of hers.

The production was superb. If you haven't attended a high school play, you're missing something great.

These young people put everything into their performances. The singing, acting, and dancing was terrific. The

cast was gracious enough to autograph Elia's program for her. She loves that.

They should be commended for a show very well done.

Sheila Durkin
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KINDERGARTEN teachers Lori Cahill (left) and Ronnie Bowler give Quincy High School students from the Early Education and Care Program a little hands-on training in literacy instruction at the early childhood level.

QHS Early Ed Students Get Training In Kindergarten

Quincy High School students who are enrolled in the Center for Career and Technical Education's Early Education and Care Program recently spent a hands-on day with the system's kindergarten teachers.

The teachers, Lori Cahill and Ronnie Bowler, provided the students with background and insight as to what is happening system-wide in the Quincy Public Schools and the students assisted with lessons and activities.

The students were placed by Maureen Ajemian, the Early Education and Care

teacher at Quincy High, who places her students in kindergarten classrooms where they spend two days a week during their junior and senior years.

Both Mayor William Phelan and Superintendent Richard DeCristofaro have made literacy a major goal for early learners in the Quincy schools.

The kindergarten teachers presented the students with an overview of the five components of reading: phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary and comprehension.

They also shared with the students the importance of instilling a love of reading in very young children by modeling good reciprocal teaching strategies while demonstrating a developmentally appropriate, hand-on approach to reading comprehension.

The Early Education and Care Program at Quincy High is a two-year major where students learn the knowledge and skills to become preschool teachers. Some colleges allow students to receive credit for their high school programs.

World War I Years Series To Continue At Library

The third of a three-part film series designed to revisit and understand the tumultuous events of a formative period in American history will be presented Tuesday, April 3, at 7 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The series is entitled "The World War I Years: America Becomes a World Power."

and the third session is devoted to "Modern War," and will examine the damage inflicted on the people of the world by the carnage of war.

Newbury College Professor of History Dan Breen will present a lively lecture, followed by a documentary film screening and discussion. No registration is re-

quired and participants may attend more of more sessions.

The series is made possible by National Video Resources and sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

For more information, call 617-0376-1301 or visit thomascranepubliclibrary.org.

Fast Food Industry Takes Hit In Movie At Library

The fast food industry is pilloried in the movie, entitled "Fast Food Nation," that will be shown Thursday, April 12, at 7 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Inspired by the incendiary bestseller that exposed the hidden facts behind America's fast food industry, the movie combines an all-star ensemble cast with interlocked human stories.

When a marketing executive for Mickey's burger chain is told there is a nasty secret ingredient in his food, he heads for the ranches and slaughterhouses of Colorado to investigate.

What he discovers is difficult to swallow. The picture

is rated R.

The movie that is scheduled for showing Thursday, April 19, at 7 p.m. will be "Madenusa," a fable about the clash between old and new in a strange village in Andes Mountains of Peru.

Madenusa is a 14-year-old girl with a sweet Indian face who lives in an isolated mountain village, a strange place characterized by its re-

ligious fervor.

But everything changes with the arrival in the village of Salvador, a young geologist from Lima, who will unknowingly change the destiny of the girl.

The movie is recommended for ages 17 and over.

Both films are shown free of charge. For more information, call 617-376-1301.

Quincy Art Association Classes Start April 23

The Quincy Art Association will be offering classes for adults and children in all mediums, including new classes in portrait sculpture for adults and mixed media

sculpture for children.

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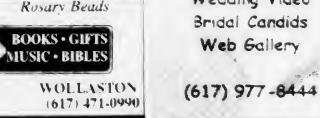
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Identity Theft – Don't Let It Happen To You

By **ANTHONY CARUSO**

Consumers, guard your wallets and be alert!

Identity theft scandals have been making headlines recently, and awareness of the very real possibility that anyone, at any time, could have his or her personal information misappropriated is at an all time high. The best way to protect yourself is to be aware of your surroundings and to keep track of your finances.



ANTHONY CARUSO

What is Identity Theft?

Identity theft is when someone uses your personal information such as your name, date of birth, Social Security number or credit card numbers to impersonate you online, through the mail, over the telephone or even in person! This can lead to credit being obtained falsely or bank accounts being opened in your name – all without your knowledge.

As a result of these actions that you were not even aware of, legal action can be brought against you, with corresponding criminal records tainting your good name. Once this happens, it takes considerable effort and expense to restore your credit and financial history back to its original status.

How do identity thieves get the information they need to impersonate someone?

It's easier than you might think. Identity thieves can obtain your personal information by stealing records from businesses and institutions or bribing someone to provide that information, hacking into computer databases, soliciting personal information through online scams, or even digging through your trash.

How to avoid becoming a victim of identity theft.

- Protect your personal information. Review your bank statements and credit card bills monthly for any unusual activity; order and review credit reports on an annual basis. If you notice any discrepancies, contact your bank or credit card company immediately. You can request a free annual credit report through: **HYPERLINK** "http://www.equifax.com" **HYPERLINK** "http://www.equifax.com" **HYPERLINK** "http://

www.experian.com **www.experian.com**; and **HYPERLINK** "http://www.transunion.com" **www.transunion.com**.

- Buy a shredder. Shred all credit card and bank statements before throwing them out with the household trash. Personal shredders can be purchased for as little as \$20 at your local office supply store.

- Guard your wallet. Limit the number of credit cards and other personal information that you carry in your wallet or purse. Keep a copy of your credit cards and contact information at home so that you can quickly access numbers.

- Beware of online and phone scams. Never share personal information about yourself or family members with anyone over the telephone or on the Internet. Do not respond to emails or phone calls asking you to provide or verify personal information about you, your bank or your financial accounts. Most financial service agencies, including banks, will tell you that they will never request such information from you over the telephone or via the Internet. Additionally, be aware of your surroundings when entering your Personal Identification Number (PIN) at an ATM.

What do I do if my identity is "stolen"?

As we learned in the recent TJX Companies, Inc. and Stop and Shop data breach debacles, even safe systems can be beaten by tech-savvy predators. If you have learned you are a victim of identity theft, take a deep breath and then follow these steps to ensure your accounts and credit will be safe.

Contact a major consumer

credit reporting company. Contact TransUnion (1-800-680-7289), Equifax (1-800-525-6285) or Experian (1-888-397-3742) and ask to have a Fraud Alert placed on your credit report. The company you choose to notify will contact the other two agencies and request they update their files accordingly. Then, obtain a copy of your credit report from each agency and review it carefully for any charges you do not recognize. Report any discrepancies to the agency to request the necessary corrections.

- Close your accounts. Close all bank and credit accounts that you know, or even suspect, have been fraudulently obtained, accessed or otherwise tampered with. Your banks and credit card companies will assist you in filing written disputes for transactions that were not made by you.

- Notify the local and state authorities. Remember, it is important to notify the police in your own city or town as well as the police in the municipality where the fraud occurred.

- Notify the Federal Trade Commission. You may file a complaint with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) online at **HYPERLINK** "http://www.consumer.gov/idtheft" **www.consumer.gov/idtheft**. The FTC may be able to refer your complaint to other government agencies for further action.

- For more detailed information and suggestions on how to prevent identity theft, or if you've become a victim and are looking for assistance, please visit the Bank of Canton website at **www.bankcanton.com** and click on the Online Fraud Prevention link at the bottom of the homepage. Or, you may contact the Federal Trade Commission, the Federal Government's primary agency for dealing with identity theft matters, at 1-877-IDTHEFT.

Anthony Caruso is Senior Vice President of Branch Administration for Bank of Canton, which has offices in Canton, Brookline, Quincy, Randolph and Hyannis. For more information, visit: **www.bankcanton.com** or call 888-828-1690.



QUINCY MEDICAL CENTER Volunteer of the Year Joe Perdicaro (center) is congratulated by Thomas Largey, Executive Secretary to the Quincy Mayor William Phelan (left) and Dr. Gary Gibbons, QMC President and CEO, right. Largey presented Perdicaro with a certificate of appreciation on behalf of the City of Quincy.

Awards Also Presented For Outstanding Employee, Manager Of Year

Quincy's Joe Perdicaro Honored As QMC Volunteer Of The Year

Quincy Medical Center recently honored several South Shore residents during an employee appreciation event at the Center.

Among those honored were recipients of the Outstanding 2006 Manager, Volunteer and Employee of the Year awards.

The awards and recipients are:

Employee of the Year
East Bridgewater resident Dorothy Civitarese was recognized for her work as Distribution Aide in the General Stores/Material Management Department.

Manager of the Year
Abington resident William Ferrazzi, who joined QMC in 1977, was honored for his work as Controller.

Volunteer of the Year
Quincy resident Joseph Perdicaro was recognized for his volunteer service since joining the Volunteer Program in 2002.

In addition, QMC President and CEO Dr. Gary Gibbons presented four President's Awards in recognition of outstanding teamwork.

The 2006 President's Award recipients were:

- Braintree resident Judith Brown, Dietary Supervisor
- Quincy resident Robert Curry, Chairman of the Board of Trustees

- Quincy resident Kristen Seaman, Executive Assistant
- Norwood resident Denise Parker Spillane, Marketing/Public Relations Officer

Quincy Medical Center is a 232-bed acute care community-teaching hospital providing South Shore residents with comprehensive medical and surgical services.

Senior Lunch Program Expands At Beechwood Senior Drop-In Center

Quincy's Senior Lunch Program at Beechwood on the Bay has expanded in direct response to seniors' communicated need, reports Sharron Beals, the Center's Executive Director.

"We have long provided a mid-week hot lunch and related social activities and programming (in partnership with the Nutrition Department at South Shore Elder Services)," explained Maryann Mahony, the Drop In Senior Center's Coordinator.

"However," Mahony said,

"many Quincy Seniors of advanced age, although still living independently in their own homes, have difficulties with food preparation and may not always prepare and eat a balanced and nutritionally sound diet."

"The meals available through South Shore Elder Services, are wonderful, carefully planned and prepared for the balanced dietary needs and tastes of older adults. We are pleased to now offer a full course hot meal every Wednesday and Thursday at noon. Cost is only

\$2.00, (less than 1/4 of actual value). On Tuesdays and Fridays, seniors are encouraged to bring their own lunch with Beechwood providing beverages and snacks.

Seniors must make reservations by Monday for Wednesday's lunch and Tuesday for Thursday's lunch.

For more information about Beechwood, Senior lunches or activities available at the "Drop-In" Center, call Maryann at 617-471-5712.

Songs, Stories Of Kurdistan Featured At Library Concert

Storyteller and singer Diane Edgcomb and singer and saz player Andrew Aytac will bring the folktales and music of Kurdistan to the Thomas Crane Public Library Sunday, April 22, from 3 to 4 p.m.

The performance will provide a rare glimpse into the world of the Kurds, whose homeland is in the Zagros Mountains at the

headwaters of the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers in Iraq, Turkey and Iran.

A native of northern Kurdistan, Aytac was introduced to the saz, a guitar-like instrument, at an early age by his grandfather and uncle who were traditional players and singers. He began playing saz at the age of 12.

Edgcomb's lifelong interest in image-based perfor-

mance, mythology and nature has led her to create a variety of unusual performance projects. She has been called a "virtuoso of the spoken word."

The performance for all ages is free and sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library. For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit **thomascranelibrary.org**.

13 Quincy Residents On Norfolk County Agriculture High School Honor Roll

Norfolk County Agriculture High School lists 10 Quincy students on its second term honor roll.

They are:

HIGH HONORS
Meghan Riley, sopho-

more; Andrew Gardikis, junior; and Robert Sullivan, senior

HONORS

Sophomores: Nicholas Catizone, Sarah Dumas, Siobhan Moriarty, Brittany Regal and Caitlin

VanderMeel.

Juniors: Paul Blaser, Catlin Brabazon, James Connors and John Murphy IV.

Senior: Michael Naughton.

Things Are Happening In Quincy!

Mary's Message Therapy



Brian McNamee (Ward 6, City Councillor), Nancy Mui (Ascend Tutorial & Services), Mary Chau (Owner of Mary's Message Therapy), Mayor William J. Phelan, Dean Rizzo (Executive director of Quincy 2000 Collaborative) Phillip Huang. Mary's Message Therapy recently opened an office at 423A Hancock Street in North Quincy. The four person staff specializes in Hot Stone Massage, Hot Wax Bath Therapy, Deep Tissue Massage, Chair Massage, Myofascial Release, Tui Na Massage, Lymph Drainage Therapy, Swedish Massage, Thai Massage and Sports Massage.

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Sean Galvin (President of Galvin Structures and Quincy 2000 Chairman), Doug Gutro (City Council President), Claude Chui (Far Eastern Fine Furniture owner) Dean Rizzo (Executive director of Quincy 2000 collaborative). Located at 1479 Hancock Street in Quincy Center Far Eastern Fine Furniture offers handmade rosewood furniture using traditional Chinese furniture making technique developed throughout the centuries in China. In addition to the traditional stylized Chinese furniture the store offers contemporary design concepts with clear lines, shapes and functions

Beni Café



Mayor Phelan and Ward 6 City Councillor Brian McNamee help cut the ribbon of the new Beni Café with owners Jimmy Liang (left of Mayor) and Tony Liang (right of Councillor McNamee). Located at 405 Hancock Street in North Quincy, Beni Café offers a great selection of fresh sushi and several maki and nigiri combinations.

Quincy 2000 Collaborative is a private, non-profit economic development corporation that unites Quincy's public and private sectors in a common mission for economic development. Since 1992, Quincy 2000 Collaborative has played a major role in attracting new business and jobs to the city and by helping businesses grow once they are here.

Whether it is starting a new business, expanding, or relocating to Quincy, you have a partner in Quincy 2000. We can help you create a business plan, prepare a loan application, provide financing or guide you through the permitting, licensing and zoning requirements. Contact Quincy 2000 Collaborative for a complete list of programs, and to find out more about the free one-on-one business counseling services available.

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Ward 2 City Councillor Daniel Raymondi, Oliver Austria, Ruben B. Austria, Mayor William Phelan, Jeffrey Austria, Edwin Baduya, Allan Martin, Tony Layug, Dean Rizzo, Ward 4 City Councillor Jay Davis, at the recent grand opening of Maxima Mortgage Solutions at their new Wollaston offices located at 716 Hancock Street. Maxima Solutions is a full service brokerage providing residential and commercial loans for local Quincy Community as well as nationwide.

FIN, FUR & Feather



Participating in the ribbon cutting are, left to right, owner Katherine Blackadar, owner John Blackadar, and Ward 2 Councilman Dan Raymondi. FIN, FUR & Feather Pet Shops is pleased to announce the relocation of the Quincy pet shop. The new store, at 503 Washington Street, is diagonally across the street from the previous location.

Classic Hairstyling



Brian McNamee (Ward 6 Councillor), David Montoya and Joe Montoya (Owners of Classic Hairstyling), Mayor William J. Phelan, Louie Peters, (Hair Stylist) Rev. John O'Brien (Sacred Heart Parish), & Dean Rizzo (Quincy 2000 Collaborative). Located on Billings Rd. since 1982, Classic Hairstyling recently moved from 42 to 58 Billings Rd. Joe Montoya has been a barber since 1960, and all together the employees have over 100 years of hair cutting experience. If you are looking for a good old fashioned friendly barbershop, stop in and visit Classic Hairstyling!

PURE Chocolate



Mayor Phelan joined co-owners Christina Barkus (left) and Lisa Trifone (right) at the recent grand opening of PURE Chocolate.

Located at 102 Franklin Street in South Quincy PURE Chocolate specializes in the finest chocolate and most decadent treats, custom gifts, favors, corporate events, chocolate buffet tables and belgian chocolate fountains.

Other NQHS Students On Second Term Honor Roll

The following North Quincy High School students were inadvertently omitted from the March 15 publication of the second term honor roll.

They are:
Distinction
Grade 11: Alex Brean, Nicole Casinelli, Alex Chan, Hannah Chan, Nan Chen, Lik Hang Chong, Tony Chou, Kien Dao, Eugene Doan, Lisa Donaghue and Christopher Eng.
Grade 10: Nora Abo-Sido,

Michael Baysa, Nora Canavan, Ka Man Chan, Stacey Chung, Megan Croake, Jessica Davis, Maggie Diu, Jenny Do, Tien Hoang, Daniel Keeley, Trang Le, Chunliu Li, Frederick Li, Anna Lu, Lily Man, Stephen Markarian, Jennifer May, Jenna McAuliffe, Jason Mei, Melissa Mullane, Jugera Sulejmani, Edmund Tang, Bonnie Wong, Philip Wong, Victoria Wong, Yao Sing Wong, Jillian Worley, Jennifer Wu and Helen Yung.

Grade 9: Hui Ling Lu, Jonathan Luong, Alice Luu, Gregory McDouglas, Michael Medeiros, Kristen Moreno, Adam Moreschi, Adrian Morfe, Jennifer Ngo, Tuyet Van Nguyen, Vicky Nguyen, Andy Quach, Alessandra Quillin, Basem Sadaka, Marisa Saraci, Mary Schwartz, Leah Sorrentino, Lina Tian, Samantha To, Christine Tran, Jaclyn Tran, Tea Trebicka, Wing Na Tsoi, Haley Wong, Amy Worth, Yuan Yang and Ai Wen Yu.

Easter Bunny Visit Among April Events At Atria Marina Place

The Easter Bunny is just one of several lively attractions that are free and open to the public on the April calendar at Atria Marina Place, the independent and assisted living community at 4 Seaport Drive in North Quincy.

Also on the schedule is a music date with Ms. Senior Massachusetts, an art seminar and a humorous speech on aging by Tom Clabby of the Quincy Council on Aging.

On Monday, April 2 at 2:30 p.m., the Center will

offer a program called "Art Matters" with Jane Blair.

An Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled on the following Saturday, April 7. The first event of the day features the Easter Bunny who will be posing for pictures beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Organizers tell visitors, "Bring your own baskets for the Easter Egg Hunt" which begins at 2 p.m. A Magic Show is scheduled for 2:15 p.m. and refreshments follow at 2:45 p.m.

On Wednesday, April 11

at 2:30 p.m., residents and the public will enjoy a performance by Fran Owens, Ms. Senior Massachusetts who has recorded over 35 albums and 5 new CDs recently. She also has her own television show.

On Tuesday, April 17, the center has scheduled a free luncheon at noon and a presentation by Clabby at 2 p.m. on "Successful Aging."

Interested persons may call 617-770-3264 for additional information.

Koch Urges QHA To Correct Conditions At Tobin Towers

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch this week urged the Quincy Housing Authority to take immediate action to resolve what he called "intolerable" conditions in the Tobin Towers public housing building stemming from persistent problems with running hot water.

Koch recently met with the building's tenant association, which represents the seniors and disabled people who live in the Clay Street building. Koch said residents described to him repeated failures to maintain running hot water in the building several months after a major boiler malfunction.

"Hot water is a fundamental requirement of even the most basic level of humane living conditions, never mind what we should require and expect in one of our flagship public housing buildings," Koch said in a

letter to Housing Authority Executive Director Jay MacRitchie.

"This is not routine maintenance that can be treated like a minor inconvenience to residents. This is an emergency, and it's incumbent upon your office to take whatever measures necessary to fully resolve the problem as soon as possible."

In talking with residents of the building, Koch said he repeatedly heard stories of complaints and concerns about hot water and other maintenance issues being brushed aside or even ignored.

"I cannot stress to you enough the importance of treating people with respect, dignity and openness," Koch said. "If a problem cannot be immediately fixed, residents should at least feel like their concerns are being heard. I can only hope that these

problems are not systemic in all of our public housing buildings."

Koch said residents spoke candidly about other plumbing issues, including consistently back-up drains, and elevators that work properly only sporadically. He suggested that residents in Tobin Towers contact the mayor's office, saying that any suggestion that city hall has no role in Housing Authority matters is "misguided."

Koch noted that the mayor appoints four of the five members on the Authority's board of directors and actively lobbied for MacRitchie's appointment to the head job at the agency.

"These are not the kind of day-to-day maintenance issues that are often placed on the back burner in order to deal with more pressing issues," Koch said. "These are the pressing issues."

Lincoln Hancock - Della Chiesa PTC Sponsoring Book Award Scholarships

Graduating seniors who are alumni of the Lincoln Hancock School may apply for a Book Award Scholarship if they are planning to attend an institution of higher learning. The awards are sponsored by the Lincoln Hancock-Della Chiesa PTC.

Applications may be picked up at the Guidance Department of North Quincy

High School, Quincy High School, and the Lincoln Hancock Community School.

Completed applications are due on or before April 27 and should be sent to Dennis

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled

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Councillors Urge Crowley To Sit Down With Union

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\$32,000 will be used for repairs of cruisers and motorcycles, \$8000 for vehicles, supplies, and \$6,500 for professional services.

"We just cannibalized two cruisers today," Crowley said, then described the need for motorcycle repairs that insurance will not cover.

Raymondi suggested voting a transfer from the city's Free Cash line rather than "deplete the personnel line" that could cover that overnight shift.

During the meeting, Crowley provided data indicating that the department does not cover all 13 city sectors with cruisers 24 hours a day, seven days every week as recommended unanimously by the City Council on March 5.

The chief cited statistics showing low crime and call times after 2 a.m. and provided records showing a significant drop of almost one minute in police response time from 2003 to 2007. Crowley said that the cruisers are assigned the "way we've been covering for the last seven to eight years."

"I assumed that we had 13 sector cars around the clock," Raymondi said, noting that the \$46,500 would cover several hundred officers' hours in overtime if needed.

Twice during Monday's session, the chief retracted earlier statements made that night regarding police issues. At one point, Crowley insisted that 10 cruisers and one "Impact Car" were on patrol during a specific shift and said that the "Impact

Car" was not parked at the station during that shift.

However, one of the police captains attending Monday's meeting silently signaled the chief and provided the correct data to him at the podium. Captains Michael Miller, Anthony DiBona, John Dougan and Paul Keenan accompanied Crowley to the meeting, as did Lt. Charles Santoro.

After receiving additional information, Crowley said, "I misspoke; it was 10 cars." He explained that the "Impact Car" was, in fact, at headquarters that night and was assigned to chauffeuring duties.

"Before you speak, get the facts," Gutro suggested later in the meeting. "From this day forward, get as much clarity as possible." As for mending fences with the patrolmen's union, Gutro said, "It needs to happen."

At-large Councillor Joseph Finn said both sides need to "tone down the rhetoric."

Gutro cited the courage of the 50 plus patrolmen who demonstrated in City Hall Chambers on February 26.

NQHS Parents To Meet April 5

The North Quincy High School Parents Advisory Council will meet Thursday, April 5, at 7 p.m. in the Trophy Room at the high school.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call 617-376-1245.

"It sends a message," Gutro noted that 25% or more of the police department's workforce demonstrated that night.

"I was called a liar 12 times," Crowley said of that night. Crowley dismissed the numbers attending the meeting to show the union membership's support for their president.

Crowley described his efforts to meet with union officials but said that the union is demanding a transcript of their session.

"The sticking point is that they want a stenographer there," Crowley told the Council Monday, adding, "They don't set the rules."

"They can come in anytime they want," Crowley praised Quincy's officers, "They do a fantastic job, second to none. I want to open up communication."

In a March 21st letter to union president Bruce Tait, the chief promised that he and his command staff would be available for a meeting "to address any issues or misunderstandings that you believe may exist between management and labor."

Tait responded through a March 27 letter, saying that while union is "...committed to a meeting anytime,

anywhere, we also remain firm that a stenographer will be present."

Several councillors agreed that, under other circumstances, the vote to transfer the \$46,500 would have been a routine matter. For the current fiscal year, the department's Personnel budget totals \$19,388,410 of

which \$14,243,000 had been spent as of March 1.

According to the chief's summary, the department will have an excess of \$69,791 if the federal Department of Homeland Security pays the city its debt of \$112,000.

Crowley told councillors that he was assured that

Homeland Security would be cutting the check that very day. Without the federal payment, the department's Personnel budget may run into red ink.

The vote was taken at the Finance Committee meeting Monday and must be confirmed again at a formal City Council session.



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Morrissey Urges Constituents To Apply For College Financial Aid

Qualified students are missing out on Financial Aid grants and low-interest loans, as well as private scholarships for colleges and universities, according to state Senator Michael W. Morrissey who recently urged students and parents to research the many opportunities.

Senator Morrissey said recently that more than \$1 billion is available for college students through grants and loans from federal and state government agencies. In addition, he said there are millions of dollars also available through colleges and universities.

"Students and their families should be aware that



MICHAEL MORRISSEY

funds exist to help ease the financial burden of attending college," Senator Morrissey said, adding, "It takes time and patience to uncover these sources and to get through the application process."

The first step in the process is to file the federal form called FAFSA or the Free Application for Federal Student Aid which can be accessed online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Students heading for private colleges are likely to need the CSS PROFILE available online at <http://profile.collegeboard.com>. One on one guidance is also available at the TERI College Access Center located at Boston Public Library, Copley Square, 700 Boylston St., Boston.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

The Council is mandated by law to do background checks on all volunteers.

Live Auction April 7 To Benefit Quincy's Mini Fenway Park

Boston Red Sox fans are invited to join Sox legends, Wally the Green Monster and Shonda Schilling at the Fenway Park License Plate Auction on Sat., April 7, from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m., at the Fenway Park State Street Pavilion. The live auction will feature one-of-a-kind plates with the uniform numbers of celebrated Red Sox players and the years of Red Sox pennant-winning and world championship teams. The event culminates an online auction of the plates that began March 1 at the Red Sox website (www.redsox.com).

Honorary co-chairs of the event are Boston Red Sox legends, Luis Tiant and Carl Yastrzemski. The event kicks off at 7 p.m. with a buffet dinner, complimentary beverages and entertainment by "Street Magic," NESN SportsDesk reporter, Jayme Parker, will serve as the evening's master of ceremonies. Celebrity auctioneer, actor-comedian Tony V, and auctioneer Dan Flynn will begin the live auction at 8:30 p.m. The evening will con-

clude with entertainment by "Andrew and Expressions."

Proceeds from the auction as well as overall sales of the Fenway Park License Plate will benefit Mini Fenway Park; a half-sized replica of Boston's famed ballpark to begin construction in late spring. Funds will help support both capital and operations needs for building the facility and implementing its youth athletic development programs.

Sponsors of the Fenway Park License Plate include State Street Corporation, Enterprise Rent-A-Car, Dunkin Donuts and Payton Construction. "We are grateful to our sponsors, the Boston Red Sox, Major League Baseball, the Registry of Motor Vehicles, 3M Corporation, our volunteers, and the 1500 folks who have purchased the plate for helping to make it happen," said Ron Iacobucci, CEO of Kids Replica Ballpark, Inc., the organization spearheading

the construction of Mini Fenway Park.

Bidding at the live auction will be on the 25 lowest numbered license plates from the online auction, which includes the following numbers: 1-22, 24-99, 406, 1489, 1967, 1975, 1986, 1903, 1912, 1916, 1918 and 2004.

Tickets for the event are \$100 for standing room and \$250 for reserved seating. Ticket holders will be treated to a dinner buffet, open bar with wine, beer and soda, and a deluxe gift bag. To purchase tickets or to participate in the online auction, go to <http://www.redsox.com/minifenwaypark> and click on "Charity Event."

Mini Fenway Park will be built on 12 acres in the Blue Hills Reservation in Quincy, MA located directly off Exit 8 on U.S. Interstate 93.

For more information, visit www.redsox.com/minifenwaypark or email info@kidsreplicaballpark.org.

Tax Tips From The Experts. Advantages of Health Savings Accounts

As the cost of health insurance continues to rise and Massachusetts' mandatory health care on the horizon, the new health savings accounts (HSAs) may start to gain popularity.

An HSA is an IRA for health care costs. You get a tax deduction for contributions to the plan with distributions tax free if used for the health care. You must have a high deductible health policy. 2007 contributions are limited to \$2,550 for single person coverage, \$5,650 for families. IRS authorization is not necessary to establish an HSA but you must work with a trustee such as a bank, insurance company or other qualified financial service institution.

The benefits of an HSA are:

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Qualifications for an HSA:

• A high deductible health plan (HDHP) described later in this article of the month. No other health coverage. Not enrolled in Medicare. Not claimed as a dependent on someone else's 2006 tax return.

If you meet these requirements, you are an eligible individual even if your spouse has non-HDHP family coverage, provided your spouse's coverage does not cover you.

The following table shows the minimum deductible and the maximum annual deductible and other out-of-pocket expenses for HDHPs for 2006.

Type of Coverage	Minimum Annual Deductible	Maximum Annual Deductible and Other Out-of-Pocket Expenses*
Self only	\$1,100	\$2,750
Family	\$2,200	\$5,400

Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617) 576-6226.

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Remembered by the members of the William R. Caddy Detachment Marine Corps League, Quincy Anniversary Observance Sunday, April 1, 12 noon at Caddy Memorial Park, Quincy Shore Drive
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Chaplain Wayne Scott

All members of the Caddy Detachment Marine Corps League, will fall out in uniform Sunday, April 1st, 12 Noon sharp for wreath laying ceremonies at Caddy Memorial Park. All veterans of Iwo Jima and other veterans organizations are cordially invited. Collation to be held at William R. Caddy Detachment, 111 Newbury Ave., North Quincy, after services.

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Council Wants Accurate Count On Bad Hydrants

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department of the location of non-working hydrants.

The estimated number of faulty hydrants across the city changed from a few dozen to 300 at different times during Monday's meeting, dismaying councillors who repeatedly asked for the correct number and a accurate list.

As the meeting opened, Chief Pettinelli presented graphs indicating that some

300 hydrant were defective, had low pressure or no water. However, DPW Commissioner Stephen O'Donnell immediately offered a more updated list with only 19 faulty hydrants.

O'Donnell said that the original list included dozens of "no drain hydrants" which is a minor problem solved each Fall. Another list of over 100 faulty hydrants was provided by the firefighters' union. In many cases, the

locations on the different lists did not match.

During his weekly televised press conference, Mayor William Phelan called the question of non-working fire hydrants "a non-issue."

"Writing a list is all it takes," the Mayor said, adding there may be a problem "...if they're not reporting them to the water department."

At Monday's meeting, several councillors referred to a recent fire in Quincy at which firefighters hooked up to a non-working fire hydrant.

"We're trained for the unexpected," Pettinelli said when discussing that incident.

-- LAURA GRIFFIN

Geologist Steve Marabee Speaker At Galleria April 2

State Geologist Steve Mabee will be the featured speaker at 2 p.m. on Monday, April 2 when Blue Hill Adventure and Quarry Museum open a new Geology Display at The Galleria in Presidents' Place.

The new display will feature 54 polished core borings from the bedrock of cities and towns across the state. The samples were donated by the Massachusetts Water Resource Authority and the Massachusetts Highway Department. Quincy's Monti Granite Company and

Canton's Majestic Marble Granite companies polished the core borings for display.

The public is invited and all events and displays are free. Contact David P. Hodgdon at 617-326-0079 for more information.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

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Library Guided Tour April 7

A guided walk through the Thomas Crane Public Library, one of downtown Quincy's architectural gems, will be conducted Saturday, April 7, starting at 10 a.m.

The original building, which now houses the reference section of the library, is a masterpiece designed by the renowned architect H. H. Richardson in 1882 and re-

cently restored.

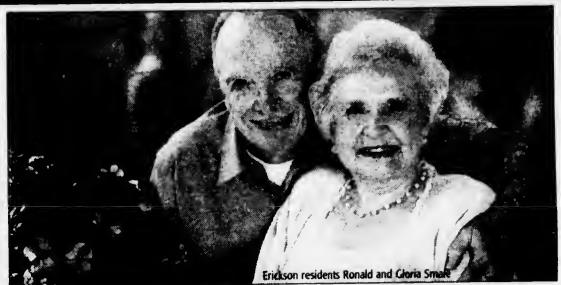
The Coletti reading room, added in 1939, contains a carved brownstone bas relief and houses a monthly art exhibit inside.

The newest addition, a contemporary interpretation of Richardson's Romanesque style constructed in 2001, has everything from

audiobooks to Internet computers to zoo passes.

All ages are welcome to join the free tours. No registration is required. Tours will meet in the ground floor atrium. Interpretation in Cantonese and Mandarin will be provided.

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Neighborhood Housing Services Homebuyer Workshop At City Hall

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore in conjunction with Sovereign Bank will host a

First-Time Homebuyer Workshop Wednesday, April 4, 11 and 18 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the second floor conference room of Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock St. Attendance at all sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. At the workshop, participants will have the opportunity to speak with a

lender.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal aspects of the home buying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from related professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person.

Call 617-770-2227 ext. 31.



By Samantha Mazzotta

"Airing Out" Your Pipes

Q. When flushing the toilets, the pipes in the house make a banging noise for about 20 seconds. The noise stops when we run water from the faucets in the bathroom or kitchen. What is the cure?

—Rosemarie G., via e-mail

A. The banging noise you're hearing, also known as "water hammer," is a result of air being trapped somewhere in the plumbing system — most likely in the cold-water supply lines, since you're able to stop the noise by turning on faucets.

A home's pipes have lots of bends and turns and odd short stems that lead nowhere. This is not just so the pipes will get where they need to go; certain parts are deliberately placed in certain configurations to redirect air bubbles so they don't impede water flow or cause annoying problems like water hammer.

Even with this preventive planning, air can still get trapped in spots where it isn't supposed to be. This can occur after work is done on the plumbing, such as repairing or replacing pipes, faucets or other hardware. It can also occur due to high

water pressure in the pipes, which can happen when the home's supply system is not designed to compensate for municipal supply feeds that might be delivered at high pressure.

You can attempt to "bleed" air out of the supply pipes first. Turn off the main water supply to the house. Locate the lowest faucet in the pipe system (the first-floor bathroom, or an outdoor spigot); then locate the highest faucet in the system (such as an upstairs bathroom). Open the lowest and highest faucets and allow all the water to drip out. When the dripping stops, close both faucets. Turn on the main water supply. Test the system by flushing the toilets a few times.

If this does not work, contact a plumber to inspect the water supply lines and measure the water pressure. He or she may recommend installing a pressure-reducing valve at the main supply feed, or a water-hammer reduction valve.

Send questions or home-repair tips to home@quincy21.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Hints for the Home

New Vacuum Cleaner Closes In On Dirt

(NAPS) — When do three inches go farther than 30? When it comes to getting carpets and floors deep down clean. That's the philosophy behind a vacuum that features the industry's shortest air path for maximum suction.

Instead of moving dirt through a long hose and cup, the designers put the motor and dust bag as close to the intake as possible. Dirt travels just three inches from the nozzle to the bag, creating powerful suction and superior cleaning performance.

The shorter air path and increased suction pleases the 89 percent of Americans who said in a recent survey that powerful suction is the most important vacuum cleaner feature. The Intensity vacuum from Electrolux was created to respond to that consumer need and features a 12-amp motor and 3-inch air path, allowing for maximum suction all the way to the edges. In the same survey, Americans stated that the most important design feature in a vacuum cleaner is "convenient storage." This resulted in a compact, 16-pound machine designed with an adjustable, telescopic handle that folds down for easy portability and storage.

The vacuum's powerful two-motor system provides maximum performance on all floor surfaces. The design includes fingertip controls on the unit's handle that allow users to turn the power brush on for carpet and off for bare floors, while blue surface-indicator lights display the setting, making it easy to select the appropriate cleaning mode and transition from carpets to hard-surfaces. In addition, its edge-cleaning brushes reach dirt along baseboards and a HEPA filtration system lets the vacuum capture 99.97 percent of dust, allergens, pet dander and other small particles in the air.

An "optimum" indicator light along the back of the machine also makes vacuuming simpler. This feature glows a tranquil blue when all systems are running smoothly, reassuring users that their homes are receiving the best clean possible. When the vacuum's bag or filter needs changing, the light is replaced by a red light indicating the appropriate action.

There's a 21-foot cord that automatically rewinds for quick and neat storage, soft-touch grips for comfort, wheels and furniture guard for protection, and fingertip controls for maximum convenience and minimum bending. There's no assembly required. Intensity is ready to use right out of the box. Here are more hints to help you get the most from your vacuuming:

- According to the Textile Cleaners of America, over 80 percent of all loose dirt comes in through your front door. Reduce dust with a good doormat.

- Before you vacuum, pick up any large pieces of clutter, especially threads that can bind a vacuum's brush, and put up electric and window blind cords so they won't get tangled or sucked up in the vacuum.

- Start by cleaning the drapes and follow with the windowsills, backs of couches, pillows and lampshades, as dust falls down.

- Vacuum across the traffic pattern, three times for lightly soiled spots and about six times for more heavily soiled areas.

- Vacuum at least once a week. Walking on soiled carpet drives the dirt particles below the pile where they can damage the fibers.

For more information about the vacuum and retail locations, visit www.intensityvac.com.

Dollars and sense

by David Uffington

Plan Now for Summer Energy Savings

If last summer's heat was brutal, it's not too late to think about air conditioning. Now is the time to find good deals, before the weather heats up.

If you have an old central air-conditioning unit with the ductwork already in place, upgrading could easily cut your utility costs in half. Not only are the new models more efficient but, if you buy an Energy Star model, your savings increase. Add in the tax credit you get for buying an approved model, and your savings go up even more.

Read up on SEER (Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio) and learn what is required for your home size (www.energystar.gov). Higher efficiency models will run between 14 and 22, with the higher numbers being more efficient. Compare models and warranties, and don't forget the noise levels: That will matter if the only place for the unit is under your bedroom window.

Look for the yellow Energy Guide sticker on the unit. It's required that the yearly cost of operating it as well as the annual energy consumption be printed on the side label.

If you don't need to upgrade your current air conditioner, keep it in good condition by scheduling the annual inspection as soon as

the weather tops 65 degrees. (Any earlier and the coils can be damaged.)

If central air conditioning is not in your budget, consider some of the changes you can make to keep your house cooler:

- Install a reflective coating on your windows, or at the very least keep drapes closed on sunny windows. Windows can account for 40 percent of the heat buildup.
- Invest in a dehumidifier. You'll feel cooler at a higher temperature if the humidity level is lower.

- Install an attic fan to cool the ceilings in your upstairs. Better yet, consider a whole-house attic fan.

- Paint your house a light color. The exterior walls will absorb 70 percent to 90 percent less heat from the sun.
- Caulk windows and doors, just as you would for winter.

- Install awnings, louvers or solar screens. Solar screens block the sun but still allow you to see out.

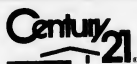
Go to www.eehvacdirect.com to see which air conditioning models qualify for a tax credit.

David Uffington regrets that he cannot personally answer reader questions, but will incorporate them into his column whenever possible. Write to him in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475 or send e-mail to letters.kfws@earthlink.net.

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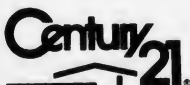
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The Five Most Dangerous Hazards In Your Home

(NAPS) – Increasingly, homebuyers are learning the inside story on how hazards found inside homes can pose threats to their health.

"These hazards are an important reason homebuyers need to have their home thoroughly tested by a home inspector," said Dan Steward, president of Pillar To Post, North America's leading provider of home inspection services.

Here are a few hazards to look for:

- **Radon**, a colorless, odorless, tasteless gas, can be present in surrounding soil or well water and seep into the parts of the home closest to the ground. The radioactive particles that radon creates can damage your lungs. The only way to know if your house has radon is to test the house. There are relatively inexpensive ways to do-it-yourself project.

- **Asbestos** is a fibrous material used in construction because it's durable and fire retardant, but it has also been identified as a cancer-causing substance. Asbestos can be found in insulation, around pipes and furnaces and in vinyl tiles and flooring materials. When it's removed, minute asbestos fibers are released into the air and can be inhaled through the nose and mouth. Once ingested, asbestos fibers can lodge in the lungs. Surveying the home and removing the asbestos should be done by trained professionals.

- **Lead** is a metallic element that, when ingested, can accumulate in the blood, bones and soft tissue of the body. High concentrations of lead in the body can cause death or permanent damage to the central nervous system, the brain, the kidneys and

red blood cells.

Children are especially vulnerable since their bodies are still growing. Lead can be found in drinking water and in old pipes and can be airborne or present in lead-based paint. The only way to know for sure if your home's paint contains lead is to have it tested in a qualified laboratory.

- **Hazardous wastes** are potentially dangerous materials, such as pesticides or fertilizers, that were not properly stored or disposed of. Some hazardous wastes can cause death even when ingested in small amounts. Other hazardous wastes have been linked to elevated levels of cancer, permanent damage to organs, respiratory difficulties, skin rashes, birth defects and diseases that attack the central nervous system. Removal methods depend on the type of waste.

- **Groundwater contamination** occurs when hazardous chemicals seep down through the soil into underground water supplies. The U.S. Centers for Disease Control reports an average of approximately 7,500 cases of illness linked to drinking water in the United States each year. Faulty septic systems can also contribute to this hazard. The only way to know if your water is contaminated is to test it.

For more information, visit www.pillartopost.com.

(NAPS) – According to design experts, our homes are unique reflection of who we are. Yet homeowners essentially want the same thing, a warm and welcoming place to spend time with family and friends.

Decorating styles changes, but one constant remains: The simple beauty of wood never goes unnoticed. The rich patina of mahogany doors redone to their original grandeur, the warm glow of refinished pine floor, and the flea market find restored to its original beauty are examples of projects that can be completed with a little expert guidance.

Looking for Décor Ideas?

One great source for creative wood-finishing projects is the 2007 edition of Minwax Wood Beautiful magazine. Filled with eclectic styles to suit a wide range of decorating tastes, the 36-page color magazine showcases stunning photos and imaginative before-and-

after projects.

Update a Flea Market Find

Savvy homeowners might think twice before passing up that tag sale find when they see the gorgeous turn-of-the-century corkscrew bed that was rescued and restored with Minwax Wood Finish stain in English Chestnut. The resulting elegant antique creates a bedroom that

radiates warmth and comfort.

Wood Beautiful provides specific details on how to create a fun and functional teen study area, find new life for kitchen cabinets as garage storage space or transform a weathered desk. These are just a few of the many projects in the magazine that will motivate do-it-yourselfers to tackle a variety of home-decorating jobs.

Do-it-yourselfers are encouraged to visit their neighborhood hardware store or home center during National Woodworking Month to pick up a free copy of Wood Beautiful.

The magazine is offered free online at www.minwax.com. The website also features extensive product information, wood-finishing tips and project ideas.

Reverse Mortgage Topic

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Reverse mortgage is a program offered by the federal government that allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash. For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

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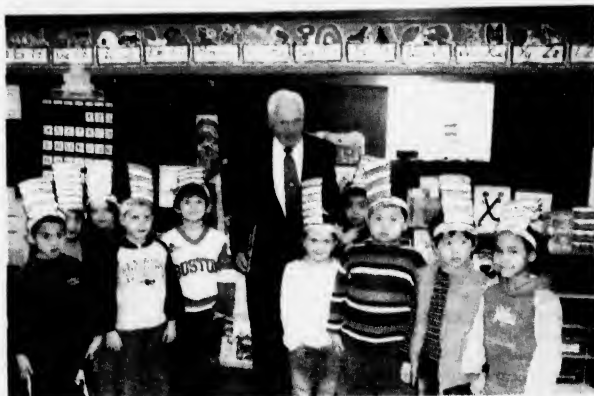
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Montclair School Celebrates Dr. Seuss' 103rd Birthday



SHARRON BEALS, executive director Beechwood On The Bay, reads "Horton Hears a Who!" to Ms. Kane's first grade class at the Montclair School.

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KINDERGARTNERS POSE in their "Cat in the Hat" hats with Lions Club member Jack Curley.



POLICE CHIEF Robert Crowley shares a story with third grade pupils



QUINCY FIRST LADY, Tracey Phelan points out illustrations to first graders.



STATE REP. Steve Tobin in his Dr. Seuss hat with fifth grader Amelia Ho.



SCHOOL SUPT. DR. Rick DeCristofaro answers questions from student readers.



SEAN BRENNAN, Quincy Sun sports reporter, reads to fourth graders

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble



GERRI HERBERT, retired assistant principal, takes fifth graders on a journey to Plymouth Rock with a favorite Jean Fritz book.



MARK JAEHNIG, director Park, Forestry and Cemetery departments reads a sports book to fourth graders.

Coughlin Seeking QBA Support For Property Preservation Act

Ward 3 City Councillor Kevin Coughlin appeared before a recent general membership meeting of the Quincy Business Association (QBA) in support of the Property Preservation Ordinance he introduced in the Council in January.

The proposed ordinance would require a minimum level of maintenance and allow regulation of specific property conditions that may constitute a blight, nuisance, or hazard to the public health, safety or welfare.

"Neglected, abandoned and blighted properties, both in residential and commercial neighborhoods, have been a long-standing concern which has been conveyed at neighborhood meetings and which I have strived to address with this legislation," he said.

"If evidence of decay such as accumulated trash, broken windows, deteriorated building exteriors remains unabated in a neighborhood, it not only diminishes the value of adjacent properties, people who live and work in the area feel less confident of their environment and feel more vulnerable."

In a recent letter, Maralin Manning, executive director of the QBA, outlined her support for the ordinance.

"Blighted conditions that have been too long overlooked in the business area may now stand a chance of getting some TLC," she



KEVIN COUGHLIN

wrote.

"With the numerous non-resident property owner in the Quincy Center area there is no pride in ownership and hence blighted conditions have not only reduced the value of surrounding proper-

ties but have made it very difficult to sell this area as the choice place to invest in a business.

"I would very much like to impress upon you just how important this ordinance can be to business growth and implore you to move along as quickly as possible."

Coughlin said he found it "gratifying to have the support of the QBA and the business community in this endeavor."

"I hope to find support among my colleagues in the City Council and encourage residents who care about the conditions of their neighborhoods to let their voices be clearly heard."

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, April 2

Pizza, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, April 3

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, April 4

Cheese burger on a bun, potato puffs, fresh fruit or fresh fruit.

Thursday, April 5

French toast sticks, sausage links, maple syrup, applesauce cup, fruit juice.

Friday, April 6

Good Friday - No School.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, April 2

French bread pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, April 3

School baked lasagna, meat and tomato sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, fruit juice.

Wednesday, April 4

Deli turkey breast on a croissant, oven fry potatoes, fruit cup.

Thursday, April 5

Baked potato with broccoli and cheese sauce, chicken tenders, dinner roll.

Friday, April 6

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Benefit April 22 For Traffic Victim Xiao Mei Chen Li

A benefit for the family of a Quincy woman struck and killed by a car in December will be held Sunday, April 22, from 1 to 4 p.m., at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 340 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Xiao Mei Chen Li, 47, mother of two Quincy school students, was killed while trying to cross Hancock Street Dec. 8.

Since that time, Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. (QARI), has been working with her husband, De Nuan Li, and has reached out to others in the community.

City Councillors Jay Davis and Brian McNamee and representatives of the Sterling Middle School, the

Wollaston Lutheran Church and the Quincy Chinese Church of the Nazarene have joined in planning the benefit.

"QARI is very happy to assist the Li family and we are thrilled that so many in the community have offered to help them as well," said David Zou, vice president of QARI.

"We hope that many others will join with us to make

the fundraiser a success and help the family get back on their feet."

The event will feature food, music and a silent auction. All proceeds will benefit the Li family. Donations may also be made directly to Eastern Bank, c/o Li Family Trust.

For more information about tickets and sponsorship, call the QARI office at 617-472-2200.

QHS Parent Advisory Council Meets April 12

Quincy High School's Parent Advisory Council Meeting will be held in the Pride Room at Quincy High

School on Thursday, April 12 at 7 p.m. Parents and all interested persons are welcome to attend.

New Ramps To Link Crown Colony, Route 3

A \$1.5 billion dollar roadway construction bond bill, approved this week by the House and Senate, contains \$30 million in funding for an access ramp linking Crown Colony in West Quincy to Route 3.

The project is located at the existing highway interchange of Route 3 at Burgin Parkway/Centre Street and will include work on several streets, the widening of existing ramps and addition of two new ramps.

Roadway construction

could begin as soon as July, 2008.

"The project is greatly needed to improve safety and access," said Sen. Michael Morrissey.

"The project will minimize the growing vehicle congestion on the off ramps leading to the Parkway and provide increased capacity for use around the area and vehicle access to the T Red Line and Quincy Center."

The project requires funding for three phases of construction: maintenance of the

HOV lane, reconstruction of Route 3 and Burgin Parkway. It also calls for resurfacing Centre Street and guardrail safety work at all locations.

"By investing in this much needed project, the Commonwealth can retain 2,000 jobs while creating up to 4,000 new jobs," said Rep. Bruce Ayers.

"By appropriating funds at this time, the state will obtain 80 cents return on the dollar through federal assistance," said Rep. Ron Mariano.

Dr. Ekbal Elkadry Completes Cosmetic Dentistry Program

Quincy dentist Dr. Ekbal Elkadry recently completed a six day program in Advanced Functional Aesthetics at the Las Vegas Institute for Advanced Dental Studies (LVGI Global). The pro-

gram focuses on the principles of smile design and cosmetic dentistry.

Dr. Elkadry studied in Las Vegas under Dr. William Dickerson, founder and CEO

of LVIGlobal. While at LVGI, Dr. Elkadry underwent intensive training with the most advanced methods and technology.

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Quincy - A new report has just been released which reveals 7 costly mistakes that most homeowners make when selling their home, and a 9 Step System that can help you sell your home fast and for the most amount of money.

This industry report shows clearly how the traditional ways of selling homes have become increasingly less and less effective in today's market. The fact of the matter is that fully three quarters of homesellers don't get what they want for their home and become disillusioned and - worse - financially disadvantaged when they put their home on the market.

As this report uncovers, most homesellers make 7 deadly mistakes that will cost them literally thousands of dollars. The good news is that each and every one of these mistakes is entirely preventable.

In answer to this issue, industry insiders have prepared a free special report entitled "The 9 Step System to Get Your Home Sold Fast and For Top Dollar."

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FOOT NOTES

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COULD YOU HAVE DIABETES? CHECK YOUR FEET!

More than 5 million people have diabetes and don't know it. This situation can lead to serious diabetes-related complications for unwitting patients, including eye, kidney, and heart disease, and the risk of lower-limb amputation. The feet often show the first signs of diabetes, so regular foot exams, either by yourself or when you visit your doctor, can alert you to trouble. Peripheral neuropathy, nerve damage to the peripheral nerves that run to the extremities, is often caused by diabetes and leads to symptoms in the feet. Check for the following warning signs: Redness, numbness, swelling, inflammation, hair loss, and/or cold to the touch sparked by a lack of blood circulation. Early detection of diabetes can prompt potentially lifesaving treatment.

It is estimated that 15 percent of all diabetics will develop a serious foot condition at some point, including infection, ulceration, or gangrene. In an effort to prevent complications of diabetes, Congress has enacted The Medicare Therapeutic Shoe Bill to provide proper footwear and inserts to qualifying individuals. Find out more about this program at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING, where we urge all diabetics to consider podiatric care as a very important component in managing their diabetic condition. Office hours are also available at Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building. Please call us here in Randolph at 781-986-3668 for an appointment.

HINT: Experts predict the rate of diabetes worldwide to double in the next 25 years.

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The Quincy Sun

SPORTS



BRITTANY NORTON, a senior at The Woodward School for Girls, helped lead her undermanned team to a 15-5 record and a second place finish in the Independent Girls Conference. Norton reached the 1,000-point mark in her last high school game.

Quincy Sun Photo/Sean Brennan

Star Forward Excels As Point Guard

Brittany Norton Leads Woodward To 'Great' Season

By SEAN BRENNAN
Imagine being the most complete player on your high school basketball team.

You are a player who has a legitimate shot at reaching the coveted 1,000 point scoring mark and you have spent your entire high school career playing at the forward position, scoring points at will and carrying your team through the thick and thin of the long season.

You are a two-time Patriot Ledger Honorable Mention all-star, an Independent Girls Conference all-league player, an Independent Girls Conference MVP and the bona-fide star of your team.

Now imagine that in your final year you are asked to completely change the way you play.

Your team's starting point guard goes down with a season-ending injury and another starter is also lost to injury. Your small team is down to two starters and a handful of inexperienced jayvee players, and you have to pick up the pieces and move forward for the good of your team and your school.

Do you think you could do that?

Well, Brittany Norton did just that and more. Norton who is a senior at The Woodward School for Girls was on pace to easily surpass the 1,000 point mark (in three years), and she had a team that finished in first place in the Independent Girls Conference her sophomore year, second her junior year and was returning the majority of that team this

winter. But then things beyond her control changed, and not only did she respond to all challenges, but Norton took a team of untested players to a 15-5 overall record and an 11-3 league record and a second place finish in league play.

Norton was asked to move from her forward position, and away from the basket where she had scored 751 points in two years (372 her sophomore year and 379 her junior year), and into the point guard spot. She did and had what her head coach considered her best year to date.

"This year we had three girls go down to injury including two starters," head coach Bob Giordano explained last week. "We had one of our starting forwards and our point guard hurt, but Brittany stepped up when we needed her the most. She is our best player and our impact star. She had led us in scoring for two years and was named a team captain her sophomore year. But never once this season did she question me; she never looked at her stats. She is by far the strongest and smartest hoops player I have had. She led an overachieving team with one bench player to a great season."

Norton, who is originally from West Roxbury, has been playing basketball since she was six years old. At the age of 10, Norton joined her first AAU travel team and began to hone her skills on the hardwood. After a year at

(Cont'd On Page 27)

For Outstanding Female Athlete

Quincy's Ashley Faiella Wins Boston Bruins Sportsmanship Award

Ashley Faiella of Quincy, a senior at Archbishop Williams High School in Braintree, is a recipient of the 2007 Boston Bruins Ice Hockey Sportsmanship Award.

The award is given annually by the Boston Bruins and the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association (MIAA). Together, these organizations have partnered to honor one worthy student-athlete from every boys' and girls' ice hockey league in the state.

Faiella is among the student-athletes selected for best exemplifying a commitment to the ideals of sportsmanship throughout the league by meeting the certain criteria, including:

- Commitment to teamwork
- Demonstrated respect for opponents
- Record of conduct on

Beechwood Seniors Training For Olympics

Quincy and South Shore seniors know that spring means "training" for the Quincy Senior Olympics. The Olympic competitions in May and senior fitness activities are already underway at Beechwood On The Bay.

Quincy's Senior Olympics are sponsored by the City of Quincy (through the Mayor's office) and Beechwood On The Bay and the 10-day competition are already scheduled with the Mayor's Torchlighting ceremony scheduled for Mon., May 7. Registration begins April 2.

"We encourage interested seniors (55-95) to participate with the approval of their physicians," said Maryann Mahony. "It is important to begin 'readiness' activities now. Walking, stretching, yoga and other activities are recommended (and available at Beechwood). George 'Trigger' Burke is our basketball coach each Friday morning beginning April 6."

On Wed., April 4, long-time fitness advisor and friend, Dr. Wayne Westcott will be guest presenter at a morning breakfast at the Center. Seniors can pre-register for that 9 a.m. breakfast.

Call Maryann Mahony for more information about Beechwood's walking groups, co-ed volleyball games, yoga classes and "Friday Fitness Fun" at (617) 471-5712.



AWARD RECIPIENT - Ashley Faiella of Quincy, a senior at Archbishop Williams High School, with Principal Mary Lou Sadowski. Ashley is a recipient of the 2007 Boston Bruins Ice Hockey Sportsmanship Award.

and off the ice that brings honor to self, team, school and community

The award presentation took place at TD North Garden during a recent Boston Bruins game. Ashley is a senior forward, and Assistant Captain and Catholic Central League All-Star. She has

been a four-year starter and leader on the team. She has played hockey since the age of 12, and has also been a Captain of her school's Softball Team

Joseph Francis, Athletic Director at Archbishop Williams High School, said, "Ashley is an outstanding

athlete and exemplifies the best in sportsmanship. In addition to her excellent athletic abilities, she maintains honor roll status in her academics.

"She is always one of the first players in line to shake her opponents' hands and congratulate them on a good game. She has always been quick to praise her teammates for their outstanding play, but seldom does she seek fame for herself. We are extremely proud of her accomplishment."

In addition to her hockey and softball excellence, Ashley was the 1998 citywide Karate Champion for sparring. She has achieved academic excellence in U.S. History, World History, English, Spanish, theology and Contemporary Music. She has been on the honor roll every term during her high school years, and is on the principal's list, as well as being a National Honor Society Candidate.

Her plans for next year include college; she is currently looking at several schools, including Suffolk University and the University of Rhode Island.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Vacation Fitness

Spring break is here, and for many of us this means taking a vacation.

Finding the time, equipment and motivation to continue to be active while away from your normal routine can be just as difficult as when you initially began.

A vacation during spring break does not have to mean a break in your fitness routine. The key to maintaining your fitness sanity on vacation is to maintain overall good habits and not bring home any unwanted ones as a souvenir.

The following tips can be used during any break in your normal fitness routine:

- Develop a Plan B. When planning your initial everyday fitness routine, anticipate and prepare for changes affecting that routine. Let's be real: The odds of you maintaining your current fitness routine uninterrupted for more than a few months are pretty low. Having a Plan B that can be used if your situation changes will allow you not to miss a beat.

For example, if you use a fitness facility for cardiovascular workouts such as running, your Plan B might include a predetermined route around your neighborhood that can give you the same workout without the use of the gym. If you're away on vacation, your cardio Plan B might involve a day of walking through an amusement park or city.

- Bring the gym with you. Resistance bands, water-inflated free weights or your favorite fitness video all can be easily carried with you wherever you go. Don't for-

get that one of the best forms of resistance training uses your body weight.

Body weight exercises such as push-ups, crunches, lunges and squats don't require much space to complete and are great exercises.

- Pack with your fitness program in mind. If you seriously plan to stay active while you are away, don't forget the appropriate clothes and shoes, keeping in mind the climate of the location you will be visiting.

- Use your time wisely. The point of going on vacation is to have FUN, not to worry about how many crunches you did or didn't do that day. Find activities that are not only fun but will keep you physically active. Try new and challenging activities. You never know — the change in activity and routine may introduce you to something you may want to continue when you get home.

- Remain sensible with your nutrition while you are away. Enjoy yourself, but make wise choices.

The bottom line is to use what you know, keep moving, be creative and have fun. As fitness becomes more and more a part of your lifestyle, you will find spring break a great chance to enjoy fitness even more.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Children's Health Update

A Simple Way To Combat Childhood Asthma

(NAPS) — Although instances of asthma have steadily increased in the United States, there are steps parents can take to protect their little ones.

For some children around the country, the problem may be coming home on their backs, legs and mouths of a certain six-legged bug-the cockroach.

It is estimated that more than 5 million children have asthma. Normally for those with asthma, attack triggers can include cold air, exercise or allergens such as pollen and animal dander. But for asthmatic children, cockroaches may be among the biggest triggers in the home.

According to the American Academy of Allergy Asthma and

Immunology, cockroaches are not just an unwelcome visitor in the home-a protein they produce is a primary trigger of asthma symptoms, especially for children living in densely populated, urban neighborhoods.

Studies show that up to 98 percent of urban homes have cockroaches, according to the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America. Symptoms of the cockroach allergen can include mildly itchy skin, a scratchy throat or irritated eyes and nose. In addition, roaches can hide anywhere in the home, according to pest control experts at Combat, a brand that markets roach and ant bait and gels.

Children exposed and sensitized to the cockroach allergen have significantly

more asthma symptoms, more caretaker-interrupted sleep, and more school days missed than children who are not exposed to cockroaches, according to the Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunology.

While cockroaches can be found in even the cleanest homes, there are a few good ways to cut down on the chance of a cockroach infestation in your home:

- Keep food and garbage wrapped up and out of the way.
- Don't leave out dirty dishes, food or crumbs.
- Wash and clean kitchen floors and countertops often-at least once a week.
- Make sure to seal any porous entryways inside,

such as vents and drains.

- Fix any water leaks and clean up standing water.

Sometimes, preventative measures aren't enough. That's when you may want to consider using roach baits and gels. Brands like Combat offer a number of different products that can be used to keep your home cockroach free and are available at most mass retailers.

Compared to sprays, which are only temporary deterrents, cockroach baits and gels last longer, kill the nest, are cleaner to handle, and the contained pesticide prevents exposure to family and pets.

To learn more about cockroaches and how to keep your home free of them, visit www.combatbugs.com.

Fitness Facts

Helping Americans Live A Healthier Lifestyle

(NAPS) — Inactivity is blamed for everything from child obesity to rising health care costs. To help reverse this trend, a variety of companies and organizations are encouraging people to spend time active and outdoors.

And people may be getting the message. According to a recent study by the Boulder, Colorado-based Outdoor Industry Foundation (OIF)-a nonprofit founded to encourage healthier lifestyles through outdoor recreation-participation in outdoor activities is growing.

"Two million more Americans got active in the outdoors in 2005 than they did in 2004," says the OIF's Michelle Barnes, whose foundation has a searchable database of more than 100 outreach programs working to get America active.

The study found that participation increased across the 22 outdoor activities monitored, from 159 million (Americans age 16 and older) in 2004 to 161.6

million in 2005, and that in 2005, one in four Americans age 16 and older (59.5 million) took a vacation specifically to participate in an outdoor activity. But there is still room for improvement.

While participation increased, total outings decreased by 11 percent, from 8.3 billion to 7.3 billion.

Several companies are taking steps to encourage outdoor outings, be it hiking, biking or camping. One example is Richmond, Calif.-based Mountain Hardwear, which recently launched the Mission Project to promote outdoor activity. By setting up a blog (blog.mountainhardwear.com) and awarding prizes for posting tales and photos of adventures, the company helps motivate people to set goals for and achieve outdoor accomplishment.

"We just want to encourage more people to get outdoors," says Paige Boucher of Mountain Hardwear.

As part of the program, people set a goal involving

outdoor recreation, take along and test Mountain Hardwear gear and then tell fellow adventurers about it on the Mission Project blog.

The company will award prizes to the top submissions.

Device Provides Fast Cholesterol Results At Home

(NAPS) — Learning your cholesterol levels could help reduce your risk of life-changing conditions such as a heart attack or stroke. Knowing your levels can prompt you to get the treatment you need.

According to the American Heart Association, almost 107 million American adults have high cholesterol. In addition, 23 percent of Americans do not know their cholesterol level, according to the Centers for Disease Control. Because high cholesterol does not have any symptoms, it is important for all adults, and especially those with known risk factors, to have their physician review and monitor their cholesterol levels.

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QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: March 16 - 22

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Total Arrests: 33

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 3

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:47 a.m., 100 Coveaway. Fire alarm. Arrest for malicious damage over.

LARCENY, 11:18 a.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Purse snatch.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:38 p.m., 10 Cherry St. To property. Apartment door. Someone wrote derogatory comments in pen on door.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 2:08 p.m., Alltown Check Cashing, 34 School St. Check. Female left a bogus check and her license. Arrest for attempted larceny over, uttering forged instrument, and forgery.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:35 p.m., 66 Buckley St. Fence torn up. Picket fence torn out of ground and smashed. Happened overnight.

LARCENY, 6:10 p.m., Applebee's, 200 Hancock St. Cash.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:42 a.m., Eric's Auto Body, 324 Quincy Ave. Plow/building. On injury, past. Snow being plowed from Dependable Cleaners hit the bay doors, damaging them. Civil matter.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:01 p.m., 949 Furnace Brook Parkway. Since found. 1994 Acura Integra, color red. Randolph PD saw query and advises vehicle in their town.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:37 p.m., 8 Commonwealth Ave. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 9:33 p.m., Father Bill's Place, 38 Broad St. Prescription.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:41 p.m., OBS Cafe, 76 Billings Rd. In progress. Two males fled east on Billings Rd. One red sweat shirt, the other with a gray sweat shirt. Two youths just smashed the window out of a car. Youths being detained at the Parker School.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:54 p.m., Garwon Cafe, 68 Billings Rd. Broken window - duplicate call.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:13 a.m., 152 Main St. Residence. Officer arrived to find a break.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:39 a.m., 165 Bunker Hill Ln. To fence.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:01 p.m., 28 Weymouth St. Graffiti. Unknown vandal(s) painted red and green graffiti on fence.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:56 p.m., 22 Greystone St. Past. Claims property damaged by snowblower. Two bricks broken on property.

ARMED ROBBERY, 7:34 p.m., Bibbs Service Center, 895 Sea St. Knife shown. White male, black mask, 5'7", grey hooded sweatshirt with zipper, 140 lbs, head on foot towards Newton St., blue jeans, white sneakers. Braintree PD with dog enroute.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:01 p.m., Charlie Ngs Restaurant, 25 Copeland St. Past. Four youths vandalized property.

MONDAY, MARCH 19

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:29 a.m., Wollaston Child Care Center, 47 Weston Ave. Graffiti - one of the doors has been written on.

LARCENY, 1:34 p.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Cell phone. T-Mobile Side-Kick3 cell phone taken out of student's bag.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:30 p.m., 182 Quincy Ave. Motor vehicle damage. Vehicle keyed on passenger side, happened March 12.

LARCENY, 5:57 p.m., 32 Sextant Cir. Checks.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 10:31 p.m., North Central Ave. and Elmwood Ave. Attempt. Two white kids in 20's driving a Jeep towards Beale St. One suspect was white male, appr. 6 feet tall, medium build.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:41 p.m., 40 French St. 1993 Ford Ecocru, color red.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:14 a.m., Bridge Water Street, 160 Water St. To car. Someone threw a rock or fired a shot at car from above; motorist was driving on Burgin Parkway. Back windshield smashed. Cause of broken window unknown at this time.

LARCENY, 12:43 p.m., Eastern Bank, 731 Hancock St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:33 p.m., 204 Washington St. Tagging on side of building in blue.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:49 p.m., 1000 Southern Artery. Motor vehicle damage. Passenger side window smashed overnight. No entrance gained.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:59 p.m., Coffee Break Cafe, 12 Old Colony Ave. Outside of building spray-painted.

A Job Well Done

On Saturday, March 10, at approximately 3:00 a.m., Officers James Borden and Jeff Brooks were dispatched to Beach Street to assist Fallon Ambulance Paramedics with a victim who suffered a head injury. The officers, paramedics and firefighters arrived on scene and were directed to the apartment where the female victim was. The officers noted the victim was bleeding profusely from a serious head injury and she appeared to be intoxicated.

There was also another female and male in the room and they appeared to be highly intoxicated. As the paramedics attempted to diagnose the severity of the injuries, the male (suspect) kept talking to the victim, interrupting the paramedics. The suspect was advised numerous times to allow the paramedics to examine the female, but he kept closing in and interrupting.

Officer Brooks advised the suspect that the female lost a large amount of blood and she was having a difficult time focusing on the conversation with the paramedics. The suspect kept repeating, "She just broke up with her boyfriend. I'm all that she has." To show how serious the head injury was, when the paramedics asked her what day it was, she responded "Wednesday," but it was actually Saturday.

As the paramedics asked the victim numerous questions about her medical history and what happened, the suspect continued to interrupt by answering all the questions for her. When the firefighters said they were going to get a board to transport the victim on, the suspect became agitated, adamant that the victim was fine.

The victim then began insisting that she did not want to go to the hospital. Officer Brooks attempted to explain the need to get the victim help because it was obvious to all professionals there that she was not capable of making a conscious decision. Each time the officer attempted this, the suspect began yelling, overriding the officers' voice.

The female in the room then began the same type of disorderly behavior, which increased the confusion and chaos. Officer Brooks sternly warned the male and female to cease because it was upsetting the victim, but the male suspect continued.

The officers then placed the suspect under arrest for disorderly conduct, and he was transported to the station for booking. The male suspect was a 25-year-old man from

South Boston. With the suspect out of the way, the paramedics prepared the victim for transport to Quincy Medical Center.

Nice work!

As a side story, as the officers, paramedics and firefighters were leaving the apartment with the victim on a stretcher, the female "friend" yelled that she would be filing a complaint against the officers because they did not read the suspect his rights. What she was referring to was the Miranda Rights, which is commonly heard on television shows when someone is being arrested.

Part of the "Right" is, "You have the right to remain silent." If the suspect had complied with the officers numerous requests to be quiet, the suspect would not have been arrested. There is a misconception that someone under arrest must immediately have his or her rights read to him or her. If the officer is going to question the suspect after placing him/her under arrest, then Miranda Rights need to be given.

In this case, the officers, along with firefighters and paramedics, were the witnesses and did not need the suspect's account of what occurred. As far as filing the complaint, this never occurred.

RECENT SCAM: An unemployed Quincy resident posted his resume online and a few days later, he received a call stating that he met the qualifications of this company but they needed more information; his date of birth, social security number and checking account number. He was told that he was being considered for a position cashing traveler's checks, and as a commission, keeping 10% for himself.

The victim provided the information and was sent the traveler's checks, which he cashed and forwarded the money. A few days later he learned the traveler's checks were bogus and he was out the sum of the check, minus the 10% he kept for himself.

In this case, the victim made many mistakes such as giving out his personal information and not investigating the company hiring him. The most glaring question is why someone would need to have someone else cash in the checks in the first place. This should send a message that it is either a scam or illegal.

MERCHANTS BEWARE: There have been incidents on the South Shore recently with attempts to cash in fraudulent traveler's checks. One incident occurred this week at the Stop N' Shop in Quincy. According to Manager Rick Ramos, the clerk examined the check and immediately became suspicious. The Quincy Police Department responded and arrested the defendant. As a merchant, be sure to compare signatures on the checks, examine the checks themselves for authenticity and ask for identification.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:04 p.m., 433 Sea St. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:18 p.m., 11 South Central Ave. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:37 p.m., 40 Main St. Dwelling. Door forced but no entry.

LARCENY, 7:14 p.m., Dunkin Donuts, 125 Hancock St. Pocketbook.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton



LT. DAN MINTON

Mirror vandalized in bathroom.

LARCENY, 4:09 p.m., 129 Bayview Ave. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:10 p.m., 10 Hanna St. To house. Rear window appears to be shot with BB gun.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:34 a.m., Phillips Bakery, 48 Sumner St. Bakery window broken. QFD was in area for a false alarm of a fire box; thinks same youths may have broken window. No entry gained.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:39 a.m., Carroll The Mover, 70 Bates Ave. Tagging. Spray paint on a truck.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:05 a.m., Andy's Boston Quincy Express, 85 Rogers St. Tagging. Two trucks tagged overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:50 a.m., Hancock Electric Motor Service, 231 Willard St. Graffiti. Building tagged overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:35 a.m., 21 Thomas St. Graffiti. Deck was tagged sometime in the recent past.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:02 p.m., 72 Kendall St. Past. 2002 Hyundai Accent, color red. Two under arrest; no damage.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:01 p.m., 5 Bird St. To yard.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:50 a.m., 80 Newbury Ave. Window.

LARCENY, 9:37 a.m., 175D Centre St. Over \$250. Bad check written.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:57 p.m., 80 Newbury Ave. Window. Front door broken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:53 p.m., Finian's Restaurant Pub, 1657 Hancock St. To cash office.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:48 p.m., 223 Rock Island Rd. Car was keyed.

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OBITUARIES

Gertrude T. Lowe, 83

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Gertrude T. (McKenna) Lowe, 83, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated March 24 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Lowe died March 20 at home after a brief illness. Born and raised in Dorchester, she had lived in Quincy for more than 40 years.

She was a graduate of Jeremiah E. Burke High School.

She enjoyed traveling around the world.

Wife of 53 years of the late Thomas F. Lowe, Mrs. Lowe is survived by a daughter, Carol A. Milburn of Squantum; a son, Thomas R. Lowe of Quincy; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.



GERTRUDE T. LOWE

Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of Greater Brockton, 500 Belmont St., Suite 215, Brockton, MA 02301.

Francis G. Merrigan, 72

Attorney

A funeral Mass for Francis G. Merrigan, 72, of Quincy, an attorney, was celebrated March 24 at St. Gregory's Dorchester.

Mr. Merrigan died March 20 at Quincy Medical Center after an illness.

He was a founding partner of Merrigan & Merrigan in Braintree.

He was a veteran of the Marine Corp.

Mr. Merrigan was a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 180 in Dorchester and Council 5046 in Holbrook.

Born in Portland, Maine, he grew up in Dorchester and graduated from Boston College High School in 1952.

He was also a 1956 gradu-

ate of Boston College and a 1968 graduate of Suffolk University Law School.

He had lived in Braintree for 18 years before moving to Quincy 13 years ago.

Mr. Merrigan is survived by his wife, Ann (Remmes) Merrigan; three sons, William Merrigan of Holbrook, Paul Merrigan of Acton and David Merrigan of Canton; two daughters, Joanne Merrigan of Fairhaven and Laurie Merrigan of Norwood; a brother, Edward Merrigan of Quincy; two sisters, Dorothy Carr of Quincy and Mae LeFevre of Florida; 10 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Union Cemetery, Holbrook.

Rev. William H. Mullin, 67

Priest And Advocate For Poor

A funeral Mass the Rev. William H. Mullin, 67, of Quincy, a priest and advocate for the poor, was celebrated March 23 in Holy Trinity Parish at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

The Rev. Mullin died March 20 at Marian Manor Nursing Home in South Boston after a long illness.

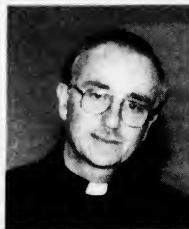
He was a parochial vicar for 42 years.

He was ordained a priest on Feb. 9, 1965 and celebrated his first Mass at his home parish of Most Blessed Sacrament Church in the Houghs Neck section of Quincy. His first assignment was to St. Anthony's Parish in Cohasset. He later served in churches all over Boston, including St. Ambrose Church in Dorchester, St. Francis of Assisi in Braintree and St. John the Baptist Church in Quincy.

The Rev. Mullin was an advocate of social justice and helped start the METCO Program in Cohasset in 1968.

In 2001, the Rev. Mullin enlisted the help of several other priests in Quincy and wrote an open letter to the city government, calling for more affordable housing. He was also active in organizing four Catholic churches in Braintree and Holbrook to raise \$55,000 for Habitat for Humanity to help build houses on Bower Road in Quincy.

The Rev. Mullin was a member of the board of directors at Pine Street Inn from 1975 to 1983. He was also



REV. WILLIAM MULLIN

past president of the Association of Boston Urban Priests and was chairman of the board at Ecumenical Social Action Committee in Roxbury and Jamaica Plain in 1975.

He was also a member of Bred for the World.

The Rev. Mullin grew up in Quincy and graduated from Archbishop Williams High School in Braintree in 1957. He attended Boston College for two years and entered St. John's Seminary.

Son of the late William H. and Bertha J. (Clancy) Mullin, he is survived by a sister, Geraldine F. Mullin of Dorchester; two brothers, Peter A. Mullin of Milton and Patrick J. Mullin of Falls Church, Vir.; and three nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to South Shore Habitat for Humanity, 28 River St., Braintree, MA 02184.

Charles E. Kusser, 90

Vice President For Robbie Fuel Co.

A funeral Mass for Charles E. Kusser, 90, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, retired vice president and general manager at Robbie Fuel Co., was celebrated March 23 at St. Thomas More Church in Braintree.

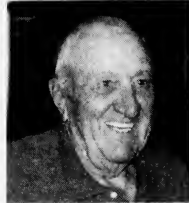
Mr. Kusser died March 19 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Brighton after a long illness.

He retired in 1982 after more than 46 years with the company. After his retirement, he served on the company's board of directors.

Mr. Kusser enjoyed golf and fishing. He was past president of the Furnace Brook Golf Club in Quincy and Braintree Municipal Golf Club, past secretary of Braintree Golf Association, and for 14 years, a golf course grader for the U.S. Golf Association.

He was chairman of the Quincy High School Class of 1935 Reunion Committee for many years.

He was a former member of the Knights of Columbus. Born and raised in Quincy,



CHARLES E. KUSSER

he lived in West Quincy before moving to Braintree in 1948.

Husband of the late M. Germaine "Gerry" (Martin) Kusser, he is survived by two sons, Charles M. "Marty" Kusser and Peter E. Kusser of Braintree; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

He was the grandfather of the late James Kusser.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of the South Shore, 100 Bay State Dr., Braintree, MA 02184.

Joseph A. Smith, 87

Retired Engineer

A funeral Mass Joseph Alexander Smith, 87, of Quincy, a retired engineer, was celebrated March 24 at St. Roger and St. Mary, Society of the Latin Mass, West Roxbury.

Mr. Smith died March 21 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked 40 years for New England Telephone Company. He retired in 1985.

He was a World War II Army veteran, serving from July 21, 1942 to Oct. 27, 1945.

Born in Boston, he graduated from English High School in Jamaica Plain in 1938. He received a degree in engineering from Northeastern University.

Mr. Smith had lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 24 years ago.

He was a member of St. Ambrose Parish in Dorchester growing up and later attended Sacred Heart

Parish in North Quincy. For the past five years he attended the St. Roger and St. Mary, Society of the Latin Mass in West Roxbury.

He enjoyed taking care of his home and using tools. At the age of 70, he built a new deck at his home.

Mr. Sullivan was interested in current events, playing his guitar and banjo, college football and Red Sox history.

He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Agnes J. (Farquharson) Smith; two daughters, Patty Smith of Quincy and Maura Norton of Hull; a sister, Margaret Reardon of Ashland; and two brothers, Charles Smith of Bridgewater and James Smith of Braintree.

Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Wollaston.



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Managing Director

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

If you were to die tomorrow, would your family know what to do? Is your insurance paid? Are premiums paid? Are Bankbook, Social Security, V.A. and other important documents all together and does your family know where they are? Is your will current and available? Do you have a list of names, addresses, phone numbers of your brokers, insurance agencies, accountants and lawyers? Does your family know your wishes concerning the type of service you desire?

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Raymond P. Fantucchio, 81

Retired Pipefitter

A funeral Mass for Raymond P. Fantucchio, 81, of Hingham, formerly of Quincy, a retired pipefitter, was celebrated Monday in Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mr. Fantucchio died March 22 at Radius Healthcare Center in Braintree.

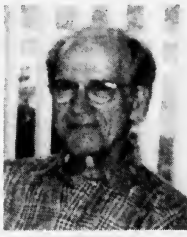
Born in Quincy, he grew up and spent most of his life in Quincy. He and his wife moved to Hingham two years ago.

Mr. Fantucchio was a pipefitter and worked for General Dynamics at the former Fore River shipyard in Quincy.

He was an avid ballroom dancer with his wife.

He also enjoyed gardening and sports, especially baseball and the Boston Red Sox.

Mr. Fantucchio is survived by his wife, Mary (Vocino) Fantucchio of Hingham; two daughters, Rosanne Wells of Westwood and Susan Moore of Austin,



RAYMOND P. FANTUCCHIO

Texas; two sons, Paul Fantucchio of Charlemont and Ronald Fantucchio of Stoughton; three brothers, John Fantucchio and Louis Fantucchio, both of Pinellas Park, Fla.; and Joseph Fantucchio of Braintree; a sister, Marion Ingegneri of Quincy; and 10 grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Thomas D. Stone, 69

Security Guard

A funeral service for Thomas D. Stone, 69, of Yarmouthport, formerly of Quincy, security guard, was held Monday at South Yarmouth United Methodist Church, South Yarmouth.

Mr. Stone died March 21 at Cape Cod Hospital in Hyannis.

He served in the Navy. Born in Boston, he was a longtime resident of Quincy.

Mr. Stone was an active mason and a member of Howard Lodge in South Yarmouth and a former mem-

ber of Delta Lodge and Atlantic Lodge, both in Quincy.

He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Sharon A. (Cody) Stone; a daughter, Darla A. Stone of Bucksport, Maine; two sisters, Barbara Alessi of Nahant and Aileen Sorensen of Grants Pass, Ore.; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Cemetery of Ashland, Ashland, Kan.

Funeral arrangements were made by Morris and O'Connor Funeral Home, South Yarmouth.

Ruth Dennison, 94

Chocolate Candy Dipper

A memorial service for Ruth (Shillhammer) Dennison, 94, of Quincy, a chocolate candy dipper at Withersells in Wollaston and Phillips Candies in Dorchester for 72 years, was held Wednesday at First Church of Weymouth, Weymouth Heights.

Mrs. Dennison died March 15 at Genesis Healthcare, Lebanon, N.H.

Born and raised in Jericho, Vt., she lived in Quincy for more than 75 years before moving to Lebanon two years ago.

She enjoyed spending

time at her cottage in Canaan, N.H.

She was a member of First Church of Weymouth.

Wife of the late Charles E. Dennison, she is survived by two daughters, Betty Dennison of North Quincy and Helen Miller of Weymouth; a brother, Richard Shillhammer of Burlington, Vt.; and three grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by the C.C. Shepherd Funeral Home, Weymouth.

Elizabeth E. Purdy, 88

A memorial service for Elizabeth E. (Walker) Purdy, 88, of Quincy, formerly of Weymouth and Braintree, will be held at a later date. Mrs. Purdy died March 21 at the William B. Rice Eventide Home in Quincy.

Born and raised in Boston, she graduated from the Jeremiah Burke High School. She lived in Weymouth for 30 years and in Braintree for 20 years before moving to Quincy a year ago.

Mrs. Purdy was an active member for many years of

The Church of St. John the Evangelist in Hingham, where she served as president of the Episcopal Church Women's Club.

Wife of the late William E. Purdy, she is survived by two sons, Douglas C. Purdy of Scituate and Bruce J. Purdy of Hull; and two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by Downing Cottage Funeral Chapel, Hingham.

Henry T. Cunniff III

Retired Carpenter

A funeral Mass for Henry Thomas Cunniff III, 63, of Squantum, a retired carpenter, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Ann's Church, Dorchester.

Mr. Cunniff died March 23 at his home.

He worked for 38 years for Carpenters Local 51 in Boston and retired in 2005.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Neponset and had lived in Squantum for 39 years.

He was a graduate of the Boston Trade School and Wentworth Institute in Boston.

Mr. Cunniff was a member of the Boston Labor Guild.

He was an advocate of union labor.

He enjoyed reading about labor and Irish history and once taught labor history at the Boston Carpenter Apprentice Program in Boston.

Mr. Cunniff enjoyed gardening, both vegetables and flowers. He also loved animals, especially his dog.

He is survived by his wife,



HENRY T. CUNNIFF

Elaine (Donnelly) Cunniff; a son, Henry T. Cunniff IV of Squantum; a daughter, Tammy E. (Cunniff) Simeonide of Medford; a sister, Patricia Murphy of Neponset; a brother, George W. Murphy of Marshfield; two grandsons; and a granddaughter.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Boston Labor Guild, 85 Commercial St., Weymouth, MA 02188.

Joseph Harding, 89

Retired U.S. Customs Inspector

A funeral Mass for Joseph Harding, 89, of East Dennis, formerly of Quincy, a retired U.S. Customs Inspector and World War II Army veteran, was celebrated Tuesday in Our Lady of the Cape Church, Brewster.

Mr. Harding died March 22 at Cape Cod Hospital.

He began his 41-year federal career with the U.S. Postal Service, where he received several administrative awards for cost effectiveness and efficiency changes.

He transferred to the U.S. Customs Service and worked there for many years. He retired in 1981.

While in the Army, he served in New Caledonia during the formation of the Americal Division and in several campaigns in the Pacific Theater.

Mr. Harding was born in South Boston and graduated from South Boston High School in 1934. He had lived in Wollaston before moving to Dennis.

He was a member of the North Quincy Knights of Columbus and the Holy

Name Society of St. Ann's Church of Wollaston. He was active in St. Ann's parish and supported the establishment of the St. Ann Elementary School.

Mr. Harding enjoyed golfing and reading. He was a self-taught investor and enjoyed counseling his family regarding personal finances.

He was a member of the Boston Braves "Knothole Gang" during the late 1920s but became a Red Sox fan.

Mr. Harding is survived by his wife, Eleanor (McLaughlin) Harding; three sons, Joseph F. Harding Jr. of Easthampton, William Harding of Quincy and Brian Harding of West Barnstable; three daughters, Jane Harding of East Sandwich, Susan Harding of Quincy and Margaret Christen of Houston; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by Doane, Beal & Ames Funeral Home, South Dennis.

Elizabeth L. Beckford, 86

Housekeeper

A graveside funeral service for Elizabeth L. Beckford, 86, of Hingham, formerly of Quincy, a housekeeper, will be held today (Thursday) at 1 p.m. at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Mrs. Beckford died Sunday at Queen Anne Nursing Home, Hingham.

She worked as a housekeeper at Deering Nursing Home in Hingham. She retired in 1979.

She was a member of Glad

Tidings Assembly of God in Abington.

She enjoyed reading the Bible daily and singing hymns.

Mrs. Beckford also loved animals, crocheting and hooking rugs.

Born in Quincy, she had lived most of her life in Quincy before moving to Hingham two years ago.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Quincy.

Joseph F. McGowan

Decorated Vietnam Veteran

A funeral service for Joseph F. McGowan of Colorado, formerly of Quincy, a decorated Vietnam War veteran, was recently held at the Lydon Funeral Chapel in Wollaston.

Mr. McGowan died March 13 in Colorado after a long illness.

He had lived in Colorado for two and a half years. He was a resident of Quincy from 1987 to 1992.

Born in Brighton, he attended schools in Brighton.

He served 20 years in the U.S. Navy, including 16 on a submarine. He also served four years on an aircraft carrier.



JOSEPH F. MCGOWAN

rior and as a submarine tender.

After retiring from the U.S. Navy, he lived in Alaska for 17 years work on the Alaskan pipe line as an electrician from 1971 to 1987.

He enjoyed reading, cooking and was a World War II historian.

Mark S. Whelton, 53

Painter

A funeral service for Mark S. Whelton, 53, of Houston, Texas, formerly of Quincy, a painter, was held Wednesday in the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Whelton died March 21 in Houston.

Born in Chelsea, he was raised in Quincy where he lived for many years before moving to Texas.

He attended Quincy High School.

Mr. Whelton is survived by his mother, Loretta A. (Pompeo) Whelton of Quincy; two brothers, Michael Whelton of Braintree and Steven Whelton of Mississippi; a sister, Julie Whelton of Rockland; and several nieces and nephews.

He was also the son of the late Paul F. Whelton, Jr.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Frank L. Becker, 82

Retired Real Estate Broker

A funeral service for Frank L. Becker, 82, formerly of Quincy and Weymouth, a retired real estate broker and World War II Navy veteran, was held Monday at the McDonald Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Mr. Becker died March 22 at the Life Care Center in Plymouth.

He owned and operated Becker Real Estate in Weymouth before retiring in 1981.

He was also a truck driver for the Boston Herald-Traveler for many years.

Raised in Watertown, he lived in Weymouth for 40 years. He moved to Quincy in 1995.

Mr. Becker enjoyed oil

painting. Husband of the late Theresa M. (Carr) Becker, he is survived by two sons, Richard Becker of Brockton and Robert Becker of Plymouth; four daughters, Doreen Davidson of Cranston, R.I., Susan Pickering of Weymouth, Donna Greenwood of Plymouth and Bonnie Fetterman-Curtin of Sagamore; a brother, Phillip Becker of San Francisco; two sisters, Florence Bragner of Framingham and Vera Franklin of Shrewsbury; and 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Old North Cemetery, Weymouth.



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PALM SUNDAY and HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will celebrate Palm Sunday April 1 with a palm presentation.

At the beginning of the 10:30 a.m. worship service, Sunday school students and teachers will bring the palms to the altar; the palms will be distributed at the conclusion of the service.

Some of the church's lectors will then present a reading of Christ's Passion. This

will be followed by the stripping of the altar.

After the worship service, a spring brunch will be held. Tickets are \$10 in advance; \$12 at the door.

Quincy Community United Methodist Church is located diagonally across the street from the Wollaston T stop. The building is handicapped accessible.

For more information, call the church office at 617-773-3319.

Passover Seder At United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will hold a Passover Seder Supper Thursday, April 5.

The reading of the Hagadah will begin at 6 p.m. "Because Passover and Holy Week coincide this year, Quincy Community thought holding a Seder would be a way to honor Christianity's Jewish roots."

said Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden, pastor of the church.

The meal will be pot luck, so everyone is asked to bring a salad, main course, or dessert to share.

To ensure the table is set properly, reservations are required. Reservations may be made by calling the church office at 617-773-3319. Deadline is Monday, April 2.

The church building is handicapped accessible through its front entrance at the door nearest the flag pole.

Sacred Heart Parish

Sacred Heart Parish, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, announces the parish's celebration of Holy Week.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion begins the most sacred week of the liturgical year with Masses at 4 p.m. Saturday, March 31 and on Sunday, April 1 at 7:45 a.m., 9 a.m. (with Children's Liturgy of the Word) 10:30 a.m. (adult choir), 12 noon at Star of the Sea Church, and at 5 p.m. Palm branches will be distributed and blessed at all Masses on Palm Sunday.

Tuesday of Holy Week features a complete Jewish Seder Supper in the parish's lower church on April 3 at 7 p.m. Donations are \$10 per person and reservations are needed by calling the parish office at 617-328-8666. Bruce Fader, a past president and current leader at Temple Beth David in Canton and friend of Sacred Heart Parish, will lead the service.

"Popcorn, Movies and Discussion," a monthly adult faith formation series, will be held on Wednesday, April 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the convent building. The Holy Week movie presentation is *The Passion of Christ*.

The evening Mass of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at 7:30 p.m. on Holy Thursday, April 5 followed by Eucharistic Adoration in Our Lady Chapel until 11 p.m.

The Liturgy of Good Friday will be celebrated at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Good Friday, April 6.

The annual Fr. Cornelius J. Heery Good Friday Memorial Walk to benefit Por Cristo will take place at 9:30 a.m. and will travel 5 miles around the North Quincy/Wollaston area.

The solemn Easter Vigil will begin in the darkness of Holy Saturday night, April 7 at 8:30 p.m. with the blessing of the new fire and the procession of the paschal candle into the church.

During the Triduum ("the Three Days" from sunset on Holy Thursday until sunset on Easter Sunday evening), the parish will celebrate the Liturgy of the Hours, the Church's official daily prayer with morning prayer at 9 a.m., mid-day prayer at noon, and night prayer on Holy Thursday at 10 p.m. and on Good Friday at 9 p.m. Our Lady of Good Chapel, will be open throughout the Three Days for private prayer.

Easter Sunday masses on April 8 will be celebrated at 7:45 a.m., 9 a.m. (with the children's choir), 10:30 a.m. (with adult choir) and at 12 noon at Star of the Sea Church in Squantum. There is no 5 p.m. Mass Easter Sunday.

Christ is Risen, Indeed!

Easter Sunday - April 8 - 10am



- † Prelude begins at 9:45am
- † String Quartet - Chancel Choir
- † Children's Choir
- † Sermon: "Wake up to Easter!"
- † Easter Egg Hunt - following Worship

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Blessing Of Easter Baskets April 7 At Sacred Heart

Sacred Heart Parish, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, will hold a blessing of Easter food baskets at 12:15 p.m. on Holy Saturday, April 7.

This traditional Eastern European custom is growing in popularity among Catholic parishes around the country.

Rejoice, Christ has Risen

Come celebrate at
QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST
40 BEALE STREET, WOLLASTON
The Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor

PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 1
10:30am Worship Service

HOLY (MAUNDY) THURSDAY, APRIL 5
Passover Pot Luck Dinner, 6:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 6
Interchurch Council of Wollaston and North Quincy
Seven Last Words of Christ Worship Service
Noon to 3:00pm

EASTER VIGIL, APRIL 7, 7:30PM

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 8
10:30am Worship Service
followed by Children's Easter Egg Hunt

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
15 Harvard Street, N. Quincy, MA 02171 • 617-328-8348

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~ Holy Week Services ~

Maundy Thursday Eucharist, April 5, 7:30pm
Good Friday Tenebrae, April 6, 7:30pm
Easter Vigil, April 7, 7:30pm
He Is Risen! Alleluia

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
invites you to a Easter Sunday Celebration
April 8, 10:30am
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St. Joseph's Church

550 Washington Street, Quincy Point
617-472-6321

2007 Holy Week Schedule

Sunday, April 1st
Palm Sunday
Masses: Vigil Mass on 3/31/07 at 4:30 pm
8:30 & 10:30 am and 5:00 pm

Daily Mass

9:00 am Monday thru Wednesday
April 2, 3, and 4.

Morning Prayer

9:30 am following mass Monday thru Wednesday, April 2, 3, & 4.

Morning Prayer for the Triduum

Mass will not be celebrated on Thursday, Friday and Saturday morning, April 5, 6, & 7.

We will gather on these days for Morning Prayer at 9:00 am

Thursday, April 5th

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm

Friday, April 6th

Good Friday

The church will be open from 12:00 noon for personal prayer & reflection

Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm

Solemn Service of the Lord's Passion 7:30 pm

Saturday, April 7th

Solemn Easter Vigil 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 8th

Masses will be celebrated
8:30 am 10:30 am, and 5:00 pm

Easter Holy Week at Union Church

April 1, 2007 - Palm Sunday
9:00 am Breakfast - Hosted by Christ Church, Middleboro
10:00 am Grand Processional and Narrative

April 5th, 2007 - Maundy Thursday
7:30 pm - Service of Holy Communion and Tenebrae

April 6th, 2007 - Good Friday
3:00 pm - Good Friday Service at Union Congregational Church
Followed by a **WALK OF THE CROSS** to First Baptist Church, Braintree

6:30 pm - Dinner at First Baptist Church, Braintree
7:30 pm - Closing Good Friday Service at First Baptist, Braintree

April 7, 2007 - HOLY SATURDAY
10:00 am - 5:00 pm Annual showing of "Jesus of Nazareth"

5:00 pm Holy Saturday Liturgy

April 8th - EASTER SUNDAY

6:30 am - **EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE** on Wollaston Beach between the Yacht Clubs

Corner of Beach St.
and Rawson Rd., Wollaston
Rev. John Carl Swanson, Pastor



St. John the Baptist Parish

44 School Street, Quincy Center

EASTER AND HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 2:30-3:30PM

PALM SUNDAY
SATURDAY, MARCH 31, VIGIL MASS 4PM
SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 7:30 AM, 9AM & 11AM

DAILY MASSES FOR HOLY WEEK
MON, APRIL 2, 8AM;
TUES, APRIL 3, 8AM & 5:30PM; WED, APRIL 4, 8AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION DURING HOLY WEEK:
TUES, APRIL 3 & WED, APRIL 4, 7:00 - 8:00PM
SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 2:30-3:30PM

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 5
MORNING PRAYER, 8:00AM
MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER, 7:00PM
NIGHT PRAYER, 10:00PM

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 6
MORNING PRAYER, 8:00AM
CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION, 3:00PM & 7:00PM

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 7
MORNING PRAYER, 8:00AM
EASTER VIGIL, 7:30PM
(NO 4PM MASS)

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 8
7:30AM, 9:00AM
(2 MASSES - UPPER & LOWER CHURCH),
AND 11:00AM

PALM SUNDAY and HOLY WEEK SERVICES

St. Joseph's Church

St. Joseph's Church, 550 Washington St., Quincy Point, announces its Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter schedule.

Palm Sunday Masses will be celebrated with a Vigil Mass on Saturday, March 31 at 4:30 p.m. and on Sunday, April 1 at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. and at 5 p.m.

Daily Masses during Holy Week will be celebrated Monday through Wednesday, April 2 through April 4, at 9 a.m.

Morning prayer will be held at 9:30 a.m. following the daily Mass Monday, April 2 through Wednesday, April 4.

Morning Prayer for the Triduum - Mass will not be celebrated on Thursday, Fri-

day and Saturday morning, April 5-7. Instead, parishioners will gather on these days for morning prayer at 9 a.m.

The Mass of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated Thursday, April 5 at 7:30 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, the church will be open from 12 noon for personal prayer and reflection. Stations of the Cross will commence at 3 p.m. A solemn service of the Lord's Passion will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Good Friday.

The Solemn Easter Vigil will be held Saturday, April 7 at 7:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday Masses will be celebrated at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

For more information, call the church at 617-472-6321.

St. John The Baptist Church

St. John the Baptist Parish, 44 School St., Quincy Center, announces its Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter schedule.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be held Saturday, March 31 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Palm Sunday will be observed Saturday, March 31 at a Vigil Mass at 4 p.m. and on Sunday, April 1 at the 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Masses.

Daily Masses for Holy Week will be held Monday, April 2 at 8 a.m.; Tuesday, April 3 at 8 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday, April 4 at 8 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation during Holy Week will be held Tuesday, April 3 and

Wednesday, April 4 from 7 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, April 7 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

On Holy Thursday, April 5, there will be morning prayer at 8 a.m., Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7 p.m. and Night Prayer at 10 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6 there will be morning prayer at 8 a.m. and a Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m.

On Holy Saturday, April 7, there will be morning prayer at 8 a.m. and the Easter Vigil will begin at 7:30 p.m. There is no 4 p.m. Mass on Holy Saturday.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, there will be Masses at 7:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. (two masses - upper and lower church) and at 11 a.m.

Wollaston Congregational, United Church Of Christ

Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 48 Winthrop Ave., Wollaston, announces its Holy Week and Easter Sunday schedule.

Palm Sunday worship service will be held Sunday, April 1 at 10 a.m.

Maundy Thursday worship service will be held Thursday, April 5 at 7 p.m.

Good Friday Service with community worship will be held April 6 from noon to 3 p.m. at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

Wollaston Congregational Church will hold its Easter Sunday worship service at 10 a.m. on April 8.

For more information, call the church at 617-773-7432.

Houghs Neck Congregational Church Auction Saturday

Houghs Neck Congregational Church, 310 Manet Ave., will hold an auction featuring antiques, collectibles, art and household items Saturday, March 31 at 2 p.m.

Doors will open for viewing at 1 p.m. During the viewing period, an Easter decoration sale will be held, with many gifts and Easter items available for \$1 or less.

A sandwich and snack bar

will also be available.

The auction is co-sponsored by the church's Mothers Club and Fair Committee, with assistance provided by Boy Scout Troop 6 and Pack 6 Webelos.

Houghs Neck Congregational Church is handicapped accessible.

For more information on the auction or to donate items, e-mail gaylemackay@comcast.net or call (617) 479-2311.

Bethany Congregational

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, announces its Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter Sunday services.

On Palm Sunday, April 1, there will be a 10 a.m. morning worship service and Sunday school.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "The Grand Entry."

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service on Sunday, there will

be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor. Light refreshments will be served.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a pot luck supper at 5:30 p.m. followed by a Candlelight Service at 7 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, there will be a union service with Quincy Point Congregational Church at 12 noon.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, there will be a 10 a.m. service.

The church is wheelchair accessible.

First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Quincy, announces its schedule for Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

On Palm Sunday, April 1, there will be a 10:30 a.m. worship service and celebration. The theme is "Shout to the Lord."

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a "Service of Shadows" featuring communion, music and reflection.

On Easter Sunday, there will be a 10:30 a.m. worship service and celebration. The Theme will be "Death Can Not Keep His Prey."

An Easter Egg hunt will

follow the Easter Sunday worship service and celebration.

Nursery is available on Sundays.

For more information, call the church at 617-472-0824.

Holy Week and Easter 2007

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We welcome you to join us for the celebrations of these most holy days

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION-

MARCH 31 & APRIL 1

Masses: Saturday at 4:00p.m.; Sunday at 7:00, 9:00 & 11:30 am

SEDER SUPPER, SUNDAY, APRIL 1

4:00 p.m. - St. Ann School Hall

HOLY WEEK

MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

Masses at 6:45 & 9:00 am

Confessions

7:00-8:00pm (Lower Church)

The Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper & Procession 7:00 p.m.

Visits to Repository in the Lower Church until 10:00 p.m.

compline at 10:00 p.m.

Good Friday

The Church is open all day for prayer

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

Stations of the Cross at 3:00 p.m.

The Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Holy Communion at 7:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

EASTER VIGIL

Gathering - 8:00 p.m.

Celebration of the Great Vigil of Easter at 8:15 p.m.

(There is no Saturday afternoon Mass)

EASTER SUNDAY

Masses at 7:00, 9:00

(in the Upper Church & Lower Church

followed by an Easter Egg Hunt for the Children)

& 11:30 a.m.

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Holy Week 2007

SACRED HEART PARISH COMMUNITY

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

1 April

Palm will be distributed at all masses.

4 PM Sat. evening Mass

7:45 AM Mass

9 AM Mass (with Children's Liturgy of the Words)

10:30 AM Mass (Adult Choir)

12:00 PM Mass at Star of the Sea Church, Squantum

5 PM Mass

Wednesday of Holy Week 4 April

7-8 PM Confessions

7:30 PM Popcorn, Movie & Discussion

Holy Thursday 5 April

9 AM Morning Prayer

12 PM Mid-day Prayer

7:30 PM Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

11:00 PM Night Prayer

Good Friday

6 April

Morning Prayer

Benedict 5 mile Walk

for Por Cristo

Mid-day Prayer

3 PM Good Friday Liturgy

7:30 PM Good Friday Liturgy

9:00 PM Night Prayer

Holy Saturday 7 April

Morning Prayer

12 PM Mid-day Prayer

12:15 PM Blessing of Easter

Food Baskets

8:30 PM The Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday 8 April

Mass

7:45 AM Mass (Children's Choir)

9 AM Mass (Adult Choir)

10:30 AM Mass (Adult Choir)

12:00 PM Mass at Star of the Sea Church, Squantum

No 5 p.m. Mass today

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PALM SUNDAY and HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Salvation Army

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, announces it will hold a Good Friday service and an Easter Sunday service.

On Good Friday, April 6, there will be a service from 12 noon to 3 p.m.

The Salvation Army will participate in an Easter Sunday service community service at 6:30 a.m. at Wollaston Beach between the two yacht clubs.

Good Shepherd Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 15 Harvard St., North Quincy, announces its schedule of Holy Week services.

- Maundy Thursday Eucharist April 5, 7:30 p.m.
- Good Friday Tenebrae, April 6, 7:30 p.m.

clubs.

Later on Easter Sunday, there will be Sunday School at the Salvation Army beginning at 9:45 a.m.

There will be an Easter Sunday morning worship at the Salvation Army at 11 a.m.

The Brass Band will accompany singing at the Sunrise Service and the morning worship service.

- Easter Vigil, April 7, 7:30 p.m.
- Easter Sunday Celebration April 8 at 10:30 a.m.

For more information, call the church office at 617-328-8348 or visit the website www.goodshepherdquincy.org.

St. Ann Parish

The Parish of St. Ann, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston, announces its schedule for Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion: Saturday, March 31 and Sunday, April 1. Masses will be Saturday at 4 p.m. and Sunday at 7 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

A Seder Supper will be held Sunday, April 1 at 4 p.m. in St. Ann School Hall. During Holy Week, Masses will be celebrated at 6:45 a.m. and 9 a.m. Monday through Wednesday. There will be confessions in the lower church from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

On Holy Thursday, April 5, there will be morning prayer at 9 a.m. The Mass of the Lord's Supper and procession will begin at 7 p.m. There will be visits to repository in the lower church until 10 p.m.

til 10 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, the church will be open all day for prayer. Morning prayer will begin at 9 a.m. and Stations of the Cross will be at 3 p.m.

The Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Holy Communion at 7 p.m. on Good Friday.

On Holy Saturday, April 7, there will be a gathering at 8 p.m. followed by a Celebration of the Great Vigil of Easter at 8:15 p.m.

There is no Saturday afternoon Mass on Holy Saturday.

On Easter Sunday, there will be Masses at 7 and 9 a.m. in the Upper and Lower Church followed by an Easter Egg hunt for children. There will also be an 11:30 a.m. Mass on Easter Sunday.

For more information, call the church at 617-479-5400.

Covenant Church

Covenant Congregational Church, 315 Whitwell St., Quincy Center, announces its schedule of Holy Week services.

On Sunday, April 1, at 10 a.m., Palm Sunday will be celebrated with a traditional procession by the children with palm branches for the whole congregation.

On Thursday, April 5, at 7 p.m., the Last Supper Jesus shared with his disciples will be remembered at the Maundy Thursday Communion Service.

On Good Friday, April 6, at noon, the congregation will join with the community at the ecumenical worship service sponsored by the South Shore Evangelical Clergy Association. The service, centered around the sacrifice of Christ on the cross, will be held at Central Baptist Church in Quincy.

Several members of the community clergy will speak and there will be special music and a simple soup lunch will follow.

Everyone is invited to the

church for the annual Easter Fun Fest on Saturday, April 7 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. There will be snacks, crafts and games for children as well as refreshments and a free Easter book for parents and grandparents to share with their families. An Easter Egg Hunt will be run at 11 and at 11:15 a.m. everyone will gather for the reading of the Easter story.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, the celebration of Jesus' resurrection will begin with the annual Sunrise Worship service. Sponsored by the South Shore Evangelical Clergy Association, the worship begins at 6:30 a.m. at Wollaston Beach between the Wollaston and Squantum Yacht Clubs.

At 10 a.m. the community is invited to worship at Covenant Congregational Church. There will be special music under the direction of Christine Fahey, music director, and Rev. Karen Palmar, pastor of the church, will bring the message of the morning.

For more information regarding the church of its Holy Week activities, call 617-479-5728.

Quincy Point Congregational Church

Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy, will celebrate Easter with a service April 8 at 10 a.m.

A prelude begins at 9:45 a.m.

The service will feature the string quartet, chancel choir and children's choir.

There will also be a children's bulletin.

The sermon for Easter Sunday will be "Wake Up to Easter!"

An Easter Egg hunt will be held following the worship service.

For more information, call

the church office at 617-773-6224.

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PALM SUNDAY

10:00AM April 1, 2007

MAUNDY THURSDAY

5:30pm Potluck Supper

7:00pm Candlelight Service, April 5, 2007

GOOD FRIDAY

Union Service with

Quincy Point Congregational Church

12 Noon April 6, 2007

EASTER SUNDAY

10AM April 8, 2007

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.
Wheelchair Accessible



Wollaston Church Of The Nazarene

Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, 37 East Elm Ave., Wollaston (on the campus of Eastern Nazarene College), announces its Easter Services.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a service at 7 p.m.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, there will be a Holy Communion Service at 8:30 a.m.; an Adult and Children's Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. and a blended worship service at 11 a.m.

For more information, call the church at 617-472-5669 or visit www.wconaz.org.

The church is handicap accessible.

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Good Friday 12noon-3pm
COMMUNITY 3 HOURS OF THE CROSS

Easter Sunday Services!

6:30am COMMUNITY
SUNRISE SERVICE
WOLLASTON BEACH
BETWEEN THE 2 YACHT CLUBS

9:45am SUNDAY SCHOOL
6 Baxter St.
Quincy

11am EASTER MORNING WORSHIP
6 Baxter St.
Quincy

THE BRASS BAND will accompany singing at the Sunrise Service and the Morning Worship Service.

WOLLASTON CHURCH +++ OF THE NAZARENE +++

EASTER SERVICES

8:30 am - Holy Communion Service
9:30 am - Adult and Children's Sunday School
11:00 am - Blended Worship Service

*We invite you to join us as we celebrate the
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MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE
Thursday, April 5 at 7:00 pm

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Join us during Holy Week
Palm Sunday 10:30am "Shout to the Lord!"
Worship and Celebration.
Maundy Thursday 7:00pm "A Service of Shadows",
Communion, Music and Reflection.
Easter Sunday 10:30am
"Death Can Not Keep His Prey".
Celebration and Worship. Family Friendly Service
followed by Easter Egg Hunt

First Baptist Church of Wollaston

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Corner of Prospect and Warren Ave.
Nursery available on Sundays.



RELIGION

Union Congregational Church

Union Congregational Church, corner of Rawson Rd. and Beach St. in Wollaston, announces its schedule for Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

On Palm Sunday, April 1, there will be a 9 a.m. breakfast hosted by Christ Church, Middleboro.

There will be a grand processional and narrative at 10 a.m.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a Service of Holy Communion

and Tenebrae at 7:30 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, there will be a Good Friday service at 3 p.m. at Union Congregational Church followed by a Walk of the Cross to First Baptist Church in Braintree.

At 6:30 p.m. there will be a dinner at First Baptist Church in Braintree followed by a closing Good Friday service at 7:30 p.m. at First Baptist, Braintree.

On Holy Saturday, April 7, the annual showing of "Jesus of Nazareth" will be at 10

a.m. and 5 p.m. followed by a Holy Saturday Liturgy at 5 p.m.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, the church will participate in an Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m. on Wollaston Beach between the yacht clubs.

There will also be a traditional Easter Sunday Service with Communion at 10 a.m. followed by a coffee hour and fellowship time.

There will also be an Easter Egg Hunt for children after the 10 a.m. service.

Brittany Norton Leads Woodward To 'Great' Season

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Fontbonne Academy, she transferred to Woodward and did not expect to play for the basketball team, but a chance encounter in the school gymnasium with Giordano changed all that.

"When I first got to Woodward I was scared and was not going to play basketball, but one day I went and played a pickup game with coach and that was it," Norton said. "I knew right away that I wanted to play and so I went out for the team."

Norton dominated in the post her first two seasons as a forward. Not only was her skill set above average, but also her basketball IQ and mental toughness stood out.

"She is as intense in practice as she is on the court playing a game," Giordano said. "Brit has an unique mental toughness every minute of every game. Nothing phases her on the court. She has never asked to be the leading scorer, she just wants to win and will do whatever it takes to get it

done. Her basketball IQ is unmatched and she is probably our best defender and best rebounder."

And this year she was the team's best leader. The 2006-2007 season was going to depend on how she responded to this new challenge, and Norton took it on herself to get the most out of the year and her teammates.

"We showed a lot of heart this year," Norton said. "We ran on what was left, be it in practice or in a game. We were always moving and the girls were intense all season long. It turned out great."

Woodward's final game against Chapel Hill Academy marked Norton's last opportunity to reach the 1,000-point plateau (she needed 15 points). According to Giordano, Norton never once wavered from the team-first concept, but he and her teammates wanted her to finish her high school career with that milestone.

"She got her points all season long within the concept of team first," he

said. "Her desire was to win, but we wanted her to get her 1,000."

Norton played her final game to win (they did) and in the process scored the 15 points she needed to become just the third 1,000-point scorer in school history. She finished her high school career with exactly 1,000 points.

Brittany Norton has been accepted into Simmons College in Boston and plans to play basketball at the collegiate level.

Years from now, Norton will lauded for her devotion to her team and school first and herself a distant second.

Not a bad legacy to be remembered by.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

First Church Of Squantum

"Jesus, The People's Hero" will be the sermon topic at the Palm Sunday worship service at The First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., Quincy.

Preacher will be the Rev. Mike Robertson. Liturgist

will be the chaplain, Clara Sparks.

The church announces other upcoming events:

On Tuesday, April 3, the book club will meet at 7 p.m. in the church parlor. The book to be discussed is *The*

Kite Runner written by Khaled Hosseini.

A pot luck supper will be held Saturday, April 14 at 6 p.m. in the church hall. Bring a favorite dish to share.

There is no men's breakfast Saturday, March 31.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-

472-2345.

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Assemblies of God

Glad Tidings

158 Washington St., Quincy

phone: 773-9797

Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor

Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m.; Christian Ed: 10 a.m.; Senior Hi Youth: 7 p.m.; Wed: 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study; Royal Ranger Missionettes: Friday, Junior Hi Youth: 7 p.m.

Youth & Children's Ministry

• Contemporary Worship

• Marriage & Family Group

• International Fellowship

• DivorceCare

Catholic

St. Mary's Church

95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120

Masses

Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30

& 11:30am, Weekdays 9am

Handicapped Accessible

New Members Welcome!

Unitarian

UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy

1306 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T

Worship Service & Church School

SUNDAYS: 10:30 a.m.

Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister

• A Welcoming Congregation •

617-773-1290 • www.ufpc.org

Congregational

First Church of Squantum

164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649

Pastor: Michael S. Robertson

Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson

10 a.m. Sunday Worship

All Are Welcome



To advertise in
this directory
call
617-471-3100

Catholic

Sacred Heart Church

"A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"

386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171

(617) 328-8666

Sunday Masses

4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy)

10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm

12 noon at Star of Sea Church

Weekday Masses

Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am

Handicapped Accessible

Confessions

Sat. 3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church

550 Washington Street

Quincy, MA 02169

617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES:

4 p.m. (On Saturday)

8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.

Weekday Masses 9am

CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm

Handicapped accessible &

Handicapped parking, side entrance

air conditioned

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

44 School St.,

Quincy

617-773-1021

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m.

Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.

and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)

Weekday Masses

Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.

Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church

757 Hancock St., Wollaston

• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM

Daily Masses: 9:00 AM

Handicapped Charlift Available

Congregational

HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

310 Manet Ave., Quincy

www.hncong.org

Sunday, April 1

Worship Service 9:30 am

PALM SUNDAY

(Lent 6)

'Blessed is He'

LUKE 19: 28-40

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Rev. John Castricum

617-479-8778

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner of Spear & Coddington Sts.,

Quincy Center • 617-479-7300

10 AM Easter Sunday Worship

And Sunday School

Rev. William Harding: "The Grand Entry"

Fellowship Time in Allen Parlor

QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424

Worship and Church School 10 am

Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor

visit us at www.QPCC.org

Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist

10:30 AM

Sunday Service & Sunday School

7:30 PM

Wednesday Evening Meeting

20 Greenleaf Street Quincy

off Hancock St.

617-472-0055

Congregational

WOLLASTON

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432

Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford

10 a.m. Worship Service

Sunday, April 1

PALM SUNDAY

"Follow the Leader"

Luke 19: 29-40

RAnn Aaberg, preaching

Minister of Christian Education

UNION CHURCH

Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston

(617) 479-6661

Palm Sunday

Worship Service 10 AM

9 a.m. breakfast

Rev. John Swanson, Pastor

Covenant

COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Corner of Whitwell & Granite St.

Sunday Worship 10:00 AM

Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor

9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages

Child Care Available - All Are Welcome

Children's Pantry

Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon

617-479-5728

Nazarene

Wollaston Church of the Nazarene

37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston

(617) 472-5669

On The Campus Of

Eastern Nazarene College

Pastor: Rev. Fred. Fullerton

Sunday Services

8:30 am - Holy Communion

9:45 am - Adult & Children's

Sunday School

11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service

Come Worship with Us!

Episcopal

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church

Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy

(617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com

Rev. David Hefling

Sunday School 9 a.m.

Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.

Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m.

Nursery Care During Service

Coffee Hour Following

ALL WELCOME

THREE SHOPS W. HL FR 10am-4pm

Evangelical

EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC

65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy

(617) 847-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue

10:30 Sunday Worship

6PM Prayer Meeting

7PM Brazilian A/G Service

7PM Thursday Bible Study

Squantum Christian Fellowship

50 Huckins Ave., Squantum

617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan

Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew

Children's Class 10 a.m.

Bible Discussion Group Wed 7:45 p.m.

Handicap Accessible

email: info@squantumcd.org

Methodist

QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

40 Beale St., Wollaston

617-773-3319

10:30 AM Sunday Worship

Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor

Salvationist

THE SALVATION ARMY

6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345

9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL

11AM WORSHIP SERVICE

BRASS BAND MUSIC

7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

Spiritualist

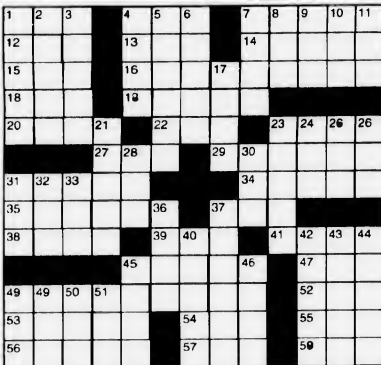
First Spiritualist Church of Quincy

40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169

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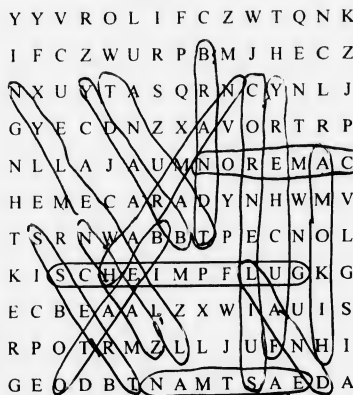
- ACROSS**
- 1 Carte lead-in
 - 4 Joe's ilk
 - 7 Rapid
 - 12 Fleur-de-
 - 13 Important numero
 - 14 Conversation starter
 - 15 Squid squirt
 - 16 Discuss
 - 18 Candle count
 - 19 Goodman's style
 - 20 Pop
 - 22 Fuss
 - 23 Touch
 - 27 "SNL" alum Tina
 - 29 Up till now
 - 31 Abrade
 - 34 Not limp
 - 35 Classroom group
 - 37 Listening device
 - 38 NYSE counterpart
 - 39 Ashen
 - 41 Labyrinth goal
 - 45 Model airplane wood
- DOWN**
- 18 Pedestrian
 - 23 Blazing tour
 - 24 Cranberry territory
 - 25 Spoon-bender Geller
 - 26 One of Rose's sons
 - 28 Silthery fish
 - 30 Historic time
 - 31 IRS worker (Abbr.)
 - 32 Drone
 - 33 Mighty Joe Young, e.g.
 - 36 Clear the decks
 - 37 Follows
 - 40 Last word of "Farmer in the Delf"
 - 42 Noble gas
 - 43 Klutzy
 - 44 Choppers
 - 45 Music segments
 - 46 On
 - 48 "Holy mackerel!"
 - 49 Blond shade
 - 50 Whopper
 - 51 Crucial



Easter flowers
In the United States, white lilies are popular at Easter. But for Britain and Russia, the pussy willow, too, symbolizes Easter, as does the narcissus for France and Italy. In Germany, bouquets of red flowers symbolize the blood of Christ.

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- TELEVISION: Who starred in the original TV series "The Fugitive"?
- MUSIC: Who sang the theme song to movie "The Spy Who Loved Me"?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Kuwait?
- INVENTIONS: Where was lacquer invented?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the national anthem of the United Kingdom?
- LANGUAGE: What is an ecchysiat?
- ASTRONOMY: What is the Perseids?
- ANATOMY: What is the medius?
- LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "The Water Is Wide"?
- GAMES: How many pockets are on an American roulette wheel?

- Answers**
- David Jansen
 - Carly Simon, "Nobody Does It Better"
 - Kuwait City
 - China
 - "God Save the Queen"
 - A stripper
 - Major meteor shower
 - The middle finger
 - Pat Conroy
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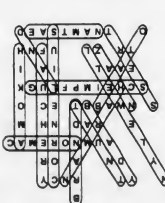
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Magic Maze Answers



Quincy Typewriter Service
SALES - SERVICE - RENTALS
Gerry Barker
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IBM Selectrics Reconditioned
Starting at \$229⁰⁰ and up while they last!
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Quincy, MA 02169
617-472-3656



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Put your restlessness to good use by indulging the Arian love of exploring new places and seeking new challenges. There also could be a new romance waiting to be "discovered."

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A surprise message from someone in your past could lead to a long-awaited reunion with a once-close friend. Also, look for a workplace problem to be resolved in your favor.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Your self-confidence is rising, and that should be a significant factor in helping you adjust to a new social situation, as well as adjusting to a series of changes in the workplace.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Turnabout could be lots of fun when someone who previously accepted your tender, loving care without question now suggests that he or she wants to start taking care of you.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Put the lessons you learned from past disappointments to work in planning your future. The way ahead opens to opportunities "purportedly" suited to the adventurous Lion.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) This is a good time to renew contacts with family members and/or old friends who somehow slipped off your personal viewing screen in recent years. Travel is also favored.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Most problems surrounding that recent personal situation have been resolved, and that means you should move on to other things that are important to you.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Spend this weekend recharging your physical and spiritual energies. When you return to your workaday world, you'll be ready to take on that new project.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Be careful how you advise a troubled friend. Even your wise counsel could be misunderstood. Better to suggest that he or she seek professional help.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Family problems once again dominate and, once again, everyone seeks your guidance in these matters. Later, you can indulge in some much-needed relaxation.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Some mixed signals create confusion in the workplace. Best advice: Ask for explanations before you attempt to deal with any of these matters on your own.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A patch of roiling water in the workplace could be threatening, but stay the course and you'll soon be clear of it. Then go out and have a great time with loved ones.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your extraordinary leadership qualities mark you as someone people can turn to for guidance in difficult situations.

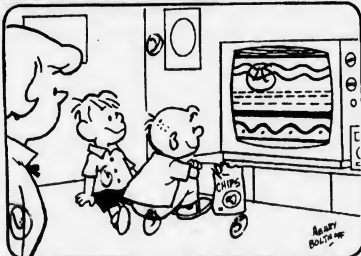
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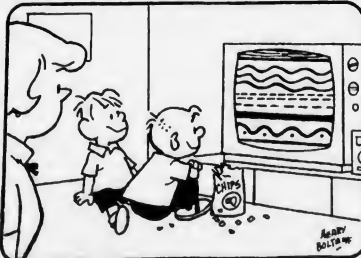
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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0656AD
In the Estate of
OLIVETTE M. HOLMES
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 15, 2004

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that ESTHER S. HOLMES of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 2, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 20, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/29/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Eoghan Kelly for a Variance to demolish the existing mudroom and construct a farmer's porch in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (setbacks) on the premises numbered 80 MAIN STREET, QUINCY.

3/22, 3/29/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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3/22, 3/29/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169

In accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, The City of Quincy requests proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City:

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
The City of Quincy, on behalf of Quincy Public School Department, a department of the City, is seeking to lease space in Quincy, Massachusetts, to be used as offices for the Superintendent, the Personnel Department and the Business Office. The site must be located within a one (1) mile radius (as the crow flies) of Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts. The site must be accessible by public transportation. The premises shall be a minimum of 23,000 square feet and ADA compliant. A copy of the specifications may be obtained at the Purchasing Department, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts, 02169, after March 28, 2007, between the hours of 8:30^{AM} to 4:30^{PM}.

Non-Price Proposals must be in a sealed envelope and price proposals must be in a separate sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelopes are to be clearly marked **"RFP - NON PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED"** with time/date of RFP and **"RFP - PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED"** with time/date of RFP opening.

Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be opened and registered. Late proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.

The right is reserved to reject any or all RFP's or to accept any part of an RFP or the one deemed best for the City, and waive any informalities in the bidding, if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

3/29/07

Tax Assistance For Low, Middle Income Payers

The Council on Aging will again sponsor the AARP Tax Aide Program to provide free, personal income tax assistance to low and middle income taxpayers.

Special attention is given to those 60 years old and older.

The assistance will be provided, by appointment, each Monday beginning Feb. 12 and lasting through the tax season at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Com-

plex, One Merrymount Parkway.

For an appointment, contact the COA at 617-376-1508.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 04P2310GI2
In the Matter
Of KATHERINE O'BRIEN
Of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN**

To KATHERINE O'BRIEN of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said KATHERINE O'BRIEN of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally ill person and praying that SOME SUITABLE PERSON be appointed guardian, to serve without surety of the person - and property - with the authority to administer antipsychotic medications in accordance with the treatment plan for reasons more fully set forth in said petition.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 23, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 14, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/29/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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3/22, 3/29/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169

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William J. Phelan, MAYOR
Laurie M. Allen, CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07C0078CA1
In the Matter of
JEREMY JOSEPH
CALLAHAN
Of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

To all persons interested in a petition described:

A petition has been presented by JEREMY JOSEPH CALLAHAN praying that JEREMY JOSEPH CALLAHAN of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK be allowed to change his name as follows:

JEREMY JOSEPH CALLAHAN to JEREMY JOSEPH GRAY.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 25, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 21, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/29/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0555EP
In the Estate of
ROBERTA A.
CLOUGHERTY
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death
December 24, 2006

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that LYNNE M. GUSTAFSON of HANSON in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 18, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/29/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0600AD
In the Estate of
PATRICIA SMART
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that SUSAN P. SALMON of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 25, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 15, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
3/29/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0614EP
In the Estate of
MARILYN M. SULLIVAN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death
February 20, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

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DAN JAEHNIG, Quincy resident and Fox 25 reporter, invites Montclair students to try some "Green Eggs And Ham" as the school celebrated Dr. Seuss's 103rd birthday.



SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN James Timmins returns to Montclair's second grade to share a favorite picture book. (Other photos Page 16)

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FAMILY MEMBERS of Vietnam casualties Major Charles Bifolchi and Capt. Alan Brudno flank Air Force Major Gen. Michael Lynch at the dedication of a West Quincy intersection in the memory of Major Bifolchi. Left to right, Robert and Debra Brudno, brother and former wife of Alan Brudno; Gen. Lynch; and George Bifolchi, brother of Charles Bifolchi.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

Brudno Family Donates \$20,000 For Scholarships W. Quincy Square Named For Maj. Charles Bifolchi

By TOM HENSHAW

Major Charles L. Bifolchi and Capt. E. Alan Brudno, both Quincy boys who were casualties of the Vietnam War, shared the spotlight Thursday as their old comrades observed Vietnam Veterans Day in their hometown.

The intersection of Willard, Robertson and Quarry Streets in West Quincy was dedicated to the memory of Major Bifolchi, who was listed as missing in action for 38 years until his remains were identified last year.

Capt. Brudno, who was a prisoner of war in North Vietnam for seven and a half years and took his own life after his release, was

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FLYOVER FORMATION is performed by A-15 jet fighters from the Massachusetts National Guard at Otis Air Force Base at the Vietnam Veterans Day observance at the Clock Tower in Marina Bay.

Would Curb Non-Resident Vehicles In Neighborhoods

Coughlin Urges Permit Parking In Districts

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Quincy residents and their visitors are being squeezed out of parking spaces by commuters and non-resident employees clogging neighborhood streets, according to Ward 3 Councilor Kevin Coughlin who believes "that establishing permit parking" zones would ease the problem.

At a recent Ordinance Committee meeting, Coughlin urged his colleagues to support "Parking Permit Districts." Such districts would limit parking to residents, their families and visitors with city-issued stickers on their vehicles. On-street parking could be limited in such areas to certain days or hours.

Such zones could eliminate non-resident parking in residential areas by screening out commuters and non-resident employees, according to Coughlin who proposed that only cars with resident or visitor stickers could park in such zones.

"I have a number of neighborhoods where people are anxious to have this implemented as soon as possible," Coughlin said this week of his proposal for permit only parking zones. He expects the Ordinance Committee to consider the proposal again later this month.

Coughlin cited the Montclair and Wollaston sections as examples of neighborhoods where two-hour and four-hour parking signs aren't enough to discourage commuters who simply go to another block.

Originally, two-hour parking and four-hour parking signs were intended to ease the parking congestion in problem areas. While limited parking may discourage non-residents, such zones, also, punish residents and their visitors who have to watch the clock at their own curbs, according to Coughlin.

Coughlin cited several examples where residents or their visitors got tagged in two-hour parking zones designed to spare their own neighborhoods from all-day parking by commuters.

Coughlin's proposal involves a number of steps required to identify a problem area. Some of those steps are outlined here:

Under the plan, residents themselves could petition for a "parking permit district" by gathering certified signatures from 50% of the residents or owners of property in their district. Petitions could also be submitted by the city's Planning

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Former NQHS Student Killed In Afghanistan

Army Spc. Christopher M. Wilson, 24, of Bangor, Maine, who spent a year as a student at North Quincy High School, March 29 in a grenade explosion in Afghanistan.

An infantryman assigned to the 10th Mountain Division's Company A, First Battalion, 32nd Regiment, he had been in the Army since September, 2002, and in Afghanistan since March 2006.

A native of North Dakota, he was raised in Chicopee and spent the 1996-97 school year at North Quincy High. He leaves a daughter, Jayden, 4, with lives in Bangor.

Three other soldiers were wounded in what an Army spokesman described as a firefight in Korengal Outpost in eastern Afghanistan.

New Craig Ave. Dwelling For Donnelly Family

New Home Rises In Hours At Site Of June Explosion

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Nine months after an explosion ripped apart their Craig Avenue home, Robert and Angela Donnelly watched as their brand new home rose before them in eight and one half hours.

The project began at 7 a.m. March 22. As the Donnellys and their relatives and friends cheered, giant cranes swung each of four modules into the air, then carefully arranged them, like kids' wooden blocks, on the new foundation and, then, atop each other.

By 3:30 p.m. that day, the major construction was over. The Donnelly's spanking-new five-bedroom Colonial stood with its roof intact, sparkling silver appliances in the kitchen, pine kitchen cabinets, vanities installed in the 2 1/2 baths, and even a touch of blue siding at their new front door.

Before 4 p.m., Robert and Angela did their first walk-through of their new home. Later that week, Robert described the experience as "awesome, just awesome."

"It's amazing," Angela said near tears on that Thursday as her new home rose before her eyes. "Everything's already in it."

A few feet away, Robert, also, watched, describing himself as "Really excited. This is the light at the end of the tunnel. There's an end."

The family expects to move into the new house in six weeks when all the finish work is completed. As for the couple's four children, "They're very very overwhelmed," said Angela.

For the Donnelly's, they are near the end of a harrowing nine months that began on June 28 when a blast, caused by flammable liquid dumped into the city sewer system, destroyed their home.

"It was an horrific event that happened to these people," Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond said, recalling that they were "literally blown out of their home."

At the time, Fire Chief Timothy Pettinelli said, "We can not say for sure what was introduced into the sewer system, where or by whom." Pettinelli said that the substance could not be identified as the vapors were so

volatile as to be destroyed by the flames.

Even the original foundation imploded so a new foundation was built for the modular structure.

"Somebody poured a solvent into the sewer drain," Mrs. Donnelly said recalling the explosion. She was at her job as an adjuster for Workmen's Compensation when vapors seeped into her basement and were then ignited by the pilot of their hot water heater. Three members of the family, including her husband, were home.

"He got blown out the back door," said Don Bernier of Rockland, recalling the ordeal endured by his brother-in-law. Bernier was on hand to watch the construction.

Robert suffered burns over his head, back, legs and arms as well as broken sternum, hip and arm and spent more than two months recovering. He is employed in maintenance at Schepens Eye Research Institute in Boston.

Amazingly, Donnelly was the only one injured of the three persons in the house at the time so, for the family, there was a true miracle. "God must have been watching us," he said.

Less than 300 feet away from their new Colonial stands the 2 1/2 bedroom trailer which has been home for the six Donnellys and their two dogs since the explosion.

It's been a tough squeeze for the parents, daughter Marisa, 20, and three teenagers, Joshua, 13, Christopher, 19 and Cassandra, 17, as well as Zeus, a 225 pound Mastiff and Mr. Beefy, a 60 pound English bulldog.

"We wouldn't have missed this," said sister-in-law Jennifer Damon of Weymouth, who joined the Donnellys on construction day. "They've been living in that small trailer. It was tough watching them, especially having a real small Christmas."

Before the trailer was in place, things were even worse.

"I ended up splitting everybody up," said Angela. Her husband was in a hospital while the Red Cross placed her in a motel for two nights

and her children stayed with friends as did the dogs.

"It was tight, but at least it was family," Robert Donnelly said of the past year and of living in the cramped trailer. He added, "Our family did grow stronger."

Both Donnellys credit Councillor Raymond with helping them cut through the red tape and confusion during their ordeal. Raymond called for an investigation into the blast in early July in an effort to help the Donnellys and the neighborhood.

"My concern was that the city was not responding aggressively enough," recalled Raymond. Both the Donnellys and nearby residents needed assurance on the safety of the area.

After the probe, Chief Pettinelli determined that the Craig Avenue neighborhood was "in no immediate danger."

Leaving Quincy was never an option for the Donnellys. After the investigation, they learned they could rebuild in the neighborhood where they had lived for six years and which they had grown to love.

"We love Quincy," Angela said last week. "We really love the neighborhood. The schools are great, there's a lot of sports and activities for kids and everybody knows everybody."

With their home insurance coverage, the family decided on a prefabricated home. The sections were built in Pennsylvania, then transported and erected by Savoie Modular Homes, Inc. of Boylston. The company moved them on flatbed trailers on Wednesday night to a rented area of the Fore River Shipyard, then put them in place Thursday morning.

Asked about the landscaping, Angela said that insurance doesn't cover that but they will hydroseed.

So, after the trailer is moved and the mud is gone, the Donnelly's will even have a lawn this summer and that fulfills a wish for their niece, five year old Lexis Damon.

"I wished the house would be here," she said.

Almost in the blink of an eye, her aunt and uncle's two-story house was right there.



THE FIRST OF FOUR modules constructed for a new Colonial home for the Donnelly family on Craig Ave. floats above the foundation built two weeks ago. The Donnelly's original home on the site was destroyed in an explosion last June. The prefabricated house was put in place in 8 1/2 hours.

Photos by Robert Noble/Quincy Sun



THEIR FIRST TOUR of the interior of their new home brings smiles to Robert and Angela Donnelly and three of their four children, Marisa, 20, Cassandra, 17 and Joshua, 13. Not shown in the photo is son Christopher, 19. The Donnelly's watched last Thursday as workmen put the house together from four modules in 8 1/2 hours. All of the kitchen and bath appliances as well as the interior stairs to the second floor and the roof were already installed before placement. The new Colonial that features 4 bedrooms, one study and 2 1/2 baths replaces their former house which was destroyed by an explosion last June.



ONE WEEK LATER, the Donnelly's new 5-bedroom house is completely covered with Colonial blue siding and double navy blue shutters on its windows. To the left is the trailer which housed all six Donnellys and their two dogs.

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The Spring street sweeping program is underway and will continue through June 7.

DPW Commissioner Stephen O'Donnell said that to ensure that all streets are properly cleaned, residents should make every effort to remove all motor vehicles from their street on the day it will be swept.

Signs will be posted mid-day the day before the sweeping to inform residents.

The sweeping started Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in Precincts 4 and 5 in West Quincy's Ward 4.

It will continue in Precinct 4, Ward 4 today (Thursday).

The remainder of the schedule, which will be in effect weather permitting:

April

06: W4-P4.
09: W4-P3.
10: W4-P3.
11: W4-P1.
12: W1-P1.
13: W1-P1.
16: W1-P3.
17: W1-P4.
18: W1-P4.
19: W1-P5.
20: W1-P5.
23: W1-P2.
24: W2-P1.
25: W2-P2.
26: W2-P2.
27: W2-P3.
30: W2-P4.
May
01: W2-P5.
02: W2-P5.
03: W3-P1.
04: W3-P2.
07: W3-P2.

08: W3-P3.
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21: W6-P3.
22: W6-P5.
23: W6-P5.
24: W5-P1.
25: W5-P1.
28: HOLIDAY.
29: W5-P3.
30: W5-P4.
31: W5-P5.
June
01: W5-P2.
04: W5-P2.
05: RAIN DATE.
06: RAIN DATE.
07: RAIN DATE.

State Awards \$248,900 To Housing Authority

The Quincy Housing Authority (QHA) has been awarded technical assistance and emergency capital improvement bond funding of \$248,900 by the State Department of Housing and Community Development.

The money will be used to supplement the QHA's operating reserves and replacing the emergency generator at the Tobin Towers

housing complex in Wollaston.

"Improved housing in Quincy is a top priority," said Rep. A. Stephen Tobin, "and these funds will help us achieve that goal."

"This funding is critical to the Quincy Housing Authority," said Sen. Michael Morrissey. "The new emergency generator is an integral part of continued im-

provements to Tobin Towers."



MEMBERS OF the newly formed Asian American Association receive their appointments from Secretary of State William Galvin. From left to right are: Sen. Michael Morrissey, Tackey Chan, Galvin and Kao Li.

3 Quincy Figures Charter Asian American Assn. Members

Twenty members, three of them familiar figures in Quincy, have been sworn in as charter members of the newly formed Asian American Association, dedicated to political advocacy for Asians throughout Massachusetts.

Members of the commission include:

Tackey Chan of Quincy, chief legal counsel and legislative director in the office

of Sen. Michael Morrissey. A graduate of Boston College High School, Brandeis University and New England School of Law, he is a founder, former board president and current treasurer of Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. (QARI).

Kao Li of Weymouth, the founding executive director of Quincy Asian Resources, Inc., and currently in finan-

cial services for Harbour Planning Group, LLC. A fish biologist by training, he was born in Taiwan, grew up in Libya and came to the United States as a foreign student.

Paul Shaw of Norwell, vice president of Outpatient Services at South Shore Mental Health in Quincy and a member of the board

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On April 7, 1891, American showman P.T. Barnum dies in Bridgeport, Conn. Though he was gravely ill, the 81-year-old showman's sense of humor hadn't deserted him. He requested that a New York paper run his obituary before he died so he could enjoy reading it, and the paper obliged.

• On April 6, 1917, the United States formally enters the First World War. By the time the war ended on Nov. 11, 1918, more than 2 million American soldiers had served on the battlefields of Western Europe, and some 50,000 of them had lost their lives.

• On April 4, 1933, the dirigible Akron crashes in New Jersey, killing 73 people in one of the first air disasters in history. The Akron was the largest airship built in the United States when it took its first flight in August 1931.

• On April 5, 1949, "Fire-side Theatre," one of TV's first dramatic series to be filmed rather than broadcast

live, debuts. The show ran until 1958. For the first year, each film was only 15 minutes long, but later the time slot expanded to 30 minutes.

• On April 3, 1957, the American Civil Liberties Union announces it will defend Allen Ginsberg's book "Howl" against obscenity charges. The poem's racy language, frank subject matter and lack of form offended some conservative readers.

• On April 8, 1974, Hank Aaron of the Atlanta Braves hits his 715th career home run, surpassing Babe Ruth's legendary record. Aaron was inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1982.

• On April 2, 1987, the U.S. government allows individual states to increase the speed limit on rural roads from 55 mph to 65 mph. Since 1973, when President Nixon set a federal maximum speed limit of 55 mph, no cars were allowed to exceed this speed.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Gore's Not Coming

A Gore won't be coming to town. Apparently his crusade against global warming is getting to be a full-time job.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly last month sent a letter to the former vice president inviting him to meet with his Environmental and Public Health Committee at City Hall to speak on the issue.

"Whenever you are available, the meeting will be held at your convenience," Kelly told him.

But, Gore can't make it because of the "demands on his time."

A staff member, Stacy Maciusk, responding for Gore in a "Dear Leo" letter writes:

"As you may know, Mr. Gore recently released a documentary film and book and he is traveling extensively in promotion of both. He is writing another book called 'The Assault On Reason' which will be published in May.

"Mr. Gore is also engaged in a campaign to educate the American people about the climate facing our nation and indeed, the world.

"He is in the process of training several thousand messengers all over the world to help him in this mission and learn to give his slideshow on climate change in their own voices. As a result of the related demands on his time, Mr. Gore will be unable to participate in your event."

She thanked Kelly "for thinking" of him.

Kelly is disappointed Gore can't make it but says he understands.

"I think he is doing a great service warning about global warming," Kelly says.

Kelly's City Council Environmental Health Committee will meet April 26 in the second floor conference room at City Hall with Mike and Cindy Cotter of the Quincy Network on the issue of global warming.

And he hasn't given up about getting Gore here. He'll invite him again later.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their

surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, April 9
Pepperoni pizzas, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, April 10
Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, April 11
Chicken nuggets, rice pilaf and peas, sweet and sour sauce, fresh fruit or juice, dinner roll.

Thursday, April 12
Rotini and meat sauce, hot vegetable, dinner roll, fresh fruit or juice.

Friday, April 13
Warm soft pretzel, fruit yogurt cup, cocoa sunflower seeds, box of raisins, fruit juice.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, April 9
Pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, April 10
Grilled hot dog on a bun, baked beans, coleslaw - Opening Day at Fenway. Early release middle and high schools.

Wednesday, April 11
Kentucky style chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, hot vegetable, whole wheat bread stick, cranberry sauce.

Thursday, April 12
Pork sloppy joe on a bulgie roll, hot vegetable, fresh fruit or juice.

Friday, April 13
Manager's Special.

SOME MOVEMENT ON the political front:

Nick Puleo, president of the Ward 5 Community Association, who has been thinking of running for the school committee, has made his decision. He's running. And will make an official announcement shortly.

Puleo is senior budget analyst for the powerful state Senate Ways and Means Committee.

This will be his debut as a candidate but he's no stranger to the political scene. He was Councillor Joe Finn's campaign manager two years ago.

Incumbents Vice Chairwoman Elaine Dwyer, Linda Stice and Dave McCarthy are expected to seek reelection.

AND, Jennifer Logue is "considering" running for one of the three council at-large seats.

She's the daughter of former Mayor Frank and Sandra McCauley, but made a name for herself as the first and efficient executive director of Discover Quincy.

She served a year and a half in that post before returning to WGBH as senior publicist in January of last year.

She is also a former member of the Tourism Council and the Board of Voter Registrars.

The council has been all-male again since Alicia Gardner stepped down two years ago after serving one term in the Ward 6 seat.

Only four women have been elected to the council in Quincy's 118 years as a city.

The other three: Edna Austin (1943), Joanne Condon (1977) and Patricia Toland (1981).

At-large incumbents Joe Finn, John Keenan and Mike McFarland are up for re-election.

TOM KOCH has his mayoral campaign kick-off coming up Thursday, April 12, 7 to 10 p.m. at the Granite Links Golf Club, 100 Quarry Hills Drive. Donation, a grassroots \$20.

DID YOU HAPPEN to catch Charles Gibson's recent visit to Congressman Bill Delahunt's Washington, D.C. apartment as an ABC "World Wide News" segment?

Delahunt and three colleagues are roughing it in a dinky apartment that looks like one you would find four college freshmen in.

Gibson found the apartment a bit unbelievable for "four of the most powerful men in Washington."

That remark shows how much Delahunt has grown in stature and influence since going to Congress.

But that apartment sure is cramped quarters. No wonder Delahunt looks forward to coming home to Quincy whenever he can.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registration nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.



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(As of Monday, April 2, there were no dogs available for adoption.)

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1918 real photo postcard view of the first Atlantic Methodist Episcopal Church at the corner of Hunt and East Squantum Streets in North Quincy. The parsonage is on the left. Built in 1894, this wooden church was replaced by a large seam-face granite structure built just to the left of this view. Today, both build-

ings in this view are long gone and the newer stone church on this corner has been converted into condominiums. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

QPAC Meeting April 10 At Broad Meadows Middle School

Outreach Counselor Elizabeth Fitzgerald will be the guest speaker at the QPAC to Special Education meeting held at the Broad Meadows Middle School, 50 Calvin Rd., on Tuesday, April 10, from 7-9 p.m.

Fitzgerald will discuss transitions from high school to college for special education students. This seminar is

targeted towards high school special education students receiving Special Education services via a 504-plan or an IEP.

Some of the issues to be discussed include: What happens now? Where do I go from here? What to think about when planning post-secondary education; and suggestions for local col-

leges with support services.

Those planning to attend the event should RSVP by April 6 to qpacsped@comcast.net or by contacting Andrea White at (617) 479-8776. An RSVP is needed to make sure enough material is available for everyone.

Nominations for the 2007-2008 QPAC to Special

Education Executive Board will be accepted at this time. Anyone interested in running for office should attend this meeting. Elections will be held at the May 8 meeting.

For more information about QPAC to Special Education contact Toni-Marie Mahoney, president, at (617) 773-4558 or at tmahoney77@comcast.net.

READERS FORUM

Fr. William Mullin: He Will Be Missed

I would like to share my thoughts on the recent passing of Fr. William Mullin.

He was a gentleman, though strong and firm in his devotion to peace, civil rights and social justice matters. A founding member of Pax Christi, Fr. Mullin fervently opposed violence of

any kind.

While at several parishes in Dorchester and Roxbury during the busing crisis, Fr. Mullin led discussions to her parishioners' concerns while speaking on the justice issues at stake.

Among his many activities and advocacies, he was

involved in the epic battle to prevent I-95 from extending through and eviscerating Fowl Meadow and several Boston neighborhoods. And he did much, much more to inspire many of us who were fortunate to know him.

To me, Fr. Mullin was a supreme example of a deter-

mined clergyman, who strove successfully to lead a Christian life in our difficult world and to share with us the ways to follow in his path.

I will miss him very much.

Ann Yeomans

Breaking the Law

I am a World War II veteran and 88 years old. It is my duty to answer to Mr. Michael Jovanovic's article in The Quincy Sun about illegal immigrants.

Mr. Jovanovic does not know the meaning of illegal.

In the Webster's New World Dictionary, the word "illegal" means *against the law, unlawful, illicit, not authorized or sanctioned by rules*.

What happens to an American citizen when he/she steals, kills, speeds on our roads, cheats, rapes or uses drugs? We have to pay a price of jail, fines or prison because what we did was illegal.

Why are illegal immigrants being treated differ-

ently? They get free health care, food stamps and welfare benefits. Still people speak out for them. Why?

I fought in World War II to protect this country's free-

dom AND my country's laws. I did not fight so people could enter this country and stay illegally.

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country from Italy. They did this legally. I am proud of them. I am not proud of Mr. Jovanovic!

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Quincy's Yesterdays

Quinn Predicts No Increase In The Tax Rate

By FRANK MCCAULEY

The City Council Finance Committee has been wrestling with the city budget for the past 90 days. Finance Committee Chairman John Quinn predicted additional cuts of about \$1.5 million and no increase in the tax rate.

**1973
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The budget covers 18 months instead of the usual 12 because all

Massachusetts cities and towns are converting from a calendar year to a fiscal year, starting July 1st to June 30th.

The current tax rate is \$152.40 per thousand.

PETITION DRIVE UNDERWAY AGAINST SOUTH QUINCY M.B.T.A. STATION

A petition drive with a goal of 20,000 names is underway in opposition to the proposed South Quincy M.B.T.A. station and parking facility.

The petitions being circulated by the South Quincy Civic Association will be presented at a public hearing on the proposed station, to be held April 26 at Sterling Junior High School.

The station would have a 1750 car parking garage and a new expressway ramp system connecting the station with routes 3 and 128. Cost of the project is set at 15.8 million.

QUINCY-ISMS

Ellis J. Swartz, coordinator of foreign languages in the Quincy School system, will be interviewed on radio station WEZE about the second annual Quincy International Festival being held in Quincy April 13-14... Granite Dodge, 338 Washington St., was advertising "Spring Tune Up plus Emission Control Service for \$24.77"... Members of the Quincy Center Business and Professional Association met in the board room of the South Shore National Bank to hear a progress report by Hilgenhurst Associates on a development plan for the Quincy Center Business District... Leo J. Kelly, president of the Houghs Neck Community Council, gave special thanks to Virginia Keefe and Lynn Deady, for co-chairing a covered dish supper held recently to raise money for the Houghs Neck Bulletin... The Merrymount School PTO was planning its second annual Spring Dance "Sweet April" to be held in the Mediterranean Room at Lantana in Randolph... A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCloskey, 41 Rockland St., Houghs Neck... The Ladies Auxiliary of the Morrisette Legion Post announced that a penny sale would be held at the Post Home. Members of the Committee included Mrs. Gertrude Paakonen, Mrs. Margaret James, Mrs. Dorothy Maguire, Mrs. Mary Flaherty and Miss Marie LoCicero... Tickets for North Quincy High's Senior Prom were going on sale at a cost of \$25 per couple. The prom will be held at the Blue Hills Country Club, May 11 from 7 p.m. until midnight... Sawyer Campus Shop, 1508 Hancock St., was advertising "A Trip to Bermuda for Two Free-Register Today-No Obligation"... Susan Bridgeman, of 238 Everett St., has been accepted to the University of Massachusetts. She plans to major in economics... The Quincy School Lunch Program's menu for the week of April 9-13 was advertised in The Quincy Sun. The menu ad was paid for by Russell Edwards Hair Stylist, 27 Cottage Ave., Quincy Center... Marine Lance Cpl. James M. Cooley, son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Cooley, of 95 Alrick Rd., West Quincy, was named his squadron's "Marine of the Month" aboard the aircraft carrier U.S.S. America... "Deliverance" starring Jon Voight and Burt Reynolds was playing at the Wollaston Theatre, Beale St.... Charles H. McGarry of 11 Snug Harbor Court, Germantown, who recently celebrated his 90th birthday, was reappointed to a three-year term on the Board of Directors of the Quincy Council on Aging. The appointment was made by Mayor Walter J. Hannon... Nicholas Barbadoro, 170 Harvard St., was reappointed to a three-year term on the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



QUINCY RESIDENTS TAYLOR-ANN Greenwood (left) and Mattie-Ann Greenwood (right) recently portrayed American Girl Models Felicity and Kirsten at the recent American Girl Fashion Show and Tea at the Park Plaza Hotel presented by the Freedom Trail Foundation. They are pictured with actress Shailene Woodley (center) who starred in the movie Felicity an American Girl Adventure. Taylor-Ann, a fifth-grader, and Mattie-Ann, a second-grader, are both students of the Boston Ballet and the Bernazzani School in Quincy. Their parents are Don and Kelly-Ann Greenwood.

Mad Science To Explore Fundamentals Of Energy

The fundamentals of energy will be explored in a Mad Science workshop in two sessions Saturday, April 28, in the Children's Room at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St. The 10 a.m. session will be for youngsters ages 7 and

older and the 11:15 a.m. sessions will be for those ages 4 to 6. Registration is underway and is restricted to Quincy residents only.

Participants will investigate how energy can be conserved, discover the principles behind motion and

build their own rubber band-powered rattlesnake egg to help learn about energy.

To register, stop by the Children's Room and call 617-376-2411. The program is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Deadline For Entries April 27

Christmas Parade Theme Contest Now Underway

The 56th Christmas Parade is still eight months away, but the popular "Theme Contest" that plays a significant role in its planning, preparation is now underway.

George White, Festival Committee Chairman, said that the contest is the first and very important step in the planning and preparation of the very significant event.

"The themes submitted for committee consideration offer a wide range of ideas that challenges the imagination of the float builder as they determine their float

presentation approach," White said. "This is the 49th year that the general public has had the opportunity to submit an appropriate theme."

All entries must be received by April 27th. This contest is simple to enter. Just mail your entry to Ms. Carol Flynn, 79 Freeman Street, North Quincy, MA 02171.

The theme winner receives a gift of appreciation from the Christmas Festival Committee; and is invited to ride in an open convertible along the approximate three-

mile parade route.

The Christmas Parade traditionally takes place the Sunday following Thanksgiving. This year's parade is Nov. 25, beginning at 12:30 p.m. sharp. Rain date is the following Sunday Dec. 2nd.

An estimated 200,000 people attended last year's parade.

Each and every year it is always a difficult Christmas Festival Committee decision to select a winner. Keep in mind the deadline for entries is Friday, April 27th.

The winner will be chosen the first week in May.

Drummer Steve Gadd Skills Clinic At Quincy High April 10

Legendary Drummer Steve Gadd will demonstrate his skills and offer tips at a Drum Clinic Tuesday, April 10 at Quincy High School.

Observers expect hundreds of Gadd's admirers, young and old, to attend as Gadd is considered one of the most in-demand drummers in the world. Gadd will also meet and greet his fans that night.

"Gadd is a legend and most adults who know music know him," says Peter Volpe, owner of DiCenso's Drum Shop at 51 Franklin St., South Quincy and South Shore Music Co. of Weymouth.

The Avedis Zildjian Co.,

Yamaha Drums, Vic Firth Drumsticks and Remo Drumheads are sponsoring the program. Representatives of the world famous Zildjian Cymbal Co. will be on hand with some cymbals available at special pricing, as well as signed cymbals and give-aways.

Volpe said that Gadd provided background drums on tours and on thousands of recordings for such stars as Paul Simon, James Taylor, Chuck Mangione, Eric Clapton, Chick Corea and Steely Dan.

According to Volpe, Gadd set the mark for other artists through his versatility, his

broad spectrum of studio recordings and his world tours. Gadd provided the beat for songs like Paul Simon's "50 Ways to Leave Your Lover" and "Late in the Evening."

During the clinic, Gadd will demonstrate some of his techniques and answer questions from the audience. Doors open at 7 p.m. for the 7:30 p.m. clinic.

Tickets are available in advance of the clinic for \$18 by calling 617-479-1280 or online at www.dicensos.com. Tickets sold at the door will be \$25 each. More information about Steve Gadd is available online at www.drstevegadd.com.

Chair Yoga, Gentle Yoga Classes At Beechwood Center

Two yoga classes for seniors, "Chair Yoga" and "Gentle Yoga," are now available for senior citizens each week at Beechwood Community Life Center, 440

East Squantum St. with instructor Ellen Murphy.

Murphy, a Certified Yoga and Fitness Instructor, teaches Chair Yoga every Wednesday starting at 9 a.m. and Gentle Yoga each Thursday evening starting at 6:30 p.m.

According to Murphy, Chair Yoga offers an alternative to traditional hatha yoga while providing the same benefits through breathing, muscle and joint exercises. In this class, the chair is the yoga mat. Chair Yoga is designed for seniors and

others who may have limited movement.

The Gentle Yoga class is appropriate for all levels of fitness, according to Murphy who says, "Just begin where you are." Murphy teaches the sitting, standing and other basic yoga postures designed to work each muscle and joint in the body. Each class includes the closing period of rest and relaxation.

Interested persons may contact the Center at 617-471-5712 for more information or for registration details. Each six week class costs \$25.

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Open House April 29 At Woodward School

The Woodward School for Girls, one of the top private girls' schools in the area, will hold a Spring Open House Sunday, April 29, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the school, 1102 Hancock St.

"Girls thrive at Woodward," said Eileen Shaw, the school's board chairwoman, herself a graduate of Woodward.

"Ninety nine per cent of our students go on to college. Our students are routinely accepted into colleges such as Boston College, Emerson, Holy Cross, Wellesley, BU and Simmons.

"The challenging college preparatory curriculum provides students with the skills to succeed when they graduate from Woodward."

The Woodward School for Girls was founded in 1894 by a bequest from Dr. Ebenezer Woodward, the

city's leading physician until his death in 1869, to balance Adams Academy for boys.

Its graduates include the first woman accepted at Harvard Law School, the first female Georgetown Law School graduate, an Air Force jet pilot and countless professional women.

Research by the American Legislative Exchange Council indicate that small school size is linked to higher SAT scores and schools with less than 300 students show the best performances.

At Woodward, each member of the diverse student body receives personal attention and is encouraged to challenge herself and strive to meet and exceed her own personal best.

For more information, call 617-773-5610.

Elizabeth McEvoy Participates In Spring Break Alternative

Quincy's Anne McEvoy spent her spring break from college studies in South Dakota this year as a participant in the Spring Break Alternative (SBA) of St. Anselm College, Manchester, NH.

McEvoy, a junior at St. Anselm's College, offered community service through her SBA week in North Dakota. The SBA, a student-led program offered through Campus Ministry stresses

Christian service and volunteer work.

The program offers students the chance to build and renovate homes, work in soup kitchens and interact with members of the local community.

McEvoy is the daughter of Anne McEvoy of Quincy.

This year, 24 student leaders and one staff member guided 143 students in community service projects through the St. Anselm College community.

Sales Receipts To Aid QHS Senior Night Out

Grocery shopping at Roche Brothers supermarket for three hours tonight (Thursday) can mean more than just your supper.

Donate your sales receipt on the way out the door between 5 and 8 p.m. and Roche Brother will donate a sum of money to Quincy High School's Senior Night Out.

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HEATHER LYNCH and CHRISTOPHER TOBIN
(The Henry Studio/Photo)

Heather Lynch Engaged To Christopher Tobin

A June, 2007 wedding is planned for Heather C. Lynch and Christopher C. Tobin of Weymouth.

Miss Lynch, the daughter of Timothy and Sally Lynch of Quincy, is a 2001 graduate of North Quincy High School and a 2005 graduate of

Suffolk University.

Mr. Tobin, son of Paul and Marion Tobin of Weymouth, graduated from North Quincy High School in 1999. He is employed by State Street Corporation.

They are planning a honeymoon in Hawaii.

Emblem Club Meets April 11

The Quincy Emblem Club #22 will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 11 at 7 p.m. at the Elks Lodge on Quarry Street.

Beach Friends Meet Tonight

The Friends of Wollaston Beach Reservation will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. in the Nickerson American Legion Post, 20 Moon Island Rd., Squantum.

The meeting is open to all and new members are welcome.

For more information, call 617-653-9787 or visit www.wollastonbeach.org.

Teaching Babies To Sign Before They Can Speak

Sheryl White of Baby Kneads will introduce parents to the use of sign language with babies and toddlers Saturday, April 14, at 10 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The program will show families with young children ages up to 4 years how to communicate with their offspring before they can speak.

No registration is required. The program is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Applications Available For Paul Harold Scholarship

Applications for the Paul D. Harold Scholarship Grant are now available at the Guidance Offices at both North Quincy and Quincy High Schools and must be returned no later than April 27 for the 2007 grants of \$500 each.

Each year, the Paul Harold Memorial Fund offers two scholarships to Quincy and North Quincy High School students who will be studying government.

The scholarship is to help students defray the cost of school.

Senior Scrabble Every Monday

Elderly devotees of the game "Scrabble" meet every Monday from 12 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive at the corner of Channing Street.

Beginners are welcome. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

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Sally's Easy Easter Eggs

As a volunteer at the hospital, our conversation usually turns to food and recipes. Here's one from my friend Sally that I plan to include in my Easter Brunch.

The good thing about this easy recipe is that I plan to prepare it the night before and then pop in the oven on Easter. And it is a good alternative to cooking scrambled eggs.

- Easy Easter Eggs**
 4-5 strips bacon (cooked)
 6 eggs (beaten)
 7 slices White Bread trimmed and crumbled
 3 cups milk
 2-4 ounce shredded cheddar cheese
 1 tablespoon mustard

Salt & pepper to taste
 Blend eggs and milk together. Add all the rest of the ingredients except the bacon.

Place in a slightly greased 9 x 13 pan. Refrigerate overnight.

Sprinkle top with bacon (cutup).

Bake at 350 degrees for 50-55 minutes.



Happy Easter!

Fred Myerson Toastmasters Club Speech Winner

Frederic S. Myerson of Quincy recently won the Club Speech Contest held at Quincy Toastmaster Club. The title of his speech was "Semper Fidelis, Always Faithful." Myerson was in the Marine Corps during the

Vietnam era. His speech was a reflection of what the Marine Corps meant to him and how it had shaped his future. Runner-up was Stacey Shipman of Weymouth.

Myerson will compete in the Area Level scheduled

April 8 at 7 p.m. at Fore River Club, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, contact Stacey Shipman at 781-331-8867 or Mike Marinucci 781-974-8754.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

The Council is mandated by law to do background checks on all volunteers.

Easter Egg Hunt Aboard USS Salem Saturday

The USS Salem's annual Easter Egg Hunt will take place on Sat., April 7 from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m. aboard the 716-foot U.S. Navy ship moored at the former Fore River Shipyard in Quincy.

Each year the museum hosts hundreds of children for their annual egg hunt.

"Our volunteers love this event," said Michael Condon, executive director of the USS Salem. "In years past we have hidden as many as 3,000 Easter eggs, this year our goal is 4,000 eggs."

The event is one of several major fundraisers for the

museum, which receives no city, state or federal funds for its support.

"We try and do unusual and fun events like the Easter Egg Hunt and Haunted Ship to attract people to the ship who may not ordinarily think of visiting the Naval Museum," stated Condon. "The kids get so excited, you can feel their enthusiasm," added volunteer coordinator Frank Campbell.

In addition to the egg hunt, there are lots of activities for the kids to enjoy, including egg and cup cake decorating, face painting and a treasure

hunt.

"We organize the event so every child gets a chance to hunt for Easter Eggs in addition to a having a fun afternoon aboard the ship," stated Campbell.

The USS Salem is located at 739 Washington St., Quincy, adjacent to the Fore River Bridge rotary. Activities begin at 12 p.m. and run to 3 p.m. Admission is \$5 per person.

For more information call (617) 479-7900 or check their website at www.USS-Salem.org.

Barnes & Noble Purchase Will Aid Summer Reading Program

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The special fundraising

program is sponsored by the Massachusetts Regional Library Systems and the Thomas Crane Public Library as well as Barnes & Noble.

Customers can also help replenish the Library's collection of paperback series books for elementary school age children by purchasing and donating an item from the Library's "wish list."

The wish list may be seen at the Barnes and Noble bookstore in Braintree.

For more information, call 617-376-1301.

Quincy Artists Exhibit Continues Through April

Members of the Quincy Art Association will exhibit their work from April 1 to 29 in the Coletti Reading Room on the first floor of the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The works on display will include oils, acrylics, water colors and mixed media painting as well as photography and sculpture.

A public reception will be held Sunday, April 15, from

2 to 4 p.m. in the Richardson Building at the library.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranepubliclibrary.org.

Senior Bridge Club To Meet

The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive, corner of Channing Street.

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MEMBERS OF CLASS OF 1961 at North Quincy High School stand behind George Bifulchi, brother of Charles Bifulchi, as a West Quincy intersection is dedicated to their classmate. Left to right, Lois (Casagrande) AuCoin, Judi (Laukkanen) McAuliffe, Carol (Bertoni) Swett, Bifulchi, Jeanette Rose (Bifulchi's cousin), Joan (Avitabile) Bicchieri, Donna (Beers) Anderson.

W. Quincy Square Named For Maj. Charles Bifulchi

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recognized at the Memorial Clock Tower in Marina Bay and \$20,000 added to his scholarship fund.

Air Force Major Gen. Michael K. Lynch, the guest speaker at the ceremonies in Marina Bay, noted that Major Bifulchi was a top ten graduate of prestigious Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and speculated what might have been.

Among the other speakers was Joseph McCain, brother of Sen. John McCain, the presidential candidate, who served in the Navy off shore in Vietnam and was pulled back from the war zone when his brother was shot down and became a prisoner.

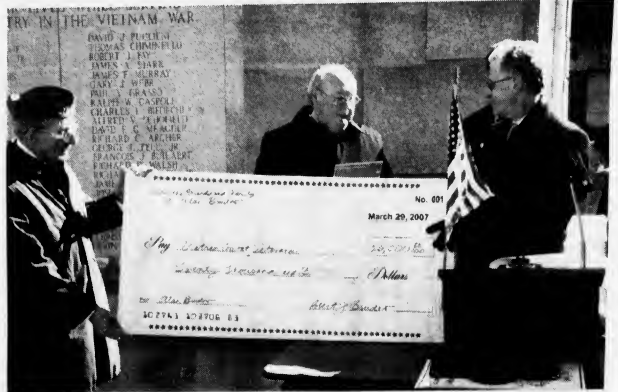
The \$20,000 donation was collected by the Brudno

family and friends and presented to the Vietnam Combat Veterans Combined Armed Forces for distribution to four funds for scholarships for Quincy high school students.

They are the Alan Brudno Scholarship Fund, the Vietnam Veterans Scholarship Funds at North Quincy and

Quincy High Schools, and a scholarship set up by Brudno's 1961 classmates at North Quincy High.

The four plane flyover (the missing man formation) was performed over the observance at the Clock Tower by Massachusetts National Guard A-15s from Otis Air Force Base on Cape Cod.

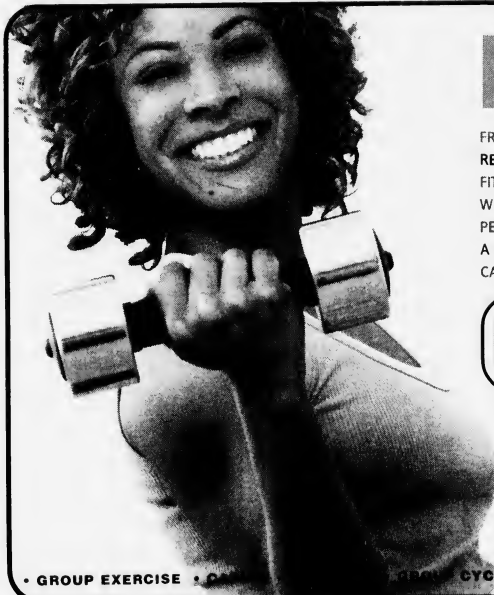


ROBERT BRUDNO, brother of Alan Brudno, presents scholarship check for \$20,000 to Joseph Brooker (left) and Lawrence Norton (right) of the Vietnam Combat Veterans Combined Armed Forces.



REV. JOHN SWANSON, pastor of the Union Congregational Church of Wollaston, a former Navy lieutenant, gives the benediction. At right is Mayor William Phelan.

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MRS. BEA BEVANS (left) is joined by the daughter, Sheri Holleran (right), and Mark Crowley, commandant of the Caddy Detachment, Marine Corps League, at the 92nd annual memorial service for her brother, Pfc William Caddy, who died on Iwo Jima in 1945.

Marine Pfc. William Caddy Gave His Life Saving Comrades On Iwo Jima Medal Of Honor Winner Remembered For His Heroism In WWII

By MIRIAM JOSEPH

Once again, for the 62nd time, his old home town paused Sunday to remember a 19-year-old neighborhood kid, a Marine who willingly gave his life for his country and his comrades in the bloodiest battle of World War II in the Pacific.

Memorial services were held for Pfc William R. Caddy, who was killed in action on Iwo Jima March 3, 1945, in Caddy Memorial Park on Quincy Shore Drive, sponsored by the Caddy Detachment of the Marine Corps League.

Caddy, who grew up in Quincy Point, won the Congressional Medal of Honor for his actions that that day.

Only 353 of the medals, the nation's highest award for heroism, were given in five years of World War II, 27 of them in one month on Iwo Jima.

Marc Connelly, junior vice commandant of the Caddy Detachment, highlighted the memorial service with a moving tribute to Caddy, who was described as a youth with a strong dedication to his comrades, a trait that was to cost him his life.

Caddy was a rifleman with Company I, Third Battalion, 26th Marines, Fifth Marine Division when the defining moment of his young life came — as his citation, signed by President Harry S. Truman, described

it:

"Pfc Caddy boldly defied shattering Japanese machine gun and small arms fire to move forward with his platoon leader and another Marine during a determined advance of his company through an isolated sector and gaining the comparative safety of a shell hole, took temporary cover with his comrades.

"Immediately pinned down by deadly sniper fire from a well-concealed position, he made several unsuccessful attempts to again move forward and then, joined by his platoon leader, engaged the enemy in a fierce exchange of hand grenades until a Japanese gre-



MASTER OF CEREMONIES Marc Connelly, junior vice commandant of the Caddy Detachment, reads tribute to Pfc William Caddy while color guard from the detachment stands by.



CADDY DETACHMENT members salute as a bugler plays Taps at memorial services for Pfc William Caddy in Caddy Memorial Park.



MRS. BEA BEVANS (foreground), sister of Pfc William Caddy, watches memorial service for her brother while the North Quincy High School ROTC unit stands guard.

nade fell in the shell hole.

"Fearlessly disregarding all personal danger, Pfc Caddy instantly threw himself on the deadly missile, absorbing the exploding charge in his own body and protecting the others from serious injury.

"Stouthearted and indomitable, he unhesitatingly yielded his own life that his fellow Marines might carry on the relentless battle against a fanatic enemy."

Caddy's sister, Mrs. Bea Bevans, who will turn 90

years of age in July, her daughter, Sheri Holleran, and son, Bill Caddy Bevans of Deering, N.H., laid a wreath on her brother's memorial stone in the park.

Each year, the Caddy Detachment sends a second wreath to Caddy's grave in the National Memorial Cemetery on the Hawaiian Island of Oahu, popularly known as the Punch Bowl, where more than 25,000 dead of World War II are buried.

"The park where Pfc Caddy is buried is gor-

geous," said Wayne Gauthier, a member of the Caddy Detachment for 40 years. "There is a (extinct) volcano and in the middle there is a beautiful park where the soldiers are buried.

"There are eight or nine Medal of Honor winners there and Caddy is one of the pictures on the wall."

Three other Quincy Marines who died on Iwo Jima — Pvt. Malcolm McPherson, John W. Jackson and John R. Koski — also were remembered at the Caddy Memorial.

More than 100 people attended the ceremony, including state and local officials, clergy and representative of veterans organizations, including honor guards from the Marine Corps League, the George Bryan VFW Post, Houghs Neck Legion and the North Quincy High School Junior ROTC.

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Community Development Week Highlights Impact On Quincy

Next week has been designated National Community Development Week, celebrating a program that has provided more than \$64 million to Quincy for housing and human services since 1975.

A number of events have been planned during the week of April 9-13 highlighting the positive impacts Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) and similar federal programs have had in Quincy.

This year, the theme of the celebration is "Building Stronger Communities: Telling the Story, Promoting the Success."

"The CDBG program has strengthened our city by addressing neighborhood and human service needs," said Mayor William Phelan.

"This program has had a significant impact on our community through the implementation of affordable housing, economic development, public facilities

and public works improvements, and has assisted us in combating homelessness.

"The program has contributed to the overall improvement of the physical, economic and social conditions in our city."

A highlight of the week will be the ribbon-cutting on an 11 single-room occupancy residence for homeless individuals in Quincy Point, a collaboration of the city's HOME program, the Neighborhood Housing Service of the South Shore and Rockland Trust.

The celebration schedule includes:

Monday, April 9, from 10 to 11 a.m. - First anniversary tour and coffee, Germantown Neighborhood Center Food Pantry, 15 Bicknell St.

Tuesday, April 10, from 3 to 4:30 p.m. - New program: Pokemon Club, Ward 4 Community Center, 100 Brooks Ave., South Quincy. Wednesday, April 11,

9:30 a.m. - Quincy Fair Housing Plan: Public Meeting, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock St.

Wednesday, April 11, 11 a.m. - Affordable Housing Project: Ribbon Cutting - 356 Washington St., Quincy Point.

Wednesday, April 11, 1:30 p.m. - Houghs Neck Food & Youth Program: Open House, Houghs Neck Community Center, 1193 Sea St.

Thursday, April 12, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. - English as a Second Language class, Atlantic Neighborhood Center (Good Shepherd Lutheran Church), 15 Harvard St., North Quincy.

Friday, April 13, from 10 to 11 a.m. - Friday Fitness Fun, Beechwood Community Life Center, 440 East Squantum St., North Quincy.

Friday, April 13, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. - Open House, Senior Program, Squantum Community Center, 136 Standish Rd.

'Cleaner, Greener Quincy' Cleanup Set For May 5

The 18th annual Cleaner, Greener Quincy Cleanup will be held from 9 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday, May 5 at beaches, marshes, neighborhood parks, playgrounds, schoolyards and open space areas citywide.

The annual cleanup draws close to 1,500 volunteers each year. Last year, more than 25 public areas were designated as cleanup sites, many at the suggestion of residents who worked together in targeting areas in their neighborhoods to improve the aesthetic conditions of their surroundings.

"This event is a testament

to what we can accomplish by working together," said Mayor William Phelan. "The long term rewards of this one-day event not only translate into a more aesthetically pleasing environment, but offers a chance to strengthen bonds in our neighborhoods and instill the importance of stewardship of our parks, beaches, and open spaces in our youngsters."

Following the cleanup, Phelan will host an appreciation barbecue for all volunteers at the Richard J. Koch Park & Recreation Complex. The barbecue will be from 12:20 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Phelan urges those who wish to participate in Cleaner, Greener Quincy to organize a team of volunteers and designate a cleanup site. The Park Department will support the cleanup effort by providing the necessary tools including rakes, brooms, gloves and other equipment.

All volunteers will also receive a Cleaner, Greener Quincy T-Shirt.

Those that wish to volunteer or have questions about the program may call the Park Department at (617) 376-1254 or email kkeohane@ci.quincy.ma.us.

MBTA Passes Available At City Hall April 10

MBTA officials will register seniors and handicapped persons for the MBTA Pass Program at Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street on

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Wollaston Congregational UCC Named A 'Turnaround' Church

Membership is growing and programs are expanding at Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, on Winthrop Avenue which was recently honored as a "Turnaround" Church by national and state clergy.

"We're a church that's growing," said Rev. Mary Louise Gifford recently as she explained her church's recognition as a "Turnaround" church due to its increased membership and new programs, including a children's choir which will debut on Easter Sunday.

In the old days, when a church's numbers diminished through age or attrition, little was done to stem the tide, according to Rev. Gifford. But that's changed as efforts are now made to revitalize or 'turn around' a church in flux.

"The old thinking was a wait and see attitude. 'If that church closes, there'll be a new start somewhere else,'" explained Rev. Gifford. "The approach is different now. When a church is small in numbers, the question is, 'How can you bring it back to life?'"

The 130-year-old congregation now has 80 active members and a mix of congregants ranging from infant to 80-year-olds, according to Rev. Gifford who said that she has seen a ma-

jor increase in members "in their 20's and 30's."

There are "lots of weddings and a half dozen baptisms" already pencilled in for spring and summer, according to Rev. Gifford who attributes those events to the influx of younger members who are actively seeking a spiritual foundation and meaning for their lives.

Rev. Gifford, also, cited the "fabulous" new children's nursery program on Sundays and a Christian education program for older children as well as the new choruses. Two new appointees, Ann Aaberg, Minister of Christian Education and Molly Pierce, new Minister of Music, direct the programs.

The Wollaston church is not only experiencing increased enrollment but, also, a facelift due to a capital campaign which members kicked off last spring and are working on now. So far, the congregation has raised \$125,000, but, much more is needed.

To date, there have been some serious repairs, including the de-leading of win-

dows, as well renovations creating a bright and airy atmosphere in four key rooms.

In recognition of the Turnaround success of the Wollaston Church, Rev. Federico Ranches, national Minister of Evangelism for Church Development and Renewal, UCC, recently visited Wollaston as did Rev. Paul Nickerson, Massachusetts UCC Conference Minister for Evangelism, Mission and Justice. Both officiated at Sunday services with Rev. Gifford.

All three pastors met with the Wollaston church Turnaround Teams after the service. The Prayer Team, Dream Team, Leadership Team and Hospitality Teams are made up of members and friends of the church.

The special honors to the church this year coincide with Rev. Gifford's coming anniversary on May 1 which marks her fifth year as an ordained minister.

Prior to her ordination, Rev. Gifford worked as a therapist and, also, as a community organizer for Impact Quincy. She and her husband have three grown children.

HONORING NEW GROWTH at Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, (UCC) at a recent Sunday service were national and state pastors. Shown left to right are National Minister Rev. Federico Ranches, Wollaston pastor Rev. Mary Louise Gifford and Rev. Paul Nickerson of the Massachusetts State Conference (UCC). Rev. Ranches is the National Minister of Evangelism for Church Development and Renewal at the home office in Cleveland. Rev. Nickerson is the state Conference Minister for Evangelism, Mission and Justice Ministries. He also leads the Commission on Evangelism and Church Vitality.



ALL AGES CELEBRATE new vitality and growth at Wollaston Congregational Church at a gathering after services honoring the community. Shown before the cake-cutting are (front row l-r) Eric Hanrahan, Owen Doherty, Jake Royal, Isabel Doherty, Terry McMillen, Claire Doherty, Erin McMillen, Zac Royal and Matthew Stephan. In the middle row (l-r) are Estelle Margarones, Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, pastor, Ann Aaberg and in the back row are (l-r) Richard Bartlett, Rev. Federico Ranches of the national office of UCC and Rev. Paul Nickerson from the MA state conference (UCC).

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lege application process, SAT requirements and financing college.

Parents or guardians will have an opportunity for a question and answer session with guidance counselors following the main presentation.

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Tax Tips From The Experts.

How Do You Stack Up Against The National Averages

Every year the U.S. Treasury releases statistical information relating to income tax returns filed. Here is a summary of some of the statistical information for 2005.

Adjusted gross income

Adjusted gross income (AGI) rose by 8.9 percent from 2004 to \$7.4 trillion for 2005. The largest component of AGI, salaries and wages, went up 5.2 percent to \$5.236.5 billion for 2005.

Deductions

Itemized deductions were claimed on 35.4 percent of all returns filed for 2005 and represented 64.9 percent of the total deductions amount. The average total for itemized deductions was \$22,693, a 7.9 increase. The 2004 average was \$21,038. Taxpayers earning the more than \$50,000 took the most itemized deductions. Most taxpayers may either use a standard deduction or itemize their personal deductions. The number of returns claiming the standard deductions went up 0.9 percent. This percentage accounts for 63.3 percent of all returns filed and 35.1 percent of the total deductions amount. The average standard deduction rose 2.6 percent from \$6,090 for 2004 to \$6,864 for 2005.

National averages

Here's a look at the national averages for some of the common deductions. Keep in mind these are averages not allowable limits. You must always be able to support your deductions.

2005 Average Total Itemized Deduction						
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\$30,000-\$50,000	14,874	5,625	3,623	1,655	7,582	2,158
\$50,000-\$100,000	18,769	6,144	5,812	3,125	8,946	2,703
\$100,000-\$200,000	27,423	9,727	10,504	6,234	11,927	4,057
Over \$200,000	70,533	30,952	39,321	30,879	21,166	20,434



Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617)376-6226.

3 Quincy Figures Charter Asian American Assn. Members

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of directors of Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. A graduate of Tufts University and Boston College Graduate School of Social Work, he is a member of the Pacific/Asian American Mental Health Research Foundation.

State Treasurer Tim Cahill and Deputy Treasurer Grace Lee, one of the highest ranking Asian Americans in state government, were moving spirits behind the legislation that created the association in 2006.

"I'm proud to have helped establish this commission,"

said Cahill. "The Asian population in Massachusetts is growing rapidly and making great contributions to our state, as I've seen in my hometown of Quincy."

"This commission affords Asian Americans strong representation in state government."

A previous Asian American Commission, set up by executive order in the 1990s with appointments only by the governor, has been largely defunct. Appointments to the new commission are made by the governor, secretary of state, trea-

surer, attorney general, auditor, Senate president and speaker of the House.

"The commission will provide a united voice through which the social, educational and economic interests of Asian Americans will be strengthened and will make a positive and lasting impact on the lives of Asian Americans throughout the Commonwealth," said Grace Lee.

Legislation creating the commission was co-sponsored by 25 legislators, including Quincy's Senator Morrissey.

Ward 2 Civic Association Invites Residents' Participation

The Ward 2 Civic Association encourages all residents of that ward to participate in their monthly meetings.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday April 10 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., in Quincy Point.

The association meets the second Tuesday of each month at the same time.

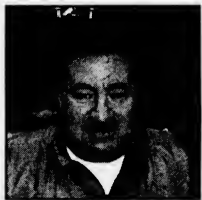
The association hosts local speakers who typically cover issues relating to the community. Refreshments and fellowship are served after the meeting. So join us!

For more information please contact Brad Croall,

president, at (617) 930-0106.

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Diane Furness Earns GRI Designation

Diane Furness, manager of the Jack Conway & Co. Realtors Quincy office, recently earned the designation of GRI, after completing the required courses from the Graduate Realtor Institute.

Furness received her designation from Massachusetts Association of Realtors President Douglas Azarian.

The GRI designation signifies 90 hours of advanced in-class real estate education. Realtors who have passed the GRI examinations are recognized as having attained one of the highest professional levels in residential real estate.

"It was a long process, but I gained valuable information about appraisals, relocation, financing, environmental issues, and building and zoning codes," said Furness. "I'll be sharing all of this new training with all of the agents in my office so they can better serve their customers."

The Realtor Institute is a



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program of the Massachusetts Association of Realtors, and meets the rigid standards set for such programs by the National Association of Realtors. Its purpose is to enable Realtors to provide better service to their clients and customers through education and training in real estate.

With 45 offices from Boston to Cape Cod, Jack Conway & Co. Realtors is the largest independent real estate company in Massachusetts.

(NAPS) When it comes to decorating, choosing paint color can really be a challenge. While you may feel that there are too many choices, you're bound to find the right one.

Ed Waller, co-founder of CertaPro Painters, offers expert tips that will really help find your color. After all, the paint colors you choose will set the tone for each room you add color to.

1. Find the existing dominant color that you like, or wish to keep, in the room or on the house. For an interior, it could be the color of your sofa, your flooring or your window coverings.

2. Determine what kind of feeling you wish to have in the room or around the home. Warm colors, such as red, orange, yellow or beige, can create an invigorating mood or add cozy intimacy to large spaces. Blues, greens, violets or grays, the cool colors, give a serene feeling and can add spaciousness to small places.

Consider how complex a color scheme you wish to undertake. There are three



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main colors schemes to choose from:

1. Monochromatic schemes are based on one hue, which varies in value (lightness and darkness), and saturation (the amount of color). An example of this is

a pale blue with a pure blue and dark blue.

2. Analogous schemes combine no more than three similar colors. An example of this is red, yellow-red (orange) and yellow.

3. Complementary

schemes are based on opposing colors. This scheme offers more contrast and can introduce both warm and cool colors into the area. An example would be red and green.

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Cleaning HVAC System Improves Air Quality, Saves Money

(NAPS) - Cleaning your home's heating/cooling system can do a lot more than improve the quality of the circulating air. It can also make a huge difference in your monthly utility bills.

That's because dust and debris reduce the ability of HVAC system to provide heating and cooling. Consider that dirty systems—especially dirty coils—use up to 30 percent more energy to

heat and cool the home.

Meanwhile, dirty filters block airflow through the system, increasing your energy bill and shortening the equipment's life. Contaminants that don't get caught by either the filter or the coils are then blown through the rest of the system. These contaminants build up in the ductwork over time, so the system must work harder

and longer to achieve the desired comfort level, using more energy and costing more.

Changing the filter regularly can help, but eventually the system must be cleaned to run at optimum efficiency. To find a certified air duct cleaner near you, visit the National Air Duct Cleaners Association at www.nadca.com.

Controlling Mold And Mildew Outside Your Home

(NAPS) - Mold and mildew can make the exterior of your home look dirty and unattractive and rob it of its curb appeal. If left unchecked, they can also damage paint, wood, roofs and siding.

Removing mold and mildew used to mean countless hours of scrubbing or power washing—only to have it return the next year. Fortunately, those days are gone. Thanks to products specifically formulated to kill mold and mildew and prevent it from coming back—there's now a scrub-free way to a mold-and-mildew-free home. Here's how:

Control the moisture around your home. Keep shrubs, plants and mulch away from the exterior walls. Trim any branches or tree limbs that touch the outside

of your home. Clear gutters and drains or any leaves or debris. Since mold and mildew need moisture to grow, redirect sprinklers and rotate hanging planters to prevent water from regularly collecting on exterior surfaces. Also, make sure rainwater is not collecting near your home's foundation. Repair leaks and extend downspouts away from the foundation.

Clean and kill the mold and mildew with a house cleaner that contains an EPA-registered mildewicide, such as JOMAX House Cleaner and Mildew Killer. JOMAX kills mold and mildew and loosens dirt and stains without scrubbing or power washing. Its specifically formulated detergent system will not damage wood, etch aluminum siding or discolor

surfaces like household bleach can. And JOMAX will not harm surrounding plants, grass and shrubs.

To remove black streaks, dirt and mildew stains from asphalt shingled roofs, use JOMAX Roof Cleaner and Mildew Stain Remover. It quickly cleans and kills mold and mildew on tile, slate, metal and other nonporous roof materials.

Tip from the pros: Not sure if the black spots on your house are dirt or mold and mildew? Apply a drop of household bleach to the discolored area. If the stain disappears or lightens, it's mold and mildew.

Prevent it from coming back. After killing the mildew, prevent it from coming back with PERMA-WHITE Mold & Mildew-Proof Exterior Paint. Guaranteed to prevent the growth of mold and mildew on the paint film for five years, this premium-quality exterior paint is also guaranteed to resist cracking, fading, peeling and blistering for 15 years after application. Its beautiful white formula can be tinted to popular exterior colors for beautiful results that last, so it's a great choice for any home where the growth of mold and mildew is a concern.

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The To-Do List For A Perfect Summer:

Safe Kids, Cleaner Environment, Increased Property Values



By Samantha Mazzotta

This summer, a homeowner's to-do list should include keeping children safe, helping to make the environment cleaner, and improving the overall value of their home.

The Outdoor Power Equipment Institute (OPEI) offers tips and information to cross these items off the list. Keep kids safe. Keep them inside, away of the work area.

NEVER give a child a ride on a lawnmower, even with the blades turned off. After being given a ride, the child may return for another ride when you aren't expecting him. You may not hear or see the child coming out for a ride and cause an accident that may change your life and your child's forever. Riding mowers are tools, not toys.

- Keep kids indoors under adult supervision
- Look down and behind when backing up
- Don't disengage safety mechanisms
- Stop mowing and turn off the engine if people are near
- Store and lock riding mowers, keeping keys away from children
- Don't allow a child to play on or around a riding mower.

Keep the air cleaner and the grass greener. Manufacturers of outdoor power equipment have invested millions of dollars in innovative technologies to manufacture products that are cleaner, quieter, and more efficient.

Today's outdoor power equipment is designed with low-emission engines that are 70% cleaner than those built in 1990 and meet and even exceed emissions standards from the Environmental Protection Agency.

According to the EPA, emissions from small engines under 25 horsepower are responsible for just 3% of the total emissions nationwide, of which lawn and garden equipment make up approximately 1%.

You can help further reduce emission output by:

- Being extra careful when filling the engine with gasoline.
- Spilled gasoline releases unnecessary emissions into the air
- Leaving room for expansion by filling only 3/4

full - to prevent unwanted emissions from being released

- Tightening gas caps to prevent evaporation and reduce emissions
- Storing properly in a cool place out of direct sunlight
- Tuning up engines and sharpening blades for more efficient performance.

Using outdoor power equipment is a wise investment that pays.

Finally, as you mow, edge, plant and trim this year,

know this:

- Landscaping can add as much as 11% to the value to your home
 - Landscaping creates an environment attractive birds and beneficial insects
 - The right plant and location can lower heating and cooling costs by up to 20%
 - Plants absorb pollutants and block noise levels
- For a complete list of safety tips and other important information about outdoor power equipment, visit

www.opei.org The Outdoor Power Equipment Institute (OPEI) is the international trade association committed to advancing the outdoor power equipment industry in the areas of public safety, environmental responsibility, business development and advocacy.

Founded in 1952, OPEI represents the manufacturers of outdoor power equipment and their suppliers. For more information on OPEI, visit www.opei.org.

Norfolk County Register Of Deeds Announces Beware Of Deed Scam

Norfolk County Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell announces homeowners of Norfolk County should be aware of deed scam.

According to O'Donnell, an outfit named National Deed Service, Inc. has mailed an offer to secure for residents of Norfolk County a certified copy of their deed for \$59.90.

O'Donnell reminds homeowners in Norfolk County that a certified copy of their deed may be obtained from the Registry of Deeds at 649 High St. in

Dedham from Monday through Friday during regular business hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at a cost of \$1 per page.

Homeowners who cannot come to the office may send a request by mail to the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds at P.O. Box 69, Dedham, MA 02026. Cost by mail is \$2 per deed.

"Homeowners are paying an exorbitant fee for a private company," O'Donnell said. "This company is not providing a meaningful public service."

"It is a business practice

affecting the residents of Norfolk County that is outrageous," O'Donnell added.

Homeowners who would like to view their deed can go online to the Registry website at www.norfolkdeeds.org and look at their deed in the research section.

There is also further real estate information available including the process on how to obtain a copy of a deed.

For more information, contact the Registry's customer service center at 1-781-461-6101.

This Home Needs a Check-Up

Q. Please help! I have two strange problems in my home. First, the wooden countertop and table in my kitchen feel sticky. Same goes for the wooden paneling around the doorways and the chain from which my dining-room ceiling lamp hangs. Second, within the past few months the wooden floors in my home have been sinking in different areas and in different rooms. I've lived in this house 18 years and have not experienced these issues before. What is going on? Is it termites? — Anna V., Roselle, N.J.

A. My first thought is not termites, but excess humidity throughout the house. The tacky surfaces and sinking floorboards, all occurring at around the same time, indicate that something has gone wrong with the home's environmental system.

A house having an environmental system, you may ask? Yes — homes are designed to keep occupants comfortable and remove or repel things that will make them uncomfortable. One of the biggest parts of that system is the airflow system — not the air conditioner or heater so much as the attic and basement (or crawl-space) venting. These vents

keep air moving through unoccupied sections of the house, an important factor in keeping structural elements dry and reducing overall humidity.

Go through a quick checklist of possible causes for this excess humidity. Was new insulation recently installed? Were windows, doors or other parts of the house weatherproofed? Have any major home appliances, including the heating system, washer and dryer, dishwasher or air conditioner, been repaired or serviced? Was the plumbing repaired recently? Did any extreme weather events (floods or heavy rains) occur in the past few months? Did the city perform any water main repairs or other work projects nearby?

Once you've been through the list, have a licensed general contractor check the house from rooftop to foundation, looking for any causes of humidity as well as any damage or deterioration. You may want to have a plumber inspect the pipe system, too. Get a written report and estimate from both before agreeing to any repairs.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequincy2004@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 53475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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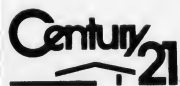
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YMCA Germantown Neighborhood Center Pantry Seeks Cash, Donations

This month, the YMCA Germantown Center Pantry marks its first anniversary with a plea for more donations of food, diapers, detergents and personal care products as well as cash donations and gift cards for local supermarkets.

Over the past year, the Germantown Neighborhood Pantry provided critical support to 700 families through supplies of food available each month from The Pantry

at 15 Bicknell Street. The Pantry is open three mornings a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 9 a.m. through 12 noon and on Wednesday evenings from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Additional hours are added during the holiday season when gift baskets and additional groceries are provided. The Pantry provides a three to five day supply of food each month to families and serves holiday dinners.

"We help out individuals

all year long by providing food and resources for basic needs, utilities, rent, and information," is the Pantry's stated goal.

Donations of meats, eggs, juice, fresh produce, milk, butter, cereals, fruits spaghetti sauce, rice, pasta, peanut butter and soups are always needed as are cleaning products, and laundry detergents.

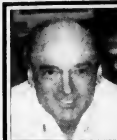
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P.J. Foley Speaker At Houghs Neck Garden Club

The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year P.J. Foley will be the guest speaker when the Houghs Neck Garden Club

meets Wednesday (April 4) at 7 p.m. at the Houghs Neck Community Center, 1193 Sea St. All are welcome to hear

Foley discuss "The Marshes of Quincy." The public is welcome and refreshments will be served



FIRE SAFETY

by Captain Tom Lyons
Fire Prevention Bureau
Quincy Fire Department

Pilgrims And Progress

Did you know that it wasn't long after the pilgrims first settled at Plymouth in 1620 that one of their houses caught fire?

On Jan. 14, 1621, less than a month after their arrival in Plymouth. The first houses they built, their "rendezvous" house, burnt from an ember igniting its thatched roof. I understand too that the first duel took place on this soil in Plymouth as well in 1621. I hope it wasn't over a conflict in suppression management at that fire.

Considering the materials used then for construction, it was no wonder it should occur so soon. I believe that chimneys were constructed of sticks and mud, roofs were first constructed of combustible thatch. I believe those first fire suppression efforts were performed with buckets and mops confining the fire to the roof. A good save I suppose!

Consequently, through experiences such as this and many, many others over these past four centuries, many of the building and fire codes today are derived from examining and modifying past practices. For instance, as a result of the Coconut Grove fire in 1942, and after examining the tragedy for

inadequacies in the building's design, which lead to so many deaths, code requirements changed so that all egress doors in buildings used by the public must open outward.

Revolving doors were still acceptable, but after this fire they had to be flanked by at least two doors with panic hardware. The need for emergency lighting within an assembly occupancy was then required because people in this particular fire were plunged into darkness attempting to escape. It has been suggested that the fire started with ignited combustible decorations. As a result, live Christmas trees and flammable decorations were banned from assembly occupancies as well.

Building and fire codes are constantly evolving, while tragic experiences such as this one tend to be the catalyst for much of this change. More recently the Station nightclub fire in Rhode Island led to the adoption of more assembly occupancy fire regulations in this

state as did a carbon monoxide tragedy in Plymouth, leading to the Nicole's Law. It will certainly not end there.

Building practices have come a long way since the use of materials like combustible thatch roofs and wooden framed chimneys, yet house fires exist and prevention efforts continue. Our efforts through fire safety education continue here as well. In the past, I've referred to fire prevention as a race against tragedy, which is why I write many of the articles I do here.

Sharing fire experiences, their origin and cause, along with the tale told through fire statistics, I attempt to highlight pitfalls in habits and behavior, which make us more prone to tragic fire.

From them we can recognize our own habits and behavior, which might need some attention and modifications we well. There is hope in our ability to learn from these incidents, and in that ounce of prevention we have so often discussed. The work continues. Be safe!

Author, Lecturer At Crane Library April 11

"Codfish, Dogfish,

Mermaid and Frank" is the title of the author Skip Debrusk's lecture Wednesday, April 11 at 6:30 p.m. at Thomas Crane Public Library at 40 Washington St., Quincy Center.

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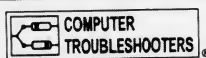
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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

When Exercise Makes You Feel Sick

Q. After completing my cardiovascular exercises, I sometimes have a slight bout of nausea and dizziness. Both last only a few minutes. Could this mean I am exercising at an intensity too strenuous for my fitness level? Or could it mean something else?

A. There are many reasons why conditioned and non-conditioned exercisers could have feelings of nausea and dizziness following exercise. There are steps you can take to identify the reasons for your nausea and dizziness, and these symptoms should not be ignored.

Be sure to consult your physician before beginning an exercise program. Certain medical conditions such as low blood pressure, hypoglycemia, pregnancy and diabetes could possibly produce symptoms of nausea and dizziness following exercise. Speak with your physician about steps you can take to lower your chances of these symptoms occurring while exercising.

Once you have been cleared by your physician, consider the following:

Remember to warm up before proceeding to a higher-intensity exercise. Take 7-10 minutes to increase your heart rate and allow your body to get warm, especially before beginning a strength-training routine. While warming up, your body sends blood to the appropriate areas, preparing you for the exercises to come. After your exercise is complete, remember to cool down until you are able to breathe comfortably and

your heart rate returns to a level close to what it was at the beginning of your workout. Cooling down will allow the blood that was sent to your muscles during exercise to circulate efficiently back to your brain.

For example, while using the treadmill or elliptical trainer, blood is shunted to your legs; once the exercise is terminated, the blood circulates back to your brain and heart. Stopping abruptly and stepping off the machine could cause blood-pooling dizziness.

Proper nutrition is a must before exercising. Lack of fuel could cause nausea and dizziness during and after exercise. Eating a light snack before exercise and staying hydrated is very important, especially when exercising in a hot and humid environment. Dehydration and lack of food both can cause nausea and dizziness.

Develop an exercise program that is right for you. Exercising at a heart rate that is too high for an extended amount of time not only can make you nauseous and dizzy, but it could also keep you from reaching your fitness goals. More is not always better. Pace yourself and find a cardiovascular program that works for you.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. Andrea Renee Wyatt, M.S.S., C.S.C.S., is a certified personal trainer with an extensive background in strength and conditioning as well as therapeutic recreation. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@heartsinc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-0475.

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Five Reasons To Stay Active

By MINDY HERMANN

(NAPS) — In my 20s, I made annual resolutions to become more active and usually broke each one within the first few weeks of the year. Then a friend's innocent comment—"After 30, it's a fight against gravity"—hit home, and I've been active ever since. I am certain that physical activity helps me maintain my weight. For me, it is also a great stress reliever. And surprisingly, the only thing that relieves a headache or mid-afternoon fatigue is a long walk or an hour at the health club.

Your personal benefits may be different, but here are five of the best reasons to

stay active and why activity can benefit your daily routine:

1. Cardiovascular fitness—Cardiovascular fitness means that your heart, lungs and blood vessels are in good health. Aerobic activities that increase your breathing help build up these important organs.

2. Strength building—Physical activity strengthens and tones muscles so they can work longer without tiring. Stronger muscles can lift things more easily.

3. Flexibility—Building flexibility by stretching muscles helps protect them from strains and

keeps them limber. People who are flexible may be better able to perform daily activities such as tying shoes and reaching down to pick up items from the floor.

4. Bone building—Bones become stronger through "weight-bearing" activities that rely on feet and legs to support the body's weight. The pull on bones by stronger muscles helps build bone strength.

5. Energy—Physical activity boosts "feel good" chemicals in the body.

Which activities are best for you? "The best activities are those that you enjoy," says Chris Rosenbloom, Ph.D., R.D., a professor in

Division of Nutrition at the College of Health and Human Sciences, Georgia State University. "Walking, swimming and cycling are all popular activities. And don't be afraid to try any sport that interests you." Dr. Rosenbloom encourages adults who have been inactive to start slowly and gradually build up the duration and intensity of exercise.

Exercising in the morning? Have a low-fat breakfast of Whole Grain Total, fruit and skim milk before or shortly after your activities, for a nutritious start to the day.

Eye On Health

American Academy of Ophthalmology Urges Athletes to Wear Protective Eyewear

(NAPS) — From Major League Baseball stadiums to small-town basketball courts, athletic competition builds physical fitness, entertains millions and teaches the values of hard work and teamwork.

But for more than 40,000 athletes each year, these lessons can be marred by an errant finger or misjudged catch. That's the number of sports-related eye injuries that occur annually in the United States. Approximately one-third of the victims are children.

April is Sports Eye Safety

Month, and Eye M.D.s at the American Academy of Ophthalmology urge athletes to wear appropriate, sport-specific, protective eyewear properly fitted an eye care professional.

"Athletes need to choose to use protective eyewear because eye injuries can be devastating," said Monica L. Monica, M.D., Ph.D., MHA, clinical correspondent for the Academy. "Eye injuries are one of the leading causes of visual impairment in children. The injuries range from abrasions of the cornea and bruises of the lids to

internal eye injuries, such as retinal detachments and internal bleeding. Unfortunately, some of these young athletes end up with permanent vision and blindness."

Many sports create risk for eye injuries; however, protection is available for many activities, including basketball, baseball, hockey, football, lacrosse, fencing, paintball and water polo, as well as racquetball, soccer and downhill skiing.

"Athletes can select from various types of lightweight and sturdy protective eyewear," said M. Bowes Hamill, M.D., associate professor of ophthalmology at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston and clinical correspondent for the Academy. "Eyewear properly fitted and worn does not hinder performance in any way, and can prevent most sports eye injuries."

Protective eyewear lenses should be made of polycarbonate, which can withstand impact from a ball

traveling a 90 miles per hour. Dr. Hamill said.

"Contact lenses offer no protection," he said, "and street wear glasses are inadequate to protect against any type of eye injury."

Most sporting leagues don't require children to wear eye protection, so parents must insist that their children wear eye protection when they play.

"When they do, the occurrence of eye injuries is greatly reduced," Dr. Monica said. "Parents also can set a good example by wearing eye protection when they play sports, and work to help pass local ordinances requiring children to wear protective eyewear when engaging in sports."

Accidents Happen

Sometimes even the most conscientious athletes can injure their eyes. Dr. Hamill said it is imperative to seek medical help immediately in case of injury.

"Injuries such as cuts or foreign bodies stuck in the eye are emergencies," he said. "Don't try to treat these injuries yourself, contact the Eye M.D. or go to the emergency room for help immediately."

Even a seemingly light blow can cause a serious eye injury. If a black eye, pain or visual problem occurs after a blow, contact your Eye M.D. or seek emergency medical attention immediately.

"With just a little care and common sense, you can go a long way toward protecting your precious gift of sight," said Dr. Hamill.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

LOST, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN

Whether a young child loses a primary ("baby") tooth prematurely due to decay or injury, the loss should be assessed for its potential impact upon remaining and developing teeth. Problems arising out of the premature loss of a primary tooth include the possibility that an adjacent tooth may drift into the empty space to hinder the eruption of permanent teeth. The early loss of a primary tooth may also provide encouragement for the permanent tooth below to erupt too early. As a result of erupting out of sequence, the permanent tooth may then drift out of place or protrude too much. For these reasons and others, the premature loss of primary teeth should be monitored closely to avoid complications.

Today's column about tooth loss has been brought to you as a public service. Preventive

dentistry is our goal for every patient. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where preventive dentistry may not be where we start with every patient, but it's where we like to finish. It involves daily care, good nutrition, and periodic check-ups and cleanings that maintain good dental health already achieved. Oral health is a long-term commitment we share with each patient. Please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We take pride in our ability to provide quality dental care in a relaxed and comfortable environment. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. Just as teeth that are lost prematurely can be the source of problems, teeth that are shed too late may also be a source of concern.



Healing Tree Yoga Comedy Benefit For Fr. Bill's Place

Healing Tree Yoga and Wellness Center, 605 Hancock St., Wollaston, will host a live comedy show Saturday, April 14 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. headlined by nationally renowned comic Paul D'Angelo.

Tickets are \$20 in advance or \$25 at the door.

Light refreshments will be available.

A portion of the proceeds will benefit Fr. Bill's Place, a Quincy-based shelter program for the area's homeless.

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SPORTS

At Fenway Park State Street Pavilion Saturday License Plate Auction To Benefit Mini-Fenway

Boston Red Sox fans are invited to join Red Sox legends, Wally the Green Monster and Shonda Schilling at the Fenway Park License Plate Auction on Saturday, April 7, from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m., at the Fenway Park State Street Pavilion.

The live auction will feature one-of-a-kind plates with the uniform numbers of celebrated Red Sox players and the years of Red Sox pennant-winning and world championship teams. The event culminates an online auction of the plates that began March 1 at the Red Sox Website (www.redsox.com).

Honorary co-chairs of the event are Boston Red Sox legends, Luis Tiant and Carl Yastrzemski. The event kicks off at 7 p.m. with a buffet dinner, complimentary beverages and entertainment by "Street Magic." NESN SportsDesk reporter, Jayme Parker, will serve as the evening's master of ceremonies. Celebrity auctioneer, actor-comedian Tony V, and auctioneer Dan Flynn will begin the live auction at 8:30 p.m. The evening will conclude with entertainment by "Andrew and Expressions."

Proceeds from the auction as well as overall sales of the Fenway Park License Plate

will benefit Mini Fenway Park; a half-sized replica of Boston's famed ballpark to begin construction in late spring. Funds will help support both capital and operations needs for building the facility and implementing its youth athletic development programs.

Sponsors of the Fenway Park License Plate include State Street Corporation, Enterprise Rent-A-Car, Dunkin' Donuts and Payton Construction.

"We are grateful to our sponsors, the Boston Red Sox, Major League Baseball, the Registry of Motor Vehicles, 3M Corporation, our volunteers, and the 1,500 folks who have purchased the plate for helping to make this happen," said Ron Iacobucci, CEO of Kids Replica Ballpark, Inc., the organization spearheading the construction of Mini Fenway Park.

Bidding at the live auction will be on the 25 lowest numbered license plates from the online auction, which includes the following numbers: 1-22, 24-99, 406, 1489, 1967, 1975, 1986, 1903, 1912, 1915, 1916, 1918 and 2004.

Tickets for the Fenway Park License Plate auction are \$100 for standing room and \$250 for reserved

seating. Ticket holders will be treated to the dinner buffet, open bar with wine, beer and soda, and a deluxe gift bag. To purchase tickets for the live auction or to participate in the online auction, go to www.redsox.com/minifenwaypark and click on "Charity Event."

About Mini Fenway Park

Mini Fenway Park is the initiative of Kids Replica Ballpark, Inc., a 501(c)(3) non-profit youth development organization with the mission to build a state-of-the-art facility replicating Boston's Fenway Park. Licensed by the Boston Red Sox and Major League Baseball, the organization plans to provide top-quality baseball, softball and T-ball programs for children ages 4 to 17 residing in New England. Mini Fenway Park will be a learning ground for kids and a year-round destination for families and fans.

Mini Fenway Park will be built on 12 acres in the Blue Hills Reservation in Quincy, MA located directly off Exit 8 on U.S. Interstate 93.

For more information on Mini Fenway Park, visit the Website at www.redsox.com/minifenwaypark or email info@kidsreplicaballpark.org



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Dr. Martin Dunn (seated), William Kemeza, President of BC High, Grace Regan, Jim's daughter, Jim Cotter, St. Ignatius Award recipient, and Stephen Hughes, principal of BC High.

Highest Honor Bestowed On B.C. High School Graduate

Quincy's James Cotter Wins St. Ignatius Award

The St. Ignatius Award Committee of Boston College High School announces James E. Cotter, class of 1955, of Quincy, of Falmouth, a native of Dorchester, is a recipient of the 2007 St. Ignatius Award, the highest honor bestowed on a graduate of Boston College High School.

In presenting the award, the committee stated Cotter has touched the lives of thousands of students on their way through BC High, teaching them to become men for others without any expectation of reward or recognition for himself. Teacher, counselor, athletic director, and coach since 1960, Cotter is perhaps best known for his 41-year tenure

as the head football coach of the Eagles.

To the unparalleled number of alumni who cite him as a mentor, Cotter's coaching was only a small part of the way in which he guided them - his encouragement, loyalty, friendship, and dedication to them stretch far beyond the sidelines.

Mrs. Grace Regan, Jim's daughter, presented him to a recent gathering of the BC High community. Vice Principal for Ignatian Mission and Identity, Mike McGonagle '70, presided over the ceremony.

The Very Reverend Thomas Regan, SJ, provincial of the New England Jesuits, led the opening prayer and President William Kemeza addressed the students before

turning the floor over to the presenters.

The St. Ignatius Award Committee also recognized two other recipients this year: J. Frank Keohane, Esq. '53, President of CSA Financial Corporation and John H. Danilecki '80, Lieutenant Detective and Commander of Detectives in Roxbury.

The Saint Ignatius Award is given to graduates of Boston College High School who possess high moral character, selfless dedication to service without expectation of material reward or public recognition, while adhering to the precepts of Christ, justice, compassion and the precept of Ignatian dignity.

QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame Induction May 10

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee announces the names of fifteen former Quincy High School baseball players to be inducted into the Quincy High School Hall of Fame on May 10, 2007.

The Hall of Fame Banquet will be held at the Quincy Sons of Italy. The social hour is from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., with dinner and the awards ceremonies to follow. Tickets to the Hall of Fame Banquet are \$25 and can be purchased by contacting Joseph Brill, chairman of the QHSBAA, at (617) 770-4813.

The 2007 inductees include Gerald Curtis ('46), Bob Gumpwright ('41), Frances "Frankie" Pineau ('49), Frank Barone ('51), Dan Raymond ('65), Ted Meyers ('69), Bob Pettinelli ('69), Bob Lane ('73), Joe Brill ('74), Paul Sutherland ('76), Gary DiNardo ('81), Tom Balzano ('91), Robert "Robbie" Kane ('93), Tom Malvesti ('94) and the late Steve Barrett ('95).

For the first time the

QHSBAA Hall of Fame Committee is including the Old Quincy Trade School and announces that Gino Pettit ('39) and Frances "Shorty" Donovan ('42) have been inducted.

George Burke will be inducted as only the third Honorary Member into the Hall of Fame, joining former Quincy mayor James Sheers and former Minnesota Twins manager Sam Mele.

Warren Finley and A "Bud" Mosher will join the Hall of Fame as former coaches.

The Hall of Fame committee will also honor four youth coaches who have given their time to teaching the game of baseball to so many kids for so many years. The four include Bill Draicchio, Dick Lombardi and the late John Rossi of Quincy Youth Baseball and Tony Constantino from St. John's Baseball.

The Paul Grasso Memorial Baseball Book Scholarship will be awarded to a senior who will further their education and baseball

skills at the college level. Grasso, who graduated from Quincy High School in 1967, was killed while serving his country during the Vietnam

War. Book Scholarship winners will be awarded to the late Joe Sullivan and Joe Constantino.

Bernazzani School Wiffle-Ball Game To Honor Teacher

The Charles A. Bernazzani School will be celebrating the Boston Red Sox home opener with a teacher-student wiffle-ball game in honor of Ms. Jane Farrell-Smith, an avid Red Sox fan and former grade 2 teacher at the Bernazzani School who passed away in October.

The game will be held at

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

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North Quincy High Baseball Clinic April 14

The North Quincy High School baseball coaches and players will be holding an instructional baseball clinic on Saturday, April 14 from 10 a.m. to noon at O'Rourke Field (Quarry St. & Furnace Brook Parkway).

The rain date for the clinic will be Sunday, April 15 from 10 a.m. to noon. All participants should bring a

baseball glove.

This clinic is for children ages 5-12; parents of 5 and 7 year-olds must remain at the field. The cost per child is \$20 and is payable at O'Rourke Field on the day of the clinic.

Parents may register their child beginning at 9:15 a.m.

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THE QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL boys' hockey team finished their winter season with a 10-7-4 overall record. From the left are this year's team captains: Casey Conley, Teddy Walsh, Jonathan Conso and Mike Leone.

McCormick Brothers Lead Bruce Ayers Club To Mite Jamboree Championship

Bruce Ayers Club captured its third straight Mite Jamboree championship as Adam McCormick led the way with a hat trick in an 8-1 victory over Doran & Horrigan. Adam's younger brother, Martin McCormick, chipped in with two goals.

Scott Parnish, Ryan Cox and Michael Teriakoski also scored for Bruce Ayers. Austin Lee tallied the lone score for Doran & Horrigan. In earlier Jamboree games, Doran & Horrigan defeated Doherty & White by a 9-2 score. Tim Glynn led the way with four goals and Austin Lee collected a hat trick. Mark Monahan and Jared Grier also scored for Doran & Horrigan.

John Feeney scored both goals for Doherty & White.

In other mite play, Hayes Dream topped Quincy Pediatric Dental 6-4. Mike Calnan recorded a hat trick.

Josh Harnias scored a pair of goals and Jonathan Sheehan also scored for Hayes Dream.

John Quinn had a hat trick for Quincy Pediatric Dental and Cameron White also scored.

Dan Colarusso and Matt McDonald each tallied two goals to lead Paul Harold Club to a 6-3 victory over Joe Finn Club. Jack McLaughlin and Tom Sullivan also scored for Harold Club.

Owen Lynch had two goals for Joe Finn Club and Christian Connors also scored.

Doherty & White edged by Quincy Pediatric Dental by a 5-4 margin. Sean McDermott and Finley Mullaley scored a pair of goals for the winners. Chris Donaghey also scored for Doherty & White.

John Quinn and Cameron White lit the lamp twice for the Quincy Pediatric Dental.

Granite City Self-Storage

topped Joe Finn Club by a 3-1 score. Danielle Brown scored twice for Granite City while Matthew Fox scored the other goal.

Joe England scored the lone goal for Joe Finn Club.

Tim Glynn's two goals led Doran & Horrigan to a 4-3 win over Hayes Dream. Mike Calnan scored twice for Hayes Dream and Cameron Kelly recorded a goal and an assist in the loss.

Bruce Ayers Club beat Paul Harold Club 4-2 behind a pair of goals from both Ryan Cox and Tim Riley. Dan Colarusso and Jack McLaughlin collected the scores for Paul Harold Club.

Granite City Self-Storage beat Doherty & White by a score of 3-1. Joe Noone, Peter Saccoch and Sean Healy scored for the winners. Finley Mullaley registered the lone goal for Doherty & White.

Jack McLaughlin's two goals led Paul Harold Club to a 4-3 win over Hayes Dream. Matt McDonald and Dan Colarusso also scored for the Harold Club. For Hayes Dream, Cameron Kelly, Andrew Golden and Mike Calnan had goals.

Goaltender Paul Blake led Paul Harold Club to a 2-1 victory over Granite City Self-Storage. Matt McDonald and Dean Colarusso scored for Harold Club while Dylan McGowan scored for Granite City.

Doran & Horrigan edged Bruce Ayers by a 4-3 margin. Tim Glynn had two goals for the winners and Austin Lee and Jared Grier also scored. A.J. Currie scored twice for Bruce Ayers and Adam McCormick also scored.

Bruce Ayers Club defeated the Paul Harold Club by a 5-3 score. Ryan Cox had a pair of goals for the winners and Martin McCormick, Cullen Walsh and A.J. Currie also scored.

Brothers Dan (two goals) and Dean (one goal) Colarusso scored for Harold Club.

Burgin Planter Tops Keohane's For Squirt Jamboree Crown

Led by goals from Rob Cameron, Ryan Hartly and Patrick Trenholm, Burgin Planter beat Keohane's 3-1 in for the Squirt Jamboree championship.

Erin McDonough and Cameron collected assists for Planter. Matt Hannon had the only goal for Keohane's. Eddie Riley had the assist.

In earlier Squirt action, Quincy Sun topped Bates & Riordan by a 6-3 score. Justin McGaffigan and John Quirk each had a pair of goals with Emmitt Donahue and Kevin Mock also scored. For Bates & Riordan, Aaron Blake, Dan Deery and Sam Silcox recorded goals.

Smith & Brink edged Wood Commercial Painting by a 3-2 margin. Michel Pugsley, Brendon Cox and Andrew Kiley scored for Smith & Brink while John

Campbell and Garrett Kulig notched scores for Wood Painting.

Keohane's shutout Burgin Planter by a 6-0 score, and Kevin Doherty earned the shutout in net. Eddie Riley had a hat trick and Matt Hannon, Natalie O'Donovan and Dillon Bellotti also scored.

In an exciting shootout win, Keohanes topped the Quincy Sun 2-1. Eddie Riley scored in regulation and in the shootout for Keohane's. Kelly Donahue had the lone score for the Quincy Sun.

Wood Commercial Painting also topped Quincy Sun in a shootout with the final score of 5-4. John Ross McEvilly scored twice for the winners. The brother-sister combination of Emmitt and Kelly Donahue each scored a pair of goals for the

Sun.

Burgin Planter won a shootout over Bates & Riordan by a final score of 2-1. Michael Gendreau scored in regulation for Planter and Michael Devane tallied the shootout winner. Cris Smith scored the lone goal for Bates & Riordan.

Burgin Planter defeated Wood Commercial Painting 3-1. Zack Latini, Ryan Hartly and Erin McDonough led the way with goals for Burgin Planter.

Smith & Brink took a 4-3 decision over Burgin Planter. Michael Pugsley scored two goals for the winners. Also scoring for Smith & Brink were Mike McDonald and Andrew Kiley. Patrick Trenholm scored twice for Planter and Ryan Hartly scored once.

Colonial Federal Captures Pee Wee Jamboree Crown

Backed by stellar goaltending from Matt Capabianco, Colonial Federal defeated IBEW Local 103 by a 5-2 score to win the Pee Wee Jamboree championship.

J.P. Moriarty scored twice for Colonial and Mike Carnavale collected a goal and two assists. Tim Marks and Steve Baglione also scored for the winners.

Michael Adducci and Brenden Brady scored for Local 103.

In earlier Pee Wee Jamboree play, Mike Morrissey Club edged Quincy Car Wash by a 5-4 score. Katie Walsh, Meghan White, Sean McWade, Daniel Cuniff and Michael Lethin all scored. Sean Patrick Hannon had a pair of goals for Car Wash and John O'Callahan and Connell Finn each scored.

Colonial Federal took a 7-2 win over Bernie's General Store. Tim Marks and Michael Carnavale each

scored twice for the winners. Connor Dixon, Connor Quinn and Jacob Dixon each collected a goal for Colonial. Matt Davis and Presley McLaughlin scored for Bernie's.

Joey Ingemi scored all five goals to pace IBEW Local 103 to a 5-4 won over The Quincy Group. Sean Griffin and P.J. Gorman each registered a pair of assists. Connor Doyle, David O'Connell, Marco Young and Daniel O'Brien scored for The Quincy Group.

Tim Marks and Colin Shea scored to lead Colonial Federal to a 2-1 victory over Mike Morrissey Club. Peter Quinta scored the only goal for Morrissey Club. Paul Mulvey assisted him on the goal.

Quincy Car Wash beat Bernie's 10-7. Zach Walsh and Dan Guarante each scored twice for the victors. Mark Levi had a hat trick for Bernie's.

Paul Mulvey's hat trick

helped lead Mike Morrissey Club to a 7-1 win over The Quincy Group. Sean McWade had a goal and three assists for the winners. Trevor McCarthy collected the lone Quincy Group score.

Mike Morrissey Club took a 6-2 decision from Quincy Car Wash. Paul Mulvey's hat trick, Sean McWade's two goals and Patrick Donovan's goal led the way. John O'Callahan and Chris King had the Quincy Car Wash goals.

Sean Griffin's two goals led IBEW Local 103 to a 3-2 victory over Colonial Federal. Joey Ingemi contributed a goal and an assist. Peter Jensen scored both Colonial Federal goals and Mike Carnavale added two assists.

Matt Capabianco posted the shutout in Colonial Federal's 3-0 victory over Mike Morrissey Club. Connor Dixon scored twice for the winners and Connor Quinn scored once.



1. When was the last time an Atlantic Coast Conference baseball team won the College World Series?

2. In how many consecutive seasons did Los Angeles Dodgers ace Sandy Koufax toss a no-hitter?

3. In 2006, Michigan State's football team rallied from a 35-point deficit to beat Northwestern, 41-38. Which teams held the record for biggest comeback in a NCAA Division I game?

4. Name the five players who have averaged at least 35 points per game for at least one NBA season.

5. True or false: In the 2005-06 NCAA Division I hockey tournament, Wisconsin won both the men's and women's titles.

6. When was the last time the U.S. men's gymnastics squad won the combined exercises gold at the Summer Olympics?

7. Since 1994, only four golfers have won the LPGA Player of the Year award. Name three of them.

Answers

1. Wake Forest in 1955.

2. Four consecutive seasons — 1962-1965.

3. Maryland (vs. Miami, Fla., in 1984) and Ohio State (vs. Minnesota in 1989) each rallied from a 31-point deficit.

4. Rick Barry, Elgin Baylor, Kobe Bryant, Wilt Chamberlain and Michael Jordan.

5. True — the men's team beat Boston College, 2-1; the women's squad topped Minnesota, 3-0.

6. It was 1984.

7. Annika Sorenstam (1995, 1997-98, 2001-05), Laura Davies (1996), Karrie Webb (1999-2000) and Lorena Ochoa (2006).

Mariah Donovan, Christopher Veneto Running Marathon For Liver Foundation

Quincy residents Mariah Donovan (age 31) and Christopher Veneto (age 38) will be running in this year's

111th Boston Marathon in support of the American Liver Foundation.

Donovan and Veneto are two of 246 team members running for The Run for Research team.

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

education and advocacy. The Run for Research is one of the largest charity programs to participate in the Boston Marathon.

The American Liver Foundation is the nation's leading nonprofit organization promoting liver health and disease prevention. The Foundation provides research, education and advocacy for those affected by liver disease, including hepatitis.

To make a donation to Donovan and/or Veneto, visit www.liverteam.org or call (617) 527-5600.

OBITUARIES

Robert M. Crosby, Sr., 86 Former State Employee

A private funeral and burial were held for Robert M. Crosby, Sr., 86, of Quincy, formerly of Braintree, a former state employee. Mr. Crosby died March 25 at the Braintree Landing Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Braintree.

He retired in 1983 as state director of municipal accounts after working for 35 years in that agency and also on the House Finance Committee.

He was born in Boston and graduated from Boston English High School and Bentley College in Waltham.

He served in the Army during World War II.

Mr. Crosby was an active member of All Souls Church in Braintree, serving as a financial officer for many years.

He and his late wife, Charlotte I. Woodward Crosby, owned an antique furniture store in Quincy for many years.

He was a self-styled Sox



ROBERT M. CROSBY, SR.

fan and attended his first game in 1928.

He is survived by three sons, Robert M. Crosby Jr., Lawrence W. Crosby and Peter Crosby, all of Quincy; a daughter, Jodi K. Figueroa of Quincy; 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy Medical Center Foundation, 114 Whitwell St., Quincy, MA 02260.

John Gargano, 74 Retired Quincy Firefighter

A funeral service for John Gargano, 74, of Quincy, a retired firefighter, was held Monday at Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Gargano died March 29 at Quincy Medical Center after a brief illness.

He retired from the Quincy Fire Department's fire alarm division after 35 years.

Mr. Gargano was an Army veteran of the Korean War.

He is survived by his wife, Shirley M. (Skinner) Gargano, three daughters, Debra E. Colley of Weymouth, Diane M. Stewart of Brockton and Darlene M. Gargano of Quincy; a son, John J. Gargano of Scituate; a brother, Timothy Gargano of Rockland; and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Walker died March 28 after a long battle with congestive heart failure.

She retired from Edward J. McGrath Insurance Co. in Dennis in 1985.

She also worked for Clark Potter Insurance Agency in Dennis, Potter and Sullivan Real Estate in Dennis and Burgin and Platner Insurance Co. in Quincy.

Born in Quincy, she moved to Dennis in 1944.

Mrs. Walker was a member of the Altar Guild at Immaculate Conception Church in Brewster, the Girl Scouts, the Christmas Tree Commit-

Robert R. Tompkins, 72 Blue Cross Blue Shield Employee

A funeral Mass for Robert R. Tompkins, 72, of Abington, formerly of Quincy, a retired Blue Cross Blue Shield employee, was celebrated March 30 in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Tompkins died March 28 at the Quincy Radius Specialty Hospital after a long illness.

Born in Indianapolis, IN, he was raised and educated in Indiana schools.

He had lived in Quincy for 30 years before moving to Abington a year ago.

He served in the U.S. Navy from 1955 to 1959.

Mr. Tompkins was employed by Blue Cross Blue Shield at the Braintree East facility for 25 years. He also worked for The Patriot Ledger in the circulation department for many years. He retired 10 years ago.

He enjoyed fishing.

He is survived by his wife, Catherine A. (Fay) Carterman Tompkins; six daughters, Leona Todd of Braintree, Sherry Howard of Baitow, Fla., Deborah Jagello of Everett, Christine Pudder and Lynn Tobin, both



ROBERT R. TOMPKINS

of Quincy, and Erin Tynan of Holbrook; three sons, Charles Ponsock of Chandler, Ariz., Robert Tompkins Jr. of Plymouth and Steven Carterman of Abington; 20 grandchildren, and two great-grandsons. He was the husband of the late Jeanne M. (Dostie) Tompkins.

Burial with military honors was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 330 Congress St., 5th floor, Boston, MA 02210.

Frances E. Walker, 85 Worked For Insurance Companies

A graveside service for Frances E. (Grippi) Walker, 85, of Dennis, formerly of Quincy, was held Wednesday at Dennis Cemetery, Route 6A, Dennis.

Mrs. Walker died March 28 after a long battle with congestive heart failure.

She retired from Edward J. McGrath Insurance Co. in Dennis in 1985.

She also worked for Clark Potter Insurance Agency in Dennis, Potter and Sullivan Real Estate in Dennis and Burgin and Platner Insurance Co. in Quincy.

Born in Quincy, she moved to Dennis in 1944.

Mrs. Walker was a member of the Altar Guild at Immaculate Conception Church in Brewster, the Girl Scouts, the Christmas Tree Commit-

tee, the Rod & Gun Club of Yarmouth, and the Ladies Aid of Dennis Union Church.

She helped establish the first parochial school on Cape Cod in the early 1950s, the St. Joan of Arc School in Orleans.

Mrs. Walker enjoyed fishing, boating and golfing.

She is survived by her husband, Daniel L. Walker; two daughters, Gail A. Puopolo of Barnstable and Carole W. Bell of Dennis;

two sisters, Florence Grippi of Quincy and Fernanda Fencil of Carpinteria, Calif.; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hallet Funeral Home, South Yarmouth.

Joyce I. Baker, 80 Quincy Community Activist, Past President Quincy Historical Society

A funeral blessing for Joyce I. (Butler) Baker, a noted Quincy activist and past president of the Quincy Historical Society, will be held today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mrs. Baker died March 31 at Carney Hospital in Boston.

Born in Gardiner, Maine, she had lived in Quincy for 40 years.

Mrs. Baker was a co-founder of DOVE (Domestic Violence Ended), past president of the Quincy Historical Society and a charter member of the Quincy Partnership.

She was also a past president of the South Shore Realtors Board and a board member of the River Bay tenant advisory.

She was active in the state Republican Party, having unsuccessfully run for state senate in the early 1970s.

During her real estate career as a Realtor, Mrs. Baker had worked with the Jack



JOYCE I. BAKER

Conway Realtors and with CityView Real Estate in Quincy. She retired in 2002.

She is survived by her husband, Lawrence W. Baker of Quincy; and three sons, D. Peter Collins of Middleboro, Nathan Baker of Quincy and Adam J. Baker of Coral Gables, Fla.; and three grandchildren.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy Historical Society, 8 Adams St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Rev. James Rilhimaki, 61 Former Rector At Christ Church

A funeral service for the Rev. James M. Rilhimaki, 61, of Rosamond, Calif., former rector at Christ Church Episcopal in Quincy, was held March 30 at St. Paul Episcopal Church in Lancaster, Calif.

The Rev. Rilhimaki died March 23 at home.

He also served as a rector at Christ Church Episcopal in Palmdale, Calif. and in Illinois.

Born in Quincy, the Rev. Rilhimaki graduated from Quincy High School, Wheaton College in

Wheaton, Ill., and Nashotah House Seminary.

He attended West Quincy Congregational Church growing up.

He is survived by his wife, Ronnie "Tori" (Burton) Rilhimaki; a stepson, Steve Burton of California; two brothers, Daniel Rilhimaki of Glendora, Calif., and Tom Rilhimaki of Quincy; two step-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by Mumaw Funeral Home, Lancaster, Calif.

Thelma W. Brandolini, 74

A memorial service for Thelma W. (Hancock) Brandolini, 74, of Quincy, a retired medical coder, was held March 30 at the C.C. Shepherd Funeral Home, Weymouth.

Mrs. Brandolini died March March 25 at home.

She worked at Quincy City Hospital for 10 years, retiring in 1988.

After retirement, she worked part-time at South Shore Medical Center in Norwell for five years.

Mrs. Brandolini was an Air Force veteran of the Korean War and served from 1952 to 1955.

Born in Dublin, Texas, and raised in Coleman, Texas, she lived in Weymouth for 25 years before moving to Quincy 14 years ago.

She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Guido R. Brandolini; two sons, Gino R. Brandolini and Michael A. Brandolini of Weymouth; two daughters, Monica A. Burke and Deborah A. Vella of Weymouth; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Old North Cemetery, North Weymouth. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the South Shore, 100 Bay State Dr., Braintree, MA 02185-9060.



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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

It is Easter - the occasion for Christians to rejoice again the celebration of the Resurrection. It is Easter - the occasion for a new beginning in our lives; an occasion for renewal of the spirit. It is Easter - a time of awakening to new understanding of what is important in life; a time to find new depths of thought

and feeling within ourselves. It is Easter - a time of hope and promise of new life and bright days.

Easter comes garlanded in crocuses and hyacinths, its triumphal procession is attended by pink and white dogwood and yellow forsythia and flowering crab. Animals are born and nibble the tender grass of yet another spring. Birds that fled the blasts of winter return and flash their various colors from tree to tree. The sun that stood aloof dips down to color the gardener's face as he entrusts to the good earth the seeds that will blossom into flowers and food of varied hue.

Easter's message, like that of Christmas, is of good tidings and great joy. It speaks to the eternal abundance of life.

Easter is a hopeful holiday and we hope our readers will enjoy it to the fullest... A JOYOUS EASTER TO ALL...

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Charles J. Vlassakis, 77

Quincy Health Inspector

A funeral service for Charles J. (Aristofanes) Vlassakis, 77, of Quincy, a retired health inspector for the City of Quincy, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint Catherine Greek Orthodox Church.

Mr. Vlassakis died Monday at home.

Born in Watertown, he had lived in Quincy for 44 years. He was a 1949 graduate of Watertown High School.

He was employed by the City of Quincy as a health inspector for 11 years. He retired in 1997.

He was a 50-year member of the Brintree Rifle and Pistol Club, including 28 years as the chief range officer.

Mr. Vlassakis was also a certified National Rifle Association rifle and pistol instructor.

He was an avid hunter enjoying his hobby in both Maine and Wyoming.

He was a 35-year member of the Mason Rural Lodge in Quincy as a 32nd degree member.

He was a part-time special police officer for the Town of Hanover from 1973 to 2005.

He also worked as a butcher for many years at the Elm Farm Supermarkets, Capital Supermarkets and the



CHARLES J. VLASSAKIS
Farmer's Butcher Shop in Hanover.

He was a member of the George K. Menichios American Legion Post #325 in Jamaica Plain.

He is survived by his wife, Faye (Johns) Vlassakis of Quincy; two sons, John Vlassakis of Abington and Paul Vlassakis of Hanover; a daughter, Lisa Bonome of Hanover; two sisters, Sophie Vlassakis of Medford and Evangelia Lambrinos of Sandwich; and eight grandchildren.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Burial will be in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Catherine Greek Orthodox Church Building Fund, 119 Common St., Brintree, MA 02184.

Mary K. Meyer, 85

World War II Navy Veteran

A funeral Mass for Mary Katherine (Doyle) Meyer, 85, of Houghs Neck, a World War II Navy veteran, was celebrated March 30 at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Meyer died March 27 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

She worked as a radio teletype operator at the South Boston Naval Annex. She once received a Morse code message identifying a German spy sub off the Maine coast.

Mrs. Meyer visited the Women's War Memorial in Washington, D.C., in 1997. She was a Boston Red Sox fan.

George F. Ryan, 65

Former Building Trades Teacher

A funeral service for George F. Ryan, 65, of Quincy, a former building trades teacher, was held Monday at Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Ryan died March 29 at home.

He taught at Quincy Vocational-Technical High School and South Shore Vocational Technical High School in Hanover.

Born in Dorchester, he graduated from Boston Technical High School, and from Northeastern University in 1980.

Mr. Ryan was a member of Brintree Moose Lodge, No. 413 and was a past leading knight member of the

Brintree Lodge of Elks, No. 2622.

An avid pool player, his team won first place in South Shore competition the past four years.

He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Mary T. (Flanagan) Ryan; two daughters, Christine Kojac of Arlington, Va., and Brenda Ryan of Quincy; three brothers, Gerald Ryan of Weymouth, Dennis Ryan of Holbrook and Donald Ryan of Raynham; a grandson; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Action to Cure Kidney Cancer, www.acka.org/donation.

Ann M. Doyle, 54

Patriot Ledger Editor

A funeral Mass for Ann M. Doyle, 54, of Quincy, an editor for The Patriot Ledger, was celebrated March 31 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Doyle died March 25 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston.

Born in Providence, R.I., she had lived in Tallahassee, Fla. before moving to Quincy 17 years ago.

Her family gave her the most enjoyment in her life. In addition, she welcomed into her home and cared for many temporary foster children through the years.

Mrs. Doyle also enjoyed her career as a journalist and most recently worked at The Patriot Ledger.

She loved to work out, bake and read.

Mrs. Doyle was a 1970 graduate of St. Xavier's Academy in Providence and a 1974 graduate of the University of Rhode Island with a bachelor of arts degree in journalism.

While at URI, she spent a semester in Denmark.

Mrs. Doyle traveled extensively, both professionally and personally. She had visited China, but one of her



ANN M. DOYLE

favorite trips was back to her mother's hometown, Fintona, in County Tyrone, Northern Ireland.

She is survived by her husband, Mark F. Zappe of Quincy; a son, Matthew Doyle of Quincy; a daughter, Leana Zappe of Quincy; two brothers, Vincent Doyle of Rhode Island and Tom Doyle of New York; a niece and a nephew.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Leukemia Society of America, 495 Old Connecticut Path, #220, Framingham, MA 01701.

Joseph F. McGowan

Decorated Vietnam Veteran

A funeral Mass for Joseph F. McGowan, 74, of Denver, Colo., formerly of Quincy, a decorated Vietnam veteran, was celebrated March 31 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mr. McGowan died March 13 in Denver after a long illness.

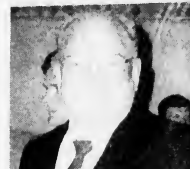
He served in the Navy for 20 years. He served on submarines for 16 years and on an aircraft carrier and a submarine tender for four years.

Mr. McGowan was awarded the Bronze Star Medal, Purple Heart, Armed Forces Medal, Vietnam Cross of Gallantry, National Defense Service Medal, a Meritorious Unit Commendation, Vietnam Campaign Medal, Vietnam Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal.

After retiring from the Navy, he was an electrician working on the Trans-Alaska Pipeline System for 17 years.

Born and raised in Brighton, he lived in Quincy after working on the pipeline. He lived in Colorado for two and a half years.

Mr. McGowan enjoyed reading and cooking and was



JOSEPH F. MCGOWAN

a World War II historian.

He is survived by his wife, Joan McGowan; three daughters, Robin McGowan of Colorado, Donna Thompson of Virginia and Patricia McGowan of Brighton; two sons, Paul "Mike" McGowan of Washington and Robert McGowan of Texas; three brothers, Thomas Gorman of Brighton, Robert McGowan of California and John McGowan of Quincy; two sisters, Ann Bruce and Trudy Greene, both of Quincy, and many grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Navy honors were conducted for Mr. McGowan aboard the U.S.S. Salem.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Lydon Funeral Chapel, Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the U.S.S. Salem, 739 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Joseph F. Sweeney, 53

A funeral Mass for Joseph F. Sweeney, 53, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Tuesday at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mr. Sweeney died March 30 at Quincy Medical Center after a long illness.

He worked for New England Life Insurance Co. in Boston.

Born and raised in Quincy, he had lived in Weymouth for 26 years.

Mr. Sweeney was a parishioner at Sacred Heart Church in Weymouth.

He was a member and past grand knight of the Knights of Columbus, Sacred Heart Council, in Weymouth.

He is survived by his wife, Donna M. Farrell Sweeney, a daughter, Patricia M. Sweeney of Weymouth; two sons, Joseph E. Sweeney and Scott F. Sweeney, both of Weymouth; and a daughter, Ellen M. Sweeney of Quincy.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Lydon Funeral Home.

Michael Fitzgerald, 73

Former Union Carpenter

A funeral Mass for Michael Fitzgerald, 73, of Brintree, formerly of Quincy, a former union carpenter, was celebrated Monday in St. Francis of Assisi Church, South Brintree.

Mr. Fitzgerald died March 29 at home.

He had worked with union local No. 67 in Boston for 40 years.

Born in West of Dingle, Kerry, Ireland, he lived in Quincy before moving to Brintree nine years ago.

Mr. Fitzgerald was a member of the Irish Music Club.

He is survived by his wife, Mary (Boyle) Fitzgerald; three sons, Patrick Fitzgerald of South Boston, Michael Fitzgerald of Weymouth and John Fitzgerald of Somerville; a daughter, Mary Sobchuk of South Boston; a brother, Tom Fitzgerald; four

sisters, Mary Kevane of Springfield and Birdie Murphy, Eileen Sayers and Gail O'Connor, all of Ireland; and six grandchildren.

Burial was in Bide Hill Cemetery, Brintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Cartwright-Venuti Funeral Home, Brintree.

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gardening, baseball,
and playing the
harmonica.

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HOLY WEEK and EASTER SERVICES

Easter Fun Fest At Covenant Congregational

Covenant Congregational Church, 315 Whitwell St., Quincy Center, invites the community to come together and celebrate the joy of the Easter season at its Easter Fun Fest Saturday, April 7 from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

There will be games, treats and crafts for children to enjoy. There will also be a special area, just for parents and grandparents, where they can enjoy refreshments

and receive a free Easter book for the family.

An Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled for 11 a.m. and a special reading of the story of Easter at 11:15 a.m.

All of the activities are free.

The Covenant Congregational Church is a member of the Evangelical Covenant Church. For more information, call the church at 617-479-5728.

Easter Vigil Service At United Methodist Church

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will celebrate the Easter Vigil Saturday, April 7 at 7:30 p.m.

Dating from the earliest years of the Christian Church, the Easter Vigil is a service unlike any other, literally leading the congregation from Lent to Easter. It does so through word, song, and, most importantly, sym-

bols that refer to Scripture. Because many people today are unfamiliar with symbolic interpretation, explanatory notes are provided in the text of the Vigil service, said the Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden, pastor of Quincy Community United Methodist Church. She has also updated the ancient service somewhat, so that it "speak" to today's Christians.

"One phrase can sum up this powerful service," Pastor Jarek-Glidden said. "Expect the unexpected. In a very visceral way, the Vigil proclaims the hope and promise of Easter."

Everyone attending the Vigil is requested to bring a flashlight - an updated and safer version of the traditional candles. Some extra flashlights will be available. People should also wear comfortable walking shoes since some walking is involved.

The church is located diagonally from the Wollaston 1 Station.

For more information, call 617-773-3319.

Sacred Heart Parish

Sacred Heart Parish, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, announces the parish's celebration of Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

"Popcorn, Movies and Discussion," a monthly adult faith formation series, will be held on Wednesday, April 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the convent building. The Holy Week movie presentation is *The Passion of Christ*.

The evening Mass of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at 7:30 p.m. on Holy Thursday, April 5 followed by Eucharistic Adoration in Our Lady Chapel until 11 p.m.

The Liturgy of Good Friday will be celebrated at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Good Friday, April 6.

The annual Fr. Cornelius J. Heery Good Friday Memorial Walk to benefit Por Cristo will take place at 9:30 a.m. and will travel 5 miles around the North Quincy/Wollaston area.

The solemn Easter Vigil will begin in the darkness of Holy Saturday night, April 7 at 8:30 p.m. with the blessing of the new fire and the procession of the paschal candle into the church.

During the Triduum ("the Three Days" from sunset on Holy Thursday until sunset on Easter Sunday evening), the parish will celebrate the Liturgy of the Hours, the Church's official daily prayer with morning prayer at 9 a.m., mid-day prayer at noon, and night prayer on Holy Thursday at 10 p.m. and on Good Friday at 9 p.m. Our Lady of Good Chapel, will be open throughout the Three Days for private prayer.

Easter Sunday masses on April 8 will be celebrated at 7:45 a.m., 9 a.m. (with the children's choir), 10:30 a.m. (with adult choir) and at 12 noon at Star of the Sea Church in Squantum. There is no 5 p.m. Mass Easter Sunday.

Blessing Of Easter Baskets Saturday At Sacred Heart

Sacred Heart Parish, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, will hold a blessing of Easter food baskets at 12:15 p.m. on Holy Saturday, April 7.

This traditional Eastern European custom is growing in popularity among Catholic parishes around the country.

Christ is Risen, Indeed! Easter Sunday - April 8 - 10am



- † Prelude begins at 9:45am
- † String Quartet - Chancel Choir
- † Children's Choir
- † Children's Bulletin
- † Sermon: "Wake up to Easter!"
- † Easter Egg Hunt - following Worship

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Passover Pot Luck Dinner, 6:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 6
Interchurch Council of Wollaston and North Quincy
Seven Last Words of Christ Worship Service
Noon to 3:00pm

EASTER VIGIL, APRIL 7, 7:30PM

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 8
10:30am Worship Service
followed by Children's Easter Egg Hunt

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Pastor Nathan Pipho

~ Holy Week Services ~

Maundy Thursday Eucharist, April 5, 7:30pm

Good Friday Tenebrae, April 6, 7:30pm

Easter Vigil, April 7, 7:30pm

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St. Joseph's Church

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2007 Holy Week Schedule

Daily Mass

9:00 am Monday thru Wednesday

April 2, 3, and 4.

Morning Prayer

9:30 am following mass Monday thru

Wednesday, April 2, 3, & 4.

Morning Prayer for the Triduum

Mass will not be celebrated on Thursday, Friday and

Saturday morning, April 5, 6, & 7.

We will gather on these days for

Morning Prayer at 9:00 am

Thursday, April 5th

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm

Friday, April 6th

Good Friday

The church will be open from 12:00 noon for

personal prayer & reflection

Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm

Solemn Service of the Lord's Passion 7:30 pm

Saturday, April 7th

Solemn Easter Vigil 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 8th

Masses will be celebrated

8:30 am 10:30 am, and 5:00 pm

Easter Holy Week at Union Church

April 4th, Wednesday

6:00 pm - Bread Book and Song

April 5th, 2007 - Maundy Thursday

7:30 pm - Service of Holy Communion and Tenebrae

April 6th, 2007 - Good Friday

3:00 pm - Good Friday Service at

Union Congregational Church

Followed by a **WALK OF THE CROSS**

to First Baptist Church, Braintree

6:30 pm - Dinner at First Baptist Church, Braintree

7:30 pm - Closing Good Friday Service

at First Baptist, Braintree

April 7, 2007 - **HOLY SATURDAY**

10:00 am - 5:00 pm Annual showing of

"Jesus of Nazareth"

5:00 pm Holy Saturday Liturgy

April 8th - **EASTER SUNDAY**

6:30 am - **EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE**

on Wollaston Beach between the Yacht Clubs

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St. John the Baptist Parish

44 School Street, Quincy Center

EASTER AND HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

DAILY MASSES FOR HOLY WEEK

MON, APRIL 2, 8AM;

TUES, APRIL 3, 8AM & 5:30PM; WED, APRIL 4, 8AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION DURING HOLY WEEK:

TUES, APRIL 3 & WED, APRIL 4, 7:00 - 8:00PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 2:30-3:30PM

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 5

MORNING PRAYER, 8:00AM

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER, 7:00PM

NIGHT PRAYER, 10:00PM

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 6

MORNING PRAYER, 8:00AM

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION,
3:00PM & 7:00PM

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 7

MORNING PRAYER, 8:00AM

EASTER VIGIL, 7:30PM

(NO 4PM MASS)

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 8

7:30AM, 9:00AM

(2 MASSES - UPPER & LOWER CHURCH),
AND 11:00AM

HOLY WEEK and EASTER SERVICES

St. Joseph's Church

St. Joseph's Church, 550 Washington St., Quincy Point, announces its Holy Week and Easter schedule.

Daily Masses during Holy Week will be celebrated Monday through Wednesday, April 2 through April 4, at 9 a.m.

Morning prayer will be held at 9:30 a.m. following the daily Mass Monday, April 2 through Wednesday, April 4.

Morning Prayer for the Triduum - Mass will not be celebrated on Thursday, Friday and Saturday morning, April 5-7. Instead, parishioners will gather on these days for morning prayer at 9 a.m.

Quincy Community Easter Services Planned

The South Shore Evangelical Clergy Association invites the Quincy community to join together for special Holy Week gatherings.

At 12 noon on Good Friday, April 6, a worship service with a simple soup lunch to follow will be held at Central Baptist Church, 65 Washington St.

Another opportunity for worship on Good Friday will be held at 7 p.m. at Glad Tidings Church, 158 Washington St.

At both services, local pastors and church musi-

The Mass of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated Thursday, April 5 at 7:30 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, the church will be open from 12 noon for personal prayer and reflection. Stations of the Cross will commence at 3 p.m. A solemn service of the Lord's Passion will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Good Friday. The Solemn Easter Vigil will be held Saturday, April 7 at 7:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday Masses will be celebrated at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

For more information, call the church at 617-472-6321.

St. John The Baptist Church

St. John the Baptist Parish, 44 School St., Quincy Center, announces its Holy Week and Easter schedule.

Daily Masses for Holy Week will be held Monday, April 2 at 8 a.m.; Tuesday, April 3 at 8 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday, April 4 at 8 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation during Holy Week will be held Wednesday, April 4 from 7 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, April 7 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

On Holy Thursday, April 5, there will be morning prayer at 8 a.m., Mass of the

Lord's Supper at 7 p.m. and Night Prayer at 10 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6 there will be morning prayer at 8 a.m. and a Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m.

On Holy Saturday, April 7, there will be morning prayer at 8 a.m. and the Easter Vigil will begin at 7:30 p.m. There is no 4 p.m. Mass on Holy Saturday.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, there will be Masses at 7:30 a.m. and 9 a.m. (two masses - upper and lower church) and at 11 a.m.

First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Quincy, announces its schedule for Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a "Service of Shadows" featuring communion, music and reflection.

Bethany Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, announces its Holy Week and Easter Sunday services.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a pot luck supper at 5:30 p.m. followed by a Candlelight Service at 7 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, there will be a union service with Quincy Point Congregational Church at 12 noon.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, there will be a 10 a.m. service. The church is wheelchair accessible.

Wollaston Congregational, United Church Of Christ

Wollaston Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, 48 Winthrop Ave., Wollaston, announces its Holy Week and Easter Sunday schedule.

Maundy Thursday worship service will be held Thursday, April 5 at 7 p.m.

Good Friday Service with community worship will be

held April 6 from noon to 3 p.m. at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

Wollaston Congregational Church will hold its Easter Sunday worship service at 10 a.m. on April 8.

For more information, call the church at 617-773-7432.

Youth Group At United Methodist

A youth group has formed at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The group, called "Beale Street Buddies," consists of youth from grammar school to early high school.

Under the guidance of co-leaders Brian and Nancy White, the group meets once a month after worship for crafts and games.

Future events planned include mystery rides, picnics,

and trips to Pawtucket Red Sox games.

The groups's first major project will be Feb. 10. The Buddies, under the supervision of church adults and members of the New Women group, will prepare and serve a pasta dinner. This will be followed by a dj'd dance.

The group welcomes all to join in the fun.

For more information, call the church at 617-773-3319.

United Methodist Church

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Easter Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

An Easter Egg Hunt will follow the worship. Dr. Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service.

Lector will be Jeannie O'Connor. Ushers will be Jeannie Couillard and Dottie Hall.

The coffee hour hosts are Margaret Buckley, Agnes Williams, Susan Little and Laura Campbell.

Upcoming events include a Maundy (Holy) Thursday Seder Supper on April 5; a Good Friday Service April 6 from noon to 3 p.m.; and the Easter Vigil on Saturday, April 7.

Contact the church at 617-

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Sacred Heart Parish
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THE SACRED TRIDUUM 2007

Holy Thursday 5 April 9 AM Morning Prayer 12 PM Mid-day Prayer 7:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper 10:00 PM Night Prayer Good Friday 6 April 9 AM Morning Prayer 12 PM Mid-day Prayer 3 PM Liturgy of Good Friday 7:30 PM Liturgy of Good Friday 9:00 PM Night Prayer Holy Saturday 7 April 9 AM Morning Prayer 12 PM Mid-day Prayer 12:35 PM Blessing of Easter Food Baskets 8:30 PM The Solemn Easter Vigil Easter Saturday 8 April 7:45 AM Mass 9 AM Mass (Youth Choir) 10:30 AM Mass (Adult Choir) 12:00 PM Mass at Star of the Sea Church, Squantum Note: NO 5PM Mass today	773-3319 for further information. All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.
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Holy Week and Easter 2007

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MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

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The Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper & Procession 7:00 p.m.

Visits to Repository in the Lower Church until 10:00 p.m.

compline at 10:00 p.m.

Good Friday

The Church is open all day for prayer

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

Stations of the Cross at 3:00 p.m.

The Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Holy Communion at 7:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m.

EASTER VIGIL

Gathering - 8:00 p.m.

Celebration of the Great Vigil of Easter at 8:15 p.m.

(There is no Saturday afternoon Mass)

EASTER SUNDAY

Masses at 7:00, 9:00

(in the Upper Church & Lower Church followed by an Easter Egg Hunt for the Children) & 11:30 a.m.

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Rev. Michael E. Drea

Rev. Arthur M. Calter

Sister Patricia Boyle, CSJ

HOLY WEEK and EASTER SERVICES

Salvation Army

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, announces it will hold a Good Friday service and an Easter Sunday service.

On Good Friday, April 6, there will be a service from 12 noon to 1 p.m. at Central Baptist Church.

The Salvation Army will participate in an Easter Sunday service community service at 6:30 a.m. at Wollaston

Beach between the two yacht clubs.

Later on Easter Sunday, there will be Sunday School at the Salvation Army beginning at 9:45 a.m.

There will be an Easter Sunday morning worship at the Salvation Army at 11 a.m.

The Brass Band will accompany singing at the Sunrise Service and the morning worship service.

Good Shepherd Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 15 Harvard St., North Quincy, announces its schedule of Holy Week and Easter services.

• Maundy Thursday Eucharist April 5, 7:30 p.m.

• Good Friday Tenebrae, April 6, 7:30 p.m.

• Easter Vigil, April 7, 7:30 p.m.

• Easter Sunday Celebration April 8 at 10:30 a.m.

For more information, call the church office at 617-328-8348 or visit the website www.goodshepherdquincy.org.

St. Ann Parish

The Parish of St. Ann, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston, announces its schedule for Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

On Holy Thursday, April 5, there will be morning prayer at 9 a.m. The Mass of the Lord's Supper and procession will begin at 7 p.m. There will be visits to repository in the lower church until 10 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, the church will be open all day for prayer. Morning prayer will begin at 9 a.m. and Stations of the Cross will be at 3 p.m.

The Celebration of the

Lord's Passion and Holy Communion at 7 p.m. on Good Friday.

On Holy Saturday, April 7, there will be a gathering at 8 p.m. followed by a Celebration of the Great Vigil of Easter at 8:15 p.m.

There is no Saturday afternoon Mass on Holy Saturday.

On Easter Sunday, there will be Masses at 7 and 9 a.m. in the Upper and Lower Church followed by an Easter Egg hunt for children. There will also be an 11:30 a.m. Mass on Easter Sunday.

For more information, call the church at 617-479-5400.

Covenant Church

Covenant Congregational Church, 315 Whitwell St., Quincy Center, announces its schedule of Holy Week services.

On Thursday, April 5, at 7 p.m., the Last Supper Jesus shared with his disciples will be remembered at the Maundy Thursday Communion Service.

On Good Friday, April 6, at noon, the congregation will join with the community at the ecumenical worship service sponsored by the South Shore Evangelical Clergy Association. The service, centered around the sacrifice of Christ on the cross, will be held at Central Baptist Church in Quincy. Several members of the community clergy will speak and there will be special music and a simple soup lunch will

follow.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, the celebration of Jesus' resurrection will begin with the annual Sunrise Worship service. Sponsored by the South Shore Evangelical Clergy Association, the worship begins at 6:30 a.m. at Wollaston Beach between the Wollaston and Squantum Yacht Clubs.

At 10 a.m. the community is invited to worship at Covenant Congregational Church. There will be special music under the direction of Christine Fahey, music director, and Rev. Karen Palmatier, pastor of the church, will bring the message of the morning.

For more information regarding the church of its Holy Week activities, call 617-479-5728.

Community Easter Egg Hunt At Wollaston Church

The Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, 37 East Elm Ave., Wollaston, will host a community Easter egg hunt, on its lawn Saturday, April 7 at 9 a.m. (rain or shine).

Families with children ages birth through grade 5 are invited to participate in the event which will feature fun and prizes. Bring a basket or bag to collect your eggs.

Wollaston Church of the Nazarene has been located at its present location in Wollaston for more than 80 years. Although the church has close ties with Eastern Nazarene College, the church also serves the city of Quincy as a faith community providing a place to worship God, share the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and serve those in need.

Service times are Sun-

days: 8:30 a.m. - a Service of Liturgy; 11 a.m. - Blended Worship; First Sunday Evening of the Month 6 p.m. - a service of community and fellowship; Wednesdays: 6:30 p.m. Family Night Ministries with programs for all ages birth through adult.

For more information, call the church at 617-472-5669.

Quincy Point Congregational

Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy, will celebrate Easter with a service April 8 at 10 a.m.

A prelude begins at 9:45

a.m.

The service will feature the string quartet, chancel choir and children's choir.

There will also be a children's bulletin.

The sermon for Easter Sunday will be "Wake Up to Easter!"

An Easter Egg hunt will be held following the worship service.

For more information, call the church office at 617-773-6224.

Wollaston Church Of The Nazarene

Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, 37 East Elm Ave., Wollaston (on the campus of Eastern Nazarene College), announces its Easter Services.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a service at 7 p.m.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, there will be a Holy Communion Service at 8:30 a.m.; an Adult and Children's Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. and a blended worship service at 11 a.m.

For more information, call the church at 617-472-5669 or visit www.wconaz.org.



THE SALVATION ARMY
6 BAXTER ST. | 617-472-2345

Easter Sunday Services!

6:30am COMMUNITY
SUNRISE SERVICE

WOLLASTON BEACH
BETWEEN THE 2 YACHT CLUBS

9:45am SUNDAY SCHOOL
6 Baxter St.
Quincy

11am EASTER MORNING WORSHIP
6 Baxter St.
Quincy

THE BRASS BAND will accompany singing at the Sunrise Service and the Morning Worship Service.

WOLLASTON CHURCH +++ OF THE NAZARENE +++

EASTER SERVICES

8:30 am - Holy Communion Service
9:30 am - Adult and Children's Sunday School
11:00 am - Blended Worship Service

*We invite you to join us as we celebrate the
Resurrection of our Lord!*

MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE
Thursday, April 5 at 7:00 pm

Pastor

+ REV. FRED C. FULLERTON +

87 E. ELM AVE., WOLLASTON | 617-472-5669 | WWW.WCONAZ.ORG

On the Campus of Eastern Nazarene College • Handicap Accessible

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Founded 1832

Rev. William C. Harding, Senior Pastor
Rev. Gary W. Smothers, Associate Pastor
18 Spear St. Quincy, MA 02169
617-479-7300

CHRIST HAS RISEN!!

MAUNDY THURSDAY

5:30pm Potluck Supper
7:00pm Candlelight Service, April 5, 2007

GOOD FRIDAY

Union Service with
Quincy Point Congregational Church
12 Noon April 6, 2007

EASTER SUNDAY

10AM April 8, 2007
ALL ARE WELCOME!
Childcare will be available for
infants and toddlers.
Wheelchair Accessible



Join us during Holy Week
Maundy Thursday 7:00pm "A Service of Shadows",
Communion, Music and Reflection.

Easter Sunday 10:30am
"Death Can Not Keep His Prey".
Celebration and Worship.
Family Friendly Service
followed by Easter Egg Hunt

First Baptist Church of Wollaston

81 Prospect Avenue
Quincy, MA 02170
(617) 472-0824



Corner of Prospect and Warren Ave.
Nursery available on Sundays.



RELIGION

Union Congregational Church

Union Congregational Church, corner of Rawson Rd. and Beach St. in Wollaston, announces its schedule for Holy Week and Easter Sunday.

On Maundy Thursday, April 5, there will be a Service of Holy Communion and Tenebrae at 7:30 p.m.

On Good Friday, April 6, there will be a Good Friday service at 3 p.m. at Union Congregational Church followed by a Walk of the Cross

to First Baptist Church in Braintree.

At 6:30 p.m. there will be a dinner at First Baptist Church in Braintree followed by a closing Good Friday service at 7:30 p.m. at First Baptist, Braintree.

On Holy Saturday, April 7, the annual showing of "Jesus of Nazareth" will be at 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. followed by a Holy Saturday Liturgy at 5 p.m.

On Easter Sunday, April 8, the church will participate in an Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m. on Wollaston Beach between the yacht clubs.

There will also be a traditional Easter Sunday Service with Communion at 10 a.m. followed by a coffee hour and fellowship time.

There will also be an Easter Egg Hunt for children after the 10 a.m. service.

Easter Bunny Visits Atria Marina Place

The Easter Bunny will visit Atria Marina Place, 4 Seaport Dr., North Quincy, Saturday, April 7 from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

From 1:30 to 2 p.m. guests – young and old – can have their picture taken with the

Easter Bunny.

At 2 p.m., there will be an Easter Egg Hunt. Participants should bring their own basket.

At 2:15 p.m. there will be a magic show followed by refreshments at 2:45 p.m.

Those planning to attend should RSVP at 617-770-3264 so that the Easter Bunny can bring enough eggs for all.

The event is free and open to the public.

25th Senior Olympic Games May 7-15

Quincy's Senior Olympics season launches with a sense of "celebration" this year, as planning for the 25th Senior Olympic Games gets underway.

Quincy Mayor William J. Phelan and the Olympic Planning "team" met at City Hall this past week to finalize plans for the expanding weekend event, May 7-15.

What began 25 years ago, as an informal Saturday afternoon gathering of seniors has grown, through the years, to a 9-day event offering 21 competitive games at ten sites throughout Quincy.

The first annual Games were organized in 1982, informally by the Quincy Recreation Department and Beechwood. When "the Games" began to interest increasing numbers of seniors-Quincy's community

Hospital, became the primary sponsor. The support has continued through the years: first Quincy Hospital, then Quincy Medical Center. In recent years the partnership has extended to Boston Medical Center.

The City of Quincy, led by Mayor Phelan and Beechwood On The Bay, will launch the 25th year of Senior Olympics on Monday, May 7 at 6 p.m. Mayor Phelan and the oldest Senior Olympian Competitor will light the torch with the annual pronouncement, "Let the Games Begin."

This year's Senior Olympics Games (May 7-15) will expand to all eleven South Shore communities and beyond. Registrations are expected from New Hampshire and Rhode Island.

"We encourage interested seniors (55-95) to participate,

with approval of their physicians," said Beechwood Director Sharron Beals.

"It is important to begin "readiness" activities now," Beals added. "Walking, stretching, yoga and other activities are recommended (and available at Beechwood)." George Burke is our basketball coach each Friday morning."

Registration packets for Senior Olympics will soon be available at Beechwood, City Hall Information Booth, Recreation Department, Council on Aging, The Quincy Sun and The Quincy Business Association.

For more information about Beechwood's walking groups, co-ed volleyball games, yoga classes, and "Friday Fitness Fun" or any other inquiries about the Senior Olympics and/or other Senior Center activities call Beechwood (617) 471-5712.

First Church Of Squantum

The First Church of Squantum in Quincy, 164 Bellevue Rd. at the corner of Huckins and Bellevue, will hold a sunrise community Easter service Sunday at 6:30 a.m. at Orchard Beach fol-

lowed by a breakfast in the church hall.

The public is invited. The title of Pastor Mike Robertson's sermon is "What a Day This Is."

An Easter Egg Hunt will

be held for children during the regular Sunday School class.

A potluck dinner will be held Saturday, April 14 at 6 p.m. Bring a dish. All are welcome.

Spiritual Program for Women In May

A five-week spiritual program for women in recovery will be held each Wednesday evening in May from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Maria Droste Services, 1354 Hancock St., Quincy.

Sr. Kathy Short, CSJ, will be the facilitator of the pro-

gram entitled "Chaos to Grace." The weekly fee will range from \$10 to \$30 for participants.

"Recovery is the discovery of your true self, one glorious step at a time," is the motto of the program.

This group program, "Chaos to Grace" will focus on relaxation, sharing, meditation and body exercises. Interested persons may contact the center at 617-471-5686 for additional information.

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Assemblies of God
Glad Tidings
158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797
Renny Varthuse, Interim Pastor
Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m., Christian Ed. 10 a.m.,
Senior Hl Youth 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study
Royal Ranger Missionettes: Eodgy Junior Hl Youth 7 p.m.
•Youth & Children's Ministry
•Contemporary Worship
•Marriage & Family Group
•International Fellowship
•DivorceCare

Catholic
St. Mary's Church
95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120
Masses
Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30
& 11:30am, Weekdays 9am
Handicapped Accessible
New Members Welcome!

Unitarian
UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy
1306 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T
Worship Service & Church School
SUNDAYS, 10:30 a.m.
Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister
• A Welcoming Congregation •
617-773-1290 • www.ulpc.org

Congregational
First Church of Squantum
164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649
Pastor: Michael S. Robertson
Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
All Are Welcome

Spiritualist
First Spiritualist Church of Quincy
40 West St., Quincy, MA 02169
(617) 770-2246
Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM
Coffee and Conversation following service.
(Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)
Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H., C.M.

Catholic
Sacred Heart Church
"A Roman Catholic Community walking together
in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"
386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171
(617) 328-8666
Sunday Masses
4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy)
10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm
12 noon at Star of Sea Church
Weekday Masses
Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am
Handicapped Accessible
Confessions
Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church
550 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169
617-472-6321
SUNDAY MASSES:
4 p.m. (On Saturday)
8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Weekday Masses 9am
CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
Handicapped accessible &
Handicapped parking, side entrance
air conditioned

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
44 School St., Quincy
617-773-1021
Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m.
Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.,
and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)
Weekday Masses
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400
Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM
Handicapped Chiffrit Available

Congregational
HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
310 Manet Ave., Quincy
www.hncong.org
Sunday, April 8
Worship Service 9:30 am
EASTER SUNDAY
'FEAR NOT!'
LUKE 24: 1-12
Sunday School 9:30 AM
Rev. John Castricum
617-479-8778

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Corner of Spear & Coddington Sts., Quincy Center • 617-479-7300
10 AM Easter Sunday Worship
And Sunday School
Rev. William Harding "The Grand Entry"
Fellowship Time in Allen Parlor

QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424
Worship and Church School 10 am
Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor
visit us at www.QPCC.org

Christian Science
First Church of Christ, Scientist
10:30 AM
Sunday Service & Sunday School
7:30 PM
Wednesday Evening Meeting
20 Greenleaf Street Quincy
off Hancock St.
617-472-0055

Congregational
WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432
Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford
10 a.m. Worship Service
EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 8
'Who Are You Looking For?'
Isaiah 65: 17-19, 21-25; John 21: 1-18
Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching
MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE 7 PM

UNION CHURCH
Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston
(617) 479-6661
Easter Sunday
Worship Service 10 AM
Rev. John Swanson, Pastor

Covenant
COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Corner of Whitwell & Granite St.
Sunday Worship 10:00 AM
Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor
9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages
Child Care Available - All Are Welcome
Children's Pantry
Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon
617-479-5728

Nazarene
Wollaston Church of the Nazarene
37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston
(617) 472-5669
On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College
Pastor: Rev. Fred Fullerton
Sunday Services
8:30 am - Holy Communion
9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School
11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service
Come Worship with Us!

Episcopal
St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church
Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy
(617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com
Rev. David Heffling
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.
Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m.
Nursery Care During Service
Coffee Hour Following
ALL WELCOME
THRU T SHOPPERS W. HLFER 10am-4pm

Evangelical
EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC
65 Newbury Ave., North Quincy
(617) 847-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue
10:30 Sunday Worship
6PM Prayer Meeting
7PM Brazilian A/G Service
7PM Thursday Bible Study
Squantum Christian Fellowship
50 Huckins Ave., Squantum
617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan
Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew
Children's Class 10 a.m.
Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m.
Handicapped Accessible
email: info@squantum.org

VICTORY CHURCH
Bringing Christ and People Together
Place of Worship:
225 Fenn St., Wollaston
Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.
Bible Study Wednesdays at 7 pm
Telephone: 617-388-0794

Methodist
QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
40 Beale St., Wollaston
617-773-3319
10:30 AM Sunday Worship
Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor

Salvationist
THE SALVATION ARMY
6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345
9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL
11AM WORSHIP SERVICE
BRASS BAND MUSIC
7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP
7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY



SOUTH COASTAL BANK recently presented a \$5000 grant to Central Middle School PTO from its C.A.R.E.S. community giving program. From left are: Dan Taylor, vice president, South Coastal Bank; Central Middle School Assistant Principal Peter Chella; Fiona Canavan, publicity officer, Central Middle School PTO; Central Middle School Principal Jennifer Fay-Beers; Mary Flattery-Poluikis, co-president, Central Middle School PTO; and Nicole Oliver, art teacher, Central Middle School.

South Coastal Bank Awards \$500 Grant To Central Middle School

South Coastal Bank recently presented a \$5000 grant to Central Middle School PTO from its C.A.R.E.S. community giving program. The C.A.R.E.S. program helps local not-for-profit groups promote and encourage a sense of Community, Achievement, Responsibility and Excellence in children through exposure to the arts.

Serving Quincy students in grades six through eight, the Central Middle School PTO works to enhance the children's educational experience by raising funds to subsidize cultural arts programs not provided for by the school budget. The PTO applied C.A.R.E.S. funding toward its "Celebration of the Fine Arts" family night, during which artwork cre-

ated by Central Middle School students was displayed and auctioned. The event also featured performances by the School's drama club, chorus and band. For more information on South Coastal Bank C.A.R.E.S., contact community liaison Susan Lincoln at 781-681-7206.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER NO. 2007-070
Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20 Stopping, Standing and Parking. Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

CITY OF QUINCY IN COUNCIL

March 19, 2007

LEGAL NOTICE

QUINCY SUN NEWSCARRIERS WANTED

Here's a chance to earn extra money by building a Quincy Sun home delivery route.
Telephone 617-471-3100

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0547EP
In the Estate of
JEAN C. ABRAMS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
September 22, 2005

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0688EP
In the Estate of
ALFRED E. O'SULLIVAN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 3, 2005

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be a photocopy of the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **JEAN MANGONE** of **SOMERVILLE** in the County of **MIDDLESEX** or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **MICHAEL O'SULLIVAN** of **BOW** in the State of **NEW HAMPSHIRE** or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON APRIL 18, 2007.
In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.
WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 9, 2007.
PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 2, 2007.
In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.
WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 21, 2007.
PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

INVITATION TO BID
CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169
The City of Quincy invites sealed bids/proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City of Quincy:
BUILDING MAINTENANCE ELECTRICAL SWITCHBOARD **APRIL 18, 2007 @ 11:00 A.M.**
Detailed specifications are on file at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts, 02169, between the hours of 8:30AM to 4:30 PM.
Bids must state exceptions, if any, the delivery date and any allowable discounts. Bids/Proposals must be in a sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelope is to be clearly marked "BID ENCLOSED" with time/date of bid call.
Firm bid prices will be given first consideration. Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be publicly opened and read. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.
If applicable, bids shall be in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B, Chapter 149 as amended, and Chapter 30, Sections 39A, 39B and 39F-R.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the City and waive any informalities in the bidding if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

William J. Phelan, MAYOR
Laurie M. Allen, PURCHASING AGENT

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

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CITY OF QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
1305 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY, MA 02169
Invites sealed bids/proposals for furnishing and delivering to the City of Quincy:
ASSESSORS REVALUATION PROGRAM **APRIL 17, 2007 @ 3:00 P.M.**
The City of Quincy, Massachusetts is undertaking a program to update all real property for Fiscal Year 2008 pursuant to the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The contractor shall determine full and fair cash value of real property and its usage classification as of January 1, 2007 as defined by M.G.L. Chapter 59. A copy of the specifications may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts, 02169, between the hours of 8:30AM to 4:30 PM.
Non-Price Bids/Proposals must be in a sealed envelope, and price proposals must be in a separate sealed envelope. The outside of the sealed envelopes are to be clearly marked "RFP - NON PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED" with time/date of RFP and "RFP - PRICE PROPOSAL ENCLOSED" with time/date of RFP.
Bids/Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until the time and date stated above, at which time and date they will be opened and registered. Late Bids/Proposals, delivered by mail or in person, will be rejected.
If applicable, Bids/RFPs shall be in accordance with Chapter 149 of the M.G.L. as amended, M.G.L. Chapter 39, section 39A, 39B and 39F-R. M.G.L. Chapter 149, Section 26, 27, 29, 35 and 44A-44M.
The right is reserved to reject any or all RFP's or to accept any part of an RFP or the one deemed best for the City, and waive any informalities in the bidding, if it is in the best interest of the City to do so.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

William J. Phelan, MAYOR
Laurie M. Allen, CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER

Anthony Black Graduates Basic Training

Air Force Airman Anthony Black has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and military customs and courtesies; performed drill and ceremony marches, and received physical training, rifle marksmanship, field training exercises, and special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate



ANTHONY BLACK

LEGAL NOTICE
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0615GR

In the Matter
Of JACQUELINE PETTINELLI
Of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

To JACQUELINE PETTINELLI of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said JACQUELINE PETTINELLI of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally retarded person to the degree that she is incapable of making informed decisions with respect to the conduct of her personal and/or financial affairs and praying that MARJORIE KAY of PLYMOUTH in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 23, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 16, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

4/5/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-010
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 24, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Barbara Jodrey for a Variance to convert the existing single family to a single family with an in-law apartment in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.28.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 70 WALNUT STREET, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-011
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 24, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Omnipoint Communications, a wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile, Inc. for a Special Permit to install and operate a wireless communications facility in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.06 on the premises numbered 164 BELLEVUE ROAD, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

degree through the Community College of the Air Force. Black earned distinction as an honor graduate.

He is the son of John Black of Hancock St., Quincy.

The airman is a 2006 graduate of North Quincy High School, Quincy.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0590GI
In the Matter
Of FREDERICK G. NUGENT
Of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

To FREDERICK G. NUGENT of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, his spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said FREDERICK G. NUGENT of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally ill person and praying that ROBERT NUGENT of WEYMOUTH in the County of NORFOLK and RITA M. NUGENT of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **APRIL 27, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 14, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-012
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 24, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Griffith Properties, L.L.C. for a Special Permit/Flood Plain to construct a four (4) story parking structure on site to replace 143 surface parking spaces in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.40.060 (flood plain, special permit) on the premises numbered 100 HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-013
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 24, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Eric Friedberg for a Variance to subdivide the existing 9,310 square foot lot into two lots, Lot 67 to contain 5,000 square feet and Lot D2 to contain 4,310 square feet and to construct a single family home in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.060 (lot size), Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements), and Chapter 17.28.030G (driveways/parking facilities) on the premises numbered 60 BABCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

Legal Clinic At Quincy Court

The Norfolk County Bar Association will sponsor a free legal clinic Tuesday, April 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Quincy District Court.

For more information, contact Adrienne Clarke, 617-471-9693.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0359-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
SYED IRFAN, Plaintiff(s)
v.
PATRICIA LIGHTBODY, Defendant(s)

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), SYED IRFAN, seeking **DIVORCE.**

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon WILLIAM GILLESPIE, PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY, whose address is 1_0_5_6 CENTRAL STREET, STOUGHTON, MA 02072, your answer on or before 6/15, 2007. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 22nd day of MARCH, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0699AD
In the Estate of
DAVID G. LAPLANTE
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
March 4, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that BENJAMIN P. LAPLANTE of WOBURN in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 2, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 22, 2007.

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Register of Probate

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 05P0356EP
In the Estate of
SARAH S. TOWNE AKA SARAH LILA TOWNE
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
March 1, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that EVERETT BURCHARD TOWNE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 2, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 20, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0631AD
In the Estate of
CONCETTA A. DICARA
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 28, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that LAWRENCE S. DICARA of BOSTON in the County of SUFFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 2, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 19, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0647EP
In the Estate of
LEONARDO LORENZANO
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 18, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that VINCENT LORENZANO of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 2, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 19, 2007.

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Question Vacation Buyback System

Park Commissioner Wins Bid for \$100,000 Transfer

By LAURA GRIFFIN

City councillors unanimously approved a \$100,000 transfer request by Park Commissioner Mark Jaehning at their recent Finance Committee meeting. The transfer must now be finalized at a City Council meeting.

Prior to the vote, councillors questioned both the department's sicktime and vacation buyback policy as well as the overtime expenses that put the Park Department's Personnel

budget in the red.

"How did you arrive at a buyback figure?" Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond asked, referring to the \$37,815 settlement total for former employees.

Of that sum, \$18,505 was designated as the estimated settlement to the estate of the late Paul Zamburano and \$19,310 as the actual payment to former Park Commissioner Thomas Koch.

Parks Department Program Manager Kristen

Keohane said that department officials "...worked with the Personnel Director."

"I don't believe there's any hard fast rule," City Auditor Rick Fitzpatrick said referring to sicktime and buyback payments due management employees who voluntarily leave city jobs. Such policies are written into contracts for non-management employees.

Councillor John Keenan said he believes there was a written policy when he worked for Mayor James Sheets' administration.

"I find it hard to believe that there is nothing in writing," said Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis who added, "If there's not, there should be."

Councillors also reviewed the department's overtime expenses for the Veterans' Memorial Stadium project which totaled \$63,103. In

his written report, Jaehning cited circumstances "beyond the control of the Park Department" which impacted the overtime budget.

"First was the record-setting rainy spring," reported Jaehning, noting that, at one point, "torrential rains filled the excavation and required hundreds of thousands of gallons of water

to be pumped out of the hole....."

Councillors agreed to approve Jaehning's request, noting this was his first season as Park Commissioner.

"I want him to hit the ground with his feet running," said Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamie

while Ward 1 Councillor agreed, saying, "Let's give the guy a chance."

Of the \$100,000 request, \$60,000 will be added to Personnel Services and \$40,000 to Current Expenses. The funds will be transferred from Collection and Disposal and from Free Cash in equal amounts of \$50,000.

Coughlin Urges Permit Parking In Districts

(Cont'd From Page 1)
Director or traffic department.

The proposal states, "The petition may identify a primary district where the parking problems predominate; such an area may be any portion or all of one or more streets, but the minimum re-

stricted area must be at least one street block in length, and any restricted area must be bordered only by (residential) property...."

Once the residents' petition is verified, the City Traffic Engineer or his designee would survey the area and submit a recommendation.

In the final step, the City Council would hold a public hearing and either approve or reject the district.

After a district is designated, residents may apply for stickers for themselves and their visitors. However, only two motor vehicles registered at eligible addresses would qualify for the parking stickers priced at \$10 annually for each vehicle. Vehicles with handicapped or disabled veteran license plates would be exempt.

In addition, residents

could apply for up to two visitor parking permits per dwelling. Such parking permits would be transferable and would be issued free of charge to residents. The Police Chief may, also, issue additional visitor permits to institutions or organizations in a permit area.

Coughlin's proposal also allows the City Council to revoke the designation of a permit zone and for the Police Chief to suspend a zone designation for a limited period as necessitated by the public interest.

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Her Locks Of Love



MACKENZIE HAYES, age 7 of Braintree, recently had 10-inches of hair cut-off by her father Sean Hayes, owner of Solus Hair Creations in Quincy. MacKenzie had gone 2 1/2 years between haircuts and she donated her hair to Locks of Love in memory of her aunt who passed away from cancer.

Updated Fair Housing Plan Ready For Public Comment

After two years of collaboration among the Planning Department, the Mayor's Fair Housing Committee and the public,

Quincy finally has an updated Fair Housing Plan available for public comment. As a grantee of the US

Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) the city is required (Cont'd On Page 20)

Good News, Bad News

Legislators Predict \$1M In New Aid But Grim Future

By LAURA GRIFFIN

State legislators forecast a \$1.1 million increase in state aid to Quincy for the next fiscal year, but warned city councillors Monday that the state's finances look grim for future years.

In addition, they warned that water and sewer ratepayers might get hit hard as funding for rate relief dries up on Beacon Hill.

"The good news is we're getting more local aid this year," Senator Michael Morrissey told the City Council, but he expects anemic growth on the state level will impact cities and towns in the years to come.

"We think we're in for a rough ride for the next few years," Morrissey said after

noting that even the state's lottery income has flattened. "Our tax growth is only expected to be 3%."

At Monday's meeting, Morrissey, along with State Representatives Ron Mariano and Steve Tobin reviewed local and state issues with the City Council. Rep. Ayers was unable to attend due to family obligations.

Issues ranged from health insurance, gambling casinos, the Wollaston Beach project, fire trucks to graffiti on Neponset River Bridge, but the first and major issue was finances.

According to preliminary data, Quincy's local aid could increase by 7% or \$1,190,313 in fiscal year 2008. That would bring the

city's total aid next year to \$38,153,678.

In the fiscal 2006, the Quincy's state aid totaled \$34,298,095 while the current state aid for Quincy is \$36,963,365.

Under the governor's budget, the increase would only be \$108,375 or 4.11% with a total aid package of \$37,585,134.

None of the legislators expect the state budget to be finalized before early June.

As for next year and after, Tobin said, "I haven't heard any optimism." In fact, he said that '09 may be the start of a decrease.

Even with the potential for increased aid this year, there's a major downside for

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Phelan Backs Open Space As Avalon Withdraws

Mayor William Phelan said Tuesday that he will encourage the City's Community Preservation Committee to enter open space acquisition discussions with Avalon Corporation after Avalon withdrew its plans to construct 146 apartment units off Falls Boulevard in Quincy Point.

Phelan when discovered that a pre-existing condition in a 1996 permit for an adjacent parcel prevented access to the new development.

"I am proud that we fought to protect this neighborhood," Phelan said. "We will now have the opportunity to preserve the city's largest remaining open space

parcel and possibly connect this 14-acre parcel of natural land with an existing 57-acre park."

City Council Reaction Page 11

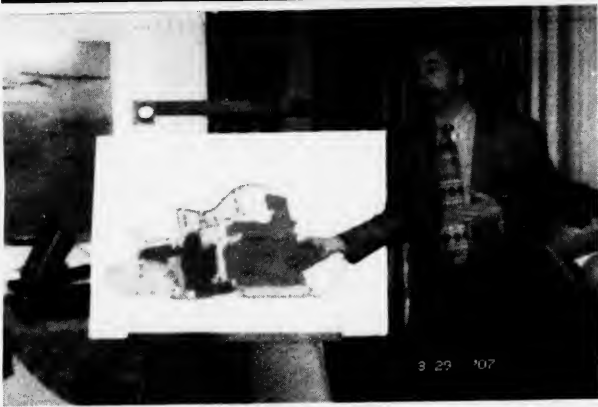
"By performing our due diligence we have upheld the integrity of all City boards and commission that place conditions on development permits. This development would have undermined the credibility of the entire permitting process had the City Council allowed it to proceed."

Phelan originally opposed the re-zoning of the

parcel in 2004. The City Council rezoned the parcel from Industrial A zoning to Planned Unit Development, allowing for residential development and potentially increasing the parcel's value significantly, Phelan said. Phelan vetoed the rezoning, but his veto was overturned by the City Council at that time.

Phelan has recently encouraged the Community Preservation Committee to investigate bonding options in order to target multiple open space acquisitions in 2007. He has expressed a similar hope that the Committee negotiates with the

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ALEX PITKIN, an architect from Symmes Maini & McKee Associates, the design firm for the new Quincy High School, discusses details of the new building.

Miriam Joseph photos

Science Center At New High School To Feature Renewable Energy Resources

By MIRIAM JOSEPH

The bridge linking the main building of Quincy High School with the Voc-Tech campus is attracting a lot of attention from the community as well as representatives of the energy industry and educators.

The bridge will soon be the site of a renewable energy project which will eventually be relocated to the new high school.

One of the people interested in the solar thermal heating system project is Richard Trethewey, the plumbing and heating expert from the television program "This Old House."

Trethewey is also president of RST, Inc., a manufacturer's representative company that provides

training to the skilled trades.

Emily Lebo, director of Career and Technical Education for the Quincy Public Schools, welcomed guests last Thursday to a meeting of the advisory board of the Renewable Energy Integration Project, where the status of solar thermal, wind and photo voltaic energy sources were discussed.

The construction of a wind turbine on the roof of the Voc-Tech building and the feasibility of moving it after construction of the new high school were topics of discussion.

"Initial construction of the new school will begin behind the present high school and will be the site of the science and technology center of the new high

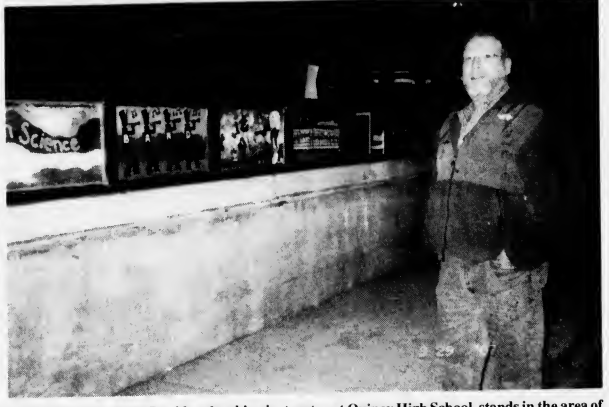
school," said Lebo.

"On top of that building we hope to build a greenhouse and we're hoping to put the solar thermal and photo voltaics up there, and possibly the wind turbine, we are still working on that as a possibility.

"But in the meantime, just so we can get the curriculum going and use our grant money, we are going to start putting all that out here on the bridge."

Paul Tully, an engineering teacher, was excited about exploring renewable energy.

"I teach an architectural course and we learn about heat-loss and gain, and energy loads on a building and there is a big component in our curriculum for conservation and taking care of the



BRIDGE LINK. Tom Cassidy, plumbing instructor at Quincy High School, stands in the area of bridge linking the main building with the Voc-Tech campus, where the renewable energy project will be displayed.



AMONG THOSE attending the renewable energy meeting were, left to right, Mike Ryan, the city's director of buildings and construction; Frank Santoro, principal of Quincy High School; and Peter Swanson, head of the Quincy High Science Department.

land, utilizing our resources as best we can, etc.," he said.

"And to have a renewable energy project right here in the school fits right into that course for us, and environmental engineering is a huge possibility for our kids.

"Anyone going into that discipline should be thinking along the lines of energy-efficient design.

"Years ago we wouldn't even think of buying a bottle of water but I tell my students that when they reach my age they may be buying containers of clean air."

Honeywell General Manager Kris Sticinski discussed the efforts the city is embarking upon to conserve energy in venues outside of the high school.

"The city soon will be entering into an energy performance contract with Honeywell to do energy retrofit solutions in over 40 buildings in Quincy, including schools, where we will be assessing aging infrastructure, older boilers and outdated lighting systems," he said.

"With these retro-fit solutions, we will be saving energy, and that's how the program will pay for itself."

The school's educators have long felt that the technical school should be inte-

grated somehow with the academic and think that the bridge might be one place to do it.

The idea of heating the bridge with solar came up and Lebo secured a state energy grant for \$50,000 and the project was on its way.

Frank Santoro, principal of Quincy High School, applauded this integrating project.

"We're doing our best to get people to understand that Quincy High School is one comprehensive high school with two campuses," he said. "The Voc-Tech or Trade School do not exist anymore. We are one high school.

"With the new high school we will have academics. It is designed to be interdisciplinary, both vocational and academic disciplines will work together on subjects which are relevant and in a meaningful way for kids to learn."

The design firm for the new school has been working with staff at QHS, obtaining input from the science, plumbing, math, electrical and carpentry instructors so

to the future needs of the students and staff.

Energy conservation will be built into the system and types of equipment used in the new school will be energy star-rated. All products brought into the school will protect against mold and dust and reduce the impact on airborne pollution.

Quincy High has also received a grant of \$17,000 from the Massachusetts Technology Collaboration, which supports what is known as "green schools," healthy and productive learning environments and cost-effective facilities which conserve energy and use renewable resources.

Supporters of the energy project plan to meet soon with representatives of the neighborhood surrounding the high school.

Construction of the science and technology center will extend out to Huntley Road, and Woodward Avenue eventually will be closed. The rear section of the present high school and the Voc-Tech building will be closed.

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Movement On The Political Front

Jennifer Logue Running For Councillor At-Large

Jennifer McCauley Logue announces her candidacy for City Council in this year's city elections.

Logue said she would be an independent voice on the council for Quincy residents and taxpayers.

"Quincy residents need and deserve representatives who are willing to speak out on the issues regardless of the political cost," Logue said. "From property taxes and public safety to economic development, I won't shy away from asking the tough questions or making the difficult decisions that must be made if Quincy is to remain a safe, attractive and affordable place to live, work and raise a family."

Logue cited the proposed Quincy Center Concourse as an issue on which she would seek to bring a new perspective to the City Council.

"When it comes to the Quincy Center concourse, it seems as though the City of Quincy is split right down the middle," Logue said. "Our elected officials are all for it and the people are against it."

"I have yet to meet a resident who thinks that building a major roadway straight through Quincy Center is a good idea," Logue said. "Yet the city is moving full steam ahead on a project that, in the short term, will displace some of our most vibrant and successful businesses purely on the hope that this project will someday generate long-term benefits that are by no means guaranteed."

As a councillor-at-large, Logue said that she would push for a review of the project "before the shovels hit the ground and the city reaches a point of no return



JENNIFER LOGUE

on an idea that was ill-conceived when it was first proposed nearly 40 years ago."

A long-time community activist, Logue was appointed by Mayor William Phelan to serve on the Quincy Tourism Advisory Council in 2002 before being selected in 2004 as the funding executive director of Discover Quincy, the city's non-profit tourism agency.

In that role, Logue developed and implemented the city's first comprehensive marketing plan for promoting Quincy's historic sites and attractions. In addition to conducting a public relations campaign, developing visitor guides and advertisements, and organizing special events, Logue worked collaboratively with local arts and cultural leaders to secure funding for Quincy's tourism efforts. She also spearheaded Quincy's involvement in the Cultural Coast, a joint tourism initiative with Plymouth, the Cape and Islands.

"As executive director of Discover Quincy, I worked hard to establish productive, mutually beneficial partnerships with other cities and towns as well as state and federal officials," Logue said.

"As a councillor-at-large,

I'll draw on this experience to ensure that Quincy maintains the good working relationships needed between our local government and state and federal officials to ensure that such projects as the marsh reclamation initiative and the much-needed Crown Colony on-ramp are successfully completed."

Born and raised in Quincy, Logue grew up in Houghs Neck and attended Quincy Public Schools. In 1984, she graduated from North Quincy High School where she was a member of the National Honor Society. In 1988, she graduated magna cum laude from American University with a degree in Journalism.

In addition to serving on the Quincy Tourism Advisory Council, her community service includes serving on the Mayor's Leadership Council on Homelessness and on the Quincy High School Siting Commission charged with selecting the location for the new Quincy High School. A past president of the Quincy Lions Club, Logue served as Registrar of Voters from 2003-2006.

Logue, 40, is a senior publicist for public broadcaster WGBH where she is a member of the Communication Workers of America Local 1300, a division of the AFL-CIO.

Logue and her husband, David, live in Wollaston with their three children: Bryan, a senior at North Quincy High School; Samantha, a freshman at North and Katie, a first-grader at Beechwood Knoll.

Nick Puleo Candidate For School Committee

Ward 5 Community Association president Nick Puleo announced his candidacy for school committee in the November City election.

"In order to stay competitive in the modern work, children need 21st century skills," Puleo said. "We need to make the investment now to ensure a brighter future for Quincy's kids. I am very excited by the opportunities that are within our reach."

Puleo said that he plans to meet with parents, teachers and other residents in the coming weeks. The campaign has launched a website, www.nickpuleo.com to help reach out to residents.

"Everyone in this community should have a vested interest in the success of our schools," Puleo said. "The new Quincy High School has dominated the discussion, and it is clearly important. But we cannot afford to lose sight of what is going on in the classroom. I want to broaden the dialogue and bring more focus to



NICK PULEO

improving quality."

Puleo is working as a Senior Budget Analyst for the Massachusetts Senate Committee on Ways and Means. He was hired to shape the state's human services funding system, primarily in programs that aid children, veterans, and the elderly. In the past state fiscal year, he was responsible for the oversight of over \$3.2 billion in funding.

During his time at the Committee, Puleo has identified millions of dollars in cost savings and has found new ways to bring federal funding into the state. He said he plans to use these skills to

bring more money to Quincy's schools.

"With state mandates, upcoming construction projects, ongoing teacher negotiations, and an ever-tightening budget, our school system is facing substantial pressure," Puleo said. "The school committee needs a finance expert to ensure that funding is available for a quality, well-rounded curriculum. I have the knowledge and the skill to make this happen."

Puleo organized the "Taste of Ward 5" event last year. In addition, he is a volunteer Cub Scout leader for Pack 42 at St. John's in Quincy and a Boy Scout leader for Troop 5 at St. Agatha's in Milton.

A graduate of Northeastern University, he studied Political Science and History and earned magna cum laude honors. He is also a graduate of Boston College High School.

Puleo was born and raised in Quincy. He and his wife, Sarah, live on Phillips Street in Wollaston.

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• On April 9, 1859, a 23-year-old Missouri youth named Samuel Langhorne Clemens receives his steamboat pilot's license. During his time as a pilot, he picked up the term "Mark Twain," a boatman's call noting that the river was only two fathoms deep, the minimum depth for safe navigation. In 1861 he wrote a humorous travel letter signed by "Mark Twain" and continued to use the pseudonym for nearly 50 years.

• On April 15, 1924, Rand McNally releases its first comprehensive road atlas. Today Rand McNally is the world's largest maker of atlases in print and electronic media.

• On April 10, 1933, Presi-

dent Franklin D. Roosevelt establishes the Civilian Conservation Corps, a federally funded organization that put Americans to work on conservation projects during the Great Depression. From 1933 to 1942, the CCC employed more than 3 million men.

• On April 11, 1945, the American Third Army liberates the Buchenwald concentration camp, near Weimar, Germany. Among those saved by the Americans was Elie Wiesel, who would go on to win the Nobel Peace Prize in 1986.

• On April 14, 1975, the American airlift of Vietnamese orphans to the United States ends after 2,600 children are transported to America. Operation Baby Lift was initiated to bring South Vietnamese orphans to the United States for adoption by American parents.

• On April 13, 1966, the cast of the popular "The Andy Griffith Show" is reunited for a one-time television special. "The Andy Griffith Show" ran from 1960 to 1968.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Perfect Anchor For FR Rotary

Well, there is an anchor – a perfect one – available as a fitting nautical memento at the Fore River Bridge rotary and tribute to Quincy's great shipbuilding history.

And, it's not somewhere miles away out of state. It's right here, just 1,000 feet or so from the rotary and the new flagpole.

It's in the old Fore River Shipyard on a dock next to the USS Salem Naval Shipbuilding Museum.

This particular anchor couldn't be more appropriate. It belonged to the USS Des Moines, sister ship of the Salem. And, like the Salem, was built here at the shipyard.

Mike Condon, executive director of the USS Salem museum is offering the anchor to the city for placement at the rotary.

Condon last August obtained the Des Moines portside anchor—an estimated 22,500 thousands pounds and some 10 feet tall, as an artifact for the museum. And with the thought it might some day be placed at the rotary.

He took possession of it with the blessing and help of the Navy and a lot of cooperation from others who firmly believe it belongs in Quincy as a symbol of the shipyard and workers who built some of the great ships of World War II.

Condon rescued the anchor before the Des Moines—a heavy cruiser like the Salem—was moved from the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard to Brownsville, Texas to be scrapped.

Condon contacted Rod Spear, of the Navy's Ship Material Donation Manager of the Inactive Ships Office, in Washington, D.C. who helped secure the anchor for him. **Free!**

They got the use of a crane to remove the anchor from the Des Moines and store it in the City of Philadelphia's storage yard at the shipyard. **Free!**

The manager of the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard helped get permission for the storage in the city's portion of the shipyard. **Free!**

That office also put Condon in contact with a crane company that services the shipyard. The company lifted the anchor from the Des Moines and moved it to the storage area. **Free!**

The crane company later also placed the anchor on a trailer truck bed to be transported to Quincy. **Free!**

J.A. Miara Transportation of Wilmington provided the truck service from Philadelphia to Quincy. **Free!**

Middlesex Corporation, who built the new Fore River Bridge, removed the anchor from the truck bed and is storing it next to the USS Salem. **Free!**

And Middlesex Corporation and Jay Cashman are



MIKE CONDON, executive director of the USS Salem Naval Shipbuilding Museum, stands inside the anchor of the Salem's sister ship, the USS Des Moines. Condon is offering the anchor to the city for placement at the Fore River Bridge rotary.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

offering to move the anchor and place it at the rotary. **Free!**

"All of these people who did what they did to get the anchor to Quincy did it as an act of love for the Navy and Quincy's know-how shipbuilding reputation," says Condon.

The new 50-foot flagpole and the anchor would make an appropriate match at the rotary in tribute to the talented workers at the Fore River Shipyard who turned out some of the great fighting ships that helped win World War II. Ships such as the aircraft carrier USS Lexington, the battleship USS Massachusetts, the cruisers USS Quincy and USS Boston, and those destroyers.

And after the war, Fore River built the cruiser USS Long Beach, the first nuclear powered surface ship and the second, the frigate USS Bainbridge. And the Apollo ships that helped man get to the moon. Not to mention those beautiful luxury liners.

Condon is offering the anchor to the city. **Free!**

We hope Mayor William Phelan accepts it as a lasting link and tribute to the Fore River Shipyard and the workers who made Quincy the "Muscle in Uncle Sam's Navy Arm."

Amusement Safety Poster Contest Underway At DPS

The State Department of Public Safety (DPS) is accepting entries for the 2007 Amusement Safety Poster Contest, open to youngsters in Grades 1 through 6 in public, private and home-schooled programs and recreation centers.

Posters will be judged in three groups: Group One for students in the first and second grades; Group Two for those in the third and fourth grades; and Group Three for the fifth and sixth grades.

Prizes will include a \$1,000 US Saving Bonds for

the overall winner, a \$500 bond for each of the group winners, a \$250 bond for each of the second place winners, a \$100 bond for third place, \$50 for fourth place and \$25 for fifth place in each group.

Selected posters will be included in the 2008 Amusement Safety Awareness Calendar produced by the DPS.

The DPS has jurisdiction over licenses and permits for amusement devices in amusement parks and carnivals as well as the large and small inflatables frequently

rented for town fairs and private parties.

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John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

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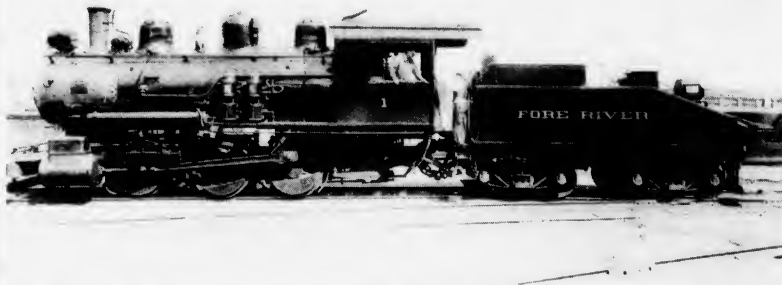
ROSCO: 10 y.o. sweet, cuddly orange and white.

SOPHIA: Playful 3 y.o. tabby.

TELLY: Black and white 1 y.o. Shy, but he loves belly rubs!

(As of Monday, April 2, there were no dogs available for adoption.)

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1920 real photo postcard showing the Fore River Railroad's new ALCO 0-6-0 steam powered switching engine. It was built at the American Locomotive Company plant in Schenectady, N.Y. The founder of the Fore River Shipyard, Thomas Watson, had built the shipyard's railroad in 1903 to carry shipbuilding materials from the Old Colony Railroad's Greenbush Line in Braintree to the Fore River waterfront at Hayward's Creek. It was a private railroad until Bethlehem Steel bought the yard in 1919 and separately incorporated the railroad and its right-of-way as a short haul common carrier. During World War II, the railroad's steam locomotives transported almost a mil-

lion tons of shipbuilding materials to build US Navy ships. After the war, diesels replaced the steam locomotives. And in 1963, the railroad and the shipyard were sold to General Dynamics. The MWRA purchased both properties in 1987 and now leases the 2.7-mile railroad right-of-way to Fore River Transportation, a Twin Rivers Technologies company. Long before Watson opened his shipyard an earlier railroad ran along here. It had been built in the 1850s to carry granite from the nearby Wendall Quarry to Hayward's Creek. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

QHA Director Responds To Koch Criticism

Mayoral challenger, Tommy Koch criticizes the Quincy Housing Authority's response to the hot water system failure at Tobin Towers.

That system, original to the building is more than 30 years old. It has failed three times in the past 15 years. Each time, heating coils and pumps were repaired rather than be replaced.

On Saturday, December 23, 2006, the system once again failed. QHA staff gave up a Christmas holiday weekend day, were called in, and worked up to twelve hours to obtain and connect a temporary hot water heater on an emergency basis to insure the comfort of our residents. Rather than criticize their efforts, I would like to publicly praise Dave Towers,

Paul Radzik, Tom Gorman and Dave Ferris.

The new hot water system, in final design for Tobin Towers, will be paid for by a grant from the Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) and is expected to cost a quarter million dollars.

This new energy efficient gas hot water system will include two heaters and water tanks. This will provide system redundancy so that one burner and tank can continue in operation while the other undergoes routine maintenance.

This will result in greater system reliability. It is expected to reduce utility consumption by \$20,000 annually. With reduced maintenance costs factored in, it is

expected to pay for itself with ten years.

DHCD understands the pressing need to complete this project as quickly as possible. The staff resources committed and the fast track assigned to their design staff will shave months off of the usual design, bid, and construction schedule mandated by state law.

In the meantime, QHA staff monitors water temperatures daily. The emergency heater, located in our Clay Street parking lot, is regularly serviced.

We understand that our residents have been inconvenienced during time of extreme cold or high demand. However, water temperatures have continuously exceeded the requirements of the state sanitary code.

On two occasions when the temporary boiler shut down, QHA staff and contractors have responded and made necessary adjustments. System down time has not exceeded several hours.

Under the direction of the Quincy Housing Authority Board, the majority of whom Mr. Koch correctly points out were appointed by Mayor Phelan, a corrective action plan was submitted to the Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) in August, 2005.

Part of that plan called for greater cooperation and communication between QHA staff and DHCD. While many housing offi-

cials across the state have criticized DHCD for level funding operating subsidies for four years, QHA has worked cooperatively with DHCD to identify and prioritize capital needs.

As a result of our efforts, a QHA owned property located in Wollaston/Montclair, housing disabled residents has been transformed from an eye sore into a property praised by neighbors. A QHA owned building, housing a daycare center, has a new roof and heating system. One hundred residential buildings, which house 400 families in Snug Harbor, have new roofs. These cooperative efforts have brought several million dollars of capital improvements to QHA properties.

In the two years since being appointed Executive Director of the Quincy Housing Authority, I've come to know personally many of the wonderful people living in our buildings. I am extremely grateful for the support of our Board of Commissioners, Mayor Phelan and the members of his administration who have always been supportive of our efforts on behalf of public housing residents within the city.

The Quincy Housing Authority takes its responsibilities to its residents seriously and welcomes the opportunity to update your readers of the improvements to its operations.

Joseph A. MacRitchie
Executive Director QHA

Quincy's Yesterdays

Council Looking At Housing Authority Appointment Power

By FRANK McCAULEY

A special committee of the city council will meet to discuss a recommendation that would in effect, make the council the appointing authority for the members of the Quincy Housing Authority.

**This Week
1977
30 Years Ago**

One recommended appointment by Mayor Joseph LaRaia was rejected while a second recommendation was virtually ignored.

The recommendation sprang from the investigations of a council sub-committee chaired by Councillor Daniel G. Raymond, along with Councillors Dennis Harrington and John J. Lydon, Jr.

A screening committee of nine members would be set up to examine qualifications of applicants and make recommendations to mayor.

SHIPYARD EYES DESTROYER CONTRACTS

The Quincy Shipbuilding Division of General Dynamics will bid on a Navy contract to build new DDG-47 guided missile destroyers after plans for the design and an analysis of the first destroyer awarded in a \$1 million naval contract are completed in 10 or 11 months.

"We are hoping for five or six the ships," said Alex Piranian, public relations director.

BROWNELL BILL TO PREVENT QUINCY BAY FILLING APPROVED

The Massachusetts House of Representatives has approved a bill sponsored by Rep. Thomas F. Brownell (D-Quincy) that would prevent the filling of 28 acres of Quincy Bay in order to make the Nut Island Sewerage Treatment Plant a secondary treatment facility.

Brownell said the intent of the bill was to force the Environmental Protection Agency to focus on Deer Island as the site for the secondary treatment facility.

QUINCY-ISMS

The Harborview Residents Committee elected the following individuals to serve on the Board of Directors: **Ellen Neiters, Karen O'Neil, Patricia McCarthy, Wanda Berg, Marie Hagan, Rita Francione, Barbara Hooper, Andrea Lombardi, Antoinette Smith and Diane Fratoilillo.** Colpitts Travel Center, 110 Hancock St., was advertising "Las Vegas Charters to the Stardust Hotel from \$279.95 P/P and the Flamingo Hotel from \$299.95 P/P"... **Judge Albert L. Kramer**, Presiding Justice of Quincy District Court, was planning to speak at the April 21st meeting of the Quincy Historical Society. His topic: "Community Involvement And The Courts"... "**Uncle Roy**" **Rounseville** of Roy's Flowers, 94 Washington St., was advertising potential customers to "Charge your flowers on one of your major credit cards, by phone"... **Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson** celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at Hugo's in Cohasset with members of their family. The couple has one daughter, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild... **Mayor Joseph LaRaia** recently proclaimed Knights of Columbus Day. Attending the proclamation ceremony in addition to LaRaia, a member of the North Quincy K of C, were **City Councillor John Lydon, Jr.**, a Grand Knight of the North Quincy Council and **City Clerk John Gillis**, acting Grand Knight of the Ave Maria Council K of C of West Quincy... **Anthony DeFalco**, director of the Quincy City Hospital, was scheduled to be the guest speaker at the April 19th meeting of the Houghs Neck Community Council... Quincy attorney **George Tull** became the first officially announced candidate for mayor in the 1977 election. Tull, who already has bumper stickers in circulation, noted, "I am in to stay, I am not dropping out"... The Quincy Sun announced a "News carriers Circulation Contest, Grand Prize, a Bianchi 10-Speed Bicycle. To The Newscarer Who Gets The Most New Customers"... Two students from North Quincy High School have won first place awards at the 19th annual South Shore Regional Science Fair held at Bridgewater State College. **Ruth Salonga** won for her project titled: "Protein Concentration" while **Linda Walker** took a first for her "Simulated Proposal for the Prevention of Large Biological Changes in an Ecosystem."

The Opposite Of Love Is Indifference, Not Hate

The opposite of love is not hate, it is indifference.

While I am convinced of the goodwill of the City's Licensing Board, I must say that they have proved themselves to be indifferent to the needs and desires of the great majority of the property owners in the neighborhood of the West Elm Variety store, the congregations of both Union Congregational Church and the Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, Eastern Nazarene College and our Ward Five Councillor, Mr. Doug Gutro.

By granting a beer and wine license to the West Elm

Variety store, they have helped ruin what was once a nice "Mom and Pop" variety store, a place we could send our children.

Everybody knows how good beer and wine is for you. You can ask anyone who attends our Friday night AA group.

Did Quincy really need another outlet for alcohol? The City's Licensing Board voted 3 to 1 to lower the quality of life for the West Elm Avenue community and, by extension, the quality of life for us all.

John Swanson, Pastor
Union Cong. Church

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



PRIZE-WINNING SCULPTOR Dan Myers (left) helps his student Julie Poorman complete her first sculpture project through a class sponsored by the Quincy Art Association.



MARILYN REISBERG of the Quincy Art Association puts the finishing touches on her first sculpture, the head and shoulders of volunteer model Donna Teed who stands to the right of the bust. Nancy Santry Photos

Six Local Artists Learning Clay Portrait Sculpture

Quincy can now boast six budding sculptors who are "progressing magnificently," in their new art form, according to their instructor, award-winning sculptor Dan Myers of the Quincy Art Association.

Myers is nearly finished teaching his latest 8-week intensive course in realistic clay portrait sculpture to the six local residents, Julie Poorman, Marilyn Reisberg, Fred Costello, Karen Giovaniello, Mridu Gupta and Rangana Guha.

"Never have so few learned so much so fast," reports Myers of his current students at the Quincy Art Association. In fact, Myers expects that these students will be more than ready to show their skills as 3-D artists at future Quincy Art Festivals.

During the classes, students focus on model Donna Teed who volunteered to be the subject for the students first try at sculpting.

Students are expected to create a realistic likeness of Teed after studying her face, the architecture of the skull and individual features such as hair, neck and shoulders. Myers guides them through every step and offers a wide range of material on techniques, as well as detailed digital photos of the subject from every angle. He recommends books and articles on contemporary realistic sculpture.

"The ultimate goal is to give beginning sculpture students the confidence to sculpt portraits of their own loved ones and subjects close

to their hearts," according to Myers.

At the last classes, the students will hollow out their clay portrait busts and fire them to permanent terracotta. They will then select their own choice of patina or surface treatment.

Dan Myers is a long-time member of the QAA with over eight first-place awards in sculpture from the Quincy Arts Association and Thomas Crane Library show. He had a one-man show at the Crane Library in 2006 and, more recently, at the Art Treasure Gallery in Weymouth.

A member of the National Sculpture Society, Crane is also an alumnus and exhibitor at the renowned Lyme Academy of fine Arts in Old Lyme CT.

World War I Peacemaking Topic Of Library Film Series

Part five of the free six-part film viewing and discussion series "The World War I Years: America Becomes a World Power, will be offered Tuesday, April 17, at 7 p.m.

at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The fifth session, called "Peacemaking," will look at President Woodrow Wilson's attempt to broker a peace settlement that would recast the political world and make future wars impossible.

Events covered include negotiation of the League of Nations provisions, the huge reparations exacted from Germany in the Treaty of Versailles and Wilson's battle with the Senate over the Treaty and the League.

Newbury College Professor of History Dan Green will present a lecture followed by a documentary screening and discussion. No registration is required and participants are welcome to attend one, some or all the sessions.

The series is made possible by National Video Resources and is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Library.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

Senior Bridge Club To Meet

The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy

Shore Drive, corner of Channing Street. All level players are welcome.

For further information, call 617-376-1506.

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SOCIAL

Wollaston, Houghs Neck, Squantum Garden Clubs Joint Meeting April 19

The Wollaston Garden Club will host a joint meeting with the Squantum and Houghs Neck Garden Clubs on Thursday, April 19 in the Wollaston Congregational Church.

The featured speaker, Norma Jane Langford, will offer a presentation entitled, "Sassy, Classy Grasses."

In addition, the Wollaston Club has scheduled its annual plant sale on Saturday, May 19 from 9 a.m. to Noon at Wollaston Congregational Church.

Cynthia

Antonopolous is coordinating the sale.

At its March meeting, Jill Carter, Senior Associate at Boston's Museum of Fine Arts, outlined the museum's 31-year-old program entitled, "Art in Bloom."

Through that program, garden club members use a floral arrangement to interpret an art object from the museum's collection. The art object is chosen and assigned by the museum's staff

Only garden clubs recognized by the Garden Club

Federation of Massachusetts may participate in the "Art in Bloom" program. Once approved, each club selects two members to represent them in the "Art in Bloom" program. This year, Cynthia Antonopolous and Pat Artis will represent the Wollaston Garden Club.

Anita Fasano served as hostess with the aid of volunteers. Liz Adamson provided the floral arrangement for the meeting. Contact Jan Clifford at 617-471-4635 for additional information.

Amy Wysocki Engaged To Tom Satkevich

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown of Quincy announce the engagement of her daughter, Amy Wysocki to Tom Satkevich, both of Quincy. Mr. Satkevich is the son of Leslie and Thomas Satkevich, also of Quincy.

Ms. Wysocki graduated from Quincy High School Class of 1996, Quincy College in 2001 with an associate's degree in Nursing and Curry College with a bachelor of arts in nursing in 2005. She is employed at Childrens Hospital in Boston.

Mr. Satkevich graduated from Boston College High School Class of 1964 and Stonehill College in 2001. He is employed as Eascare LLC in Boston.

A September wedding is planned.

Applications Available For Bernazzani Book Awards

Alumni of the Charles A. Bernazzani Elementary School, planning to attend college, may apply for one of two \$300 Book Awards. Qualified applicants must be graduating from high school this year and have been accepted into an accredited institution of higher learning.

Applications are available at the school and at the Guidance Office of Quincy and North Quincy High School. The deadline for applications is Wednesday, May 9. Interested persons may call 617-

984-8713 with any questions.

The winners will be chosen by lottery at the Bernazzani School PTO meeting on Monday, May 21.

Kelly, Jim Goff Parents Of Daughter

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

Kelly and Jim Goff announce the birth of their daughter, Elizabeth Kelly Goff, who was born December 14 at South Shore Hospital. Proud grandparents are Reid and Madelyn Canniff of Quincy and John and Elaine Goff of Hanover.



ELIZABETH KELLY GOFF

Elizabeth Bloomer Recognized For Fight Against Child Labor

Elizabeth Bloomer, who rose from Broad Meadows Middle School to fame as a child labor activist, will be recognized Sunday, April 22, at 2 p.m. at a public reception at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The occasion is publication of a biography of Elizabeth, entitled *Elizabeth Bloomer: Child Labor Activist*, by Jennifer Reed, part of a series called "Young Heroes," that describes her work and encourages all kids to speak out for social change.

It began for Elizabeth in 1994 when Iqbal Masih, a 12-year-old former slave



ELIZABETH BLOOMER from Pakistan, visited the Broad Meadows School to speak to kids his age about his hopes for freedom and education for youngsters everywhere.

Five months after his visit

to Quincy, he was shot and killed in Pakistan, probably for speaking out against child slavery.

Elizabeth and her classmates in Ron Adams' class at Broad Meadows took up Iqbal's fight and raised \$147,000 to build a school in Pakistan in his memory. "We're his voice," Elizabeth said.

Since that time, Elizabeth has continued to work relentlessly on behalf of human rights, speaking before the United Nations and the U.S. Congress and lobbying President Clinton to sign an international treaty against child labor.

Elizabeth, now a senior at Holy Cross College in Worcester, will speak about her work at the reception and copies of her biography will be available for sale, provided by Barnes & Noble of Braintree.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.

N.Q. Catholic Women's Club Meets Tonight

The Catholic Women's Club of North Quincy will meet Thursday, April 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the Sacred Heart School Hall on Hancock Street.

Mrs. Kate Shannon will conduct the business meet-

ings. The main topic for discussion will be the upcoming "President's Tea." In addition, Mrs. Ann Egan, Chair for the evening, will hold a penny sale.

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Quincy Girls Scouts Celebrate 90th Anniversary

Quincy Girl Scouts recently kicked off festivities marking its 90th birthday with a ceremony and antique uniform fashion show at the Quincy Historical Society.

Dr. Edward Fitzgerald of the Quincy Historical Society has worked with Quincy Girl Scouts in this regard and has allowed the group to maintain a wonderful display of memorabilia spanning 90 years at the historical society which will remain on display for the public to view through the month of April.

"As the Coordinator of Quincy Girl Scouts, I am proud of the work that is be-

ing done with our girls throughout the community. We currently have nearly 30 troops in the city with nearly 360 active girls and nearly 150 adult volunteers," said Ilda O'Connor, Quincy Girl Scout Coordinator.

Some 112 girls and 30 volunteers participated in the celebration event.

As part of the ceremony, Senior Girl Scout, Emily Histen of troop 4202, was presented with her Silver Award. This prestigious award is the second highest award earned by a Girl Scout for a service to her community. Emily worked with the

Quincy Crisis Center for months and updated their records and helped deal with their food shortage by holding multiple food drives.

Quincy Girl Scouts also has a display of memorabilia spanning many decades at the Adams Shore Branch library for the next several weeks. Festivities and celebrations will continue during the upcoming months.

Another recent event, known as International Thinking Day, focused on Girl Scouts around the world with country displays and food samples from around the world.



GIRLS FROM ALL levels of scouting form the words "Girl Scout" as Ilda O'Connor (front right), Quincy's Girl Scout Coordinator looks on during a recent ceremony at the Quincy Historical Society marking Quincy Girl Scout's 90th year.



ANTIQUE UNIFORMS are featured during the festivities. From left to right are: Lauren Gambon of Junior troop 4107 wearing a modern uniform; Cindy Leary Leader of troop 4203 (sporting a uniform from 1953); Camille Mullaney of troop 4200 (sporting a Brownie uniform from 1973); Amanda Flores of troop 4107 (wearing a Junior uniform from 1969); and Caroline McBride of troop 4107 (wearing a uniform from 1950).



DR. EDWARD FITZGERALD and Junior Leader Cindy Leary check out flags before the Flag Ceremony at the Quincy Girl Scouts 90th Celebration at the Quincy Historical Society.



FROM LEFT: Ilda O'Connor, Quincy Girl Scout Coordinator, Carla O'Connor, Gold Award Candidate and member of troop 4202 and Margaret Johnson, Quincy Girl Scouts assistant coordinator, assist with the festivities.



ELAINE HARASKA, music coordinator, leads Girl Scouts in song. Troop Banners are displayed in the background.



MULTI-GENERATIONS of Girl Scouts: from left to right are: Erika Histen of Junior troop 4509; her sister, Emily Histen, Silver Award Recipient of Senior troop 4202; the girls' mother, Caroline Histen, assistant leader of Junior troop 4509; and Caroline's mother, Judy Morash, Leader of troop 4202.



CELEBRATING THE QUINCY Girl Scouts 90th anniversary at festivities at the Quincy Historical Society are back row from left: Carla O'Connor of Senior troop 4202; Emily Histen, Silver Award Recipient and member of troop 4202; Michelle Theberge, Chairperson of Quincy's GS 90th; Dr. Edward Fitzgerald of the Quincy Historical Society. Front row from left: Brownie girls from troop 4582, Lucia Buzzell and Clare Doherty.

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Rotary Club Auction Raises Over \$50,000 For Scholarships



ROTARY CLUB PRESIDENT Walter White, Vice President Robert Kachinsky and President-elect Richard Barry were all smiles at the success of the Kids Classic Auction at the Quincy Neighborhood Club that raised over \$50,000 for the club's scholarship program and charities.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



A BRICK FROM Fenway Park autographed by former pitcher Luis Tiant brought a bid of \$1,000 at the Quincy Rotary Club Kids Classic Auction. From the left are Tom Galvin, Quincy historian; auctioneer Dan Flynn, real estate developer; Atty. Richard Barry, auction committee chairman; Tiant, a Milton resident and Bob Galligan, Best Western Adams Inn, holding the brick.



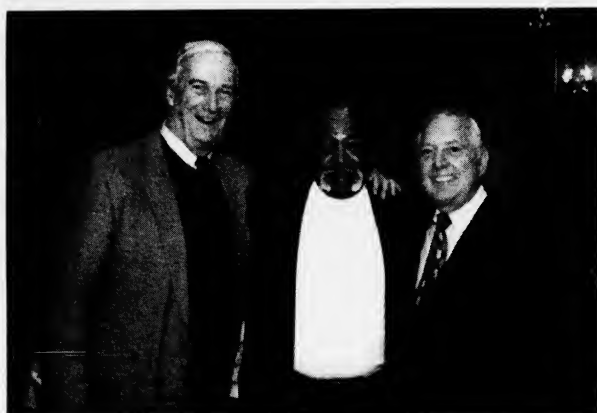
BANK OF CANTON was well represented at the auction by, (foreground) Nancy Flynn (right) and Kathy Sharry and clockwise, John Farmer, Judy Farmer, Ned Gaughan, Kathy Gaughan, John McCarthy and John Sharry.



SEAN GALVIN, former president of Quincy 2000 Collaborative and his wife, Kathy with Luis Tiant.



JOSEPH PALUMBO, Hancock TV & Appliance and Jay Asher, former owner of WJDA confer on a bid.



LUIS TIANT with Stan Abrams and Peter O'Connell, Marina Bay Company.



LUIS TIANT donated two boxes of El Tiante cigars for the auction. Here he signs his name and Red Sox uniform No. 23 on a box won by Caryn Smith.



ENJOYING THE FESTIVITIES were Paul and Janet Sturman of Frantic Farmers and Marilyn Reisberg, Quincy Art Association.

AvalonBay Withdraws Permit For 146 Units Off Falls Boulevard

By LAURA GRIFFIN

AvalonBay Communities, Inc. Monday withdrew its application for a Special Permit to build 146 units on 14 acres off Falls Boulevard, Quincy Point.

Now, that \$10 million property will be on the first-round list for consideration as Open Space by the Community Preservation Committee as both the mayor and the City Council will recommend that the AvalonBay property be reviewed by the Committee.

The proposed project would have been accessed through AvalonBay's nearby 171-unit complex completed in 2002. However, that access could not have been approved without a second Special Permit, according to legal opinions presented March 26 to the City Council.

AvalonBay chose to withdraw its application through a letter dated April 9 from its attorney Robert J. Fleming.

Acting as the city's Special Permit Granting Authority, the City Council unanimously approved the developer's withdrawal without prejudice.

Such action designated as "without prejudice" could allow AvalonBay to refile within two years.

Before the vote on the permit, Fleming told the City Council, "We spent the last three years working on this project." Fleming then cited the developer's excellent reputation and their other successful projects in Quincy. "They've had a wonderful record in our city. I would have liked to fight right to the end."

"The mayor opposed this from the start," Fleming said. However, the property

will now be considered by the Conservation Preservation Committee (CPC) due to a motion initiated by Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymondi and supported in a statement issued April 10 by Mayor William Phelan who wants the property designated as "Open Space."

After the meeting, Bill McLaughlin, senior vice president of AvalonBay, said that the property is valued at roughly \$10 million.

The council accepted Raymondi's motion to recommend the AvalonBay parcel to the Conservation Preservation Committee but only after considerable debate and only after the wording was rephrased and limited by Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin and Councillor John Keenan.

Raymondi's motion originally directed the mayor, City Council and CPC to negotiate for the purchase of the property immediately or "forthwith." However, several councillors objected to having the Falls Boulevard property seemingly pushed to the head of the CPC list.

Raymondi said he wanted to get the AvalonBay property "in on the first wave of parcels, one of many. It doesn't mandate anything."

"This is one of the problems we're going to run into," Keenan said, noting that several properties across the city are in imminent danger of being developed and are being considered for preservation while the CPC has a limited amount of money.

On Tuesday, Ward 4

Councillor Jay Davis, a member of the Preservation Committee, estimated that the city's Conservation Preservation Committee expects a little more than \$1 million from city taxpayers this year along with a matching grant of \$1 million from the state's conservation trust.

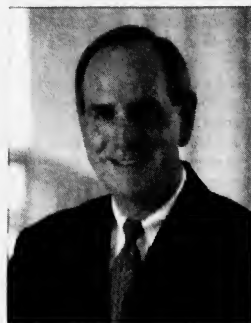
Both Keenan and Ward 1 Councillor Leo J. Kelly cited the "Cobblestone" project on Sea Street where the land has been considered a top choice for the city's conservation trust project. Keenan said the committee needs to have a variety of choices.

Raymondi countered that there was "no mandate here" in his motion that required the Committee to choose AvalonBay's acreage. He said of the CPC Committee, "You can't just give them one parcel."

Council President Douglas Gutro agreed, "I want this on the table for the Community Preservation Committee to consider."

Raymondi's four part motion, also, included recommendations by the City Council that the Traffic Department, the Commissioner of Public Works and the mayor take whatever measures are required to achieve the following:

- Accept Falls Boulevard as a public way
 - Analyze the safety and traffic conditions at the intersection of Falls Boulevard and Quincy Avenue and improve such conditions
 - Develop an emergency access road on city-owned property from Falls Boulevard to Quincy Avenue.
- Councillors supported the full motion.



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A springtime greeting from the campus of UMass Boston. I hope you are enjoying, as I am, the return of warm weather and outdoor activities.

I'm pleased to tell you that Massachusetts Governor Deval Patrick will deliver the keynote address at our 39th commencement ceremony on Friday, June 1, when nearly 2,800 undergraduate and graduate students will receive their degrees. Governor Patrick will be recognized for his leadership at the top levels of business, government, and the nonprofit sector. We look forward to welcoming Governor Patrick back to our campus, where his presence will honor our new graduates on this important day in their lives. Other commencement honorees will be announced at a later date.

The governor is a fitting choice to address our graduates. He has made finding common ground a priority for his administration and the Commonwealth. A widely held view is that our campus is itself an indispensable common ground—a place where the interests of the city and the region are researched and debated along with our own; where elected officials, community groups, business leaders, and citizens come together to share ideas about public affairs; and where these efforts are celebrated and rewarded in a very visible manner.

At UMass Boston, common ground is achieved in different ways and with different resources. One of those resources is our state-of-the-art Campus Center, which offers a magnificent setting for university-related activities and events of interest to the general public. On April 11, for example, the Campus Center will be the site of a special reception—open to all—honoring "Brushstroke Group," a new Arts on the Point sculpture by Roy Lichtenstein, a founding father of American pop art. The sculpture is currently on display on the Campus Center lawn.

Finding common ground need not be a strictly local undertaking, however, as members of the UMass Boston community have shown. The twenty-two students in a course taught by longtime Asian American Studies instructor James Bui—a former officer of the Dorchester-based community-development firm Viet-AID, and currently Gulf Coast Regional Director for the National Alliance of Vietnamese American Service Agencies—recently traveled to Louisiana and Mississippi to help in the rebuilding of the Vietnamese communities there.

Clearly, the spirit of cooperation and shared purpose that gives rise to common ground is alive and well at UMass Boston. If you have questions about any university activity or event, please call Gail Hobin, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Community Relations, at 617-287-5310, or visit us online at [HYPERLINK "http://www.umb.edu" www.umb.edu](http://www.umb.edu).



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Global Warming In Spotlight Saturday

Global warming will be in the spotlight Saturday, April 14, when the nation kicks off Earth Week with a series of rallies designed to press Congress for legislation to combat climate change.

The Quincy Environmen-

tal Network (QEN) will start the day with a free tour of the solar panels on the roof of North Quincy High School at 12 noon.

"The 1350 plus events in cities across the country April 14 are meant to send a

clear signal to Congress that citizens are serious and feel a sense of urgency about global warming," said Ward 3 City Councillor Kevin Coughlin.

After the tour, the group will travel via public transportation to join similar groups from other communities in a rally on Boston Common.

Participants will form a human chain to show the anticipated location of the waterfront by the year 2050 if steps are not taken soon to curb human disposal of carbon into the atmosphere.

The QEN group will meet in the front lobby of North Quincy High School to visit the rooftop and learn about Quincy's efforts to curb climate change and show support for similar legislation.

After 26 Years, New Owners For Finian's Pub

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

It was once known as the "Oyster House" but for the past 26 years it was the popular restaurant Finian's Pub at 1657 Hancock St. owned by Jim Hession.

Although there are new owners, the name will remain the same.

On Tuesday, the License Board granted a common victualer, all alcoholic license to new owners Eleftherios Georgiadis and Virginia Spyridopoulos. They also received a cabaret license.

Atty. Jon D. Aieda, representing the new owners said both have had several years experience in the restaurant business with establishments both in Boston and Mattapan.

Aieda said the new owners are "looking forward to taking over" since it is a "great location" and said they will continue the restaurant's "great tradition."

He added that the menu will remain the same and that they plan to keep all of the present employees.

Chairman Joseph Shea said he can't remember that

Hession and Finian's ever had "anything negative said about the them."

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele said Hession was a "great owner" had a good reputation, and always kept the front of the building beautiful with "flowers and flower boxes."

Aieda said that no renovations are planned and that the restaurant will open under new management as soon as they receive approval from the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission. (ABCC).

Quincy Named 'Tree City USA' For 11th Consecutive Year

The National Arbor Day Foundation has recognized Quincy as a "Tree City USA" for the 11th consecutive year.

The designation is awarded to communities that plant new trees and maintain their urban forests.

"We understand that the quality of Quincy's neighborhoods is due in large part to our tree-lined streets," said Mayor William Phelan. "For the first-time in recent memory, we included a line-item in our City budget for

the planting of new trees. I thank the Council for their support and hope we can continue to work together to keep our neighborhoods looking great."

Tree planting and maintenance were issues raised through the City's "Neighborhoods First!" surveys. The City initiated a tree-planting contract last fall that will continue into the spring.

"Trees in our cities and towns help clean the air, moderate temperature and bring mature into our daily

lives," said John Rosenow, President of the National Arbor Day Foundation. "Tree City USA designation recognizes the work of elected officials, staff and citizens who plant and care for the community forest."

The Tree USA program is sponsored by The National Arbor Day Foundation in cooperation with the National Association of State Foresters and the USDA Forest Service.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person payable at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

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FOOT NOTES

by Joel Chariton, D.P.M.
Diplomate, American Board of Podiatric Surgery
Diplomate, American Board of Podiatric Orthopedics



FOOT FACTS

The foot is a complicated structure composed of 26 bones, 33 joints, 107 ligaments, and 19 muscles and tendons. Both feet account for 25% of all the body's bones. About 75% of Americans will experience some foot health issue in their lifetimes, and women are four times more likely than men to have foot troubles. The feet also tend to mirror a person's general health. Systemic diseases such as arthritis, diabetes, and nerve and circulatory disorders often first make themselves known in the feet. Very few people inherit foot problems. Most foot problems are the result of neglect and improper foot care. General wear and tear also plays a role, which is why older individuals have more foot challenges.

The components of the foot

are designed to work together, sharing the tremendous pressures of day-to-day living. When they don't work properly, though, it can cause pain and other troubles for the rest of the body, and it's time to get help. We are committed to taking care of those 26 bones, 33 joints, 107 ligaments, and 19 muscles and tendons we mentioned above, and we offer comprehensive foot care at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING. Office hours are also available at Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building, Suite 221. Please call 781-986-3668 for an appointment.

HINT: Ankle sprains and strains are the most common foot injury.

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Miriam Joseph photo

Atria Marina Place Hosting Safe Driving Course

The Atria Marina Place will host a two-day course entitled "Safe Driving Course for the Mature Driver" on Thursday, May 17 and Thursday, May 24 from 10 a.m. to

2:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided. The Atria is located at 4 Seaport Drive.

Interested persons may register through the Quincy Council on Aging at 617-

376-1506. The fee of \$10 per person for the full course must be paid in advance with checks payable to AARP.

Scholarship Requests Are Ready At Wollaston School

Applications are available for two \$200 Book Award Scholarships offered by the Wollaston School PTO to any high school senior who graduated from the Wollaston School who plans to further his or her education.

The application forms may be picked up at the guid-

ance offices at Quincy and North Quincy High Schools and at the Wollaston School.

Completed applications should be submitted to Principal Susan Troy at the Wollaston School, 205 Beale St., Quincy 02170, by Friday, April 27. The winners will be chosen at the May 21 PTO meeting and notified by mail.

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Registrations are now being accepted for the 10th annual Quincy Lions Club Run/Walk for Sight, to be held Saturday, April 21 at Pageant Field.

Those who wish to pre-register for the 5K race may do so online at www.quincylions.org. Participants may also pre-register by mailing a check payable to Quincy Lions Club to: Quincy Lions Club, P.O. Box 27, Quincy, MA 02170. Attn: Run/Walk. Registrants should include their name, address and age (for race categories). The registration fee is \$20 for adults (\$17 for those who pre-register) and \$5 for the children's 1K race.

Day-of-race registration will begin at 9 a.m., followed by the children's 1K race at 10:30 a.m. The adult 5K run/walk-which is on a course certified by U.S. Track & Field-begins at 11 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded to race winners in a number of categories, and the first 200 registrants will receive a free race T-shirt.

Following the race, the Outback Steakhouse will provide a barbecue buffet luncheon for all participants. The event also will feature a DJ, prize raffles and the Lions Club Eyemobile, which will provide free vision, hearing and blood pressure screenings to attendees.

"The Run/Walk for Sight is a fun event for the whole family," said Lions Club President Elaine duJardin, who noted that sponsors of this year's Run/Walk include the Outback Steakhouse, Eastern Bank Charitable Foundation, Cerebral Palsy-Fiscal Intermediary and numerous local businesses.

"The local community has been very supportive of the Lions Club's efforts to

help blind and visually impaired individuals, and we hope everyone will come out and enjoy this fun and worthwhile event," she said.

Proceeds from the Run/Walk benefit eye research and the Quincy Lions Club's community service activities, including providing free eye exams and free eyeglasses for local residents in need, offering free vision and health screenings, providing college scholarships to local high school students and more.

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SEANTOR MICHAEL MORRISSEY talks with Quincy's Mary Ainsley after meeting with the City Council Monday. In the center is Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly. State Representatives Ron Mariano and Steve Tobin joined Morrissey in updating councillors on legislative issues.

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Legislators Predict \$1M In New Aid But Grim Future

(Cont'd From Page 1)

homeowners. Mariano warned that legislators will likely slash the water and sewer rate relief monies.

In the past, state legislators earmarked as much as \$25 million to pay portions of the Metropolitan Water Resource Authority (MWRA) debt, which is otherwise, paid through water and sewer bills in the MWRA region. That's not likely to be the case this year.

"Rate relief will probably be less than last year," said Mariano who called the reduction "a hit directly to homeowners. That's a hard one to take."

The city's legislators and councillors then explored potential income sources for the state from casinos to hotel and meals tax as well as savings through the state health insurance program.

Morrissey believes that gaming is a likely income source in the future.

While it's not the best avenue, it will "keep revenue in the Commonwealth," Morrissey said. He quoted sources indicating that more people and more cars from Massachusetts visit Connecticut casinos than from any other state, including

Connecticut.

"We're going to have to come to grips with it. We're surrounded by it," said Morrissey who also pointed out that two Massachusetts Wompanog tribes (Gay Head and Mashpee) are already laying the groundwork for gambling outlets. State revenues would be in the hundreds of millions of dollars.

However, councillors and legislators did discuss meals and hotel taxes as well as a tax on telephone poles.

Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis described his recent trip to Florida and said that taxing the tourist is one of the smartest routes to revenue.

"We are looking for more balanced ways to increase revenues," Mariano said, adding, "It's going to come from the growth of jobs. We can't tax our way out of this."

As for new industry, Mariano said that the state will have to change its image. "We're trying to attract industry."

Mariano said he's been meeting with business leaders from across the country while exploring options for the Fore River property.

"They (business leaders) are deathly afraid of Massachusetts. Some years, we are pro-business; some years, we're not."

Mariano cited the state's missteps on movie production that damaged its image. "We could be the Culver City of the East."

As for saving on local expenditures, Mariano outlined the process whereby a

city or town could join the state's group health insurance program (G.I.C.). Once membership is approved, a city or town could save 20% to 25% of its employee health insurance costs.

In order to join, Mariano said that every union in the city must agree to join the state program by a 70% majority vote. Then the city council and mayor must approve.

However, Mariano cautioned, "The G.I.C. plan is cheaper and it's cheaper for a reason. There are fewer things in it. It comes at a price." Mariano described his own experience when his health insurance was downsized and concluded, "There is no magic bullet."

Councillors also raised issues such as the completion of the Wollaston Beach project, the fire truck for Rescue One, and the commuter rail.

Council President Doug Gutro of Ward 5 and Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee asked for a status report on the Wollaston Beach rehabilitation.

Morrissey said the current contractor for Wollaston Beach is already a week and a half behind this spring and he's likely not to win a state contract again. However, he said that there is progress.

"We check weekly. We don't wait it done," said Morrissey.

Councillors thanked the legislators for their efforts on behalf of the city, in particular, their efforts in winning the debt relief for Quincy Medical Center.

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Mount Wollaston Cemetery Walking Tour April 28

Quincy historian Tom Galvin will lead a Walking Tour of Mount Wollaston Cemetery Saturday, April 28 at 1 p.m.

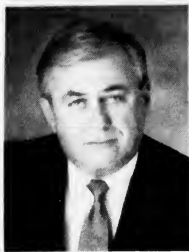
The tour will focus on the graves of leaders of Quincy's granite industry, Quincy mayors, civic leaders, notable granite monuments and other historical highlights.

Those participating in the tour are asked to meet at the Greenleaf Street Gate on the Southern Artery.

Rain date is Sunday, April 29 at 1 p.m.

Ryan Feldhoff On Dean's List At Connecticut College

Ryan Feldhoff of Quincy has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Connecticut College in New London, Conn.



TOM GALVIN

Feldhoff, a junior, achieved Dean's Honors for earning a grade point average of at least 3.3

Police Union Protests Transfer From Personnel Account

Transferring \$46,500 from the police personnel account to Current Expenses is "yet another slap in the face" to the city's 150 plus patrol officers, according to the two top officers of the Quincy police patrolmen's union.

Despite the protest, the City Council this week officially approved the transfer by an 8-1 vote, the same vote taken on March 26 when the Finance Committee approved the transfer.

"We register our vehement protest to the request of Chief Crowley to transfer \$46,500 from the

police personnel account (manpower) to a shadowy, vague description that includes 'professional services,'" wrote Bruce Tait and Terrence Downing, president and vice-president, respectively, of the Quincy Police Officers' Association, in a letter to Ward 2 Councillor Daniel G. Raymond.

The patrolmen's union has repeatedly called for chief Crowley's ouster.

In their letter dated March 27, Tait and Donovan asked City Councillors to reject Police Chief Robert Crowley's request for a

transfer of funds from the Personnel Account. The Finance Committee had approved the transfer on March 26 but the City Council scheduled the official vote this week.

Just prior to the Council's official vote on the transfer, Raymond read the union's March 27 letter to his fellow Councillors. Raymond opposed the transfer of funds. In both instances, Raymond said that the funds could be transferred from the city's Free Cash account.

Tait and Downing also

described their disappointment in the general apathy of most of the city council concerning the dangerous staffing levels we are forced to work under."

Raymond also outlined an incident in which he said that police failed to arrest a suspect because there were not enough officers on duty to execute the transfer of the individual.

Councillors asked Raymond to provide documentation of the incident at the next Public Safety meeting.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

• Allowed a change of managers at Wollaston Supreme Liquors, 615 Hancock St. from Mary O'Connell to Steven Wilkinson.

• Continued until April 24 a request from Alfredo's, 75 Franklin St. for a change of manager from Ekaterini Koumentakos to John Hughes, Jr. Chairman Joseph Shea read a letter from Christian Hauffler, Jr. counsel for Koumentakos. Hauffler asked for a continuation because he was unable to be present at Tuesday's meeting.

• Continued a hearing regarding the transfer of stock, new officers and directors and a change of manager at Honey Cafe, Inc., 217 Quincy Ave. Andrea Kor, Paralegal.

• Granted a beer and wine license to Suresh Chabria,

doing business as Chab's Daily Mart, 291 Quincy Ave. Atty. Stephen J. McGrath, counsel for Chabria said he has been in that location for more than 20 years and known as "law abiding." The vote was unanimous.

• Resolved a hearing regarding complaints about Furnace Brook Golf Club, Summit Ave. Shea said the problem had been solved with some "physical changes," and added they "look forward to a successful year."

• Continued until April 24 a hearing regarding a request of Right Deal, Inc. 451 Quincy Ave., Antwane Ahelo, manager for a Motor II, Used Car License. The property is owned by Harvey Kertzman. The board questioned the amount of used cars on the property.

• Continued until May 1 a hearing regarding violations at Sarsfield's, 1464 Hancock St. March 18 for the sale or delivery to an intoxicated person.

• Granted a one day permit to Kathleen Dolaher, for a Dog Romp at Faxon Park from 1 to 3 p.m. April 29. Hot dogs and burgers will be served. The dogs have to be four months or older and already have had their vaccinations.

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Phelan Backs Open Space As Avalon Withdraws

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owners of the property at 271 Sea Street, known as the "Cobblestone" property.

"We have already undertaken the largest open space

acquisition effort in City history with the hotel/motel tax money three years ago," Phelan said. "Now we have a golden opportunity to add to our open space inventory

and protect our local environment with the community preservation funds. Our city continues to make significant improvements to the quality of life in our great city."

Locations Studied For City's First Dog Park

Approximately 100 people showed up to discuss Mayor William Phelan's efforts to create the city's first dog park.

The meeting was held last week at the Park and Recreation Complex.

Phelan issued a survey to all licensed dog owners, soliciting their input on locations, amenities, and all other issues surrounding a dog park. Close to 500 surveys were returned.

"I want to thank all the dog owners that took the time to respond to the survey and/or attend the meeting," said Phelan. "By working together we can best meet the needs of our city's 3,000 plus dog owners and their dogs. I am hopeful that we will have a new facility ready for this summer."

A working group of dog

owners will continue to meet with the staff of the mayor's office and the Park Department to identify specific locations and design the park areas.

"The new dog park(s) will also benefit other park users, especially youth sports groups," Phelan said. "If we had conflicting uses with other groups, such as la-

crosse versus baseball, we would address it just like we are with the dog issue. By giving each use its specific location, we can better mitigate conflicts and allow for more enjoyable usage from all groups."

For more information, call the Park Department at 617-376-1254.

8 Residents On Dean's List At Wentworth Institute

Eight Quincy residents were recently named to the Dean's List at Wentworth Institute of Technology for the Fall, 2007 semester.

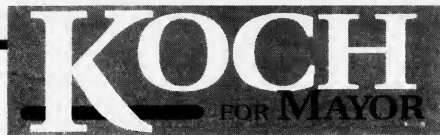
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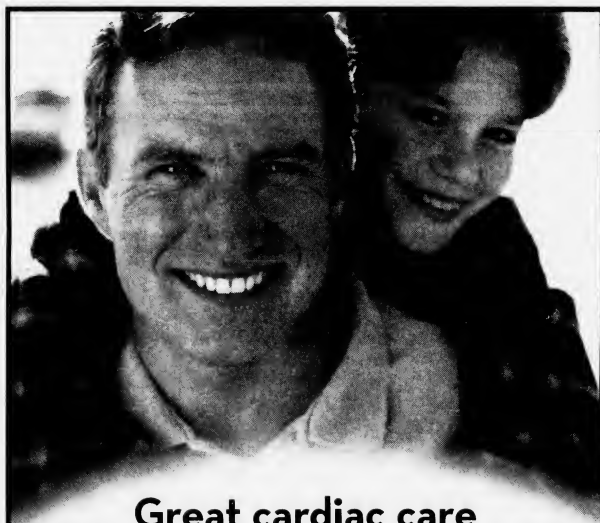
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Lawn Tips

Ways to Keep A Lawn Weed-Free

(NAPS) – A beautiful, weed-free lawn takes more than a few rounds with the lawn mower and some wishful thinking. Knowing what type of lawn you have and giving it the proper care can make a big difference. Getting rid of the weeds is critical, as they compete with the grass for nutrients.

The good news is that going weed-free is not as tedious or time-consuming as you might think. No matter where you live, you don't have to memorize "the list" of hundreds of broadleaf and grassy weeds to get rid of

them, says Bayer Advanced Garden Expert Lance Walheim, who co-wrote the "Lawn Care for Dummies."

He offers these tips for stopping and preventing weeds in your lawn:

1. Know your grass type. Different lawn grasses grow in different regions of the country, and knowing which type you have is important. For instance, if you live in the Northeast, cool-season grasses like tall fescue, rye and Kentucky bluegrass grow well. In the Deep South, warm-season grasses such as Bermuda

grass, centipede and St. Augustine grass are best adapted.

But even within the grass types, there are varieties that resist specific pest problems. If you don't know what type of grass you have, take a sample to a local nursery or your local county extension office for identification.

2. Build up your lawn's overall health. Fertilize cool-season lawns in fall and spring. Feed warm-season lawns from late spring into summer. Water regularly during dry spells and mow at the appropriate height for your lawn type. In spring and fall, rake leaves to help the lawn "breathe"

3. Select the right products to treat your weeds. For cool-season or Bermuda grass lawns, apply Bayer Advanced All-in-One Weed Killer for Lawns. It kills more than 200 types of broadleaf weeds like dandelions and clover, plus grassy weeds such as crabgrass, in one step.

Most other weed control brands require two products to do the same thing. A new product, Bayer Advanced All-in-One Weed & Crabgrass Killer, is the first to control lawn weeds and crabgrass simply through attaching the bottle to your hose and spraying. For St. Augustine grass, use Bayer Advanced Southern Weed Killer for Lawns on broadleaf weeds like dandelions and dollarweed.

Bayer Advanced products are available in major garden retailers and independent garden shops across the United States. To learn more, visit www.bayeradvanced.com or call (877) BAYERAG.

INTS FOR HOMEOWNERS

Saving The Trees Before An Insect Attack

(NAPS) – Homeowners who care about their trees may want to protect them from the insects that are making waves across the country, killing millions of gorgeous trees.

- The emerald ash borer has killed 20 million ash trees across the Midwest. Iowa is now threatened and the insect has entered Maryland.

- A small aphidlike insect, the hemlock woolly adelgid, has killed millions of Eastern hemlock trees in a least 11 Eastern states from North Carolina to southern New England.

- Japanese beetles still cost the plant industry hundreds of millions of dollars each year, eating tree and shrub leaves and grass roots. Infestations are reported in Eastern states and as far west as Iowa and Missouri.

"It can cost hundreds of dollars to cut down just one tree that's destroyed by

insects," said Lance Walheim, Bayer Advanced Garden Expert and co-author of "Landscaping for Dummies." "Prevention will save you a lot of money in the long run."

To help fight the spread of all dangerous tree-eating insects, consider the following tips:

- Learn to identify tree-eating insects. Do Internet research, contact a tree or shrub expert at your local nursery or call an agricultural extension agent in your area so you know what to look for.

- Examine trees regularly. Signs of trouble include dead or dying limbs, poorly colored or eaten leaves, a thinning canopy or a trunk and main scaffold branches oozing plant sap.

- Take preventative measures. Bayer Advanced offers two solutions for your consideration: 12 Month Tree & Shrub Insect Control and 12 Month Tree & Shrub

Protect & Feed-both contain Merit and are no-spray, preventive solutions.

Mix 12-Month Tree & Shrub Insect Control in a watering can and pour at the base of a tree. Or sprinkle granules of 12-Month Tree & Shrub Protect & Feed around the base of the tree. Both products are absorbed through the roots and move through the tree, protecting it against a long list of insects. One application protects for up to 12 months.

For every bottle of Bayer Advanced Tree & Shrub Insect Control purchased in spring 2007, Bayer Advanced in partnership with the National Arbor Day Foundation, will donate one tree to restore U.S. national forests.

You can learn more by visiting www.bayeradvanced.com, calling (877) BAYERAG or visiting the Arbor Day Foundation website at www.arborday.org.

Michael Scott Joins Conway Quincy Office

Michael Scott of Braintree has joined the Quincy office of Jack Conway & Co. Realtors as a sales agent.

Scott recently completed training in the "Conway College of Real Estate Knowledge," the company's in-house real estate education program.

He is a member of the Toastmasters Club of Weymouth, and is in the process of starting up a non-profit energy company, which should be up and running later this year.

Previously, Scott worked in steam engineering, commercial refrigeration, and retail management. He is a



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graduate of Northeastern University with a B.S. in chemistry.

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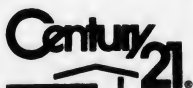
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Spring Allergens And Gardens

(NAPS) – As spring arrives, gardeners everywhere anxiously await the first day the can gather their tools and head out to the yard to bring their flowers and plants back to life. For millions of Americans who consider gardening a hobby or a vocation, a day spent outside with the flowers provides unmatched relaxation, enjoyment and beauty. However, for those sensitive to common allergens, watching the flowers bloom through itchy, irritated eyes can turn gardening from pleasure to misery.

Ragweed, pollen and other allergens become plentiful in the spring, and

the millions of Americans who suffer from itchy eyes often find the season of renewal one where they are forced to stay indoors.

With a little bit of precaution and common sense, even those most sensitive to spring allergens can enjoy the pleasure of their gardens from the outside. Here are some tips:

- Pay attention to the pollen forecast and learn your specific triggers. No two people are exactly the same, so the more you know about specific triggers, the better you can prepare.

- Avoid interrupting your activities to apply drops to itchy eyes. Get long-lasting relief for itchy eyes by choosing an eyedrop that provides 12-hour relief.

- Don't cross your fingers and hope for the best. If the count is high and you want to be outside, prepare in advance.

- Don't overuse medications. Most antihistamine eyedrops also contain a decongestant that constricts the vessels in the eye to reduce the appearance of redness. However, these products may cause a rebound effect, leaving you with red eyes for a time after you stop using them.

Fortunately for gardeners who suffer from eye itch, there is a new tool for their gardening kits. The Food and Drug Administration recently approved prescription Zaditor (ketotifen fumarate ophthalmic solution) for over-the-counter (OTC) use to treat eye itch. Available at drug and chain stores nationwide, Zaditor does not include a decongestant, works for 12 hours (longer than existing OTC product) and has been found safe for use in children as young as 3. Zaditor has triple-action formula that treats the source of the itch, so gardeners can stay outdoors longer without itchy irritation.

"The garden is certainly a hot spot for eye itch due to common allergens," says Marguerite McDonald, M.D., F.A.C.S., Ophthalmic Consultants of Long Island. "With today's treatments, itchy eyes do not have to prevent people from participating in any of the outdoor activities that they love. Particularly now that Zaditor is sold over the counter, green thumbs can easily grab quick, long-lasting relief and get back in the garden."



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THIS IS A HAMMER

By Samantha Mazzotta

Carpet Won't Lie Flat

Q. The wall-to-wall carpet in our condo has developed several small raised humps in the middle of each room. What would have caused this, and how can I get the carpet to lie flat again? — *Lawrence C., Watertown, Mass.*

A. Newly installed carpeting has a tendency to stretch a bit, and everyday traffic shifts that carpeting around and creates ripples, or bumps. Improperly installed carpeting may also do this. If the carpeting was recently installed, contact the installation company. Most installers will correct any issues or re-stretch the carpet within a certain time frame.

If this is not possible, re-stretch the carpet yourself. You'll need a couple of tools to do this properly: a sharp utility knife, a wide putty knife and a knee-kicker. This aptly named tool, available at carpet-supply stores or equipment rental centers, grips the carpet firmly and slides it into place with a jolt from your knee.

Remove furniture from the room and inspect the carpet, noting any damage or loose seams. Then, take your trusty putty knife and move to the side of the room. Carpet is generally tucked underneath the baseboard along the wall but not firmly attached; instead, a thin strip of wood with several metal pins jutting up out of it is

placed about a half-inch from the baseboard and the carpet is laid on top of it. Use the putty knife to pry about a foot of carpet from under the baseboard, then lift the carpet edge off of the pin strip.

Use this pried-up portion to measure the depth of the prongs on the underside of the knee-kicker; they need to be long enough to grab the mesh carpet backing, without grabbing the padding underneath. Adjust the prongs using the knob on top of the kicker.

Move to a corner of the room where the carpet is firmly attached. Press the knee kicker prongs into the carpet about two inches from the baseboard. Thrust your knee straight into the kicker's rubber cushion. Then, holding the kicker in position with your knee, use the putty knife to tuck the little bulge of carpet under the baseboard. Work your way around the room.

If the carpet bulges remain, or the carpet moves easily under the knee-kicker, use the utility knife to trim the edges of the carpet (do one side at a time between stretches, running the knife along the bottom of the baseboard for a straight cut), and then re-stretch and re-tuck until the bulges are gone.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequincy2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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The Dirty Truth About Allergies

Controlling Allergen Exposure In The Home

(NAPS) — There may be no place like home, but for more than 37 million Americans who suffer from allergies, there's no place for allergens in the home. Indoor allergens, such as dust mites, mold and pet dander, are more common than people may think. In fact, at any given time, 80 percent of people in the U.S. are exposed to dust mites, and 60 percent are exposed to cat or dog dander.

To help prevent bothersome allergy symptoms, such as nasal congestion, a runny, itchy nose and sneezing, it may be

necessary to drag the mop and dustpan out of the closet.

"Many people pit a great deal of time and energy into making their house a comfortable place to live," said Linda Cobb, host of the television series "Talking Dirty with the Queen of Clean." "But as an allergy sufferer, I know that even the comfiest couch or prettiest table settings can't distract from the discomfort caused by allergy symptoms."

This Old House

While the entire house is susceptible to allergens, certain rooms may be hot spots for the culprits. For

example, more than 1 million dust mites live in the average bed—they thrive in pillows, mattresses and comforters. The bathroom is also a danger zone, because moisture from the shower and damp towels creates the ideal environment for mold growth. Thorough cleaning helps rid a home of allergens by creating an unwelcoming atmosphere for these unwanted guests.

Treating Your Allergies

Even for the most meticulous cleaner, it's impossible to remove all allergens from the home. Cobb recommends visiting a doctor, who can prescribe an appropriate treatment if you continue to experience symptoms. Nasal-inhaled steroids, like NASONEX (mometasone furoate

monohydrate) Nasal Spray, 50 mcg (calculated on the anhydrous basis), are recommended first-line treatment when nasal congestion is the primary allergy symptom.

"Nasal congestion is often the most bothersome symptom for nasal allergy sufferers, and nasal-inhaled steroids like NASONEX are an effective way to treat it," said Dr. Matthew Clarke, a board-certified family and occupational medicine physician in private practice in New York City.

"With a few simple cleaning tips and a visit to a doctor, it can be easy to control allergies and appreciate your shiny floors and windows, too," said Cobb.

Reverse Mortgage Topic At Council On Aging Office

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy. Reverse mortgage is a pro-

gram offered by the federal government that allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash.

For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

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Quincy Woman Jailed In Counterfeit Scam

Kim Luong, 34, of Quincy has been sentenced to two years, six months in prison after pleading guilty as a member of a gang to counterfeiting more than \$1 million worth of luxury handbags and wallets.

Also sentenced by Federal Judge William G. Young were three Chelsea residents — Minh Vu, 26, two years, six months; Katherine Luong, 28, three years; and Camphung Luong, 25, two years.

The three Luongs are sisters.

All four pleaded guilty to money laundering, trafficking and conspiring to traffic in the counterfeit handbags and wallets as well as materials used to make the counterfeits.

The four also made more than \$48,000 in restitution payments to victim companies and did not contest the forfeiture of five bank accounts, two vehicles and additional counterfeit merchandise.

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Vu and the Luongs admitted they rented 13 self-storage units in Revere, in which authorities found 12,231 counterfeit handbags, 7,651 counterfeit wallets and enough fake labels to turn out more than 50,000 more.

US Attorney Michael Sullivan said the gang sold their counterfeit handbags and wallets at a flea market in Revere, and at smaller gatherings in some 250 "purse parties" throughout the state.

Cam Van Nguyen Mayor's New Executive Assistant

Mayor William Phelan announces that Cam Van Nguyen of North Quincy has joined his staff as the new Executive Assistant to the Mayor.

Nguyen began her new position in the Mayor's Office Monday.

"I am proud to welcome Cam to our staff and look forward to applying her skills to helping our community," said Phelan. "She has a strong, diverse background that will allow her to handle the many tasks that she will face in her new position."

Nguyen is currently completing her Masters Degree at Eastern Nazarene College. She has served as a freelance writer for AsianBoston Magazine, focusing on

health care issues and business development. She has worked in the financial and health care industries as well.

"I am thankful to Mayor Phelan for the opportunity to work for his administration during this exciting time," said Nguyen. "I welcome the many challenges that the job entails and I look forward to working with many new people in our community."

Nguyen will focus on constituent work and project oversight. She replaces Diana Ong who took a job with Health Care for All, a Boston non-profit fighting

for affordable health care options.

"This is an exciting and challenging time for our city with many large projects happening at once," said Phelan. "We needed someone with Cam's skill-sets and background and she will be of great assistance to our efforts to develop the downtown, restore the Broad Meadows marsh, renovate the Souther Tide Mill, bring a senior center to Quincy, locate a cultural center in downtown Quincy, and the many other projects we are working on."

Updated Fair Housing Plan Ready For Public Comment

(Cont'd From Page 1)

to identify and analyze impediments to fair housing and develop a strategy to address them.

The plan is available for review at the Planning Department at City Hall and the main branch of the Thomas Crane Public Library 40 Washington St., or on the city's website www.ci.quincy.ma.us.

The goal of the plan is to ensure that Quincy, through its programs and partnerships, is a leader in creating housing choice and providing opportunities for inclu-

sive patterns of housing occupancy to all residents of the city.

"Everyone can learn something from this plan," said Mayor Phelan. "Separation and inequality in our housing sector will not be tolerated in Quincy and our housing policies and programs have echoed those sentiments."

Comments will be accepted until April 27 and can be sent to:

Fair Housing Plan
c/o Planning & Community Development Department
1305 Hancock St.
Quincy MA 02169.

'King David' At ENC

The Eastern Nazarene College Choral Union will perform the dramatic choral work "King David" by Arthur Honeggers Sunday, April 15, at 6 p.m. in the Wollaston Church of the Nazarene, 37 East Elm Ave. Admission is free.

"King David" tells the story of the famous Israelite king, including his battle with the giant Goliath, his

defeat of King Absalom, the death of his son Bathsheba and his affair with Bathsheba.

Robert Benjamin, director of Multi Cultural Services, and Eunice Ferreira, professor of Communication Arts, will narrate the epic tale.

For more information, call 617-745-3614 or visit <http://www.encyc.edu>.

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Tax Tips From The Experts. To File or To Extend

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You must file tax form 4868 to extend your Federal income tax return. If you owe additional Massachusetts income taxes then you must request an extension using form M4868. Both forms must be filed on or before April 17, 2007.

The request for additional time automatically extends your Federal and Massachusetts filing date to October 15, 2007. This does not extend your time for paying your income taxes, simply for filing the return. The Federal extension request will be considered invalid, and your tax return considered late, if you do not pay at least 90% of the taxes owed by April 17. Interest and penalties of as much as 25% will be charged on any balance due. Massachusetts has similar requirements except that 80% of the tax must be paid by April 17, with penalties as much as 25% of the tax owed.

If you cannot pay your income taxes by April 17 you should still file your return by that date. The penalties for late payment are substantially less than the penalties for late filing. The IRS will permit you to enter into an installment agreement to pay your income taxes. To request an installment agreement you must file form 9465 with your income tax return. File your Massachusetts return and pay as much as you can. You will then be billed by the state for the amount that you owe. You can request an installment agreement by logging into the State's Web Filing Site <https://wfb.dor.state.ma.us/webfile/wsi/> you will see a link for an installment agreement.



Tom Hurley, CPA, is president of South Shore Tax Services, a local, independent tax preparation service. They're located on 716 Hancock St. in Quincy; he can be reached at (617) 376-4226

QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: March 30 - April 5

Total Calls for Service: 1,278

Total Arrests: 47

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 9

FRIDAY, MARCH 30

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 2:08 a.m., Burgin Parkway Ext. and Penn St. Fare problem. On Burgin Ext. in front of garage at Quincy Adams - driver states party struck him and got out of the cab refusing to pay. Fare paid, complaint for A&B.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:50 a.m., Hertz Local Rental Edition, 686 Southern Artery, 2007 Chevy Cobalt, color blue. Vehicle rented, has not been returned.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:07 p.m., 174 Babcock St. Past. To above ground swimming pool.

LARCENY, 4:20 p.m., 30 Copeland St. ATM card, bus pass and checks taken from wallet.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:48 p.m., Parker School, 148 Billings Rd. Past. Incident happened today in school.

LARCENY, 9:21 p.m., Sawyer Towers, 95 Martensen St. Fare evasion. Advised customer will pay if not they will call back.

LARCENY, 9:49 p.m., 128 Connell St. Lights. Four solar lights taken from front yard.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:58 p.m., 28 Waterston Ave. Front window.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31

LARCENY, 2:50 p.m., 11 Germain Ave. Checks.

LARCENY, 3:07 p.m., Montclair School, 8 Belmont St. Cell phone. White outside in park unknown person stole Razor Motorola cell phone.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:27 p.m., 880 Southern Artery, 2000 Ford Focus, color red - using without permission.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:41 p.m., 333 Ricciuti Dr. Dwelling.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:33 p.m., 65 Newport Ave. Past. 1990 Toyota Camry, color gray. Unknown when car was stolen.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:31 p.m., 50 Walker St. Motorcycle - 2003 Honda CBR600, color gray.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:22 a.m., 59 Pond St. Rear tire slashed.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:39 a.m., 130 Puritan Dr. Overnight. 1996 Ford Explorer, color green, stolen from driveway. Do not believe the vehicle was locked and there was a key in the vehicle.

LARCENY, 12:45 p.m., 165 Madison Ave. Past. Jewelry missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:06 p.m., Wollaston Recreation Facility, 357 W. Squantum St. Past. Manager reports youths caused extensive damage to course overnight. Had bon fire on 18th tee, debris all over the place; ripped shrubs and trees out, etc.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:41 p.m., 27 Ferriter St. Shed. Someone spraypainted swears on rear of shed.

LARCENY, 2:56 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. In progress. See security. Detaining a woman who is trying to cash what they think is a bad check. Woman is telling them she is a QPC officer. Name does not add up. One arrest for larceny over.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:22 p.m., 92 Town Hill St. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 7:41 p.m., 91 Nightingale Ave. Foot pursuit. Three males, one wearing grey hooded sweatshirt, 6 ft; the other black jacket and jeans. One arrest for breaking and entering night time, attempt to commit felony.

MONDAY, APRIL 2

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:43 a.m., 218 Granite St. Car. Car was keyed and window was broken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:35 a.m., Helping Hands Preschool, 276 South St. Broken window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:16 p.m., 34 Field St. Possible attempted break. Screen was damaged, no indication of break.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:05 p.m., Town Brook House, 45 Brackett St. Past - motor vehicle. Caller states youths just fled area after breaking car window. Vehicle vandalized.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:19 p.m., River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St. Past motor vehicle. Caller's driver's window was smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:28 p.m., 60 Brackett St. Vandal. House window just broken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:34 p.m., 47 Baxter St. Front window.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:55 a.m., River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St. Club van. Side window damaged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:07 a.m., 131 Billings St. Motor vehicle damaged. Cargo door lock broken overnight - no entrance gained.

LARCENY, 10:07 a.m., Labor Ready, 400 Hancock

A Job Well Done

On Sunday, April 1, 2007, at approximately 1:15 A.M., Officers Joe Nabstedt and Daniel Church were dispatched to Field Street for a "disorder with a knife involved." When the Officers arrived, they found about twelve people yelling back and forth.

Due to the serious nature of the call, additional units responded. As the officers tried to determine what had occurred, a woman (suspect) came out of the front door of the apartment building. Numerous people spontaneously blurted out that she was the one with the knife.

Officer Church instructed the group of people to sit down, including the suspect who allegedly had the knife. Officer Nabstedt located the caller, who stated that he lived in the same apartment building as the suspect. He said that he had a few friends over and they had been drinking.

The caller said he went outside and was talking to his girlfriend and two other friends near her car when the suspect came out of the building, knife in hand, and yelled, "If you don't shut up, I'm going to slice somebody's throat." The caller said he called the Police after trying to calm the suspect and put the knife down.

The other witnesses stated that the suspect was waving the knife around in a menacing manner. One of the friends of the caller confronted the suspect and told her that if she didn't put the knife down, he would have to defend himself. When the suspect continued to approach, the male grabbed the wrist of the suspect and wrangled the knife out of her hand. The suspect then punched him numerous times, leaving a small-bloodied area around his nose.

A female friend of the male then jumped in, but she was pushed down and banged her head against the cement steps. As the Police arrived, the suspect fled back into her apartment, and then emerged soon after. The knife was described as brown with a seven-inch blade. Officer Nabstedt interviewed the suspect and one of her friends. The suspect denied having a knife and allowed Officers to search her apartment.

Her friend confirmed that she did not have a knife. Although the knife was not found, Officer Nabstedt did note in his report that he observed the knife drawer in the kitchen to be open and it was the only drawer that was open.

When Officer Nabstedt went back outside, a witness approached him and said that she had some evidence that could help. She then pulled out her digital camera and showed a photo on the LCD screen of the suspect holding a knife in her hand.

Copies of the photo were obtained for evidence purposes. Based on the information from victims, witnesses, the open drawer and the photo, Officer Nabstedt placed the 35-year-old Quincy resident under arrest for "Assault with a Dangerous Weapon." As the Officers were preparing to leave, the suspect said that she didn't want anyone to stay in her apartment, so Officer Church told her friend she would have to leave. Her friend was displeased that she had to leave and said, "She pulled a knife out and now she wants me to leave." Nice Work!

A BETTER WAY - would have been to call the Police when the knife was first seen, rather than try to negotiate with the assailant. The victims, by their own account, had been drinking and this may have impaired their ability to make a clear decision to get away from someone with a knife. This easily could have escalated into serious injury or death. The suspect, who is now facing criminal charges, should have called the Police to handle the disturbance, especially when the station is two blocks away.

RETIREMENT: Congratulations to Sergeant Richard Curran on his recent retirement from the Quincy Police Department. Sgt. Curran retired one week shy of beginning his 40th year in Quincy. He graduated from the very first Quincy Police Academy in 1968, taught by former Chief Fran Mullen, then rode a Honda "175" in the patrol division.

In 1974, he worked in the Juvenile Division and became sergeant in 1981. In 2001, Sgt. Curran headed up the Special Investigations Unit, investigating cases involving sexual assaults, domestic violence and juveniles. In 2002, he returned to the Patrol Division as a street Supervisor.

Sgt. Curran reminisced about his early years, when he worked a walking beat. "Back then, there were no police radios, so if you made an arrest, you would have to handcuff and drag the suspect to the call box so a cruiser could transport the prisoner to the station."

When asked to give advice to the younger Officers, he said, "Enjoy your career, the time goes by so quickly. Don't arrest everyone - a little compassion goes a long way."

Sgt. Curran said that he will miss working with his fellow Officers but plans on playing lots of golf, splitting his time between here and Naples, Florida.

To Sgt. Curran, thanks for your years of service and commitment - A Job Well Done.



LT. DAN MINTON



SGT. RICHARD CURRAN

THURSDAY, APRIL 5

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:24 a.m., Faxon Park Rd. and Quincy Ave. Motor vehicle damage; possibly confused.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:24 p.m., U-Haul, 438 Quincy Ave. 2006 Ford Van, color yellow. TTY entry shows motor vehicle was stolen off the lot.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 1:21 p.m., Alltown Check Cashing, 34 School St. Bad checks. Party has two counterfeit checks. Complaint for attempted larceny by check, forgery, and uttering forged instrument.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 1:41 p.m., Alltown Check Cashing, 34 School St. Bad checks. Complaint for uttering false check and attempted larceny by check over.

LARCENY, 4:14 p.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Wall. Happened Tuesday.

LARCENY, 7:29 p.m., 162 South Walnut St. Possible B & E. Money taken.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:00 p.m., 138 Granite St. Just occurred. 2001 Jeep Grand Cherokee, color blue.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:20 p.m., Kentucky Fried Chicken, 707 Hancock St. Advised.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

St. Past. Backpack accidentally left at office on April 2. When victim returned, backpack containing cash, Verizon cell phone and clothes was gone.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:26 a.m., Paul's Auto Body, 384 Centre St. Since March 29, 1999 Merc. Benz ML320, color green.

LARCENY, 12:02 p.m., South Shore Mental Health Home, 75 South St. Cell phone.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:49 p.m., Hancock Parking Area, 50 Revere Rd. 2001 Ford Explorer, color gray. Motor vehicle was later returned and subject arrested for larceny motor vehicle.

INDECENT ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 1:30 p.m., Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St. Party called to report she was indecently touched by male party. SIU to handle.

LARCENY, 4:21 p.m., Fruit Basket, 148 Granite St. Wall.

LARCENY, 6:03 p.m., Wollaston Wine Liquor, 60 Beale St. Purse. Pocketbook with wallet containing credit cards, check book, license, medical cards, charge card was used at Comfort Corner.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:29 a.m., Point Webster Middle School, 60 Lancaster St.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9 a.m., Sea St. and Southern Artery. Road rage incident; malicious destruction of property.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:07 a.m., 35 Hughes St.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:58 a.m., Mellen Brae House, 10 Weston Ave. Motor vehicle damaged - scratched on driver, passenger sides and rear end while vehicle was in garage.

LARCENY, 7:19 p.m., 200 Falls Blvd. Credit card.



SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Strong Legs for Running

Q. I run for 2 miles three times a week. Despite all of my running, I don't have very strong leg muscles. What exercises can I do, without equipment, to strengthen my legs?

A. Performing leg exercises will not only keep your legs strong, but could also improve your running overall. There are many exercises you can add to your workouts that just use your body weight.

Strengthening your legs will keep the muscles strong that support the joints and ligaments around your knee, which are subjected to stress when running.

Two quick and easy leg exercises that can be done almost anywhere to strengthen the quadriceps (front of legs), gluteus (butt muscles) and hamstring (back of legs) are the squat and the lunge.

• **Squat.** Begin by standing with your feet shoulder-width apart. Bending your knees, sit down with your heels remaining in contact with the floor. Sitting no lower than 90 degrees, press through your heels and return to standing position. Do 10 to 20 repetitions per set for one to three sets.

To spice up this exercise you can change the speed of your squat, completing one set at a normal pace and increasing the speed of the second or third. Only add

this modification after you have mastered the basic squat. Once your body weight becomes less challenging, you can increase the intensity by holding filled water bottles in both hands for added weight.

• **Lunges.** Start with legs together. Step forward with your right foot. With your right foot firmly on the ground in front of you and with the heel of your left foot off the floor, bend your knees and lower your body toward the ground. Make sure your right knee does not extend over your toes and that your right heel does not leave the floor. Press through the heel of your right foot and return to standing position. Repeat with the left leg. Complete one to three sets of 10 to 15 repetitions.

The addition of these two exercises to your running routine can reduce the risk of running-related injuries and help you to reach your running goals.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. Andrea Renee Wyatt, M.S.S., C.S.C.S., is a certified personal trainer with an extensive background in strength and conditioning as well as therapeutic recreation. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@heartscc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Health Bulletin

Treating Joint Discomfort

(NAPS) – A natural approach to dealing with joint discomfort could be just what the doctor ordered. Studies have shown that botanical components, called triterpenes, from the shea nut help relieve inflammation—a major cause of joint stiffness.

Experts say the natural triterpenes differ from glucosamine, MSM and other active ingredients commonly tried for joint discomfort in that triterpenes actually stimulate joint health, while other ingredients simply help lubricate joints or mask symptoms.

Millions of Americans suffer from some sort of joint problem, with more than half of them having chronic or recurrent symptoms daily, according to a recent Stanford University Medical Center poll conducted with ABC News and USA Today.

"Joint discomfort, which affects about 40 million people can be caused by a number of factors, a sports-related or other type of injury, obesity and illness," says Leonard P. Smith, CEO and president of BSP Pharma Inc. "However, a general underlying problem is inflammation. That's why the

findings on the triterpenes are significant."

Reducing Joint Discomfort

You can find the shea nut triterpenes in a new dietary supplement called FlexNow Joint Formula. Its active ingredient, SheaFlex 75, is concentrated from shea nut triterpenes. The product was one of only seven dietary supplement products accepted by the FDA in 2004 as meeting all of the safety and toxicology requirements under the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act. It also guarantees a full refund—including postage—if your joint discomfort isn't completely relieved in 30 days.

The supplement is made available by the same team that was instrumental in bringing Beano and Lactaid to market, and is backed by pharmacological and clinical research conducted by BSP Pharma, the supplement's developer and marketer.

You can learn more about relieving joint discomfort by talking with your doctor. For product information, visit www.FlexNow.us or call 1-877-778-1212.

At Quincy Medical Center

Skin Cancer Screening May 9

Quincy Medical Center will host a free Skin Cancer Screening on Wednesday, May 9 from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Ambulatory Care Department, 114 Whitwell Street, Quincy.

Dermatologists on staff at Quincy Medical Center have donated their services for the free public screening, which is co-sponsored by the American Academy of Dermatology and underwritten

by the Marie A. Curry Fund at Quincy Medical Center.

Skin cancer is the most common of all cancers. In fact the American Cancer Society estimates that one in five Americans will develop some form of skin cancer during their lifetime.

Space is limited and advance registration is required. To schedule an appointment, call the Quincy Medical Center Physician Referral Service, toll-free, 24 hours per day, at 877-479-CARE or 877-479-2273.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

We need you.

WE'RE FIGHTING FOR YOUR LIFE

American Heart Association



THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY recently hosted its Key Gala at Boston's new InterContinental Hotel. Over 300 guests enjoyed the waterfront views, dinner and dancing, while raising funds for the Society's AstraZeneca Hope Lodge Center in Boston, a free, temporary housing facility for cancer patients and their caregivers who travel far from home to receive treatment. When the Lodge opens in the fall of 2008, it will provide much needed services to more than 1,500 annually. American Cancer Society, New England Division, CEO Don Gudaitis (on left) presents Quincy resident and Gala emcee/auctioneer Danny Flynn with a platter painted by MGH pediatric oncology kids as a thank you for his work that evening.

Skating to Better Health

Making Time For Health, Fitness

By PEGGY FLEMING

(NAPS)—Busy schedules can sometimes get the best of us, leaving little time for ourselves. That's why it's essential to keep an inward focus. Whether your goal, like mine, is to spend more time with your grandchildren or perhaps less time at the office, the following lifestyle changes are sure to leave you refreshed and ready to play.

Dedicate one week to a self-examination. Note your activities and how much time you devote to each. Your observations will allow you to target what isn't working in your favor. Next, get organized. An efficient plan means more time for you, your family and friends. A proper diet and exercise routine allow you to perform at your best.

Exercise your right to fitness. Schedule fitness routines just as you would a trip to the bank or the post office. By making exercise a priority, you will be able to squeeze in the 30 daily minutes your body needs. And remember that downtime is a chance to recharge your batteries and refresh your mind.

These tips can help you find the balance you need for a healthy lifestyle:

• **Eat right**—That means eating until you're no longer hungry, not until you're full. Aim for a colorful plate, as

foods rich in color provide essential minerals and vitamins. And if you have a sweet tooth, calm the craving with fruit.

• **Get Moving**—Set realistic goals. Find a workout you love, be it yoga, tennis or kickboxing. And recruit a friend; you're more likely to get out of bed for a morning walk when someone else is expecting you.

• **Manage your time**—If you are a morning person, put your arduous projects at the top of your "To Do List." If lunch tends to revive you, leave these projects for the afternoon. Meanwhile, if you feel pulled in too many directions, drop a few chores. You don't have to do everything yourself. And establish rituals that bring your family together.

• **Relax**—Know what you want out of your day and minimize the activities that keep you from achieving it. Try tackling a new hobby or rediscovering an old favorite.

• **Keep on top of your health**—To make sure you have access to the health care you need, consider a savings plan such as HealthSaver, which offers discounts on prescriptions, vision and dental care—even fitness club memberships.

For more information, visit www.healthsaver.com or call (800) 7HEALTH.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

SHADES OF GRAY

Not only are everyone's teeth not the same color, different teeth in your mouth normally differ in shade. On top of that, no matter what color your teeth are, your "eye teeth" (cuspid or canine teeth) are likely to be darker than the rest. The front teeth tend to be the whitest, and the back teeth tend to a shade between the two. The dentist will take this variation into account when whitening an individual tooth. As far as overall tooth whitening is concerning, many procedures claim to be able to whiten teeth up to nine shades. A change of only two or three shades will make a significant difference in just about anyone's smile.

Almost everyone wants whiter teeth and a brighter smile. The importance of an attractive smile should not be underestimated. Your personal

satisfaction with your oral health and appearance is important. You can expect us to give you gentle, comforting care using the most up-to-date techniques and equipment. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street. Our trained professional staff works as a team to make your visits pleasant. Please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We provide a full range of dental treatments, including partial or full dentures; bridges and crowns; root canal therapy; and preventive, restorative, and cosmetic dentistry. We will always discuss your treatment options with you. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. It also helps to use a tongue scraper in the fight against bad breath.



SPORTS

Hosts Falmouth At Adams Field Friday Hopes High For Experienced Raiders

By SEAN BRENNAN

The last couple of seasons for the North Quincy Red Raider baseball team has been an ebb and flow between rebuilding years and years in which experience is at the forefront.

The 2007 season looks to be the latter.

The Red Raiders, who are coached by Rick Beach, graduated its three senior tri-captains (Tom Power, Paul Doolan and John Allen) from last season, but this spring the team returns every other member of the 2006 team and also adds B.C. High transfer Joe Vialpondo to the roster.

This mix of seniors, juniors and sophomores has the chance to make headlines in the Atlantic Coast League and stamp their mark on the local baseball scene.

"All of the kids on this year's team have played for me (last year)," Beach said this week. "We lost three seniors from last year's squad, but with the experience that the rest of the kids got and the addition of Vialpondo to our team this year, it should make this year's team very good."

Unlike the weather the team has been forced to play in, the team has gotten off to a hot start this spring. The Red Raiders won a slugfest against Patriot League opponent Silver Lake last week by a score of 13-10 in the season-opener, and dismantled Randolph High School by a score of 16-0 in their second game.

"Against Silver Lake we had a lead going into the bottom of the seventh inning, and we dealt with the shoddy field conditions and hung on to beat them," Beach said. "They loaded the bases with the score at 13-10, but junior Mike Horgan struck out their eighth and ninth batters and then picked off the runner at

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first. Horgan throw a complete game and struck out 11 batters."

"In our second game against Randolph, senior Matt Edgerly went the distance and fanned 13 batters in our 16-0 win," Beach added. "We have started off hot and hopefully it will carry over as we start the ACL portion of our schedule this week against Whitman-Hanson and Falmouth."

The bats got things going early and often against the Lakers with seniors Chris Boyd (2 for 5), Dave Guerriero (3-5, 2 RBI, 2 runs scored) and Brendan Carnell (3-5, 3 RBIs) leading the offensive charge. Junior Dan Richards finished the game with two hits and two runs scored.

Horgan, a junior, took the mound and pitched the complete game to earn his first win of the spring.

In the Randolph game, Edgerly overpowered the opposing batters to the tune of 13 strikeouts. He also chipped in at the plate with two hits and two RBIs. Richards (3 RBI), Carnell (3-5, 3 RBI) and Vialpondo (2-2, 2 runs scored) all continued their torrid starts at the plate in the win.

Beach likes what he sees thus far and is encouraged by the depth, talent and speed that his team this season is showing.

"We have stolen 18 bases in the first two games," Beach said. "It looks as if this year we are going to have speed to go along with the bats that have shown up during the first two games. And with the pitching that we have received from Edgerly and Horgan, things have started out as well. This year we may have the most depth we

have had in years and the experience that these kids got the past few years should be a bonus."

Along with Edgerly and Horgan, the Red Raiders have three left handers in their pitching rotation as Eric Moreschi, Ricky Bjork and Keith Morreale will see time on the mound. Other players to watch out for this spring include Steve Matos (C/LF), Joe Lousarianian (SS), Matt Rodriguez (C), Alex Tragelliks, Nick Poli, Mike Jay and Matt Jay.

"With the group of kids that we have, and the depth at pitching, on the basepaths and at the plate, I am looking at a good team," Beach said. "The season has started off well and when we finally get to come home and play against some league opponents, we will know where we are at moving forward."

North Quincy is scheduled (weather permitting) hosted Whitman-Hanson Wednesday and plays Falmouth at home on Friday. Both games are at Adams Field and begin at 4 p.m.

The Red Raiders will be co-hosting the NQ/QHS Baseball Tournament with Quincy High School during school vacation week on April 17 and 19 at Adams Field. Definitive starting times for the games on April 17 (weather permitting) is 12:30 p.m. The April 19 game times have yet to be announced.



1. Two of the past four seasons (2003-06), a Chicago White Sox pitcher has started for the American League in the All-Star Game. Name the pitchers.

2. When was the last time an A.L. East team other than the New York Yankees and Boston Red Sox went to the playoffs?

3. Name the teams the Miami Dolphins defeated in the playoffs on their way to a 17-0 perfect season in 1972.

4. Who held the men's basketball record for most blocked shots in an NCAA Tournament championship game before Florida's Joakim Noah blocked six against UCLA in 2006?

5. Name the player who has tallied the most regular-season overtime goals in NHL history.

6. Who was the first NASCAR driver to notch double digits in victories for a season with at least one victory in both the Cup



MEMBERS OF COLONIAL FEDERAL'S Pee Wee team celebrate after their 5-2 victory over IBEW Local 103 in the recent Pee Wee Jamboree Championship at the Quincy Youth Arena.

Wollaston Senior Babe Ruth Tryouts Begin May 5

Wollaston Senior Babe Ruth will hold tryouts for its three teams on May 5, 6, 12 and 13 at O'Rourke Field from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Players who do not turn 19 years of age before May 1, 1988 are invited to tryout. Wollaston will sponsor

three teams; two teams in the Senior League (16-18 year olds) and one team in the newly formed 16-Year Old Prep League. Wollaston plays in the Senior Babe Ruth South Shore League that includes teams from Boston and South Shore communities.

Wollaston also sponsors a 16-year old all-star team that participates in the Babe Ruth State Tournament.

For more information contact Steve Reardon at (617) 438-5727 or Bob Griffin at (617) 472-4811 or by email at NFOX0897@comcast.net.

'Masters' Tournament At Presidents

Presidents Golf Course held their own Masters tournament this past weekend.

On April 7, the Men's (Par 70) results were as follows:

1st Gross- Ollie Murray/Phuong Do (71), 3rd Gross- Bob Meehan (73), 4th Gross- Trapper O'Neill (74), 1st Net- Joe Moran (64), 2nd Net- John Sassi (65), 3rd Net- Mike Ryan/Colin Robertson/Pat McLean (68) and 6th Net- Paul Nally/Charlie Ward (69).

The Ladies (Par 70) results were as follows:

1st Gross- Marcie Arnold (83), 2nd Gross- Kin McDowell (95), 1st Net- Christine Rivard/Mary

VonFreymann (73) and 3rd Net- Gail Keefe (75).

On April 8, the Men's (Par 70) results were as follows:

1st Gross- Jack Moran (70), 2nd Gross- Phuong Do

(77), 3rd Gross- Bob Meehan/Ed Boylan (78), 1st Net- Noel Coffey (68), 2nd Net- Pat McLean (69), 3rd Net- Noel Kelly/Joe Gulley Sr. (71) and 5th Net- Colin Robertson (72).

NQHS Baseball Clinic Cancelled

The North Quincy High School Baseball Boosters and the team's baseball coaches and players have cancelled their scheduled instructional

baseball clinic on Sat., April 14 from 10 a.m. to noon at O'Rourke Field (Quarry St. & Furnace Brook Parkway).

Any questions or inquiries, email www.ddcof@aol.com.

NQHS Seeking Varsity Girl's Basketball, Boys' Wrestling Coaches

North Quincy High School and the Athletics Office announce two varsity-coaching positions that need to be filled for the 2007-2008 winter season.

The positions that need to be filled are Varsity Boys' Wrestling and Varsity Girls' Basketball.

All applications are due in the Athletics Office on May 18, 2007. Applications

can be picked up at the Athletics Office (107 Woodward Ave., Quincy) or by calling (617) 984-8782.

Note: All coaching applications in the Quincy Public Schools are for one season only. Applications are accepted at anytime, with resumes and letters of interest placed on file for vacancies that may occur in the future.

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series and the Busch Series.

7. Tennis star Roger Federer set a new record in 2007 with his 161st week of being ranked No. 1 on the ATP Tour. During what time period did the previous record-holder, Jimmy Connors, establish the mark of 160?

Answers

1. Esteban Loaiza in 2003

2. Baltimore went to the playoffs in 1997.

3. Cleveland, Pittsburgh and, in Super Bowl VII, Washington.

4. Arizona's Loren Woods blocked four shots versus Duke in 2001.

5. Mats Sundin of Toronto with 15 entering 2007.

6. In 1982, Darrell Waltrip had 12 Cup victories and one Busch victory for a total of 13.

7. Connors went from July 29, 1974, to Aug. 22, 1977, ranked No. 1. Federer's streak began Feb. 2, 2004.

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Presidents Have Post-Season Aspirations

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy President baseball team is ready to get its season underway, but Mother Nature has not been as accommodating.

Quincy, which had its season opener washed out this past Saturday against King Philip Regional High School, was scheduled to play its home opener on Tuesday afternoon against Somerville High School. The team's next game is today (Thursday) at 4 p.m. at Adams Field versus Atlantic Coast League opponent Nauset High School.

The 2007 edition is looking to bring Quincy baseball back to the postseason after a one-year hiatus last spring. The Presidents missed the post-season tourney for the first time in three years in 2006, but head coach Mike Draicchio and his team are ready to get between the lines and bring President baseball back to where it belongs: in the tournament.

"I am expecting for us to have a great year," Draicchio said this week. "I have a great bunch of kids. The entire roster is filled with athletes who are talented on the baseball field and talented in the classroom. Our number one priority is to have student-athletes who produce both on the field and in the classroom. And this year's team fits the bill."

"They are all students first, and that is a huge plus when you can have a team filled with kids whose intelligence can be seen on the baseball field. With this talented group, we are going to try and get back to the tournament and we are going

BASEBALL

to take the season 'one game at a time'."

Draicchio will have to look no farther down his bench than senior captains Steve Connolly (SP/IF/1B/SS) and John Alexander (catcher) for the leadership he team will need as the long season progresses.

"We graduated a handful of senior leadership last year, but with Connolly and Alexander, we should be in good shape in that department this spring," Draicchio said. "Steve finished last year with a .409 batting average and was a captain on the basketball team this winter. John was a huge part of our team as a sophomore, but he missed last season with and injury. He is returning this season and should bring all the qualities of a captain to every game."

Other seniors on the opening day roster for Quincy include Matt Boyle (OF/P), Dan Myers (top pitcher/OF), Wendell Cosgrove (OF), Matt Pye (OF/P), Anthony Gilbody (OF), Dan O'Connell (1B) and Sean Boyd (P).

"Boyle is not a captain, but I am expecting him to step up and give us some leadership and some big at-bats," Draicchio added. "Myers is our top pitcher and can play some outfield. Cosgrove and Leone will see time in the outfield as well, and Leone is a fast runner. Gilbody is a great defensive player and Pye has a strong arm and is a lefty. With the depth that we have in the outfield and on the bench, it will come down to who is

producing that sees the most time on the field."

Some of the underclassmen to keep an eye on this spring include Rick Sulvicci (P), Mike Lebel (SS/P), Teddy Walsh (2B), Steve Cusman (DH), Joe Reggiannini (C/OF), Jon Parry (1B), Sean Gray (3B), Robert Renalli (IF) and Dave Griffin (IF).

"Our underclassmen are a very talented group," Draicchio said. "Lebel caught for us last year when Alexander went down with his injury. He is a great player and had an outstanding year in 2006. Rick will pitch for us and he is also a great ballplayer. Walsh has speed and he swings a solid stick. The rest of the roster gives us added depth and talent coming off the bench. I would like to mention Andrew Papile. Andrew is injured this season, but was a huge help last year and will be missed this spring."

With a roster of seniors, juniors and sophomores, the Presidents have the right mix of experience, talent and intelligence to get back to post-season play. According to Draicchio, the team's balance of these three qualities, plus their balance on offense, defense and on the mound, offers a bright vision for the spring.

"We are ready to play. The kids have put their time in," he said. "Defensively and offensively we should do well. The goal is to make the tournament."

Quincy is scheduled to travel to King Philip on Saturday and will be co-hosting the QHS/NQHS Baseball Tournament over school vacation week on April 17 and 19.

NQ Relying On Depth

SOFTBALL

The North Quincy High School varsity softball team will begin their 2007 season with no seniors on the opening day roster.

The team, which is led by second-year head coach Mike Connor, finished last season with a 7-11 overall record. The program graduated four seniors from last year's team including Kelly Barden, Jackie Mullin, Jessica Mann and Liz Leary (a volunteer assistant coach this spring), but Connor is encouraged with the collection of talent he has on the field this spring.

"We will have 15 varsity players on the roster," Connor said this week. "We have no seniors, ten juniors, four sophomores and one freshman. But I feel like we should have a pretty good team going forward."

With a team that lacks senior leadership, Connor knows that, although he has athletes and talent, he will need some of his girls to step up and take over the leadership that he lost through graduation.

"With no seniors, we will need to rely on our depth, which we have plenty of, and we will be leaning on our pitching to keep us close in games. I feel like we have the defense and offense to play with anyone on our schedule."

"We just need to take it one game at a time. Our goal is to make it back to the post season tournament and with the talent and the athletes we have it would be a disappointment if we did not make it."

The ten juniors on this year's team are Rebecca

Goreham (OF/3B), Paige Bonanni (SP), Kerry Coughlin (C), Brianna Carnell (DH/1B), Caitlin Nelson (IF), Katherine Feeney (OF), Jenna McDonough (IF), Kasey O'Connell (SS), Simone Leary (C/2B/OF), and Tabitha Doolan (IF).

"We have some real talented juniors on this year's team," Connor said. "Goreham is a natural athlete with the right attitude. She is a natural hitter who should fit in nicely in the lineup. O'Connell has a great bat and has the speed to be aggressive on the bases. Coughlin was a league all-star last year and is solid behind the plate."

"Feeney may be our best all-around hitter. Paige knows her role and is a smart player who gets on base. She is also our number one pitcher. Leary, McDonough and Doolan will all see time in the infield and with Leary we don't lose anything when she is in the game."

The four sophomores on the roster are Siobhan Carnell (CF), Brittany Folkins (2B/P), Catherine O'Connell (1B) and Kathleen Lynch (3B).

"Siobhan Carnell played last year as a freshman and she has already contributed to the team this year by scoring the winning run in the season opener (a 9-8 win over Pembroke High School)," Connor said. "O'Connell makes contact almost every at-bat, Lynch, who is in her first year, has great hands at third base and

has shown a great arm and Folkins has shown a good arm and is a solid all-around player."

Sammi Bonanni is the lone freshman on the varsity roster and she is expected to see some time pitching in relief and will pitch as a starter for the freshmen and JV teams.

"Sammi will see some time on varsity, but she will also be pitching for us at the jayvee and freshmen level," Connor added. "She has the chance to be a pitching star in the coming years."

The team opened their 2007 season with a win over Pembroke High School. The Red Raiders, behind the pitching of Paige Bonanni and the speed of Siobhan Carnell, eked out the 9-8 win. Carnell tripled in the last inning and came around to score on a passed ball.

"The plan is to use the depth of the roster all season long," Connor said. "The main thing for us as a team is to have fun, but also be ready to turn it on when the games start. We mean business this spring."

The Red Raiders played against Scituate High School on Monday and are scheduled to play on the road against ACL opponents Whitman-Hanson (4/11) and Falmouth (4/12) this week.

During the school vacation week, North Quincy will host the NQ Softball Tournament at Mitchell/McCoy Field on April 17 and 18. Game times are scheduled for a 10:00 a.m. start on both days.

By SEAN BRENNAN

May 10 At Quincy Sons Of Italy

Bill Monbouquette Speaker At QHS Hall Of Fame Banquet

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee would like to announce that Bill Monbouquette will be the guest speaker at the QHS Baseball Hall of Fame banquet.

Monbouquette wore the number 27 for the Red Sox, making his first Major League start on July 18, 1958. He won at least 14 games from 1960-63, with a career-high 20 victories in 1963. He was a four-time all-star and pitched a no-hitter in 1962 against the Chicago White Sox and set a club record with 17 strikeouts against the Washington Senators in 1961.

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee announces the names of fifteen former Quincy High School baseball players to be inducted into the Quincy High School Hall of Fame on May 10.

The Hall of Fame Banquet will be held at the Quincy Sons of Italy. The social hour

is from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., with dinner and the awards ceremonies to follow. Tickets to the Hall of Fame Banquet are \$25 and can be purchased by contacting Joseph Brill, chairman of the QHSBBAA, at (617) 770-4813.

The 2007 inductees include Gerald Curtis ('46), Bob Gumprecht ('41), Frances "Frannie" Pineau ('49), Dan Raymond ('65), Ted Meyers ('69), Bob Pettinelli ('69), Bob Lane ('73), Joe Brill ('74), Paul Sutherland ('76), Gary DiNardo ('81), Tom Balzano ('91), Robert "Robbie" Kane ('93), Tom Malvesti ('94) and the late Steve Barrett ('95).

For the first time the QHSBBAA/Hall of Fame Committee is including the Old Quincy Trade School and announces that Gino Pettiti ('39) and Frances "Shorty" Donovan ('42) have been inducted.

George Burke will be inducted as only the third Honorary Member into the Hall of Fame, joining former

Quincy mayor James Sheets and former Minnesota Twins manager Sam Mele.

Warren Finley and A. "Bud" Mosher will join the Hall of Fame as former coaches.

The Hall of Fame committee will also honor four youth coaches who have given their time to teaching the game of baseball to so many kids for so many years. The four include Bill Draicchio, Dick Lombardi and the late John Rossi of Quincy Youth Baseball and Tony Constantino from St. John's Baseball.

The Paul Grasso Memorial Baseball Book Scholarship will be awarded to a senior who will further their education and baseball skills at the college level. Grasso, who graduated from Quincy High School in 1967, was killed while serving his country during the Vietnam War. Book Scholarships in the name of the late Bill Sullivan and Joe Conti will also be awarded.

Boating Safety Course Begins April 21 At Maritime Center

The Quincy Police Marine Unit, in partnership with the Massachusetts Environmental Police, will present a Basic Boating Safety Course at no cost to the public. The course is designed for persons of all ages, regardless of boating skill.

This course is federally approved and completion of the course will allow persons to legally operate a boat in

states that require completion of a Basic Boating Safety Course.

Everyone who completes the course will be issued a basic Boating Safety Certificate. Completion of the course by persons between 12-16 years of age will allow them to operate a motorboat without adult supervision. In addition, some insurance companies offer policy discounts for customers that complete a Basic Boating Safety Course.

The course will be held from 12 noon to 4 p.m. on three consecutive Saturdays; April 21, April 28 and May 5.

The course is taught at the Houghs Neck Maritime Center, 137 Bayview Ave. (next to the Quincy Yacht Club on Sea St.).

For more information, call the Massachusetts Environmental Police at (508) 790-9360 or the Quincy Police Marine Unit at (617) 594-4848.

Blood Pressure Clinics Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her

time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted.

For more information, call 617-376-1506.

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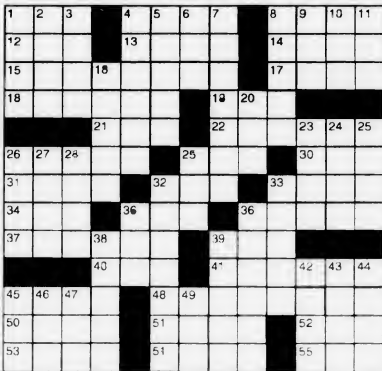
John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Flow stopper
 - 4 Big name in video games
 - 8 Merriment
 - 12 Anger
 - 13 Dumbstruck
 - 14 Old Italian bread
 - 15 Sitcom "about nothing"
 - 17 State with certainty
 - 18 Occupation
 - 19 High times
 - 21 Fool
 - 22 Trig ratio
 - 26 Intelligent
 - 29 Doggy doc
 - 30 Coquettish
 - 31 Cronos
 - 32 Danson or Demme
 - 33 — on (love too much)
 - 34 Id
 - 35 Counterpart
 - 36 Melodies
 - 37 Enlist
 - 39 Rotating part
 - 40 Ref
 - 41 Annie, e.g.
 - 45 In the thick of
 - 48 "Auld" follower
 - 50 Protracted
 - 51 Advantage
 - 52 "Ulalume" writer
 - 53 Unrivaled
 - 54 Membership
 - 55 Conclusion
- DOWN**
- 1 Compact —
 - 2 Neighborhood
 - 3 Israel's
 - 4 Least risky
 - 5 Basin
 - 6 Solidify
 - 7 Gave as evidence
 - 8 Tumbler
 - 9 Tyler or Ullmann
 - 10 Before
 - 11 Corn spike
 - 16 Approaches
 - 20 Caldron
 - 23 PC picture
 - 24 Memorandum
 - 25 Spuds' buds
 - 26 Females
 - 27 Creche trio
 - 28 Intensely eager
 - 29 Irritate
 - 32 Falls like dominoes
 - 33 Dependancy
 - 35 Vagrant
 - 36 Wal-Mart competitor
 - 38 Elbow
 - 39 Line dance
 - 42 Advertise extravagantly
 - 43 In due time
 - 44 Requirement
 - 45 The whole ball of wax
 - 46 Cattle call
 - 47 Lodging
 - 49 Citric quaff



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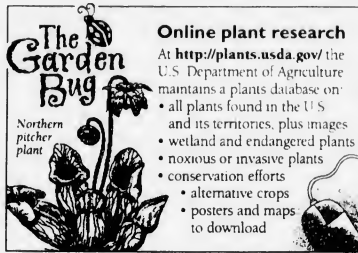
BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. The is different. 2. Plane is missing. 3. Ship is missing. 4. Window is added. 5. Hobo stick is different. 6. Word changed to "agent".



Online plant research

At <http://plants.usda.gov/> the U.S. Department of Agriculture maintains a plants database on:

- all plants found in the U.S. and its territories, plus images
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- noxious or invasive plants
- conservation efforts
- alternative crops
- posters and maps to download

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MAGIC MAZE — OFF

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| Buy | Laugh | Seal | Wave |
| Die | Log | Take the wraps | |

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- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Who was Time magazine's First Man of the Year in 1927?
- MOVIES: Who starred in the film "Risky Business"?
- LITERATURE: In which novel does the character of Emma Woodhouse appear?
- LANGUAGE: What is the full name of the group known as O.A.S.?
- TELEVISION: What was the name of the Duke's car on the show "The Duke of Hazzard"?
- HOLIDAYS: What did Veterans Day used to be called?
- MEDICINE: William Harvey is famous for what kind of work in medicine?
- AUTOMOBILES: Who

set up the first auto manufacturing company in the United States?

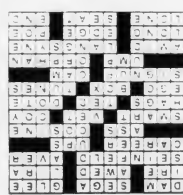
- PERSONALITIES: What is Emeril's last name?
- MUSIC: Which group sang a hit song about a "black magic woman"?

Answers

- Charles Lindbergh
- Tom Cruise
- "Emma" by Jane Austen
- Organization of American States
- The General Lee
- Armistice Day
- Circulation of blood
- Charles and Frank Durieux. Thirteen of the Durieuxs were made in 1896.
- Lagasse
- Santana

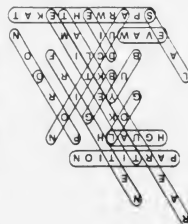
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Magic Maze Answers



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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) The facts about a new opportunity are still emerging. Wait until they're all out in the open, and then use your keen business sense to help make the right decision.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You might feel confused, even hurt by a friend who suddenly puts distance between you. If she or he won't discuss it, don't push it. An explanation should come in time.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your willingness to be part of the team opens doors that had been shut to you. Keep them open by keeping your promises even when your commitment seems to be wavering.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Congratulations! You're really getting things done to perfection. And don't forget to take a catnap now and again to keep those energy levels up and bristling for action.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Your "plain-talking" honesty is admirable. But sometimes sharp words can leave painful scars. Be careful that what you say doesn't come back to hurt you.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) A stress-filled period takes a positive turn as you deal with the underlying problem. Act now to avoid a recurrence by changing some basic rules in your relationship.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your rising energy levels make it easier for you to achieve some important objectives. This could lead to a big boost in how you're perceived, both at home and on the job.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A changing picture begins to emerge as you learn more about an offer that seemed so right but could be so wrong. Look to a trusted adviser for guidance.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Spiritual aspects are strong. Take time to reflect on the path you're on and where you hope it will lead you. It's also a good time to reach out to loved ones.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You could be assuming far too many responsibilities, whether it's at work or in personal matters. Be careful that you're not weighed down by them.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You're getting closer to your goals. And since nothing succeeds like success, don't be surprised to find new supporters swimming alongside you.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are always the first to try new ventures and confront new challenges. You inspire others with your courage to follow your bold example.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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OBITUARIES

Anna T. Hennessy, 90 Worked For Norfolk Paint Co.

A Mass of Christian Burial for Anna T. Hennessy, 90, of Milton, a retired paint company employee, was celebrated Monday at St. Agatha Church in Milton.

Miss Hennessy died April 3 at Milton Healthcare Facility.

She worked for Norfolk Paint Corp. of North Quincy for more than 50 years. She retired in 1993 as vice president and treasurer.

Born in raised in Dorchester, she graduated from St. Gregory's High School in Dorchester in 1933. She had lived in Milton since 1979.

Miss Hennessy was a longtime volunteer and member of the Ladies of Charity at Carney Hospital in Dorchester.

She is survived by niece Patricia Gibson of



ANNA T. HENNESSY

Shrewsbury; two nephews, John McWhirter of Milton and Dr. Robert McWhirter of Mitchell, S.D.; a grandniece, a grandnephew and five great-grandnephews and nieces.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dolan Funeral Home, 460 Granite Ave., Milton.

Carl T. Berger, 84 Retired Production Manager

A Mass of Christian Burial for Carl T. Berger, 84, of Quincy, a retired production manager, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Francis of Assisi Church, South Braintree.

Mr. Berger died April 3 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked 25 years for Kasanoff's Bakery in Roxbury.

He was a Canadian Navy veteran of World War II, serving as chief sonar operator and escorting convoys to England, Russia and Gibraltar.

Born in Southey, Saskatchewan, Canada, Mr. Berger became a U.S. citizen in 1949. He lived 54 years in

Quincy and better known to Quincy six years ago.

He was a member of American Legion Post 19 in Somerville, and a communicant of St. Francis of Assisi Church in Braintree.

Husband of the late A. Irene (Donovan) Berger, he is survived by two sons, Theodore T. Berger of Palmer and Robert J. Berger of Quincy; a sister, Martha M. Prebble of Canada; two granddaughters; three nieces and a nephew.

Burial was in Canada.

Funeral arrangements were made by Mortimer N. Peck-Russell Peck Funeral Home, Braintree.

Timothy F. Healey, 42 Information Technology Director

A funeral Mass for Timothy F. Healey, 42, of Quincy, an information technology director for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mr. Healey died April 2 at home after a 15-month battle with brain cancer.

He was an information technology director with the state Office of Consumer Affairs for the last 10 years. He began his career with the Division of Registration and worked for the state for 20 years.

Mr. Healey was born in Quincy and a lifelong resident of the city. He was a 1989 graduate of Suffolk University.

He was a member of the Greater Quincy Catholic Men's Group, the Knights of Columbus, and a longtime volunteer at the Long Island Shelter.

He was an active member of Most Blessed Sacrament Church and Sacred Heart Church in Quincy.

Mr. Healey enjoyed martial arts, walking and was a Red Sox fan.

He was devoted to his



TIMOTHY F. HEALEY

family.

He is survived by his wife, Amy (Barron) Healey; two daughters, Meghan Healey and Erin Healey of Quincy; two sons, Ryan Healey and Brendan Healey of Quincy; his father, Timothy Healey of Quincy; two sisters, Kathleen Healey and Julie Healey of Quincy; and two brothers, Brian Healey of Quincy and Martin Healey of Amesbury.

He was the son of the late Mary Healey.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Healy Educational Fund c/o Citizens Bank, 371 Hancock St., Quincy, MA 02171.

Stephen P. Girard, 67 Former Courier Service Operator

A funeral service for Stephen P. Girard, 67, of Quincy, a former courier service operator, will be held today (Thursday) at noon at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Girard died April 6 at Tufts New England Medical Center of complications from leukemia.

He was a former machinist for Bethlehem Steel at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy and a teacher for the Jobs Corps program in New York, as well as a business machine service manager, salesman, construction foreman, entrepreneur and tavern manager.

He also owned a stationery and tobacco store and later was a courier. He wrote a political column for the *Braintree Forum* offering "Musings from the Stall."

He formerly lived in Haverstraw, N.Y., where he was a political activist. He was a candidate for village trustee.

Mr. Girard enjoyed teaching. As a younger man, he enjoyed candlepin bowling, and throughout his life was an avid horse racing enthusiast.

ast. He spent many years coaching senior little league baseball teams in Massachusetts and New York and was president of the West Nyack, N.Y., Babe Ruth League from 1977 to 1979.

Mr. Girard was a member of the Quincy Elks.

He is survived by two sons, Stephen Girard of Tallman, N.Y., and Paul Girard of Suffern, N.Y.; two daughters, Marilyn Mills of Manchester, N.H., and Kathleen Doyle of New Windsor, N.Y.; a brother, Robert Girard of Hudson, N.H.; two sisters, Maryann Blair of Hingham and Marguerite Saker of Longwood, Fla.; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at a later date in New York.

A visitation period will be held prior to the service beginning at 11 a.m. today (Thursday).

Memorial donations may be made to The Neely House at Tufts-NEMC, 750 Washington St., Boston, MA 02111.

Mary E. Galante, 71 Retired Sales Clerk

A funeral Mass for Mary E. (Sullivan) Galante, 71, of Quincy, a retired sales clerk, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Galante died April 3 at Quincy Medical Center.

She had worked at TJ Maxx in Braintree for 13 years. She retired in 2006.

She enjoyed giving out lollipops to children at the store.

Born in Quincy, she graduated from Quincy High School in 1954.

She was a Red Sox fan and enjoyed dancing and bowling. She was a member of St. Ann's Bowling League.

Mrs. Galante enjoyed volunteering with mentally challenged children and vacationing on Cape Cod. She had visited the Irish Village in Yarmouth for the past 10 years.

Wife of the late Robert O. Galante, she is survived by two sisters, Sister Ellen Sullivan of Windham, N.H., and Kathleen Gemeski of Toms River, N.J.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, 1309 Beacon St., Brookline, MA 02446-9918.

Shaina Rubin-Rausch

Shaina Beth Rubin-Rausch of Quincy died March 31.

She is survived by a daughter, Katherine A. Rausch of Arizona; friends, Paul Tupper and John Maher;

lenged children and vacationing on Cape Cod. She had visited the Irish Village in Yarmouth for the past 10 years.

Wife of the late Robert O. Galante, she is survived by two sisters, Sister Ellen Sullivan of Windham, N.H., and Kathleen Gemeski of Toms River, N.J.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, 1309 Beacon St., Brookline, MA 02446-9918.

and many aunts, uncles, cousins and nieces.

Memorial visitation was held at Paul Buonfiglio & Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, Revere.

John A. Brennick Sr., 70 Retired Entrepreneur

A funeral service for John A. Brennick Sr., 70, of Quincy, a retired entrepreneur, was held April 7 at J.S. Waterman & Sons-Waring Funeral Home in Wellesley.

Mr. Brennick died April 2 at South Shore Hospital.

He owned and operated health care facilities.

Born in Somerville, he lived in Weston before moving to Quincy.

He is survived by two sons, John Brennick Jr. of Newtown, Pa., and Michael Brennick of Malden; a stepdaughter, Liane Dobson of Mendham, N.J.; a grandson, two former wives, Helga Brennick of Stoughton and Elaine Brennick of Mendham, N.J.; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Newton Cemetery.

Margaret Berger, 74

A memorial service for Margaret (Beattie) Berger, 74, of Squantum and Palm Beach, Fla., was held April 7 at United First Parish Church, Quincy Center.

Mrs. Berger died April 4 at Massachusetts General Hospital after a brief illness.

Born in State Island, N.Y., she moved to Squantum in 1961.

She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Richard Berger; four daughters, Kerry

DeWolfe of Vermont, Blythe McLaughlin of Arizona, Kristin Luna of George and Killeen Nielsen of Montana; two brothers, Donald Beattie of Jacksonville, Fla., and Thomas Beattie of Brookings, S.D.; seven grandchildren; a great-granddaughter; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by MacKinnon Funeral Home, Whitman.

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Some of the world's most talented people have never been paid a cent. They are called volunteers. They take time from their work, their leisure, their home-life to volunteer their talents and their energies. Volunteerism is in the spotlight this week. It is the time to publicly thank them for their work and let them know that it is valuable and important to us.

This week is the time to make an effort to look around and see who is doing what to help out... Look at the nursing homes and hospitals and you'll see men and women finding time to visit with the residents and help the staff... Look at the schools and you'll see people who serve on committees, who donate materials, who help raise funds all for the love of doing... Look at the churches and you'll see people who give their time to sing in the choir, and work on committees... You'll see people who deeply care about their community and want to work to make it better, honor it and tell others about it.

When asked why the volunteer, the most popular reason heard will be, "Because I care. I want to help."... We ask that our readers join us in saluting the volunteers in our community... Let us show them that because they care, we care about them!

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Lynne M. Beaton, 45

Equipment Operator For Postal Service

A funeral Mass for Lynne M. Beaton, 45, of North Quincy, an equipment operator for the U.S. Postal Service, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Miss Beaton died April 5 suddenly at home.

Born in Boston, she was a lifelong resident of North Quincy.

She was a 1980 graduate of Archbishop Williams High School in Braintree.

Miss Beaton worked 20 years in the General Mail Facility of the U.S. Postal Service at South Postal Annex in Boston. She worked as an equipment operator.

She loved animals and was very generous to several organizations that cared for animals.

An avid Boston Bruins fan for many years, she rooted for "her team" even when they were not having a good season.

Daughter of the late Donald A. and Margaret C. (McCabe) Beaton, she is sur-



LYNNE M. BEATON

vived by two sisters, Debra J. Beaton of North Quincy and Cheryl A. Peterson of Rockland; a brother, Stephen D. Beaton of North Quincy; a niece, Kerri Lee Peterson; a nephew, Scott Peterson; and a grandniece, Madelyn Grace Peterson.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, 326 Granite St., Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy Animal Shelter, P.O. Box 88, Quincy, MA 02169.

Mary N. Cram, 81

Broadway Musical Performer

A funeral Mass for Mary N. (Norton) Cram, 81, of Punta Gorda, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a former Broadway musical performer and certified nursing assistant, was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart Church in Punta Gorda.

Mrs. Cram died April 2. She was a graduate of the Juilliard School. She sang at the Metropolitan Opera in New York City and performed musical theater on Broadway.

Mrs. Cram also worked in the intensive care unit of Charlotte Regional Medical Center for 26 years.

Born in Quincy, she moved from Kansas City,

Kansas, to Punta Gorda in her late 60s.

She was a member of Sacred Heart Church and was former president and a member of the Ladies Guild.

Wife of the late John Cram, she is survived by a son, David Cram; a brother, Charles Norton; 37 nieces and nephews; and many great-nieces and great-nephews.

She was the mother of the late William Cram.

Burial was in Royal Palm Memorial Gardens, Florida.

Funeral arrangements were made by Kays-Ponger Funeral Homes and Cremation Services, Punta Gorda.

William H. O'Connell, 64

Plumbing, Heating Sales Manager

A funeral Mass for William H. "Oakie" O'Connell, 64, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a national sales manager in the plumbing and heating industry, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy Center.

Mr. O'Connell died Sunday at South Shore Hospital. Raised in the Houghs Neck section of Quincy, he had lived in Weymouth for 20 years.

He was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Mr. O'Connell was an Army veteran of the Vietnam War.

He was a sports fan, especially of the New England Patriots.

He enjoyed grilling, gambling and traveling to Las Vegas, Hawaii, Florida and California.

He is survived by his wife, Donna M. (Fullerton) O'Connell; two daughters, Kay Duffy of East Bridgewater and Kris Knight of West Palm Beach, Fla.; a son, Jack Magee of Panama City, Fla.; three sisters, Noreen Van Etta of Rockland, Deborah Damiano of Wareham and Christine Spencer of Harwich; and three grandchildren.

Burial will be in Fairmount Cemetery, Weymouth.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at McDonald Funeral Home, 809 Main St., Weymouth.

Council On Aging

In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Grace D. Cochrane

Former Model

A funeral Mass for Grace Delia (Collins) Cochrane of North Quincy, a former model, was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Cochrane died April 6 at Quincy Medical Center after a long battle with cancer.

A lifelong resident of North Quincy, she graduated from North Quincy High School in 1974.

She was born in Boston. For a period of time in her late teens and early 20s, Mrs. Cochrane modeled for the Hart Modeling Agency in Boston.

She is survived by a daughter, Corinna Cochrane

of North Quincy; her father, Cecil "Chip" Collins of Quincy; two brothers, Walter Collins of West Roxbury and Luke Collins of Brockton; two sisters, Carole Collins of Dorchester and Cecile Colarusso of Naples, Fla.; and her former husband, Edward Cochrane. She was the daughter of the late Ellen (Gibbs) Collins.

Burial was in Forest Hills Cemetery, Jamaica Plain.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Corinna K. Cochrane Trust Fund, c/o Citizens Bank, 420 Granite Ave., Milton, MA 02186.

Bertha M. Buckley, 90

Retired Restaurant Hostess

A funeral Mass for Bertha M. Buckley, 90, of Quincy, a retired restaurant hostess and receptionist, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 9 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Buckley died Monday at William B. Rice Eventide Nursing Home in Quincy.

She worked at the Hollow Restaurant in Quincy for many years.

Born in Boston, she lived

in Quincy for more than 30 years.

She was a volunteer at the Eventide Home for several years.

She was the wife of the late Norman J. Buckley.

Burial will be in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Runo Erickson, 86

Worked At Fore River Shipyard

A private funeral service will be held at a later date for Runo Erickson, 86, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy. Mr. Runo died Sunday at Weymouth Healthcare after a brief illness.

He worked at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy and for the U.S. Postal Service. Born in Sweden, Mr. Erickson lived in Quincy most of his life.

He served for 20 years in the U.S. military. During World War II, he was sta-

tioned in Europe and Africa.

Mr. Erickson was a member of Furnace Brook Golf Course and was a fan of the Boston Red Sox.

He enjoyed writing letters to newspapers.

He is survived by his daughter, Christina Erickson; two granddaughters, and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Lucia Debreczeni

A funeral service for Lucia Debreczeni of Quincy was held Wednesday at Lydon Funeral Chapel, 644 Hancock St., Wollaston.

She died April 6.

She is survived by a son, Charles Debreczeni of Quincy; two sisters, Angela

Boldescu of Quincy and Vica Alosi of California; four grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She was the mother of the late George Debreczeni.

Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Dorchester.

Help With Simple Wills Monthly

Atty. Ed Conroy will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy, every third Friday of the month to assist the eld-

erly with a free explanation of simple wills.

Call 617-376-1506 for an appointment.

Vets Adviser

At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

SWAP Earns

Tax Abatements For Seniors

The Council on Aging has a SWAP (Senior Workers' Abatement Program) that enable the elderly to work 8 1/2 hours a year and earn \$600 towards their real estate tax bills.

For further details, call Dorothy Dow at 617-376-1508.

Nicholas K. Spiropoulos, 72

Contractor

A funeral service for Nicholas K. "Nick" Spiropoulos, 72, of Quincy, a contractor, will be held today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. at Saint Catherine Greek Orthodox Church.

Mr. Spiropoulos died Sunday at Quincy Medical Center.

Born in Sparta, Greece, he immigrated to the United States in 1961. He had lived in Quincy for 46 years.

He established his own contracting business, Spiropoulos and Son, over 40 years ago.

He was a member of the Vassara Society in Boston as well as an active member of St. Catherine's Greek Church.

Mr. Spiropoulos is survived by his wife, Argiro (Pappas) Spiropoulos, of Quincy; a son, Charles Spiropoulos of Quincy; two daughters, Dina Moutsopoulos of Quincy and Helen N. Primbas of Concord, OH; a sister, Arcti Sakellaris of Quincy; and six grandchildren.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 5 to 9 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Burial will be in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Catherine Greek Orthodox Church, Building Fund, 119 Common St., Braintree, MA 02184.

Selma Kasanoff, 80

Member Of Hadassah

A funeral service for Selma (Modelevsky) Kasanoff, 80, of Quincy, a member of Hadassah, will be held today (Thursday) at 1 p.m. at Stanetsky Memorial Chapel, 475 Washington St., Canton.

Mrs. Kasanoff died April 5.

She worked at Bell Shops and as a secretary at the R.H. Stearns Department Store in Boston.

She had also worked in the pharmacy of International Ladies Garment Workers Union and as a secretary at the Richardson Insurance Agency in Hull.

Born in Boston, Mrs.

Kasanoff lived in Wilmington for a few years before moving to Roxbury and then to Dorchester.

She was a graduate of Dorchester High School for Girls.

She was a longtime resident of Hull.

Wife of the late Sidney Kasanoff, she is survived by two sons, Howard Kasanoff of Hull and Leonard Kasanoff of Quincy; a daughter, Leslie Kasanoff of Los Osos, Calif.; a brother, Irving Modelevsky of Falmouth; a sister, Jean Gerstein of Foxboro and Delray Beach, Fla.; and five grandchildren.

John A. Brennick Sr., 70

Retired Entrepreneur

A funeral service for John A. Brennick Sr., 70, of Quincy, a retired entrepreneur, was held April 7 at J.S. Waterman & Sons' Waring Funeral Home in Wellesley.

Mr. Brennick died April 2 at South Shore Hospital.

He owned and operated health care facilities.

Born in Somerville, he lived in Weston before moving to Quincy.

He is survived by two sons, John Brennick Jr. of Newtown, Pa., and Michael Brennick of Malden; a stepdaughter, Liane Dobson of Mendham, N.J.; a grandson, two former wives, Helga Brennick of Stoughton and Elaine Brennick of Mendham, N.J., and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Newton Cemetery.



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RELIGION

Community Pot Luck Dinner Saturday At First Church Of Squantum

The First Church of Squantum will host a community pot luck dinner Saturday, April 12 at 6 p.m. in the church hall, 174 Bellevue Rd., on the corner of Huckins Ave.

Those planning to attend should bring a dish to share.

The book club will meet May 1 at 7 p.m. in the church parlor. The book to be discussed is *The Book Seller* of

Kabul, written by Anse Seirstad. The group has chosen the new book by the Boston surgeon, Atul Gawande, entitled *Better: A Surgeon's Notes on Performance* for discussion at its June 5th meeting.

Beginning on Monday, April 23 at 7 p.m., an ongoing weekly program will begin exploring the ideas behind the best selling book

and DVD, *The Secret*. The ideas contained in *The Secret* can be found in many places and there is a long history of the principles of these ideas leading to success in many aspects of life.

The public is invited to attend the meetings.

For more information, contact Emily Robertson, Ph.D., at 617-479-1624.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy sponsor a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group.

The evenings provide an opportunity to deepen one's relationship with Christ and

be supported by the presence of other faith-filled women.

All are welcome.

The prayer group meets on the third Tuesday of every month. The next meeting is April 17 from 7 to 8:15 p.m.

in St. Joseph's Rectory Conference Room.

For more information, contact Sister Pat Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's) or Dorothy Ruggiero at 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Spiritual Program For Women In May

A five week spiritual program for women in recovery will be held each Wednesday evening in May from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Maria Droste Services, 1354 Hancock St., Quincy.

St. Kathy Short, CSJ, will be the facilitator of the pro-

gram entitled "Chaos to Grace." The weekly fee will range from \$10 to \$30 for participants.

"Recovery is the discovery of your truest self, one glorious step at a time," is the motto of the program.

This group program, "Chaos to Grace" will focus on relaxation, sharing, meditation and body exercises. Interested persons may contact the center at 617-471-5686 for additional information.

St. Mary School Students Compete In Irish Cultural Fair



IRISH CULTURAL CENTRE of New England invited the students of Grades 5-8 of St. Mary School to participate in a writing competition as part of the 3rd Annual Irish Cultural Fair at the Irish Cultural Centre of New England in Canton, Massachusetts. Students were instructed to work as individuals or in teams of four or less to research any aspect of Irish or Irish-American culture. A written paper, an oral presentation, and a visual display were required. Awards accepted by St. Mary School students (from left to right) are: Best Historical Figure - Victoria McIntyre, Grade 5; Best Folklore Report - Nicole Quinn and Bianca DiMaggio, Grade 6; Best Religious Biography - Kaitlyn Alzened and Cristina Tinney, Grade 6.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship and Baptism and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C.

Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "Perfect Forever." Childcare is available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship

service, there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

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Coffee and Conversation following service.
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Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400
Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 9:00 PM
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM
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Worship and Church School 10 am
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7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

Bank Of Canton Launches Convenience Checking

James D. Egan, President and Chief Executive Officer of Bank of Canton, announces Bank of Canton's newest consumer checking account: Convenience Checking.

With Convenience Checking, Bank of Canton customers won't be charged for using any of the 400,000 ATMs nationwide and will automatically receive a refund for ATM fees up to \$15 per month.

"Many large, national banks charge non-customers two dollars or more every time they use their ATMs. For most community bank customers, these ATM access fees add up very quickly," said Egan. "Now, with Convenience Checking, Bank of Canton customers can use any ATM they choose throughout the country without having to worry about ATM fees."

With Convenience Checking, Bank of Canton offers "big bank" convenience to the neighborhood level. The bank already offers free online banking and bill pay and online mortgage applications.

"Bank of Canton prides itself on bringing the latest trends in banking to the community level," said Anthony Caruso, Senior Vice President of Branch Administration at Bank of Canton. "Our customers can have the individualized service, low fees and competitive rates of a community bank with the convenience and access of a large national bank. With Convenience Checking, we're proud to offer worry free access to twenty-five times more ATMs nationwide than our largest competitors."

In launching the new account, Bank of Canton will be giving away a trip for two to Hawaii. "What better way to say 'aloha' to ATM fees than to have two lucky customers experience the benefits of Convenience Checking first-hand while on a great Hawaiian vacation."

said Caruso.

Additionally, the Hawaiian theme will be present throughout Bank of Canton branches through April to June. Each branch will feature Hawaiian music and decorations, along with fresh pineapple, punch and leis for branch visitors. Additionally, on Saturdays throughout April and May, various branches will offer hula dancing lessons and Hula Hoop contests for children.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0724EP**
In the Estate of
JOHN M. FOGARTY AKA
JOHN FOGARTY, JR.
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
March 9, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JOHN J. SHEEDY of SOUTH DENNIS in the County of BARNSTABLE or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 9, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 29, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/12/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**CITY OF QUINCY AND
QUINCY-WEYMOUTH CONSORTIUM
FY 2007-2008 ACTION PLAN**

On or about May 15, 2007 the City of Quincy and the Quincy-Weymouth Consortium will submit to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development their One-Year Action Plan for addressing Community Development; Housing; Homeless and Special Needs, as well as an analysis of impediments to fair housing; and the identification of programs that provide decent housing, a suitable living environment and expanded economic opportunities, primarily for low and moderate-income persons under Quincy's Community Development Block Grant and Emergency Shelter Grant and the Consortium's HOME program. A draft of this annual update will be available for viewing starting April 16, 2007 at the Department of Planning and Community Development, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington Street, Quincy, MA 02169, and the Department of Planning and Community Development, 75 Middle Street, Weymouth, MA 02189. All comments must be received in writing to the Department of Planning and Community Development, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 by May 11, 2007 at 12:00 P.M.
4/12/07

Winners of each Hula Hoop contest will receive a \$50 travelers cheque, four tickets to the opening night game for the Brockton Rox on May 25 and the chance to compete in a final Hula Hoop contest for the grand prize: a TomTom One GPS navigation system that can give the winner and his or her family turn-by-turn directions to any ATM nationwide, including Alaska and Hawaii.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0398-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION
ANA AMARAL, Plaintiff(s)
v.
PAULO DO AMARAL,
Defendant(s)**
To the above named Defendant(s):
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), ANA AMARAL, seeking DIVORCE.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon ANA AMARAL, whose address is 7-2-5 BROAD STREET, WEYMOUTH, MA 02189, your answer on or before 6/22/07. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 23rd day of MARCH, 07.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/12, 4/19, 4/26/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, APRIL 24, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Barbara Jodrey for a Variance to convert the existing single family to a single family with an in-law apartment in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.28.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 70 WALNUT STREET, QUINCY, 4/5, 4/12/07
Martin Aikens, Chairman

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Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0359-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION
SYED IRFAN, Plaintiff(s)
v.
PATRICIA LIGHTBODY,
Defendant(s)**
To the above named Defendant(s):
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), SYED IRFAN, seeking DIVORCE.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon WILLIAM GILLESPIE, PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY, whose address is 1-0-5-6 CENTRAL STREET, STOUGHTON, MA 02072, your answer on or before 6/15, 2007. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 22nd day of MARCH, 2007.

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0727EP**
In the Estate of
SOPHIE S. SMALL
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 21, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that CYNTHIA S. McDONALD of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 9, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 29, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/12/07

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Martin Aikens, Chairman

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

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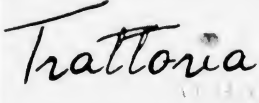
Classes for the new version of the Citizens Emergency Response Team (CERT) will be held on Tuesdays May 1, 8, 15 and 22 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Richard Koch Park and Recreation Complex. One Merry Mount Parkway.

CERT members will help the city's Public Safety Departments during storms and other emergencies. Anyone 18 years and older is eligible.

Areas to be covered in the classes will be instructions on the operations of HAM radios, demonstrations from

the Fire and Police Departments and updates from the Health Department on pandemic flu, CPR procedures and first aid.

To register for the classes, call the Quincy Emergency Management Agency at 617-376-1105 before April 26.



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QUINCY MEDICAL CENTER Vice President of Development Christopher Mosher (center) accepts the "Quarterback of the Year" award on behalf of Quincy Medical Center from Doug Flutie (left) and Richard Holbrook, President of Eastern Bank (right).

Funds To support Emergency Department Initiatives Flutie Presents 'Quarterback Award' To Quincy Medical Center

Doug Flutie recently presented the "Quarterback Award" to Quincy Medical Center. The award acknowledges Quincy Medical Center's recent successful grant application for \$25,000 from Eastern Bank.

The funds will support two important initiatives in the Hospital's Emergency Department (ED).

QMC plans to develop a

Pediatric-specific section within the ED to provide specialized, expert pediatric emergency care in a child friendly environment. The Pediatric ED will be a four-room space, equipped and decorated to be child-friendly. The space will have a distinct waiting room that is separate from the main ED waiting area.

The hospital also is working to develop the capacity and best practices to ensure that a Physician or Mid-level Provider sees 90% of ED patients within 30 minutes of the patient's arrival in the Department. That program is known as "30 Minutes to an M.D. Project."

"These two initiatives respond to specific community needs and help Quincy Medical Center continue to provide high quality, patient-

centered care in the ED," said Chris Mosher, vice president of Development, who accepted the award from Flutie on behalf of QMC.

Eastern Bank is a loyal supporter of Quincy Medical Center. Previously, the Bank provided funds for the renovation and expansion of the ED's Fast Track Service. The four-bed Fast Track Service is now accessible 20 hours daily and provides urgent, walk-in care for adults and children with minor medical problems, illness, or injuries including sore throat pain, a cut that needs to be stitched, or a broken bone.

Fast Track has had a positive impact on the level of service, enabling the Emergency Department staff to focus on more critical, complex patient cases.



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AN OSPREY, also known as a Sea Eagle, perches over its nest on a pole in the Squantum marsh which turned into a river by an unusually high tide caused by this week's northeast storm that beset Quincy for the most part.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

City 'Very Fortunate' Preparations, Wind Shift Lessens Storm Damage

By TOM HENSHAW

Once again, Quincy appeared to have dodged the bullet in a major northeast storm that wracked the New England coast, thanks mainly to a last minute shift in the wind and sound preparations by city workers.

But Tom Gorman, the director of Emergency Management, warned that the city was not out of danger yet.

"If we get by today we'll be all right," he said late Tuesday afternoon. "Today's high tide is no problem but

tonight's high tide is a big one. That may be more of a problem."

The National Weather Service in Boston was forecasting as much as a two-foot storm surge.

Up til Tuesday, Gorman said, the city had done "fairly well" despite the torrential rain and winds that gusted up to 50 miles an hour in some spots.

"We were fortunate," he said, "that the wind went southeast Sunday night. It helped alleviate the high tide.

We surveyed the shoreline and found the water was well within its banks.

"We did a lot of preparation, too. Water and Sewer closed the tide gates to avoid inundating the Black's Creek Basin. The DPW maintained the brooks and cleared the drains."

Brian Carlisle, the water and sewer superintendent, reported that his crews operated about 30 pumps citywide Sunday and Monday to fight rising water in

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Campaign Kick-Off April 26 Phelan Running For 4th Term On 'Proud Record'

Mayor William Phelan is running for a fourth term on his "proud record" and accomplishments.

Phelan will kick-off his re-election campaign Thursday, April 26 at 7 p.m. at the Quincy Lodge of Elks, 254 Quarry St.

Tickets are \$20 and can be obtained at the door, his committee said.

"I look forward to knocking doors, visiting the supermarkets, senior buildings and coffee shops to talk about what we have accomplished together over the past five years," said Phelan.

"We have turned the city's finances around completely and we are now reaping the benefits of our hard work and reinvesting in our city and its neighborhoods. I am proud of my record and I



WILLIAM PHELAN

hope to continue my success over the next five years."

Phelan cited major milestones including:

- Making Quincy the second safest city in Massachusetts

- Creating more than 150 new, affordable housing units for seniors

- Instituting all-day kindergarten and smaller class sizes in all schools

- The upcoming construction of the new Quincy High School

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Delay May Have Saved His Life Quincy Student Misses Virginia Tech Massacre

Jennifer McCauley Logue, the daughter of the former mayor, teaches a class Mondays at Eastern Nazarene College — and it may have saved the life of her son, Bryan.

The Logues, Jennifer, husband David and the kids, were due to journey Blacksburg, Va., for Hokie Focus, a special weekend for accepted students at Virginia Tech, of which Bryan is one.

"But because I teach a class on Mondays at Eastern Nazarene, I couldn't leave

until tomorrow (Tuesday) morning," she said.

"So Dave drove to Virginia on Saturday and was visiting with his parents until I could join them.

"We were scheduled to visit Virginia Tech on Thursday with Bryan staying overnight on campus and then visiting classes on Friday.

"Even more disturbing is that Bryan is planning to major in engineering.

"So, if it hadn't been for my ENC class, he likely would have been there today

Monday, a single-credit engineering class at the time of the shootings.

As the world knows now, that was the day a disgruntled student shot up an engineering class at Virginia Tech, leaving 30 students and instructors dead.

"I'm still flying down to Virginia tomorrow (Tuesday)," said Jennifer Logue "but we've obviously canceled our plans to visit on Thursday.

"And we will be reevaluating his decision to attend Virginia Tech."



Matthew Coughlin Youth Delegate At Washington, D.C. Conference

Matthew Coughlin of Quincy, a junior at Boston College High School, was a Youth Delegate to the recent National League of Cities Congressional Cities Conference in Washington D.C.

Coughlin joined with 180 high school students representing cities and towns from across the country in this annual event which is designed in part to bring together young people interested in the betterment of their communities and becoming future leaders.

Coughlin participated in workshops on the federal budget process, education reform, energy and the environment. He also had the opportunity to meet with many elected officials including Senator and Presidential candidate Christopher Dodd of Connecticut, Massachusetts Senator John Kerry, and Congressman William Delahunt.

Coughlin joined Adrian Lentz, the mayor of Washington D.C., at a Congressional Hearing on legislation



MATTHEW COUGHLIN of Quincy, a junior at Boston College High School, is greeted by Connecticut Senator Chris Dodd at the recent National League of Cities Congressional Cities Conference in Washington D.C.

that would provide the District of Columbia with a voting member of the House of Representatives. Coughlin

hopes to follow-up on programs he learned of regarding youth participation in government.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Pageant Field Likely Choice

\$1M Track Project Moving Ahead

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Quincy's million dollar track project appears to be moving ahead and Pageant Field appears to be the favorite site.

It's been a long haul for Quincy's track enthusiasts who have been years without a regulation track while other sports in Quincy got new state-of-the-art stadiums and fields.

That may change soon. In the past two weeks, there have been three meetings scheduled on the track project and the mayor has already sought City Council approval of a million dollar bond.

"It looks like it's moving now," Geoffrey Hennessy, Director of Quincy Track Club, said this week, after noting that there's been silence on the entire issue for more than two years. "My phone never rang."

"I'd like to see a shovel go in the ground and get this thing going," said Hennessy who is, also, the head track coach for the city's high school program and site director for the middle schools program.

"The track community wants the Pageant Field site," said Hennessy of the proposed new track. He is also a Quincy High School biology teacher.

Hennessy explained that the Pageant Field site is clean with no environmental issues. It's also located midway between Quincy and North Quincy High School and handy for Central Middle School.

Track is a popular sport in Quincy where 130 students are enrolled in the high school program and 450 at the middle school level. In fact, Hennessy said that the middle school track numbers are up from 360 last year.

Contacted on Monday, Hennessy had spent the day as a volunteer at Boston's Marathon. Over the years, he said he's seen more Quincy track alumni there at the finish line than he can count. Hennessy himself ran Boston's race 19 times.

At this time, Hennessy said Quincy's track practices are being held at Cavanaugh Field which he describes as "second-rate." It's only one fifth of a mile instead of the standard one quarter mile and there's no good place for discus or javelin practice.

"It's good in a pinch,"

Hennessy said of Cavanaugh Field. "Quincy's one of the few communities in the entire state" with one/fifth mile tracks, rather than the standard quarter mile tracks which he calls dinosaurs.

Serious efforts to move the track project forward quickly appear to be underway now. After two years' silence, there have been three discussions of the proposed track scheduled in the past two weeks.

On April 9, the City Council considered a request by Mayor William Phelan to authorize a million dollar bond issue for constructing and equipping the new track. There were no details provided with the request and councillors discussed potential sites and funding issues.

After considerable debate that night, Councillors voted to send the request to the Finance Committee and Parks and Recreation Committee.

On April 10, the following night, some 40 parents, school and city officials reviewed proposals for the track at Koch Center on Merrymount Rd.

This week, a joint meeting of the Finance Committee and Park and Recreation Committee was scheduled on Tuesday after *The Sun's* deadline. Both committees could recommend issuing the bond.

However, the City Council can not officially approve the bond until May as all bond proposals must be advertised and the subject of public hearings. The public notice is currently underway.

"We can not vote on this even if we want to," Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond said this week after citing the legal mandates. Raymond is chair of the Parks and Recreation Committee.

This week, City Solicitor Monica Cunningham is scheduled to address the joint meeting of the Finance and Parks and Recreation committees. She is expected to outline Mayor Phelan's recommendation for Pageant Field and to discuss removing the million dollar track project from the school building budget.

Earlier this week, Mark

C. Jaehnig, Executive Director of the Park Department, outlined the various options already considered for the new track which requires a minimum area of 600 by 900 feet.

Faxon Field, Faxon Park and the Department of Public Works site on Sea Street all had either conservation, wetlands or environmental issues, according to Jaehnig. He also noted that Squantum Point Park was also on the list but ownership issues and location eliminated that spot.

"No matter what site you pick, not everybody is going to be happy," Jaehnig said, adding, "The only viable option is Pageant Field. That's my understanding."

As for the track community, Jaehnig said, "I think the track community is desperate. They've gone without a track for two, three, years." In fact, he noted that some kids may finish their entire high school career without an official track.

While there are numerous questions about the timing and the rush on the track project now, several city councillors appear eager to get the project moving.

"I hope we move very quickly," Councillor Joseph Finn said at the April 9 meeting, adding that track parents are frustrated that track is considered the "step-child of sports (in Quincy)."

"There's a lot of folks out there just tired of this," Finn said, adding it's time to "get going. We can have a track and facility that they can be proud of."

At the same April 9 meeting, not everyone favored the Pageant Field location. Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin called the delay "an excruciating long time" but felt that track parents don't favor either one of the locations considered.

Councillor Michael McFarland said the city is going to have to tear up brand new facilities in order to build the track at Pageant Field. "We're now going to go in and tear that up when it's not even paid for," McFarland said.

Funds for the bond payments are expected to be raised through motel and hotel taxes.



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State Says Phelan Did Not Violate Election Law On Newsletter Mailing

Mayor William Phelan did not violate election law when he had the newsletter "Quincy View" mailed in the same envelope with census forms to every home in Quincy at city expense.

So ruled the State Office of Campaign & Political Finance on a complaint by Tom Koch, the mayor's challenger in the fall election, that the publicly funded mailing was political in nature.

Director Michael Sullivan noted that the newsletter contained a picture of Phelan but also information concerning various city projects and local issues.

"It would appear," said Sullivan in a letter to Phelan, "that the mailing of 'Quincy

View' was designed to serve the governmental purpose of keeping your constituents informed.

"This newsletter did not urge recipients to vote for or against any candidate or solicit campaign contributions.

"Therefore, it is our opinion that the distribution of the newsletter did not violate the campaign finance law."

The Phelan campaign quickly switched to the attack.

"It's one thing when a politician throws some mud to try to trick voters into believing some smear or lie against an opponent, as Koch did against the mayor," said spokeswoman Kathy Bowes, "But it's another thing

when voters realize that Koch deliberately wasted weeks of an important state agency's time and wasted thousands of taxpayers' dollars just to get a cheap, baseless headline."

"Mayor Phelan has worked tirelessly to open up Quincy City Hall to keep residents informed and to seek their ideas and suggestions.

"The mailing was part of that new openness in city government, part of running an open, responsive city government.

"Perhaps Tom Koch doesn't understand that kind of open government but the commission clearly agreed that this was entirely proper."



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN met recently with the committee planning the 25th Quincy Senior Olympics May 7-15 and proclaimed this week as Quincy's First Seniors Festival. With him from left are Tom Clashy, executive director Quincy Council on Aging; Sharron Beals, executive director Beechwood Community Life Center; Mayor Phelan; Maryann Mahony, Beechwood Center; Barry Welch, executive director Quincy Recreation Department and Tom Largey, executive secretary to the mayor.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

Mayor Invites Seniors To Take Part In Olympic Games

The following is a letter from Mayor William Phelan and the City's Senior Olympics Committee:

Welcome to the 25th Annual Quincy Senior Olympics Games, and Quincy's 1st Seniors Festival Week, an excellent sports festival for adults 55 years of age and older.

We encourage your fitness, health and wellness. We believe that being involved in the Senior Games

fosters all of these aspects, for both physical and mental health.

On behalf of the Olympics Committee, sponsors, supporters and volunteers, we invite your participation and welcome you to another wonderful week of fun, fellowship and fitness! Your participation in these events illustrates your commitment to an active and healthy lifestyle. Your actions send a

positive message to others, making you a role model to be admired.

We extend our thanks to the local businesses, civic organizations, agencies and volunteers who make this Olympics event happen. It is this community spirit that brings people together, facilitates goodwill and makes the City of Quincy a better place to live.

Be proud! Enjoy!

Two Rescued, Two Hurt In Wollaston Fire

Two men were rescued over ladders from a third floor roof and two firefighters were injured early Friday morning as fire swept through the upper story of a two family house at 4-6 Merrymount Ave. Wollaston.

Damage was estimated at \$300,000.

Tuan Lam, 27, owner of the house, and his brother, Liem Lam, 30, were trapped on the roof when their escape was blocked by fire on the second floor stairway.

They were lowered to safety over ground and aerial ladders by Lt. Ron Shannon and Firefighters Mark Paolucci, Jack Caddington and Paul Kearns of Ladder 2 in Wollaston.

Lt. John Carroll and Firefighter Michael Slade were treated for injuries and returned to the fire scene.

All 11 occupants of the building escaped unscathed.

The fire was believed to have started in an electrical malfunction in a third floor closet but the state fire marshal has opened an investigation into the cause.

The blaze was discovered shortly before 6 a.m. by Yellow Cab driver Charlie Hattenburg who spotted black smoke emanating through the third floor roof.

He called 911 and began pounding on the door, shouting "Fire! Fire!" to wake up the first floor residents. Smoke detectors roused those on the second and third floors.

"The fast response action and bravery displayed by our fire department continues to cement their reputation as one of the finest departments around," said Mayor William Phelan.

"This incident is a reminder to us all that we should check our home fire alarms on a regular scheduled basis.

"The functioning alarms combined with the firefighters' response to save lives that morning."

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**Moments
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THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On April 12, 1633, the inquisition of physicist and astronomer Galileo Galilei for holding the heretical belief that the Earth revolves around the Sun begins. Galileo agreed not to teach the heresy anymore and spent the rest of his life under house arrest. It took more than 300 years for the Church to admit that Galileo was right and to clear his name of heresy.

• On April 9, 1859, a 23-year-old Missouri youth named Samuel Langhorne Clemens receives his steamboat pilot's license. During his time as a pilot, he picked up the term "Mark Twain," a boatman's call noting that the river was only two fathoms deep, the minimum depth for safe navigation. In 1861 he wrote a humorous travel letter signed by "Mark Twain" and continued to use the pseudonym for nearly 50 years.

• On April 15, 1924, Rand McNally releases its first comprehensive road atlas. Today Rand McNally is the world's largest maker of atlases in print and electronic media.

• On April 10, 1933, Presi-

dent Franklin D. Roosevelt establishes the Civilian Conservation Corps, a federally funded organization that put Americans to work on conservation projects during the Great Depression. From 1933 to 1942, the CCC employed more than 3 million men.

• On April 11, 1945, the American Third Army liberates the Buchenwald concentration camp, near Weimar, Germany. Among those saved by the Americans was Elie Wiesel, who would go on to win the Nobel Peace Prize in 1986.

• On April 14, 1975, the American airlift of Vietnamese orphans to the United States ends after 2,600 children are transported to America. Operation Baby Lift was initiated to bring South Vietnamese orphans to the United States for adoption by American parents.

• On April 13, 1986, the cast of the popular "The Andy Griffith Show" is reunited for a one-time television special. "The Andy Griffith Show" ran from 1960 to 1968.

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**Sunbeams**

By Henry Bosworth

Phelan, Koch Gear It Up

It should come as no surprise: Mayor William Phelan is definitely running for a fourth term.

He has a campaign kickoff set for Thursday, April 26 at 7 p.m. in the Tirrell Room at the Quincy Lodge of Elks, 254 Quarry St., West Quincy.

Tom Koch got his campaign off to an earlier start announcing in January as a serious challenger should o. But mayoral incumbents traditionally have more time in their favor and don't have to start gearing things up until later.

Amelio Della Chiesa who served four Plan A terms as mayor never got around to announcing his candidacy for re-election until July 31, his birthday. He liked keep'em guessing.

At \$20 per, Phelan's campaign kickoff-like Koch's last week is not so much a fundraiser, as it is a show of support.

Koch was pleased-and encouraged-by the turnout at his kickoff at the Granite Links Golf Club.

The \$20 per event, drew a crowd estimated at up to nearly 1,500 on a cold, rainy night.

"Some 1,200 signed in," Koch says. "And a couple hundred or more who were there didn't."

Money-wise, it netted about \$15,000 after expenses.

But says Koch:

"Money is important in a mayoral campaign. But people are more important. Money doesn't vote. People do."

But money does pay for the advertising, polls and other political necessities that help get people to come out and vote.

The so-called experts say you need at least \$150,000 to wage an effective mayoral campaign.

Phelan already has a war chest estimated at around \$180,000-or more.

Koch took a big step toward that \$150,000 at a fundraiser in February at the Quincy Neighborhood Club. With a suggested ticket range of \$125, \$250 and \$500, it realized over \$70,000.

Phelan won't draw that size crowd at the Elks that Koch did in the ballroom at the Granite Links Golf Club. The Elks' Tirrell Room is much smaller.

Koch, who resigned as executive director of the Parks-Forestry-Cemetery Departments to run for mayor, is Phelan's most formidable challenger since taking office in that stunning 17-vote upset win over six-term



PHELAN



KOCH

incumbent James Sheets in 2001.

Phelan was only in his second year as a school committee member when he challenged Sheets. And became the first mayor in 79 years to be elected without first serving in the city council.

And that, of course, is what Koch is hoping to duplicate this year himself.

Koch hasn't slowed down since announcing his candidacy in January. He has had some 28-coffee hours and has already knocked on some 200 doors in his grassroots campaign.

"Things are going pretty well," he says. "It's been encouraging but we still have a long way to go before the election."

It's shaping up as a good, old fashion-like mayor's race.

A strong incumbent. A strong challenger.

COUNCILLOR JOE FINN has a fundraiser coming up Wednesday, April 25, 7 to 8:30 p.m. at The Fours, Cottage Ave., Quincy Center.

The committee's invitation says: "Please join us when Joe will be announcing his plans for Quincy and the city in 2007."

The wording has some people thinking he's going to announce for mayor.

But, he's definitely not.

"I'm running for re-election as city councillor at large," he says.

And adds that he is sorry for any confusion there might have been over the invitation's wording.

Anyway, suggested donations are: \$30 per person, \$50 for two.



FINN

CHANGE OF PACE: Miriam Joseph passes along these "Remember When?" smiles:

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- Newsreels before the movie.
- Home milk delivery in glass bottles.
- Telephone numbers with a word prefix like Granite, President, Mayflower...
- You got your windshield cleaned and oil checked without asking. And you didn't pay for air.

Park Dept. To Host Yard Care Conference

The Park Department will host a Yard Care Conference Saturday, April 28 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

The event is admission free and open to all Quincy residents, with or without a green thumb.

"With the hope that spring will soon make its permanent arrival, residents will begin to prep their properties for the return of green grass, flowers, and unfortunately weeds and some other undesirable," said Mayor William Phelan. "The Yard Care Conference presents an opportunity to ask questions

and learn new skills from various flower, turf and tree experts to make the care and maintenance of lawns and gardens more manageable and enjoyable."

Topics covered will in-

Quincy's religious leaders, the epitome of diversity with close to 50 houses of worship to draw from, will hold another "Getting to Know You" meeting Tuesday, May 22, from 12:30 to 2 p.m. at the Wollaston Congregational Church, 48 Winthrop St.

The sessions are held so

clude flower gardens and perennials, lawn and turf maintenance and tree care. Presenters specializing in those fields will give a 15 to 20 minute talk with time for a question and answer ses-

sion. Coffee and light refreshments will be provided.

For more information, contact the Quincy Park Department at (617) 376-1251 or kkeohane@ci.quincy.ma.us.

'Getting To Know You' Clergy To Meet May 22

that the clergy men and women can better understand their denominational origins and the context in which they preach and teach in the many churches throughout the city.

All religious leaders in Quincy are invited to attend and are asked to RSVP to the

Rev. Mary Louise Gifford at 617-773-7432. Visit www.wollycong.org for directions to the church.

The first "Getting to Know You" meeting, a luncheon at Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy, March 27, was well-attended.

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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS 1909 real photo postcard is a view of the main house of the old Pratt Estate on Parke Avenue in Squantum when it became Lee's Inn. Note the sign on the top of the building. Mrs. Christina Lee operated the famous old inn here until 1916. She was the widow of James Lee who had previously owned the Old Squantum Inn near Squaw Rock. In 1919 after Mrs. Lee died, the inn closed and the land, which overlooks

Dorchester Bay, was divided into house lots and sold. Today, this building and an old barn behind it are used as residences. The porches, tower and other features have been removed so that it hardly resembles this picture. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

More Police Needed To Avoid Another Traffic Tragedy

Sometime soon, another tragic preventable death will occur outside of North Quincy High School as a result of the uncontrolled and chaotic traffic there every morning.

The recent changes implemented after the woman was killed have done little to alleviate this dangerous situation. In particular, the drivers who drop off students on the right hand side of West Squantum Street, near the old Foley Chrysler Plymouth Dealership, have created a hazard for the following reason.

Drivers become impatient and pass cars proceeding

straight ON THE INSIDE. The cars they are passing most often are stopped to allow students to cross the street within the crosswalks. Soon a car as a result of this will strike a student.

For a while, there was a police officer stationed here, but when he wasn't shooting the breeze and drinking coffee with the school security, he did very little by way of controlling traffic. In his defense there is probably too much traffic there for one officer to control effectively.

The fact that he simply parked his cruiser on the side of the road with the lights flashing only worsened the

situation because all it did was restrict an already congested traffic flow.

The situation is difficult to manage no doubt, but something has to be done before someone else is killed. The most logical solution seems to be to assign more officers to control the traffic. On officer, when he is there and actually decides to direct traffic instead of drinking coffee and shooting the breeze, is overwhelmed and ineffective.

I have actually been waved on and directed to proceed by the officer when there are students crossing the street behind him in the crosswalk. Obviously that is

not his fault, teenagers are unconscious in the morning and pay little attention to the traffic and what is going on around them.

There is just too much going on around there for one policeman to manage. There needs to be at least three or four policeman to manage the traffic that is turning on and off the various side streets and controlling the pedestrians.

Just drive by there in the morning. I am really tired of it. The place is a free-for-all and it is very, very clear there is ANOTHER tragedy waiting to happen.

Ed Brown
Connell Street

Says Governor Has Abandoned His Supporters

As of now I can count myself as being one of the many voters who were duped by the widespread appeal of the Patrick candidacy.

From the outset he was the only candidate who had the personality and poise to win the hearts and minds of a massive number of independent voters.

He sold the electorate a bill of goods solely on an appealing motto (that together we can) restore honesty and efficiency in the Massachusetts General Court.

But from all indicators he seems to have abandoned the strong support he received from voters of just about every political persuasion, by bowing to the whims and political will of the Speaker of the House and President

of the Senate.

His actions are no different from those who occupied the corner office before him. And he is merely following a long-standing formality-to get along, one must go along.

It is strictly a situation where the political tail has a strong tendency of wagging the political dog. After all, it is the Massachusetts way.

The day may come when the overtaxed citizens of the

Commonwealth will elect a governor who is duty-bound and genuinely possesses the will to govern in their behalf.

Joseph Moynihan
Brackett Street

Quincy's Yesterdays

City Looking Into Punch Card Voting

By FRANK McCAULEY

The future of voting in Quincy may be by punch card if City Clerk John M. Gillis has his way.

The punch card voting machines that were being demonstrated, said Gillis, could cost the city as little as \$75,000 or as much as \$150,000 and trim as much as six hours off the time needed to count ballots.

"It is about time," said Gillis, who was up until 4 a.m. with the presidential primary election last March 13. "After 27 years I'd like to see some improvements in voting procedures."

Brian Crowley, vice-president of Electronic Voting Machines, Inc. of Newton, said the voting unit of the machine costs \$150 each, and the unit with a stand and light cost \$300 each.

Gillis said that he would make a pitch for them at the next city council meeting.

WILLARD SCHOOL SOLD FOR \$916,500

The city closed a deal for the sale of the old Willard School in West Quincy to Furnace Brook Associates for \$916,500 for conversion into an office building. Conversion is expected to be completed in the fall of 1984.

Furnace Brook Associates is made up of Dickinson Development and Grossman and Company, both of Braintree.

The old school will be converted into between 40,000 and 45,000 square feet of rental office space.

QUINCY-ISMS

The Third Rail Restaurant at the Quincy Center MBTA station announced the opening of a New Dairy Bar, featuring a full line of regular and soft serve ice cream... The Quincy Emblem Club was planning for the installation of **Maxine Ames** as President for 1984-1985. The installation will be held April 21 at the Miles Standish School, the new home of the Quincy Lodge of Elks... Former Quincy mayor, council president, state senator and state representative **Thomas S. Burgin** celebrated his 82nd birthday. Burgin served as mayor under both the Plan A and Plan E city charters... **Carmen D'Olympio**, long time Quincy labor leader, was elected chairman of the Quincy Housing Board. **Rosemary Wahlberg** was elected vice-chairwoman... **Eric Swider**, president of the New England Council, Inc., was the guest speaker at the April meeting of the South Shore Chapter of Professional Secretaries, International, held at the Sheraton Tara Hotel in Braintree. Swider was the former executive director of the South Shore Chamber of Commerce... **Dr. Stephen W. Nease**, president of Eastern Nazarene College, announced that the college would celebrate Community Week-April 23-29th. Dr. Nease thanked Quincy for being home to ENC for the past 65 years... **School Committee member Christopher Kennedy** was appointed by the Massachusetts Association of School Committees (MASC) to serve as a member of the Energy Conservation Committee... **Mary Pratt**, who in her playing days was one of the outstanding all-around female athletes in the country, became coach of the North Quincy High girls' softball team. Miss Pratt took over from **Lou Ioanilli**... The Quincy Track Club announced registrations for boys and girls ages 6 to 18 would be held on April 14 and 21 at the Atlantic Neighborhood Center... **Police Lt. Frank Mullen** finished his sixth Boston Marathon in 3 hours and 24 minutes... **Shirley MacLaine** and **Debra Winger** were appearing in "Terms of Endearment" at the Wollaston Theatre... **Altredo's Restaurant**, 75 Franklin St., South Quincy, was advertising full course Easter Dinners with "Free Champagne"... More than 50 Quincy youngsters had their ceramics creations on display in the window of The Quincy Sun, 1372 Hancock St., Quincy Center. The items were made by participants age eight through middle school... **City Councillors Richard Koch** and **Stephen McGrath** were guests on the weekly public affairs program, Cable Talk. The program on Quincy Community Television Channel 3 is produced by **Bob Gohl** and hosted by **John Noonan**... The Koch Club Women's Bowling League A Team defeated the Rag Dolls of Quincy, 1530 to 1514, to win the fifth annual South Shore Women's Candlepin Bowling Tourney... **Beauty Gardens**, 1436 Hancock St., was advertising "Soft Body Perms" for \$25, regular price \$50.

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THE NINETY NINE Restaurant located in Quincy recently donated \$6,696 to the Quincy Public Schools. The restaurant recently underwent a complete renovation and was able to raise the funds from a successful silent auction for the memorabilia that used to decorate the restaurant before the renovation. From left to right are: Ninety Nine Operations Manager Fred Wilson, Ninety Nine General Manager Chris Peltier, Quincy Superintendent of Schools Rick DeCristofaro who accepted the donation on behalf of Quincy Public Schools; Director of Extension and Continuing Education and Co-chairman of the Quincy School Committee Partnership Keith Segalla, and Director of Business and Co-Chairman of the Quincy School Committee Partnership Jim Mullany.

World War I Focus Of Film, Discussion At Crane Library April 24

World War I is the focus of a free film and discussion series currently underway at Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy. No registration is

required.

The six-part program climaxes on Tuesday, April 24 with a session dealing with the aftermath of that war: "The World War I Years: American Becomes a World Power."

Newbury College History Professor Dan Breen will present this lecture followed by the documentary film screening and an open discussion.

This session will focus on the bitter fight between President Woodrow Wilson and the United States Senate over the role of the United States in the post-war world when the country debated the rhetoric of internationalism and isolationism.

During those years, the

country experienced massive labor unrest, economic uncertainty after the war, the end of Wilsonian internationalism and the inauguration of Warren Harding.

The project was filmed by National Video Resources and sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Contact 617-376-1301 for more information.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

'Listening Session' Today At Adams NHP

The National Park Service will hold a "listening session" today (Thursday) from 9 to 10:30 a.m. in the carriage house of the Adams National Historical Park, 135 Adams St., to solicit ideas for signature projects to enhance the NPS 100th anniversary in 2016.

The session, one of many "listening tour" stops scheduled at NPS locations across

the country, will be hosted by Chrysandra Walter, the acting northeast regional director, and Marianne Peak, the superintendent of the Adams Historical Park.

Those planning to attend are asked to consider the following three questions:

Imagine you, our children or future generations enjoying national parks in 2016 and beyond. How do you

image their visit? What are your hopes and expectations?

What role do you think national parks should play in the lives of Americans and visitors from around the world?

What are the signature projects and programs that you think should be highlighted for completion over the next 10 years?

It's Not Too Late To Enter Christmas Parade Theme Contest

It's not too late to submit an idea for a theme for this year's 55th Annual City of Christmas parade.

Deadline for submitting entries to the Festival Committee is Friday, April 27. A winner will be selected soon after this date and the theme winner will be notified.

George White, Festival Committee Chairman, said there is no one ingredient to success in the Theme Contest. The committee is looking for ideas that capture the fancy of the general public.

The Parade will take place Sunday, Nov. 25, the

Sunday after Thanksgiving. The rain date is Sunday, Dec. 2.

The theme selected provides the participants, especially the float builders with creative guidelines. Nostalgia plays a role when the theme for the Parade is selected.

The 2006 Winning entry "Christmas on Parade" offered the float builder to chance to use their imaginations.

The Christmas Parade draws an estimated 200,000 spectators lined along the approximately three mile

parade route. The Christmas parade is believed to be the largest on the East Coast.

The Theme Contest is not limited to Quincy residents and judges do not know the names of each submission until after the winning entry is selected.

The theme winner will receive a gift of appreciation in the parade from the Christmas Festival Committee and will also ride in the parade in an open convertible.

Entries should be mailed to Ms. Carol Flynn, 79 Freeman St., North Quincy, MA 02171. Entries must be received no later than April 27.

Merrymount School PTO FUNdraiser Set For May 4

The Merrymount School PTO will hold a Cinco de Mayo FUNdraiser celebration Friday, May 4, from 7 p.m. to 12 midnight at the North Quincy Knights of Columbus Hall, 5 Hollis

Ave.

Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door.

The ticket price includes one free raffle ticket, food, dancing and a cash bar. The silent auction will include

tickets to Red Sox and Patriots games. Proceeds will be used to enhance computer technologies throughout the school. For more information or for tickets, call 617-773-4976.

Finances, Legal Issues Topic For Seniors At Koch Complex May 22

The 2007 Elder Law Education Program will offer senior citizens the tools for a legal check-up of their finances and legal issues on Tuesday, May 22 at the Koch Park and Recreation Complex at One Merrymount Parkway.

Both the Quincy Council on Aging (COA) and the

Massachusetts Bar Association will sponsor the event entitled, "Taking Control of your Future: A Legal Checkup."

Presenter Thomas Mullen, an attorney, plans to cover such topics as protecting your home and assets, executing a power of attorney and/or a health care

proxy, the pros and cons of reverse mortgages, and Medicare/Medicaid issues.

Reservations are necessary for the free program which will run from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Contact the Quincy COA at 617-376-1506 for additional information or reservations.

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AIDEN DENNIS, age 9, of Quincy, gets his hair cut for Locks of Love. Franci Ryan of Gino's of Quincy does the job. Aiden, who has grown his hair for three years, decided to grow and donate his hair after his dad was diagnosed with leukemia. He is a fourth grade student at Snug Harbor School.

Maria Droste Fashion Show Set For May 4 At Lantana

The annual Maria Droste Fashion Show will be held Friday, May 4, at the Lantana in Randolph, dedicated for the second time to the memory of the late Darleen Sheehan.

The program will start with cocktails at 6 p.m. followed by dinner at 7 p.m. and the fashion show at 8 p.m., interspersed by various auctions and raffles.

Friends of Darleen Sheehan, both men and women, will take to the runway to model a collection of evening designs from Michael De Paulo, a local rising star in the fashion world.

In addition, an assortment of ready-to-wear for varied lifestyles for ladies from Caryn's Corner in Quincy and for gentlemen from

Milton's in Braintree.

The special guest speaker will be State Representative Martin Walsh of South Boston and the MC of the evening's program will be Paul McDevitt, both long-time friends of Darleen.

The Maria Droste Agency opened as community counseling service in Quincy in 1992, staffed by the Sisters of the Good Shepherd and several clinically trained professionals as volunteers.

The principles that direct the agency are in such perfect tandem with the mission for which Darleen Sheehan worked so hard that her friends have chosen it to benefit from their philanthropic efforts.

Call the Maria Droste Agency at 617-471-5686 for fashion show reservations.

History Of Taxation Subject At Historical Society April 26

Richard Carlson, head of valuation for the Boston Assessor's Office, will discuss the long and lively history of taxation at a meeting of the Historical Society scheduled Thursday, April 26 at 7:30 p.m. at

Adams Academy, Quincy Center.

If paying taxes has been one of humanity's least favorite activities, it has also been one of history's most enduring practices.

Carlson will provide an

opportunity to have some fun with the topic and to learn something about how taxation has been viewed and applied across cultures.

Carlson will begin with the origins of taxation in ancient times and take the

audience up to the present. He will, also, discuss changing views of who was to be taxed and how. In addition, he will present some of the odd or unusual tax practices that have occurred over the centuries.

The evening will offer the opportunity to look behind the forms and numbers at the essence of an institution that is fundamental to any society, that can also reveal human foibles and that can, also, be a source of humor.

The public is welcome and there is no admission fee.

14 Residents On

Simmons Dean's List

Simmons College announces 14 Quincy residents have earned recognition on the Dean's List for the fall semester with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

They are:
Kimberly Yee, Virginia

Lau, Danielle Christie, Jennifer Croke, Kaitlyn Proto, Wendy Leung, Christine Benoit, Ngan Kim Le, Rita Buscher, Cindy Lee, May Chen, Julia Levenson, Hong Zheng and Linda Poteau.

25 Residents On Honor Roll At Archbishop Williams High School

Archbishop Williams High School lists 25 Quincy residents on its third term honor roll.

They are:
Principal's List

Grade 12: Laura Bloomer and Ashley Faiella.

First Honors

Grade 12: Erin Flaherty and Christel Lantin.

Grade 11: Claire Feeney, Molly Licari, Birago Osei and MaryKate Plunkett.

Grade 9: Bobby Sudhu.

Second Honors

Grade 12: Ashley Botticelli, Julianne Coneys and Stephen Livingstone.

Grade 11: Anthony DiBona and Isabelle Scott.

Grade 10: Kristen Bloomer, Jacqueline Brad-

ley, John Fallon, Edward Kirby, Marc McCarthy and James McLaughlin.

Grade 9: Anthony Campisi, Lauren DiBona, Colleen Downing, Siobhan Dunn and Lauren Patten.

Mr., Mrs. James Munchbach Parents Of Son

Jamie and James Munchbach of Quincy, are parents of a son, Alex Michael born March at South Shore Hospital, Weymouth.

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ALBERT EINSTEIN'S BIRTHDAY or Pi Day offered Point Webster's sixth graders the chance to estimate quantities of M&M candy by using mathematical formulas. Shown left to right in the front are James Brown and Miguel Rodriguez with Jay Newman and Paul Nigro in the back row.

Special Activities For Point Webster Sixth Graders

Jelly beans, popcorn, M & M's, and birthday cakes were just a few of the props used as 97 sixth graders at Point Webster Middle School celebrated the month of March with a whirlwind of learning activities in math, reading and social studies.

As March began, the students honored Dr. Seuss' birthday, designated as Read Across America Day, with contests and reading projects, and, of course, birthday cakes. Then, in mid-March, they honed their math skills on March 14, which is Albert Einstein's birthday, or Pi Day.

In between, on March 13, the students visited 12 Learning Stations set up at Roche Brothers Supermarket on Falls Boulevard.

Point Webster's business partners, Roche Brothers and the Quincy Credit Union (QCU), sponsored the March activities by providing the location, the supplies, and the funds for the different celebrations.

Both Judith Brazil of QCU and Lawrence Baxter,

manager of Roche Brothers, worked with the sixth grade reading teachers and participated in several projects, such as the Dr. Seuss Birthday party.

The sponsors also sent employees to read with the students.

At the Dr. Seuss party, student contestants played Dr. Seuss Jeopardy, designed Read Across America T-shirts, and shared their favorite books with classmates.

On March 13, the sixth grade students were bused to Roche Brothers where the Learning Stations were ready for them.

Each station was geared to a specific area of Massachusetts' education standards, ranging from Math to Science to Social Studies.

Roche Brothers employees manned the Learning Stations at the Falls Boulevard store. Several of the students' parents, such as Paula Smith, helped and joined the fun as part of the school's Parents In Partnership (PIP) program.

Students used their skills on various assignments, such as determining the perimeter of the supermarket with a trundle wheel. They also used math formulas to estimate the number of M&M's in a pickle jar and in determining birthdays. The students also interacted with the store's customers.

Chaperones for the day included not only the teachers and parents, but, also, Quincy Community Police Officers Sgt. John Ryan, Officer James Dentrement and Officer Matthew Miller.

The following day, March 14, was Wednesday and also Albert Einstein's birthday designated as Pi Day. Einstein's formula known as Pi determines the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter or 3.14159.

To honor Albert Einstein, the students made Pi necklaces and used apple pies to measure the circumference, radius and diameter of circles. Once the project was completed, the students ate the apple pies.

"This is the third year we've celebrated (the two birthdays)," said sixth grade teacher Barbara Driscoll who credited Point Webster's business sponsors with helping to make the programs successful.

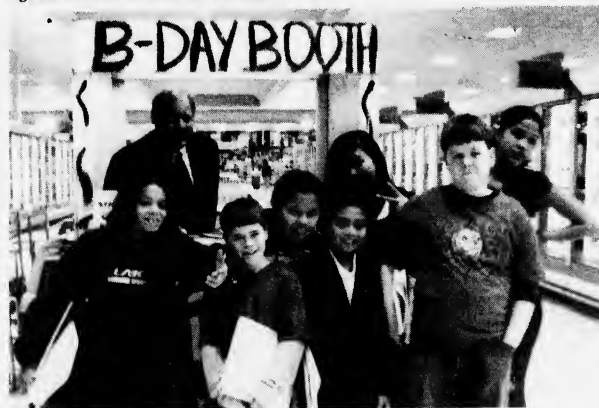
Point Webster's sixth grade teachers include Driscoll, Janet Green, Patricia O'Brien, Courtney Sudmyer, Cynthia Gurwitch and Tom DiTullio.

Principal McGuire and Assistant Principal Stacey Buccì both have commended the Quincy Credit Union and Roche Brothers for their dedication and enthusiasm in helping plan, fund and execute these and other creative education programs for the school's student. Other projects include the annual Honors Banquet and a monthly banking program.

Point Webster Middle School located on Lancaster Road currently enrolls 370 students in Grades 5-8.



NOTEBOOKS AND PENCILS are on hand as these sixth graders from Point Webster Middle School get ready for their assignments. Shown left to right are Richard Turpin, Jesse Kennedy, NgaaKudwe Shoko and Alanda Pasqual.



SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBER Jim Timmons joins several students at the Birthday Booth at Roche Brothers on Falls Blvd recently. Students used their mathematics skill to determine birthdays. Shown with Mr. Timmons are (left to right) Tristan Sleeper, Joey Ingemi, Anton Lopes, D.J. Feliciano, Vicky To, Mark Solander and Brianna Smith.



READY TO STRING bright color beads for Pi necklaces are (left to right) Hanh Vo, Kylie Enano and Si Sagirasy. Pi Day honors Albert Einstein's birthday.



THESE SIXTH GRADERS show off their Pi necklaces during Pi Day at Point Webster Middle School, Quincy Point. Wearing their creations are (left to right) Marianne Reardon, Mike Tortomasi, Vicky To, and Kelly Kung. In the back row (left to right) are Tyler Wayne and Ryan Bresnahan.



THIS TRUNDLE WHEEL is ready to roll and work for sixth grade students Patrick Ryan and Freddy Inglesias who were assigned to measure the perimeter of the Roche Brothers on Quarry St. The supermarket hosted the Point Webster sixth grade students during a recent field program featuring a dozen learning booths placed around the store.



COLORFUL PI NECKLACES are being created by Junior Meade (background) and Joanna Micinoti and Darbi Thomas as they celebrate Pi Day or Albert Einstein's birthday at Point Webster Middle School, Quincy Point.



THE WALKING CLUB booth draws Point Webster sixth graders and their parents during a March PIP (Parents In Partnership) program at Roche Brothers on Falls Blvd., Quincy Point. Shown left to right are Orval Thompson, Bianca Pereira, Ashley Faiella, parents Mrs. Faiella and Mrs. Smith and (in the foreground) Marc Maskell.

Registration Open For Lions Run/Walk For Sight

Registrations are now being accepted for the 10th annual Quincy Lions Club Run/Walk for Sight, to be held Saturday, April 21 at Pageant Field.

Those who wish to pre-register for the 5K race may do so online at www.quincylions.org. Participants may also pre-register by mailing a check payable to Quincy Lions Club to: Quincy Lions Club, P.O. Box 27, Quincy, MA 02170.

Attn: Run/Walk. Registrants should include their name, address and age (for race categories). The registration fee is \$20 for adults (\$17 for those who pre-register) and \$5 for the children's 1K race.

Day-of-race registration will begin at 9 a.m., followed by the children's 1K race at 10:30 a.m. The adult 5K run/walk which is on a course certified by U.S. Track & Field begins at 11 a.m. Prizes will be awarded to

race winners in a number of categories, and the first 200 registrants will receive a free race T-shirt.

Following the race, the Outback Steakhouse will provide a barbecue buffet luncheon for all participants. The event also will feature a DJ, prize raffles and the Lions Club Eyemobile, which will provide free vision, hearing and blood pressure screenings to attendees.

"The Run/Walk for Sight

is a fun event for the whole family," said Lions Club President Elaine duJardin, who noted that sponsors of this year's Run/Walk include the Outback Steakhouse, Eastern Bank Charitable Foundation, Cerebral Palsy-Fiscal Intermediary and numerous local businesses.

"The local community has been very supportive of the Lions Club's efforts to help blind and visually impaired individuals, and we hope everyone will come out and enjoy this fun and worthwhile event," she said.

Proceeds from the Run/Walk benefit eye research

and the Quincy Lions Club's community service activities, including providing free eye exams and free eyeglasses for local residents in need, offering free vision and health screenings, providing college scholarships to local high school students and more.

Evergreen Program Saplings Pickup April 28-29

The Quincy Evergreen Program will distribute 2-year-old saplings ready for planting on the weekend of April 28-29 to those who turned in their old Christmas trees in December and January.

The distribution will take place Saturday, April 28, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and Sunday, April 29, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the Department of Public Works garage, 55 Sea St.

The Evergreen Program, which exchanges old trees for new ones, is an annual

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Discover Quincy Expects Best Tourist Season Ever

The tourist season begins unofficially in Quincy today (Thursday) and Mark Carey, the new executive director of Discover Quincy, can hardly contain himself.

"We are excited about tourism in Quincy in 2007," he enthused. "We're gearing up for more visitors than ever before. We are already planning for 2008."

The unofficial opening of the tourist season in Quincy is the day the Adams National Historical Park opens for business and it did just that at 9 o'clock this morning.

From now until Nov. 10, the birthplaces of both John and John Quincy Adams and the Old House, home of five generations of the Adams family, will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days a week.

Tourism in Quincy received a colossal boost with the publication of David McCullough's Pulitzer Prize-winning biography of John Adams and the city is still riding the wave today.

Just a few more than 80,000 tourists visited the Adams National Historical Park in 2000 BM (Before McCullough). Last year there were a little more than 227,000 at the sites.

Another shot in the arm is

expected in 2008 when HBO, producers of "The Sopranos" and "Sex and the City," come out with the cable television version of the McCullough classic.

It is being produced by Tom Hanks and will star Paul Giamatti as the second president of the United States and Laura Linney as his wife, Abigail, with a supporting cast of Hollywood heavies.

"The power of television is not to be underestimated," said Carey. "We are well aware of the effect that this will have on the city of Quincy over the next few years and we welcome the economic stimulus."

Carey, who took over Discover Quincy from founding director Jennifer Logue during the winter, has been busy selling Quincy as a tourist destination at conferences in Worcester and Vermont.

Next, he's heading for the biggest world trade show in the United States, the International Pow Wow in Anaheim, Calif., for the second year in a row to boost foreign tourism.

There he plans to invite tour operators and travel press from Germany, France, Ireland, the Netherlands, Italy, the United Kingdom and Japan to visit Quincy and sample its delights.

The fact that the Boston Red Sox feature a \$100 million Japanese pitcher is expected to bring record numbers of Japanese tourists to Boston, many of whom can be lured to Quincy.

"Europeans are already coming to Boston and taking advantage of our weak dollar by spending a lot of money shopping and dining," said Carey.

"If we could consistently get a fraction of those dollars to our city to visit our restaurants, hotels and amenities, we could see some steady economic growth among retail shops and restaurants."

"We have a solid product but we are still considered a best kept secret in the tourism industry and amongst our operators. Quincy won't

be a travel secret for long, however."

Carey noted the city's close proximity to Boston, its 27 miles of coastline, picturesque Marina Bay, a world class golf course, four MBTA stops and year 'round ferry services as talking points for Quincy.

There is also the newly organized Quincy Restaurant League, formed by Discover Quincy, Quincy 2000 and Tiffanie Williams & Co. to package the city's multi-cultural and diverse restaurant scene as a destination.

It is complete with its own website, www.tastequincy.com and a local access TV show in production, set to air in Quincy and surrounding communities.

Discover Quincy has also produced a comprehensive visitors guide, more than 220,000 of which have been distributed around the country. The third edition of the brochure is due in May.

Meanwhile, the Adams National Historical Park will be carrying its usual load with tickets for tours available at

the Visitor Center, located in the Galleria, 1250 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

Trolley bus tours depart from the Visitor Center for the historic homes every 30 minutes, the last for the day at 3:15 p.m. Tickets, sold on a first come, first served basis, at \$5 for adults aged 16 and over. Children are admitted free.

For more information on tours and special events, call the Visitor Center at 617-770-1175 or visit www.nps.gov/adam.

Science, Religion Debate Lecture Subject At ENC

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Karl Giberson, professor of Physics at Eastern Nazarene College — "Defending the Scientific Faith: Celebrity Scientists and Origins."

Donald Yerxa, professor of History at Eastern Nazarene College — "Awash

in a Hyperbolic Sea: Can the Design Debate Ever Productive?"

Jon Roberts, professor of History at Boston University — "Commentary of Numbers, Giberson and Yerxa."

The event is free and open to the public. The audience will be included in a panel

discussion following the lectures. Refreshments will be served.

For more information, call 617-847-5922 or visit the college web site at www.ene.edu/info_about/about_enc/directions.htm and <http://www.ene.edu/history/events.html>.

Credit Awareness Month At Quincy Credit Union

April is Credit Awareness Month and Quincy Credit Union is winding up its month-long credit awareness program with events scheduled on Friday, April 20, and Friday, April 27, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

On those days, visitors can enjoy free hot dogs, drawings and giveaways, including free "Funway" Park pho-

tos at QCU headquarters, 100 Quincy Avenue, Quincy.

The April program titled, "What's the Score?" is themed around Boston's passion for baseball and aims to inform local residents about handling credit, accessing credit reports and being informed about their credit score.

With that theme in mind, QCU invites everyone to "Step up to the plate," and visit the credit union offices this month.

The QCU offers informa-

tion on the many free resources available to all consumers and, also, provides information on improving a credit report or credit score.

Membership in Quincy Credit Union is open to those who work or live in Norfolk and Plymouth Counties, Dorchester and their family members.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

The Council is mandated by law to do background checks on all volunteers.

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Phelan Promotes Five In Police Department

Mayor William Phelan promoted two new lieutenants and three new sergeants in the Police Department in a City Hall ceremony last week.

The five were promoted to fill open spots within the ranks of the department.

Promoted to lieutenant were Timothy Sorgi and Robert Gillan and to sergeant were Donald G. Greenwood, Donald Allison and Daniel Guarente.

"I commend our entire police department for making Quincy the second safest city in Massachusetts,"

said Phelan.

"The five men promoted have distinguished themselves as leaders within the department and are deserving of their promotions.

"I congratulate them and their families on this career milestone."

Lieutenant Sorgi was appointed to the department in 1985. He holds a BA in Human Services from New Hampshire College. He served in the Special Operations Unit's motorcycle division. He has also served as a Community Police Officer and as a detective in the Ju-

venile Division.

Lieutenant Gillan was appointed in 1997 and became a sergeant in 2003. He has been assigned to the department Homeland Security Unit, the first such unit south of Boston. He has led the effort to secure close to \$1 million in Federal grant money for the department. He currently serves as a Lieutenant Commander in the United States Coast Guard. His brother currently serves as a Captain in the department.

Sergeant Greenwood has seven years experience with the Quincy Police Department

and 17 years experience as a commissioned officer in the United States Army. He has a BA in History from Ithaca College and a MS from Western New England College. He is a member of the Quincy Police Scuba Unit, the School Response Team and is a defense tactics instructor. He is a trained intelligence analyst and fluent in Arabic. His father, Don, is a Lieutenant in the Quincy Police Department.

Sergeant Allison joined the department in 1996. He has a BA in Sociology from Curry College and a MA from Anna Maria College. He has received four commendations from the Quincy Police Department in his 11 year career. He is a member of the Scuba Unit, a Field Training Officer, and has experience in the motorcycle division of the Special Op-

erations Unit.

Sergeant Guarente has received five department commendations and three commendations for invaluable assistance since joining the Quincy Police Department in 1993. He has served his career as a patrol officer, learning the ins and outs of the street level operation of the department.

"Our promoted officers have a wide range of skills and backgrounds and their elevation in the department will further improve our

overall department," said Police Chief Robert Crowley. "These are good, dedicated folks who do their job well for the people each and every day."

Added Mayor Phelan: "Our public safety departments are second to none. The quality of our employees is reflected in the performance of the department and the opinion of the public in general. We live in a safe city in large part because of our first responders."

Free, Anonymous HIV Testing At QMC

Quincy/South Shore AIDS Cares at Quincy Medical Center offers free, anonymous HIV testing.

Walk-in ours are Fridays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the QSSAC office on the fourth floor of the Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. and on Wednesday evenings from 3 to 6 p.m. at the Manet Community Health Center on the second floor of Quincy Medical Center.

Appointments can also be scheduled by calling 617-376-5462.

An estimated 22,000 to 24,000 people in Massachusetts are currently living with HIV, including nearly 7,000 people who do not know that they are HIV positive, according to Massachusetts Department of Public Health data.

"Often, people may have concerns about their HIV status, but delay getting tested due to common misconceptions about the cost, privacy and timing of

HIV testing," said Kim Kroeger, program director for South Shore AIDS Cares at QMC.

"The free, confidential, rapid, HIV testing program at Quincy/South Shore AIDS Cares is designed to remove

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Interact Club Does Their Part For Salvation Army

Members of the Quincy High School Interact Club rang the bells for the Salvation Army in front of the Stop & Shop on Southern Artery at Christmastime.

Their collections, and a similar project by the Interact Club of North Quincy

High School, raised more than \$1,000 for the needy on the holiday.

The Interact Clubs are sponsored by the Quincy Rotary Club. Rotary sponsor is Lynne Houghton; teacher sponsors are Sheri Eldridge and Paulette D'Onofrio.



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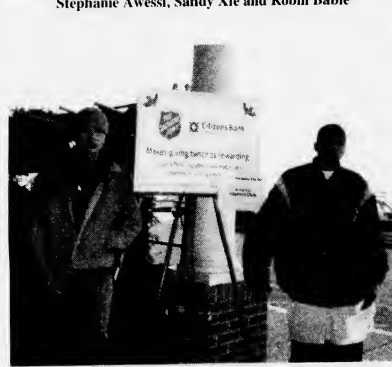
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Local Red Cross Offers CPR, First Aid Courses

The South Area Office of the American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering a number of CPR and first aid courses this month at 1495 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

The dates, times and costs include:

Mondays, April 23 & 30 (two sessions), 6 to 10:30

p.m., CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer, \$80.

In addition to skills learned in Adult, Child & Infant CPR, this course teaches two-rescuer CPR, advanced airway procedures and the use of a pocket mask.

Tuesday, April 24, 6 to 10 p.m., First Aid, \$50.

This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over 8 years of age.

Thursday, April 26, 6 to 10:30 p.m., CPR/AED for

the Professional Rescuer Review, \$60.

Prerequisite: current Certification in CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer.

Saturday, April 28, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Adult CPR/AED and First Aid, \$75.

Completion of this course awards an Adult CPR/AED certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

Registrations are being accepted for a daytime Home Health Aid and Certified

Nursing Assistant course starting May 29 and an evening course starting May

7. Cost is \$800.

Preregistration is required for all course. Call 617-770-

2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for more information.

Maria Droste Services Receives \$20,000 In Grants

Maria Droste Services has been awarded three grants totaling over \$20,000 since September 2006. The agency is a non-profit, counseling and holistic therapy service group located at 1354 Hancock St.

In September, Maria Droste Services received a Community Development Block (CDBG) grant of \$8,775 from the City of Quincy and, in December, a grant of \$10,600 from the Harold Brooks Foundation. In January, the Blue Hills Community Health Alliance (BHCHA) awarded a \$900 grant.

"We are very excited and grateful to have received this funding," said Sr. Lorraine Bernier, the agency's Administrator who recently outlined how each grant will be allocated.

Funds from Quincy's CDBG will aid the agency in

serving individuals and families in the South Shore community who can not access health insurance, according to Sr. Lorraine Bernier, the agency's Administrator.

The funds from the Blue Hills Alliance (BHCHA) will be used to offer Art Therapy classes to clients at Maria Droste Services. Art Therapy is aimed at helping individuals work through traumas. Additional support for this program is provided by Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates, the South Shore Hospital and Shields MRI OF Massachusetts.

The Harold Brooks Foundation grant of \$10,600 will be used to increase services in the Energy Therapy component of the agency, according to Sr. Bernier. The Brooks Foundation assists non-profit

organizations that offer services to low-income families and children, particularly within the South Shore area.

Co-Trustees of the Harold Brooks Foundation are Rev. M. James Workman, Paul Taylor and Paul Mollica in conjunction with the Bank of America. The foundation grants assist organizations that focus on the health, human services, religious, education, environmental, recreational or cultural needs of the community.

At this time, Maria Droste Services is planning a five-week spirituality group for women in recovery. The group will be held from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. on each Wednesday from May 2 through May 30.

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Residents Invited To Select 'Cleaner, Greener' Cleanup Sites

The 18th annual "Cleaner, Greener" Quincy celebration is scheduled for Saturday, May 5 and Mayor William Phelan is encouraging interested residents to designate a cleanup site in their neighborhood and participate in the day dedicated to sprucing up city parks, beaches, marshes, school grounds and open space areas.

"Each year the 'Cleaner, Greener' turnout reveals the overwhelming sense of pride residents share for their city and their neighborhood," said Phelan. "I encourage all of our residents to join in the effort, whether it's taking extra time caring for their own property for the benefit of the neighborhood, designating or joining a cleanup site on May 5."

The clean up lasts from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and is capped off in Merrymount Park where Phelan will host an appreciation cookout for all volunteers. In addition, all

volunteers will receive a "Cleaner, Greener" T-shirt for their hard work and dedication.

Some residents have already organized a site in their neighborhood. To date the clean up sites include:

Ward One: Edgewater Drive Beach, Perry Beach, Post Island Road Beach, Gull Point/Snug Harbor School and Merrymount School.

Ward Two: Avalon Beach, Mound Street Beach and Faxon Park.

Ward Three: The Bog, Bishop Field (Montclair), Newport Avenue/Beale Street and Intersection (Wollaston Garden Club).

Ward Four: O'Rourke Park/Flaherty Park and Sterling Middle School.

Ward Five: Wollaston Beach, Butler Pond/Central Middle School and Sailors Home Pond.

Ward Six: Nickerson Beach, Orchard Beach,

Squantum Causeway (Squantum Seaside Gardeners), Squaw Rock and Squantum School.

The Park Department will support the beautification effort by providing the necessary tools including rakes, brooms, gloves, shovels and other equipment. Additionally, the Public Works Department will assist in hauling the refuse amassed throughout the day as well as work on the city's beaches to remove driftwood and debris washed ashore from winter storms.

"The municipal effort on 'Cleaner, Greener' is just as important as the volunteer effort as we continue to work cooperatively with residents to keep our neighborhoods first," added the Mayor.

To designate a clean up site or for more information, kindly contact the Park Department at (617) 376-1251 or email keohane@ci.quincy.ma.us.

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John Boucher is President and Chief Executive Officer of South Shore Savings Bank.

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erly with a free explanation of simple wills.

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Preparations, Wind Shift Lessens Storm Damage

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flood prone areas. "Our system was taxed but we utilized the resources we had to their fullest capabilities," said Carlisle.

He said the toughest battles came around 2 o'clock and 10 o'clock Monday morning but the pumps prevented any serious damage.

"There was some streets flooding," said Gorman. "The water table is so high this time of year that it only takes a little rain to push the water up into cellars.

The worst flooding was in Arlington Street in the Montclair section where the pumps fought a losing battle with rising water that turned the street into a pond.

The Park and Forestry Department reported many tree limbs taken down by the 50 mile an hour winds. Crews were out Monday and Tuesday cleaning up the damage.

"The planned response from our DPW has mitigated some potential serious flood problems in areas that historically have had significant

personal property damage," said Mayor William Phelan.

"Despite the torrential rains and high tides crews were able to limit the impact of the storm and allow residents to breathe a sigh of relief at the storm's conclusion."

Gorman said the city's four major shelters at Quincy and North Quincy High Schools and the Atherton Hough and Squantum Schools were stocked and ready for action but no one showed up.

Phelan Running For 4th Term On 'Proud Record'

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of Quincy in order to best serve this great city and its residents."

Phelan was first elected mayor in 2001, defeating incumbent James Sheets, Councillor Joseph Newton in 2003 and was re-elected again without opposition.

"I have been given the tremendous honor and privilege of being the mayor of the city in which I grew up and love. I will work tirelessly over the

coming months to remind the voters why they elected me mayor in the first place. The taxpayers of this city, and not the special interests, will al-

ways be my top priority."

For more information on the campaign to re-elect Phelan, call campaign headquarters at (617) 328-3111.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

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On Friday morning at 5:45 a.m. this department received a call for a house fire at 4 Merrymount Ave. Quincy Fire Department dispatched then immediately announced throughout the eight fire stations that there was a report of a fire at that address. Firefighters then know what streets are within their districts and were preparing to leave those stations even before the formal assignments were announced.

In this incident Engine 4 and Ladder 2 were the first trucks to arrive considering that Merrymount Ave. is within their district. They arrived within two minutes of the initial call. It is my understanding that upon arrival there was heavy smoke and fire showing, much of it from the rear of the building. Engine 4 lead by Lt. Daniel Coletti, with firefighters Pat Bryan and Jim Devlin dragged a line into the building to begin extinguishment efforts. A charged line not only extinguishes fire, but also facilitates rescue attempts and protects personnel.

While this was taking place, Ladder 2 positioned themselves in the front of the building to rescue the occupants perched on the roof, one on the upper roof, another on a lower roof. It is my understanding the FF John Cadegan and FF Mark Paolucci assisted one of these occupants over the truck's aerial ladder while Lt. Ronald Shannon and FF Paul Kearns assisted the other over a ground ladder thrown against the building by FF Kearns. Both occupants were threatened by impinging heat and smoke and were rescued in time.

I'm attempting to convey

one portion of a fire incident, typically the most important part, the initial sizeup and action taken by first apparatus on the scene. It tends to set the trend for the entire incident. In this incident these companies successfully approached the incident with the protection of a charged hose line in tandem with the successful rescue attempts over effective ladder placement. The outcome is certainly worth noting.

Although this initial aspect of the extinguishment and rescue efforts at a fire is just the beginning of what transpires, it would take too many paragraphs to detail what occurs and what did occur at this fire from the first call to the "all-out." Suffice it to say it takes many hands and much direction from an experienced incident commander.

However, it's the action of these men identified and all others who responded and not mentioned here that make a difference and got the job done on Friday morning. These are the efforts I've consistently witnessed in my 29 years on the Quincy Fire Department and that I proudly recognize here as well.

I'm proud to be a part of it.

Delahunt Panel Examines Declining World Opinion Of United States

Congressman William Delahunt, Chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Oversight Subcommittee, has resumed hearings this week examining the impact of the Bush administration's foreign policies on world opinion towards the United States.

Andrew Kohut, president of the Pew Research Center and the author of a new book, "America Against the World" was scheduled to testify Wednesday before the Subcommittee. Kohut and the Pew Center have done extensive research examining the decline in world opinion toward the United States. His testimony is part of a series Delahunt has organized to inform the Congress and the American people what those living in other countries think about American foreign policies, values, and its people.

Last week, Delahunt joined with Congressman Elliot Engel, Chairman of the Western Hemisphere Subcommittee, to hear from John Zogby, of Zogby International, a widely respected international polling firm. Zogby told Delahunt and other members of the panel that the war in Iraq has helped drive Latin America public opinion about the United States to an all-time low. The testimony was given while President Bush was traveling through South America and visiting foreign leaders, amidst widespread protests.



WILLIAM DELAHUNT

Zogby also pointed out that surprisingly 86% of Latin America's business and civic leaders-or "elites"-gave an unfavorable rating to what they considered the Bush administration's "go it alone" approach to conflict in the world. Zogby indicated that these are people who have typically held more conservative views. He identified the main component of their negative opinion toward the United States as the war in Iraq. However, he also stated that people in Latin America follow very closely United States policies on immigration and free trade.

Zogby testified that "U.S. policies have angered and alienated not only the general population, but also the elite communities who traditionally are more pro-American." He also stated that "to conclude, I would just like to highlight the casual pattern that places these findings into context. Our work has revealed several trends. First, the opinion of the United States handling of relations, immigration and world conflicts has fallen over the last few years, as has the ratings of President Bush. This decline has led to lower opinion of the American people, the American government and the overall importance of the United States as a regional player."

Following Zogby's testi-

mony, Delahunt commented that "the deterioration of our image in Latin America is disturbing. This decline in our approval damages our national security by making it harder for Latin American governments to cooperate with us. The fact that our values and our people continue to receive positive ratings even as our policies are rejected shows that there is disappointment among our friends who perceive that our deeds are failing to match our ideals."

Earlier in the week, the oversight panel also heard from Dr. Steven Kull, from the Program on International Policy Attitudes and Editor of Publicopinion.org. Kull presented compelling testimony that showed a significant drop in world opinion of the United States in the aftermath of the Iraq invasion. He testified to panel members that the unilateral decision to invade Iraq has caused favorable opinions of the United States to drop significantly since 2000 in nearly every country they have polled. In many cases, public opinion dropped by more than 50%.

Kull noted that "there are a few countries that get a lower rating than the United States. In a BBC poll we released this morning, Israel, Iran and, by some measures, North Korea received lower ratings. However, the United States is rated far lower than France, Japan, Canada, China, India and Russia. The good news is that there is an abundance of evidence that the unhappiness with the United States is not a rejection of U.S. values. People around the world say that the problems they have with the U.S. concern its policies not its values."

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As this report uncovers, most homesellers make 7 deadly mistakes that will cost them literally thousands of dollars. The good news is that each and every one of these mistakes is entirely preventable.

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Koch Draws Nearly 1,500 To Mayoral Campaign Kickoff

A crowd estimated at nearly 1,500 attended mayoral candidate Tom Koch's official campaign kick-off in the ballroom at Granite Links Golf Club on a cold, rainy Thursday night last week.

"I'm still in awe and just incredibly thankful," said Koch. "To fill a room that big on such a bad night is a wonderful sign that a real grassroots energy is building for positive change in Quincy. We're going to ride that energy all the way through November— but we still have plenty of work to do."

In a brief speech to supporters, Koch reflected on the values of public service taught by his mother and his late father, Park Commissioner and Koch Club Founder Richard Koch, saying that it was time to restore those ideals to City Hall.

"You work hard, you help people who need it, and you treat every person with respect," Koch said, noting that an "arrogance of leadership" had infected City Hall in recent years.

"It's not about political power— It's about empowering people," he said. "We can do better. We must do better. And with the help of all of you here tonight, we will do better for the future of Quincy."

Organizers said the overflow crowd quickly filled the parking available at the Granite Links lot, requiring shuttle buses to take hundreds of guests to and from a satellite lot nearly a half-mile away. A number of brave souls made the trek by foot up a steep hill from the satellite parking to the event.

Campaign Chairman Jack Nigro said that traffic heading to the event was backed up

all the way to Copeland Street— past Curry Hardware. He said that anyone who didn't get to the event because of the traffic and parking crush should contact the campaign for free tickets to its next event.

"I can't thank people enough for coming out on Thursday, and I also want to thank all the volunteers who made the night possible," Koch said. "We had two guys getting soaked escorting people inside with umbrellas, two young men who gave up much of their night to handle the parking situation, and people working tables all night. It was a wonderful vibe."

Nigro said the crowd estimate was based on sign-in sheets that showed 1,250 people had registered and the cash collections for the night totaled more than \$25,000, mostly in \$20 tickets.

"We know that a number of people didn't sign in, and we told folks that the \$20 wasn't mandatory— so I think the crowd number was probably a lot closer to at least 1,500," Nigro said.

Koch told those attending: "I am truly grateful for your presence here tonight and I am overwhelmed with the positive response to our candidacy for Mayor."

"Since our announcement, I have received countless notes of encouragement, donations and help in this effort to bring new leadership to City Hall. And from the bottom of my heart, I say, 'Thank you.' And I might add, 'Keep it up.'"

"I believe a good leaders leads by example, treats everyone with respect and brings people together to solve problems. It's not about who gets the credit; it's about getting results. It's not about

assigning blame; it's about taking responsibility. It's not about political power; it's about empowering people."

"Most of you know that, in January, I left a job I loved. It was not an easy decision— one that had great implications for my family. But the overwhelming desire to stand up for what is right and to do something to protect our great city's future compelled me to take on this challenge. I believe we can do better."

"Nobody should be afraid or intimidated to reach out to City Hall. Nobody should feel their concerns are not being addressed, their phone calls not returned, their requests for help ignored. This arrogance of leadership has infected almost every major issue facing the city today— from the school construction which has become Quincy's own Big Dig to our neighborhoods, to public safety, to taxes and finances. It burns every bridge that it crosses. It treats people disrespectfully and it fails to take responsibility for its own actions. We can not let it continue."

"My friends, this city needs new leadership. We need to put people first. I know we have difficult challenges ahead. But if we put the right people in the right places, bring people together and roll up our sleeves, there is nothing we



MAYORAL CANDIDATE Tom Koch speaks to supporters while his wife, Christine; and three children, Thomas Jr., Cornelius, and Abigail join him on the stage. Koch formally announced his campaign April 12 at a campaign kick-off at Granite Links Golf Club. An estimated 1,500 people attended the event.

Photo Courtesy Koch Campaign Committee

can't accomplish. We can create a positive new connection between government and our people. We can take the best that every person has to offer and put it to work. We can treat every person, no matter who they are or what they do, with respect."

"It is time for a positive new vision for Quincy, and over the coming weeks and months we'll take our campaign to every ward, precinct, neighborhood and street. We'll be listening to residents, and sharing our ideas on how we'll meet the challenges head-on that face our city."

"I humbly ask you all tonight to let me use my lifelong dedication to this city in the place where it can do the most good: The office of mayor."

Ladies and gentlemen,

elections are about the future. And for the future of Quincy, the best is yet to come. We can do better. We must do better. And with the help of all of you, I know we will do better for this great city."

South Shore Elder Services Seeks Volunteer Drivers

South Shore Elder Services is looking for volunteer drivers to deliver meals to their elderly and homebound clients. At this time, the agency delivers 500 meals a day in Quincy through its Meals On Wheels program.

"We are currently experiencing a critical

shortage of drivers to deliver meals," said Volunteer Coordinator Jody Hodgdon as she requested help for her program.

South Shore Elder Services, Inc. is located at 159 Bay State Drive, Braintree. Phone number is 781-848-3910.

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Live Auction Raises \$130,000 For Mini Fenway Park

Fans of the Boston Red Sox and of youth baseball and softball will be thrilled to hear that Fenway Park License Plate is now available and can be ordered by going to the Registry of Motor Vehicles' Website at www.mass.gov/rmv/express/plates.htm.

The license plate features an artist's rendition of the 95-year-old Fenway Park, the home of the Boston Red Sox.

Proceeds from sales of the Fenway Park License Plate will benefit Mini Fenway Park, a kid-sized replica of Boston's fabled ballpark to begin construction in Quincy in late spring. Funds collected will help support both capital and operations needs for building the facility and implementing its youth development programs.

On April 7, a live auction of 12 license plates at Fenway Park's State Street Pavilion,

helped raise about \$130,000, said Ron Iacobucci, chief executive officer of Kids Replica Ballpark, Inc., a non-profit organization licensed by the Boston Red Sox and Major League Baseball to build the replica park.

Overall, the license plates and the live auction at Fenway Park generated more than \$200,000 for Mini Fenway. About \$60,000 came from the sale of the initial 1,500 license plates, \$25,000 for ticket sales for the fundraiser and \$20,000 from in-kind contributions.

Proceeds from an online auction of the plates that were part of the fundraiser are still being tabulated by Major League Baseball and could generate another \$100,000.

Jayne Parker, NESN SportsDesk reporter hosted the live auction, and the auctioneer was Dan Flynn, real estate developer and man-

ager.

Others attending the event included former Red Sox pitcher Luis Tiant; Dr. Charles Steinberg, Executive Vice President of the Boston Red Sox; Shonda Schilling; Joe Brill, president QHS Baseball Hall of Fame and Pat McDermott, Norfolk County Register of Probate.

"The public is encouraged to go the Website and place an order for their own Fenway Park License Plate," said Iacobucci this past week. "They are in production and we are looking to add at least another 1,500 within the next two years."

Mini Fenway will be built on 12 acres of land in the Blue Hills Reservation (Quincy) located directly off Exit 8 on I-93.

For more information, visit www.redsox.com/minifenywaypark or info@kidsreplicaballpark.org.



RON IACOBUCCI, CEO Kids Replica Ballpark presents the #11 plate to former State Treasurer Shannon O'Brien. Emmet Hayes, VP of Payton Construction, is on the right.



JAYME PARKER (left) and Shonda Schilling (right) present Jim Holzman with the #1 Fenway Park License Plate. Holzman's bid on the #1 plate raised \$31,000 for Mini Fenway Park.



RON IACOBUCCI and Dr. Charles Steinberg, Executive Vice President of the Boston Red Sox, hold up the #11 license plate. The plate was presented to Red Sox principal owner John Henry (not pictured) for his work on behalf of Mini Fenway Park.



SHONDA SCHILLING, wife of Red Sox pitcher Curt Schilling, and Joe Brill, president QHS Baseball Hall of Fame, take in the festivities at the Mini Fenway Park auction on April 7.



RICK IACOBUCCI, COO Kids Replica Ballpark; Jayme Parker, Charity Event MC; Ron Iacobucci, CEO Kids Replica Ballpark and Anne Collins, Registrar of Motor Vehicles present Shonda Schilling (second from right) license plate #38 in appreciation for her work on behalf of Mini Fenway Park.

(John Black Photos)



CHARITY EVENT MC Jayme Parker; Ron Iacobucci; Anne Collins, Registrar of Motor Vehicles and Rick Iacobucci present Red Sox legend Luis Tiant (second from left) with the #23 plate in appreciation for his work on behalf of Mini Fenway Park.



RICK IACOBUCCI, COO Kids Replica Ballpark; Jayme Parker, Charity MC; Ron Iacobucci, CEO Kids Replica Ballpark, and Anne Collins, Registrar of Motor Vehicles present former Red Sox catcher Bob Montgomery (second from right) with the #10 plate. Montgomery wore the #10 during his tenure with the hometown ball club.



PAT MCDERMOTT, Norfolk County Register of Probate; Ron Iacobucci; Auctioneer Dan Flynn and comedian Tony V pose with Shonda Schilling at the live auction. Schilling (second from left) is holding the #38 plate, the same number her husband wears while on the mound for the Sox.

Quincy Youths Awarded Scholarships To BC High

William J. Kemeza, president of Boston College High School, announces five Quincy residents have been named recipients of Boston College High School scholarships.

The students are: Justin R. Coscia, Hugh G. O'Connell, Brian W. Tam, Phillip W. Toomey and Daniel G. Wu, all of Quincy.

Coscia and O'Connell are eighth graders at St. Ann Elementary School, Quincy; Tam at The Boston Archdiocesan Choir School, Toomey and Wu at Central Middle School.

Toomey won a Freshman scholarship; Coscia, O'Connell, Tam, and Wu won Ignatian scholarships, named for St. Ignatius of

Loyola, founder of the Society of Jesus.

Each year, Boston College High School awards over \$2.5 million in scholarship and financial aid to qualified students from all four-class years. The scholarships were awarded to students from a diverse and highly competitive applicant pool to the BC High class of 2011.

The five young men were selected based on their outstanding work on the entrance examination, recommendations from teachers and distinguished academic performance at their schools. They will join the BC High Class of 2011.

"We have carefully selected the most qualified

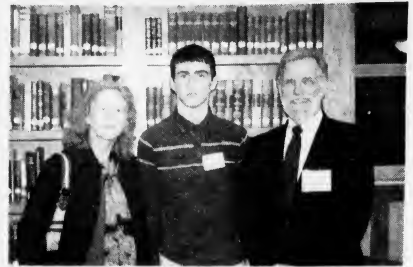


JUSTIN COSCIA (second from left), is one of five local students recently awarded a scholarship to attend Boston College High School. With him are his parents, Raymond Coscia, his mother, Laren Coscia and sister, Alexandra.

young men from a highly competitive applicant pool to become part of BC High's over 140-year tradition of academic excellence, char-

acter development and service to others," said President Kemeza.

"At BC High, they will be challenged in a nurturing and



FROM RIGHT to left: mother Eileen O'Connell, scholarship recipient Hugh O'Connell, and William Kemeza, president of BC High.

supportive environment and will graduate as leaders marked by competence, conscience and compassion; leaders who will engage our Church and our world."

Boston College High School is a Jesuit, Catholic,

college-preparatory school for young men founded in 1863. The school enrolls approximately 1,300 students from some 100 communities in eastern Massachusetts. More at www.bchigh.edu.



FROM LEFT to right: father Kevin Tam, mother Pearl Tam, scholarship recipient Brian Tam, and William Kemeza, president of BC High.



FROM LEFT: mother Debbie Toomey, brother Jonathan Toomey, scholarship recipient Phillip Toomey, father William Toomey, and William Kemeza, President of BC High.



SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT Daniel Wu (second from right) with (from left) mother Julie Wu, sister Angela Wu, father Kenny Wu, and William Kemeza, president of BC High.

Rotary Club Pancake And Egg Breakfast April 29 At 1000 Southern Artery

The Quincy Rotary Club will host a Pancake and Egg Breakfast at 1000 Southern Artery from 8 a.m. to noon

on Sunday, April 29.

Tickets, at \$5 each, can be purchased at the door or through a member of the

Rotary Club.

Students from Quincy and North Quincy High School's The Interact Cub will help

with food preparation, as well as serving and cleaning. Interact's coordinator Lynn Houghton has been

recognized for her leadership as a volunteer for community service.

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and Company will liven up the morning. Houghton is principal of the Squantum School.

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Dollars and sense

by David Uffington

Real Estate Sales Addendum

The sales contract addendum is your best friend when you're buying a house. The real estate agent might have mixed allegiances and the home seller might push for top price, but with the addendum you can cover many if not all of your wants and wishes.

Tops on your list should be safety concerns about health hazards. Most states require disclosures to be given by the seller to the buyer for things like previous flood or fire, but not all states cover all contingencies. You can cover that yourself via the contract addendum. Keep in mind the eventual value of your home when you sell because these same issues can come up then, too.

Radon is a colorless, odorless gas that causes lung cancer. It comes up from the soil into the house, where it's breathed into the lungs. The Environmental Protection Agency sets a safety limit on radon. After that cutoff is reached, radon abatement (removal) is recommended. Contact the EPA branch in your state or go to epa.gov for more information on the types of tests (short term vs. long term) for radon, and for qualified radon inspectors. Include in your addendum who will pay for abatement should radon be found.

Asbestos, if found, comes

under state and federal regulation when it comes to removing it. Often it's contained (painted over) instead of being removed, as that keeps the fibers from being released. Asbestos can be found in places such as siding, pipes, vinyl tile and roofing in older homes.

Lead-based paint disclosures are generally required for any house built before 1978, but ask for a test if you're not given a disclosure.

With a home inspection you might need to ask for additional tests for some concerns, such as termites and mold, as they might not be covered under a general inspection.

Other areas to investigate before you buy: Superfund (contaminated waste) sites in the area, and the location of nearby sex offenders.

No matter what your state's laws, remember that as a buyer you can ask for anything in your offer to purchase. Your health, plus the future value of your home, could be at risk.

David Uffington regrets that he cannot personally answer reader questions, but will incorporate them into his column whenever possible. Write to him in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475 or send e-mail to letters.kfws@heartsinc.com.

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Five Steps To A Beautiful Garden

(NAPS) – OK, you've seen all the garden magazines, and you've been to your friend's house with the garden that says "Wow!" Now you want to try your hand at designing one that's an extension of your personality.

"Like your wardrobe, your garden is uniquely yours," says Bayer Advanced Garden Expert Lance Walheim, co-author of "Landscaping for Dummies." "Don't be afraid to choose colors and textures that show off your personality."

Of course, a great garden takes planning:

• **Work with what you already have** – If a large tree is already part of your landscape, make it a part of your new garden design by

TIPS FOR HOMEOWNERS

layering. Plant smaller trees next to it, then shorter shrubs next to those. Fill in with plants and flowers that grow lower to the ground for a balanced look.

• **Keep your god looks growing all year** – Choose plants and shrubs that provide more than one season of color. By using a combination of flowers, fruit and foliage, as well as interesting barks, your garden's beauty will appear different each season. Azaleas can show off bright blooms from early April through July. Hawthorns flower in mid-spring, and have orange-to-red leaves in the fall and berries in winter.

Summer-blooming crape myrtles have shiny, peeling bark and orange-red color in autumn.

• **Looks good, tastes great** – Many fruit and nut trees have fragrant flowers, gorgeous foliage and delicious fruit. The textures and colors of many vegetables make them ideal for planting with flowers. Low-growing berries work well as ground flowers.

• **Don't forget about fragrance** – A variety of scents will add an extra dimension to your garden. Fragrances evoke emotional responses, and certain scents will set specific moods. Put strongly scented plants-citrus

trees, gardenias or roses-toward the center of the garden and lightly fragrant ones-like paper whites, lilies of the valley or scented geraniums-closest to pathways or edges.

• **Protect against pests** – Snails and slugs are among the most frustrating and destructive garden pests. They'll consume almost anything with fruit, flowers or foliage before you even know they're there. Bayer Advanced Dual Action Snail & Slug Killer Bait quickly attracts and kills snails and slugs. And there's good news for the 64 million pet owners in the U.S.: This product can be used around pets and wildlife.

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The Active Consumer

How to Choose In An Open Energy Market

By MIKE BECK

(NAPS) – Choosing an energy provider is just like other household purchase decisions: You should look for reliability; direct and friendly service and the type of offering that matches your lifestyle.

In the same way that deregulation of the telecommunications industry led to a variety of value-added services, competition in the electricity and natural gas industry has prompted

companies to think about new ways of providing you with value. Some of these offerings include:

• **Fixed pricing:** Choose a payment plan that sets the monthly price for your energy costs.

• **Bundled Options:** You can choose to have your gas, powered and electricity-related services packaged together in one bill.

• **Green Energy:** You can now choose a plan with a certain percentage of the

energy coming from alternative sources, such as wind power or other renewable forms of energy. With these options in mind, you can now go to the next step, which is choosing your natural gas and electricity provider. Check your state's energy Web site to see if you have a choice of supplier in your market and review the list of suppliers. Against this

backdrop, you can now apply a filter in evaluating suppliers.

• **Cost should not be the only factor:** Customer service, years of experience in deregulated markets and a commitment to your positive experience are also very important. You can find out who has the best customer services and, on the flip side, see the complaint records against a company.

• **Competition is all about choice:** Take time to find out what competitors offer in your region.

• **Beware of hidden charges:** Watch out for natural gas and electricity companies that have a "customer charge" or "administration fee."

• **Don't be afraid to ask:** Friends and neighbors can share with you their experiences with energy suppliers.

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Avoid Common Moving Mistakes

(NAPS) — The U.S. Census Bureau estimates that more than 15 percent of the population moves every year.



By Samantha Mazzotta

Microwave's Lifespan Is Finite

Q. I have a microwave that has rust in the inside corners. I would like to know if I can paint over the rust. Do I need a special type of paint? — *Matt M., East Stroudsburg, Pa.*

A. One of the important things to know about microwave ovens is that, while they are very convenient and very safe to use when in good condition, once they begin to age, they can become not so safe to use. When a microwave oven's door seals begin to break down or rust is seen in the cooking area (the inside compartment), the unit should not be used at all.

In the case of interior rust, microwave "leakage" is not really a concern (unless the rust is extreme and compromises the metal box that comprises the cooking area), but electrical arcing is a potential problem. Have you ever accidentally put something containing metal into the microwave and been frightened by the loud popping, sparks and burning odor that immediately start up? Rusty, exposed spots can do that as well, usually

to a smaller extent, and you just don't want stray electrical arcs inside any electric appliance.

Many eons ago, when dinosaurs roamed the Earth and I was just a wee lass, microwave ovens were big and expensive and didn't even have digital clocks. Taking them in for repairs back then made sense: They weren't just a small appliance, they were an investment. Today, small-to-medium-size microwave ovens sell for as little as \$50 and are very energy efficient.

I recommend that you assess the amount of use the oven actually gets. Do you cook whole turkey dinners in it, or just use it to reheat plates and make popcorn? If it's the latter, a smaller, inexpensive unit will serve. In the meantime, dispose of the old microwave according to your local municipality's guidelines — these can be checked by calling the city or county directly, or visiting its Web site.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeguir2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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If you're ever among them, there are a few things you should know that can help make the process less confusing and complex.

First, be aware that less than 5 percent of consumers were totally satisfied with their move experience, according to a benchmark survey recently completed by a free Web site designed to guide users through each step of a real estate transaction and move. Often, that's the result of failing to properly plan and prepare for such a life-changing event. For instance, did you know you need to select a moving company at least four to six weeks in advance? More common mistakes that movers make include:

Failing to start early enough: The entire move process can take six months to a year. It's not as simple as putting one house on the market and buying the next; you need to determine where to live, how much you can afford, whether to rent or buy and what the timeline is. The earlier you start to prepare, the smoother the journey.

Forgetting to prepare your current house: Often, consumers jump into the fun "house hunting" stage when they should put more effort into preparing their current home for sale. Take time to make necessary repairs, plant flowers, and repaint and declutter rooms to make your

home more appealing to buyers. It saves last minute rushing and lets you maximize the selling price.

Underestimating the power of an advocate: Prospective buyers forget that when responding directly to a property listing, they are working with the seller's agent, not their own. Lisa Manfredi, TotalMove Real Estate Coordinator, explains, "It's imperative to enlist the help of a buyer's agent. He or she is your advocate and there to protect your interests." Her company discovered that less than 20 percent of consumers were completely satisfied with the performance of their agent, which is why it's important to have an unbiased advocate guide you to the best agent for the job.

Believing the process ends with the sale: Some of the most stressful events can

include moving your belongings and settling into your new surroundings. It's important to continue your relationship with a

knowledge expert who can make sure you're prepared for each issue you have to face and that your transition is a smooth one.

Do-It-Yourself Moving Tips

- **Truck Selection.** Most movers find the 12- or 16-foot truck perfect for moving a few large items or the contents of a small condo or apartment.

- **Reserve your truck** at least two weeks in advance.

- **Pack smart,** loading the heaviest items on the truck first.

- **Mark your boxes** as you pack, so it's easier to put them in the right room when you unload.

- **To ensure a smooth moving day,** pick up your truck a day early and practice driving it.

- **Take extra precautions** when the truck is loaded. Use caution near low hanging tree

branches and building overhangs and when cornering. Park in well-lit areas and padlock the rear door.

- **Make safety and security** a priority. Trucks are taller, wider, heavier and require more stopping distance than the vehicle you are used to driving. Drive slower and take extra precautions, especially when the truck is loaded. When traveling, park in well-lit areas and padlock the rear door.

Create a travel bag for moving day to keep important paperwork, credit cards, identification, change of clothes, drinks and snacks close at hand.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Targeting Thighs With Step Aerobics

Q. I want to lose weight in my legs and thighs. I do step aerobics classes three times a week, but feel like I may be slimming in the wrong places. Is this a possibility?

A. Step aerobics can be a great source of cardiovascular exercise. Using choreography and raised floor steps, you can expend a great amount of calories with this activity. While participating in activities such as step aerobics it is definitely possible to lose weight and body fat throughout your whole body.

The ability to lose weight in one particular area and not others is called "spot training" (or spot reducing). This type of training is unsuccessful because you are unable to choose where and when your body will lose weight and body fat first.

While you are completing a step aerobics program, your whole body is responding to the stresses being placed on it, not just one area. Although you feel your legs and heart doing the majority of the work, your whole body is working together to achieve your goal of finishing the program.

Don't get discouraged—all of your hard work is not going to waste. Your body will respond to your exercise routine and over time show results where you desire. Consider that as you complete a step aerobics

routine, you are strengthening your legs and gaining endurance, which will lead to the ability to burn more calories, helping your thighs to lose body fat.

Oftentimes we identify a "problem area" and focus on that area because it is our biggest challenge. Even though our body is working on the area (at its own pace) the progress is sometimes not as quick as we would like. Believe that as long as you are consistent and modify your program accordingly, your exercise routine is working to get the job done.

The changes you are seeing with your body are great. Although the changes may not yet be visible in the thighs and legs, as you desire, your commitment to exercise is improving your overall health.

Remember that a strength-training routine and proper nutrition are important to seeing lasting results. Keep working hard and stay patient and consistent with your exercise program. You may be just a few steps away from seeing the results you desire.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. Andrea Renee Wyatt, M.S.S., C.S.C.S., is a certified personal trainer with an extensive background in strength and conditioning as well as therapeutic recreation. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfw@earthlink.net or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Here Comes The Sun

People With Diabetes Need More Than Sunglasses To Protect Their Eyes

The crack of the bat on Opening Day at Fenway Park is a sure sign that summer is on its way. From the Green Monster seats to the dunes of Cape Cod, summer means bright sun, ultraviolet rays and of course, sunglasses.

But did you know that people with diabetes need more than sunglasses to protect their eyes?

Diabetes puts people at risk for cataracts, glaucoma and diabetic retinopathy, a leading cause of vision loss. But in the majority of cases, vision can be preserved if the disease is caught early and treated.

The experts at Joslin Diabetes Center's Beetham Eye Institute offer these quick reminders to keep your eyes in great shape not only in the summer but also all through the year:

- Diabetic eye disease can be painless until it reaches very advanced stages, and the earlier you can catch it, the more likely you can preserve your sight.

- You can have perfect vision and still have diabetic eye disease.

- An annual dilated eye exam can identify eye complications early on.

- If your doctor finds early signs of diabetic eye disease,

a number of treatments may be recommended, including laser eye surgery, contact lenses, glasses and medications.

- Keeping your A1C (average monthly blood glucose levels) on target, controlling blood pressure and quitting smoking also can help preserve vision and prevent vision loss.

Joslin Diabetes Center has been on the cutting edge of diabetes-related eye disease prevention and care since its inception and has set standards across the world for the treatment and care of people with diabetes.

With more than 360,000

people in Massachusetts diagnosed with diabetes, and thousands more having the disease and not knowing it, there is great risk of vision loss due to diabetic retinopathy.

Comprehensive eye exams on an annual basis, proper management and care of your health, and of course, your favorite pair of sunglasses are all key to seeing your eyes in a new light.

For an appointment at Joslin's Beetham Eye Institute, call (617) 732-2552. For more information on Joslin, visit <http://www.joslin.org/>.

Older Adults and Their Caregivers Benefit From Short-Term Assisted Living Program

What if one of your parents fell, fractured a hip, and after surgery and rehabilitation still didn't feel ready to go home? How would you advise them on the next steps? Who would you turn to for advice and where would they go that would give you both a little peace of mind?

The training staff at Allerton House at Hancock Park in Quincy understands the need for a quick, short-term solution. The community's Short-Stay Program is custom-tailored to meet the needs of older adults and their adult caregivers. The emphasis is on recuperation, wellness, social support and recreation

in a supportive residential environment.

"A period of transition at Allerton House offers time for healing and recuperation post-surgery, and is comforting to family members who know their loved ones will have round-the-clock care and wellness services when they need them," says Kelly Richards, marketing director, Allerton House at Hancock Park.

Apartments are spacious and tastefully furnished. There is plenty of guest parking, and many of the fulltime residents are long-time area residents who are well known among the assisted living community and the greater Quincy area.

Short-term residents can select from a range of engaging activities in which to participate.

Accommodations can range anywhere from a few days to a few weeks or months, depending on the needs of an individual and their family. Some short-term services include the same gracious dining and menu choices full-time residents enjoy, 24-hour staffing, full housekeeping and linen services, medication reminders and assistance with personal care such as bathing, which can be difficult and taxing following certain medical procedures.

Allerton House at

Hancock Park is an ideal choice for seniors interested in short-term assisted living.

This 42-apartment community is located in the heart of historic Quincy at 164 Parkway and offers an environment supportive of residents' independence and dignity. Allerton House at Hancock Park is owned and managed by Welch Healthcare & Retirement Group, a leading provider of housing, healthcare and rehabilitation services for seniors for 55 years.

For a personal tour or more information, call Kelly Richards, marketing director, at (617) 461-2600.

Make Your Favorite Foods Calorie Friendly

(NAPS) — Americans are always hungry for tips that take the misery out of cooking healthy versions of their favorite indulgence foods. That's the idea behind a new television series that lets viewers in on the secrets of making mouthwatering, calorie-friendly favorites.

Devin Alexander, the host of "Healthy Decadence With Devin Alexander," believes you don't have to deprive yourself to be fit and healthy. She has maintained a 55-pound weight loss for over 15 years by making small adjustments when cooking her favorite foods. For instance, did you know you can transform a low-fat tortilla into a thin and crispy pizza crust very similar to the ones you find at your favorite local pizza place? Or that adding instant coffee

to brownie batter provides a richer chocolate taste without the unnecessary fat or calories?

Here are some more of Devin's tips that will help you have fun preparing healthy and delicious foods:

- An olive oil sprayer—one that you fill yourself—is essential in healthy cooking. You can use it for so much more than spraying pans. For instance, make faux-fried chicken by breading chicken, baking it, then spraying it with a light mist of olive oil spray. You only need a light coating, but it will register much stronger in your brain because the oil will be the first thing to hit your tongue.

- When cooking burgers, never smash them down with a spatula—this will eliminate all of the juice along with only a tiny bit of fat,

particularly if you've started with a lean cut of beef, guaranteeing a dry burger.

- Instead of buying meats from your local deli counter, most of which are chock-full of sodium, try making your own top round roast or turkey roast, then using the leftovers as deli meat. Not only is it likely to be much leaner, you'll save tons of sodium. Plus, you'll also save money.

- A lot of people think turkey burgers or other dishes made with ground turkey are inferior in texture and flavor to their beef counterparts. This is often because people simply swap turkey for beef in recipes that were developed for beef. Because the moisture content is vastly different between turkey and beef, simply substituting one for the other will not yield ideal results. Instead, if you

want to serve turkey, take a little bit of extra time to hunt down a recipe that was originally made with turkey or doctor your favorite family recipe to account for the decreased moisture before serving it.

- Make chopped salads instead of salads with chunks of veggies. Chopped salads provide a flavor explosion in your mouth before you even add any dressing, since you meld all of the flavors in each bite. Thus, they require less dressing—which is the most fattening part of most salads.

"Healthy Decadence With Devin Alexander" airs Thursdays at 10:30 p.m. and Sundays at 11:30 a.m. on Discovery Health. For more information about "Healthy Decadence," log on to www.discoveryhealth.com.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

STANDING UP TO PRESSURE

Not only are dental implants nearly identical to natural teeth in terms of appearance, they are just about their equals in terms of function. This is an important factor that patients will want to consider while making their decision about which tooth-replacement method they prefer. While most natural teeth can withstand biting pressure of up to 540 pounds per square inch, implants can withstand 450 pounds per square inch. By contrast, dentures can only withstand about 50 pounds per square inch of biting pressure. On top of that, implants can help prevent gum recession and reabsorption of the jawbone by actually mimicking the architecture of the natural teeth they replace. These functional advantages make dental implants the natural choice.

Dental implants look and feel like your own teeth. And because they are designed to

fuse with bone, they become permanent. Dental implants can give you back your smile, and help you feel better about yourself. We are a highly qualified and experienced team of professionals — and we're able to help you make the most of your smile. For quality, compassionate dental care, please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. At our office, located at 44 Greenleaf Street, we are proud of our staff — a staff dedicated to helping you look and feel better. We are grateful for the trust our patients have placed in us by choosing us to provide their dental care. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. A dental implant is an artificial tooth root (made of titanium) that is surgically anchored into the jaw to hold a replacement tooth or bridge in place.



SPORTS

Presidents Crush Somerville In Opener

By SEAN BRENNAN

Guess the Quincy Presidents' varsity baseball team didn't get the message about how the cold weather is supposed to favor the pitcher and not the batter.

Quincy (1-1) finally got to play its 2007 season opener last Tuesday afternoon against Somerville High School at Adams Field. The Presidents, behind the pitching of senior Dan Myers and the hitting of its entire lineup, stormed back from an early first-inning 4-0 hole, to beat Somerville 15-5.

"We finally got to play our season opener," said relieved head coach Mike Draicchio. "The boys were itching to get out and play and after we fell behind 4-0 after the first inning, our pitching and offense really turned it up. Dan Myers got through the opening inning and settled down to pitch into the fifth inning to earn the win."

"The entire team hit the ball well, but it was John Alexander who got us started with a big run scoring double in the first inning."

Quincy received production on offense from Teddy Walsh (2-4, 2 RBI), Rick Sulvucci (2-4, RBI), Steve Connolly (1 RBI, 3 runs scored), Wendell Cosgrove (4-4, triple, 4 RBI), Anthony

BASEBALL

Gilbody (RBI) and Myers (2-4, 2 RBI).

"It was a great all-around performance for us on offense," Draicchio said. "Once we got the bats started, it just continued for the whole game. It was a good game because with the big lead I was able to get every player into the game. Once Dan settled down, he controlled the pace of the game."

The team continued its torrid hitting on Saturday morning against King Philip Regional High School, but a spotty pitching performance cost the team dearly in a 12-8 loss.

"We played pretty well for a Saturday morning game," Draicchio said. "We fell behind early (5-0 after two innings) and the large number of walks we gave King Philip really hurt us in the end. The offense did everything it could to try and get us back into the game, but in the end it was not enough."

In the third inning, Quincy cut the deficit to 9-4 behind some clutch hitting from Mike Leone (single), Rick Sulvucci (RBI single) and John Alexander (2-run HR), but the team gave it right

back in the fourth inning and could never catch up.

"When you score eight runs in a game you expect to win," Draicchio said. "The walks early cost us, but the positive that came out of the game was that we did fight back for the second straight game on offense."

"It has only been two games, but so far we have been doing great at all three levels of our baseball program. The varsity is hitting the ball well and looking forward we should be in good shape, our jayvee team is currently 2-0 and our freshman team is sitting at 1-1. The baseball program is doing well and that is good news for today and in the future."

Quincy was scheduled to begin their QHS/NQHS Baseball Tournament on Tuesday (weather permitting). The team is already behind the 8-ball in Atlantic Coast League play. The team's scheduled league opener against Nauset High School was rained out last Thursday and will have to be rescheduled at a future date.

After the school vacation, the Presidents play host to Plymouth North on Monday (4/23) at Adams Field. The game begins at 4 p.m.



THE QUINCY SQUIRT Bs celebrate with their trophies after their 5-4 triple overtime victory over Hyde Park in the Greater Boston League Championship. Mike Finn scored the game-winner.

Wins 5-4 In Triple Overtime

Squirt B's Edge Hyde Park For League Championship

The Quincy Youth Hockey Squirt B team recently won the Greater Boston League Championship with a 5-4 triple overtime victory over the Hyde Park Squirt A team.

After finishing a season that included games against some of the best Squirt A teams in the area and a Gold Medal Round appearance at the Lake Placid, NY Hockey Tournament in January, the Quincy Squirts fought their way into the playoffs.

Quincy knocked off the 11-1 Brookline Squirt A team in the opening round 4-3 behind three goals from Mike Finn. Mike Gendreau also scored to help Quincy advance to the championship game against Hyde Park.

In the finals, Quincy's victory was a total team effort. Backed by the exceptional goaltending of Nolan Greene and Ryan Higgins, Quincy won in three overtimes. Scoring for the Quincy Squirts were Mike

Gendreau (1 goal), Sam Silcox (3 goals) and Mike Finn (overtime game-winner).

Other members of the championship team included Brandon Beale, Sean Brennick, Jimmy Brennick, Mac Deegan, Chris Gorman, Mark Gillespie, Ryan Hart, Andrew Kiley, Aiden Pugsley, Steve Ross, Troy Shephard and Emily Taback. Bill Dineen, Mike Taback and Jim Silcox coached the team.

Quincy Police Marine Unit Co-Sponsoring Boating Safety Course

The Quincy Police Marine Unit, in partnership with the Massachusetts Environmental Police, will present a Basic Boating Safety Course at no cost to the public. The course is designed for persons of all ages, regardless of boating skill.

This course is federally approved and completion of the course will allow persons to legally operate a boat in states that require completion of a Basic Boating Safety Course.

Everyone who completes the course will be issued a basic Boating Safety Certificate. Completion of the course by persons between 12-16 years of age will allow them to operate a motorboat without adult supervision. In addition, some insurance companies offer policy discounts for customers that complete a Basic Boating Safety Course.

The course will be held from 12 noon to 4 p.m. on

three consecutive Saturdays: April 21, April 28 and May 5.

The course is taught at the Houghs Neck Maritime Center, 137 Bayview Ave. (next to the Quincy Yacht

Club on Sea St.).

For more information, call the Massachusetts Environmental Police at (508) 790-9360 or the Quincy Police Marine Unit at (617) 594-4848.

Honors For 19 New Inductees

QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame Banquet May 10

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee would like to announce that Bill Monbouquette will be the guest speaker at the QHS Baseball Hall of Fame banquet.

Monbouquette wore the number 27 for the Red Sox, making his first Major League start on July 18, 1958. He won at least 14 games from 1960-63, with a career-high 20 victories in 1963. He was a four-time all-star and pitched a no-hitter in 1962 against the Chicago White Sox and set a club record with 17 strikeouts against the Washington Senators in 1961.

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee announces the names of fifteen former Quincy High School baseball players to be inducted into the Quincy High School Hall of Fame on May 10, 2007.

The Hall of Fame Banquet will be held at the Quincy Sons of Italy. The social hour

is from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., with dinner and the awards ceremonies to follow. Tickets to the Hall of Fame Banquet are \$25 and can be purchased by contacting Joseph Brill, chairman of the QHSBBAA, at (617) 770-4813.

The 2007 inductees include Gerald Curtis ('46), Bob Gumpwright ('41), Frances "Frannie" Pineau ('49), Dan Raymond ('65), Ted Meyers ('69), Bob Pettinelli ('69), Bob Lane ('73), Joe Brill ('74), Paul Sutherland ('76), Gary DiNardo ('81), Tom Balzano ('91), Robert "Robbie" Kane ('93), Tom Malvesti ('94) and the late Steve Barrett ('95).

For the first time the QHSBBAA/Hall of Fame Committee is including the Old Quincy Trade School and announces that Gino Pettiti ('39) and Frances "Shorty" Donovan ('42) have been inducted.

George Burke will be inducted as only the third Honorary Member into the Hall of Fame, joining former

Quincy mayor James Sheets and former Minnesota Twins manager Sam Mele.

Warren Finley and A. "Bud" Mosher will join the Hall of Fame as former coaches.

The Hall of Fame committee will also honor four youth coaches who have given their time to teaching the game of baseball to so many kids for so many years. The four include Bill Draicchio, Dick Lombardi and the late John Rossi of Quincy Youth Baseball and Tony Constantino from St. John's Baseball.

The Paul Grasso Memorial Baseball Book Scholarship will be awarded to a senior who will further their education and baseball skills at the college level. Grasso, who graduated from Quincy High School in 1967, was killed while serving his country during the Vietnam War. Book Scholarships in the name of the late Bill Sullivan and Joe Conti will also be awarded.

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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: April 6 - 13

Total Calls for Service: 1,144

Total Arrests: 37

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 3

FRIDAY, APRIL 6

LARCENY, 7:31 a.m., We Care Cleaners, 58 Quincy Ave. By check. Larceny by check in the past from a closed out account.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:23 a.m., 51 Longwood Rd. Property damage. House plants poisoned, property in locked storage area damaged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:29 a.m., Alfredo's Restaurant, 77 Franklin St. Fence/deck. Happened overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:19 p.m., 48 Belmont St. Fence damage. Fence broken sometime with past two hours.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:07 p.m., 22 Quarterdeck. Dwelling. Party broke in, took her coin jar and is going to Stop & Shop to put it through machine.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:06 a.m., 121 Edwards St. Motor vehicle taken sometime since 7:20 p.m. last evening. 2002 Chevy Trailblazer, color blue.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:39 p.m., 25 Germain Ave. Motor vehicle keyed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:15 p.m., 58 South St. Graffiti.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:44 p.m., Captain's Cove Condos, 100 Coveaway.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:51 p.m., 43 Kent St. Dwelling. Happened April 4.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:02 p.m., 88 Town Hill St.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:56 p.m., Lincoln-Hancock School, 300 Granite St. Throwing rocks.

SUNDAY, APRIL 8

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1 a.m., 3 Montilio St. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 29 Hunt St. Motor vehicle. Two Asian males, 1 baseball bat, 1 hoodie.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:20 a.m., 72 Kendall St. Vehicle taken sometime last night. 2002 Hyundai Accent, color red.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:43 p.m., 875 Sea St. Graffiti.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:32 p.m., Common Market, 97 Willard St. To car. Sheetrock hit caller's car, damage done to the trunk, driver's side of car, rear quarter.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 9:40 p.m., 14 Bicknell St. Unarmed. Took female's purse. Three young males, one had a red coat. Grabbed her bag that had a newspaper and a banana.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:22 p.m., 92 Town Hill St. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:44 p.m., 79 Gilbert St. Dwelling.

MONDAY, APRIL 9

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:29 a.m., 234 West Quantum St. Tires slashed. Three tires slashed on one vehicle and air let out of tire of another vehicle. Happened overnight, no suspects.

LARCENY, 8:45 a.m., Sprague Fluid Connectors, 218 Willard St. Check. Several checks forged. Complaint for larceny under, uttering, and forgery.

LARCENY, 11:34 a.m., 569 Washington St. Check. Check stolen from unknown location and cashed.

LARCENY, 2:39 p.m., One Adams Place, 859 Willard St. Past incident. Verizon cellular phone and \$75 in cash taken, happened April 6.

LARCENY, 3:49 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Flammable. Male approached caller in lot and flammable her out of \$300. Complaint for larceny over and malicious damage to a motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:19 p.m., 319 Granite St. Past - motor vehicle keyed sometime last night.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:27 p.m., 62 Virginia Rd. Dwelling. No sign of forced entry; jewelry known missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:18 p.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Window. Broken window, nothing taken.

LARCENY, 11:20 p.m., 22 Bent Ter. Jewelry and Sony video game known missing at this time.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:55 a.m., Edgewater Place Condos, 133 Commander Shea Blvd. Four tires - flat.

LARCENY, 12:16 p.m., 48 Lawn Ave. Of money order - \$1,000.

LARCENY, 3:17 p.m., 69 Darrow St. By check.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:20 p.m., 100 Alton Rd. Past.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 5:10 p.m., 152 Quincy St. Scheme. This is not credit card fraud, this is an attempted larceny by scheme. Received letter in mail saying she was the winner of an unclaimed prize. A check was attached to the letter that the caller determined was counterfeit.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:18 p.m., 200 Coveaway.

LARCENY, 6:04 p.m., A.J. Wright, 126 Parkway. Shoplift to larceny.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10 p.m., 115 Cummings Ave. To motor vehicle. Window just smashed in his car. Driver's side rear window smashed with rock.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12

LARCENY, 9:16 a.m., Freddy's Auto Body, 54 Water St. By check. Party wrote a bad \$3,000 check to them.

LARCENY, 11:48 a.m., 2001 Marina Dr. Home theater. Bose home theater speakers taken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:35 p.m., 11 Hodges Ave. To motor vehicle. Two cars keyed.

LARCENY, 3:41 p.m., 141 Puritan Dr. By credit card.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 6:45 p.m., 89 Faxon Ln. Dwelling. Happened today.

LARCENY, 7:18 p.m., 519 Willard St. Cell phone. T-Mobile Pink Tattoo Razor cell phone.

INDECENT/ASSAULT & BATTERY, 111 Newbury Ave. Just happened. Indian male wearing black jacket, early 20s, 170 lbs, 5'7".

LARCENY, 8:36 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Pocketbook taken from shopping cart.

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

UNARMED ROBBERY, 5:08 a.m., 257 Centre St. On bike. Party on bike was robbed. Everyone okay. No EMS.

black male, black jacket, heavy set.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders book**, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is **dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us** - *Lt. Dan Minton*

A Job Well Done

On Easter Sunday, April 8, at approximately 12:45 p.m., Officers Paul Matthews, John Leuchte and John Landry were dispatched to Faxon Commons on a report of a female screaming and crying for help.

As the officers arrived on the seventh floor, they located the caller, who pointed to the apartment and said, "She's in trouble - they have been fighting like this all day."

As the officers listened outside the apartment door, they heard a female screaming and male yelling and threatening her. They also heard banging and items being thrown. The officers immediately began banging on the door with their fists and then with their nightsticks when no one answered. The officers knew they would have to enter the apartment to rescue the female from an unknown danger. Officer Matthews gave the door two kicks near the lock and forced the door open. The officers scanned the area for direct threats.

They suspect a male (suspect) with pants ripped in the crotch area, out of breath and sweating profusely. The officers also found a female (victim) in the corner of the bathroom wrapped in a towel, visibly upset and crying. After learning they were husband and wife, the officers removed them to separate rooms to determine what happened.

The wife was brought to their bedroom, which was in complete disarray, with the television and clothing strewn about the floor. Officer Leuchte discovered an iron on the bed with a trace of blood on it. He also observed the female had reddish marks on her neck and chin.

Officer Matthews learned from the suspect that he and his wife had an argument, which escalated into the suspect going around the apartment destroying his own property. When asked if he hit his wife during the argument, the suspect said, "I might have pushed her once or twice."

The suspect said he was not aware of any marks around her neck and she said that she did it to herself. With doubtful looks from the officers, she quickly changed her story, stating "it might have happened the night before."

The officers learned that, based on their training and experience, the wife was not telling the truth. Based on the suspect's statement that he may have pushed her once or twice, the volatility of the verbal argument, the freshness of the marks, the condition of the apartment and the knowledge that victims often are afraid to come forward with a verbal statement against their partner for a multitude of reasons, Officer Matthews placed the husband/suspect under arrest for "domestic assault and battery."

The wife was given a pamphlet explaining her rights of protection. The officers told her they would assist her in getting a restraining order against her husband, but she was adamant that she did not want one and only wanted her husband back home.

The officers further explained that a restraining order could be sought with the condition that he could live with her but was not to physically or verbally abuse her.

Again, she refused our offer to help. Unfortunately, when someone is a victim of domestic violence and does not take action, there is a high chance that we will be back again, and often times the physical violence is worse.

To the officers, nice work!

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FRAUD SCHEME: From Day Patrol Lt. John Steele: Two recent reports of "flim flam artists" who are entering Asian businesses posing in the Greater Boston area as "government compliance officers" or a similar title, telling proprietors that they are required to purchase and post signs such as minimum wage and other labor laws. The signs are actually free of charge from appropriate state agencies, but these unscrupulous people are trying to scam and intimidate those unfamiliar with the law.



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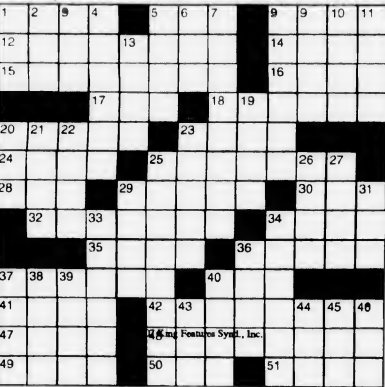
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The Garden Bug

Plan for vine growth

When planting a flowering vine, consider its light requirements, and its support needs when fully grown. A vigorous, thick-stemmed grower might outstrip a flimsy, store-bought trellis in one summer, and insufficient sun might cause it to flower poorly or not at all.

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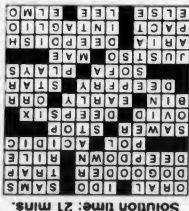
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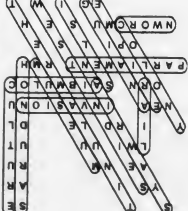
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LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) There still might be some communication problems in the workplace, but they should be resolved soon. Meanwhile, that "tip" from a friend should be checked out.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A new relationship appears to need more from you than you might be willing to give right now. Best advice: Resist making promises you might not be able to keep.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) That restless feeling encourages you to gallop off into a new venture. But remember to keep hold of the reins so you can switch paths when necessary.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A demanding work schedule keeps the high-spirited Goat from kicking up his or her heels. But playtime beckons by the week's end. Have fun. You earned it.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You're beginning to come out from under those heavy responsibilities you took on. Use this freed-up time to enjoy some much-deserved fun with people close to you.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Before you get swept away by a tidal wave of conflicting priorities, take time to come up for air, and reassess the situation. You might be surprised by what you'll find.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your leadership qualities are enhanced by a practical sense of purpose that keeps you focused on your goals.

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) The Lamb loves to be surrounded by flocks of admirers. But be careful that someone doesn't take his or her admiration too far. Use your persuasive skills to let him or her down easily.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) This is a good time to begin setting far-reaching goals and connecting with new contacts. Aspects also favor strengthening old relationships — personal and/or professional.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A personal disappointment should be viewed as a valuable learning experience. Go over what went wrong and see where a change in tactics might have led to a more positive outcome.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Don't leave projects unfinished or personal obligations unresolved, or you might find yourself tripping over all those loose ends later on. A relative has important news.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Expect a challenge to the usual way you do things. Although you might prefer the tried-and-true, once you take a good look at this new idea, you might feel more receptive to it.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Much work has yet to be polished a still-rough idea into something with significant potential. Expect to encounter some initial rejection, but stay with it nonetheless.

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RELIGION

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "Walk With Christ."

St. Chrysostom's Church

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church, 1 Linden St., Quincy, is sponsoring a workshop for churches and parishes in the area entitled "The Welcoming Church."

New member inclusion and sustaining membership — or going from "the way it

Laura Stracco, director of Interfaith Social Services, will be the guest speaker. She will discuss upcoming events, including the 10K Walk on Sunday, April 12 and the Alan Shawn Feinstein's "Helping Your Neighbors Challenge."

used to be" to "the way it is" will be the focus of the event.

The workshop, which will be held Saturday, April 28 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., will be led by Barbara Pelowski, Ph.D., director of New Member Ministries at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Cleve-

land Heights, Ohio — the largest parish in the Diocese of Ohio.

The cost of the workshop is \$12, which includes lunch. To register or for more information, call Karen Keenan, parish administrator, at 617-472-0737.

Childcare is available for infants and toddlers. Following the worship service, there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Spiritual Program For Women In May

A five-week spiritual program for women in recovery will be held each Wednesday evening in May from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Maria Droste Services, 1354 Hancock St., Quincy.

Sr. Kathy Short, CSJ, will be the facilitator of the pro-

gram entitled "Chaos to Grace." The weekly fee will range from \$10 to \$30 for participants.

"Recovery is the discovery of your true self, one glorious step at a time," is the motto of the program.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Walk For Hunger To Benefit Local Food Pantries

More families than ever are turning for help from the emergency food programs funded by Project Bread's Walk for Hunger. To respond, Project Bread is asking everyone to recruit teammates and donors for the 2007 Walk which is scheduled for Sunday, May 6.

In Massachusetts, 450,000 people struggle to put food on the table, and more people than ever are living up for meals and groceries from emergency soup kitchens and food pantries.

The Walk for Hunger is

the oldest continual pledge walk in the country and the largest event to relieve local hunger. The event benefits 64 emergency food programs in the South Shore area, including several in Quincy.

"We see an average of three to five clients a week," says Cathy Jacques, pantry coordinator of the Germantown Neighborhood Center Pantry in Quincy. "We're seeking people who own homes, but just can't make ends meet. We also have single mothers, seniors, and families — all of which

are struggling to provide the daily nutrition they need to survive."

For 38 years, the Walk for Hunger has provided critical resources for hungry people in Massachusetts. This year, 42,000 people are expected to take part in the event, walking with friends, family, or as part of a team.

Participants can walk all or part of the 20-mile scenic route, which weaves through Boston, Brookline, Newton, Watertown, and Cambridge.

For more information, call 617-723-5000.

First Baptist Selected For Small Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Col-

legium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and

their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

The Rev. C. Michael Cunningham and his wife, Vickie, will prepare for their visit to Alexandria by reading assigned texts and working with their congregations in preparation for the Collegium and will do a follow up project later.

Candle Lighting Service May 16

VistaCare Hospice of Westwood will offer a candle lighting remembrance service Wednesday, May 16,

from 6 to 8 p.m. at First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church, 53 Canton Ave., Milton.

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Assemblies of God

Glad Tidings
158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797
Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor

Sunday Worship: 9:30, 11 a.m.; Christian Ed. 10 a.m.
Senior H. Youth 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study.
Royal Ranger Missionettes: End. Junior H. Youth 7 p.m.

Youth & Children's Ministry
• Contemporary Worship
• Marriage & Family Group
• International Fellowship
• DivorceCare

Catholic

St. Mary's Church
95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120

Masses
Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30 & 11:30am, Weekdays 9am
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Worship Service & Church School
SUNDAYS: 10:30 a.m.
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Congregational

First Church of Squantum
164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649
Pastor: Michael S. Robertson
Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
All Are Welcome

QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424
Worship and Church School 10 am
Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor
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Spiritualist

First Spiritualist Church of Quincy
40 West St., Quincy • (617) 770-2246
Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM
Coffee and Conversation following service.
(Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)
Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.

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Sunday Masses
4pm (Sat) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy)
10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm
12 noon at Star of Sea Church
Weekday Masses
Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am
Handicapped Accessible
Confessions
Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church
550 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169
617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES:
4 p.m. (On Saturday)
8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Weekday Masses 9am
CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
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Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m.
Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)
Weekday Masses
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400
Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM
Handicapped Church Available

Congregational

HOUGHES NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
310 Manet Ave., Quincy
www.hncong.org
Sunday, April 22
Worship Service 9:30 am
"Blinded by the Light"
Acts 9: 1-20
Sunday School 9:30 AM
Rev. John Castricum
617-479-8778

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
(United Church of Christ)
Spear & Codding Streets
Quincy Center, 617-479-7300
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And CHILDREN'S SCHOOL
Sermon By Rev. William Harding
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Dr. of Interfaith Social Services
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Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist
10:30 AM
Sunday Service & Sunday School
7:30 PM
Wednesday Evening Meeting
20 Greenleaf Street Quincy
off Hancock St.
617-472-0053

Congregational

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432
Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford
10 a.m. Worship Service
EARTH DAY APRIL 22
'For the Beauty of the Earth'
Revelation 5: 11-14
John 21: 1-19
Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching

UNION CHURCH
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Sunday Worship Service
10 AM
Rev. John Swanson, Pastor

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(617) 472-5669
On The Campus Of
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Adult Forum 9:15 a.m.
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10:30 Sunday Worship
6PM Prayer Meeting
7PM Brazilian A/G Service
7PM Thursday Bible Study

Squantum Christian Fellowship
50 Hicksville Ave., Squantum
617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan
Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew
Children's Class 10 a.m.
Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m.
Handicap Accessible
email: info@squantumct.org

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Place of Worship:
225 Fenno St., Wollaston
Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.
Bible Study Wednesdays at 7 pm
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Methodist

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40 Beale St., Wollaston
617-773-3319
10:30 AM Sunday Worship
Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Gridden, Pastor

Salvationist

THE SALVATION ARMY
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9:45 Sunday School
11AM WORSHIP SERVICE
BRASS BAND MUSIC
7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP
7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

OBITUARIES

George J. Thurston, 69 Retired Shipping Manager

A funeral Mass for George J. "Sonny" Thurston, 69, of Quincy, a retired shipping manager, was celebrated April 13 at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Thurston died April 10 at Quincy Medical Center.

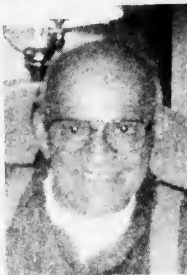
He worked for a poultry company for 20 years and retired in 2000.

He served in the Marine Corps from 1956 to 1962.

Born in Roxbury, he had lived in Quincy for the last 47 years.

He enjoyed golfing, fishing, gardening and wood-working.

Mr. Thurston is survived by his wife, Mary (Gardner) Thurston; four daughters, Ann Marie Bithony of Framingham, Sandra Anderson of Rockland, Catherine Cheatham of Plymouth and Deborah Carter of Quincy; two sons, Steven Thurston of Plymouth and Joseph Thurston of Rockland; five sisters, Regina Quintal of New Hampshire, Bernadette



GEORGE J. THURSTON
Scabloom of Florida. Fifteen DrGiacomo of Franklin, Theresa Campbell of Plymouth and Mary Gebhart of Virginia; two brothers, Richard Thurston of Weymouth and John Thurston of Tennessee; and 14 grandchildren. Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Lung Association of MA, 460 Totten Rd., Suite 400, Waltham, MA 02451.

Philip J. Maloney, Jr., 78 Retired Business Owner

A funeral Mass for Philip J. Maloney Jr., 78, of Quincy, a retired business owner, was celebrated April 14 at St. Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Maloney died suddenly April 10 at the University of Massachusetts Memorial Medical Center in Worcester.

He founded Atlantic Test Boring Co. in Dorchester. He retired many years ago.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., he was raised in Roxbury. He had lived in Dorchester and Jamaica Plain before moving to Quincy.

He was a graduate of Brighton High School.

Mr. Maloney was a member of Pile Drivers Union Local 56, the Redberry Knights of Columbus in Dorchester and Savin Hill Yacht Club.

He is survived by his wife, Claire M. (Kineavy) Maloney; a granddaughter, Michelle Mahoney; two great-grandsons; and many



PHILIP J. MALONEY, JR.

aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was the father of the late Kevin Maloney and the late Philip Maloney III.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Christopher Maloney and James Maloney, Jr. Scholarship Fund, c/o Mount Washington Bank, 489 Gallivan Blvd., Dorchester, MA 02124.

John J. O'Brien, 66 Retired Security Supervisor

A funeral Mass for John J. O'Brien, 66, of East Bridgewater, formerly of Quincy, a retired security supervisor, was celebrated April 12 at St. John's Church, East Bridgewater.

Mr. O'Brien died April 9 at New England Sinai Hospital in Stoughton after a long illness.

He worked for Teradyne in Boston for 26 years. He retired in 2006.

Born and raised in Boston, he graduated from South Boston High School. He had lived in Quincy for 39 years before moving to East Bridgewater more than a year ago.

Mr. O'Brien enjoyed gardening, fishing, horseback riding, going on cruises and going to Connecticut casinos.

He is survived by his wife, Julianna (Standrick) O'Brien; two daughters, Tammie Pierce of Middleboro and Erin



JOHN J. O'BRIEN

Pulliafico of East Bridgewater; a son, David O'Brien of East Bridgewater; seven siblings, Claire Galizo of Stoughton, Mary Ann Fennessy of Quincy, Eileen Dyken of Weymouth, Edward O'Brien of Holland, Margaret George of Woodstock, Ga.; Catherine Guzman of Clarkdale, Ariz., and Ruth Doyle of Milton; five grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Beaver Cemetery, East Bridgewater.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Wales-Prophet Funeral Home, East Bridgewater.

Edmund Mazzola, 76 Retired Typesetter

A funeral Mass for Edmund Mazzola, 76, of Quincy, a retired typesetter, was celebrated April 14 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Mazzola died April 10 at Sawtelle Family Hospice House in Reading.

He worked at the Boston Globe for 38 years, retiring in 1992. He began at the newspaper as an elevator operator when he was 16.

He was a member of the Globe's Quarter Century Club. He was also a member of the Italian-American Club of Malden and the International Typographical Union.

Born in Chelsea, he grew up in Somerville and attended Somerville Trade School.

Husband of the late Helen (Dawson) Mazzola, he is survived by four daughters,

Elaine Silva and Doreen McGowan of Wakefield, Denise Leavitt of Ohio and Beverly Naughton of Bridgewater; a son, Douglas Mazzola of Pembroke; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Kfoury Keefe Funeral Home, West Roxbury.

Memorial donations may be made to the Friends of Peter Sanborn, c/o Peter Sanborn Place, 50 Bay State Rd., Reading, MA 01867 or to the VNA of Middlesex-East & Visiting Nurse Hospice, 607 North Ave., Suite 17, Wakefield, MA 01880

Dorothy L. Mezzetti, 81 New England Telephone Employee

A funeral service for Dorothy L. (Shinault) Mezzetti, 81, of Quincy, was held Monday at Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Quincy.

Mrs. Mezzetti died April 12 at home after a long illness.

She worked more than 20 years for New England Telephone.

Born in Bluefield, Va., she graduated from Bluefield High School in 1943.

She enjoyed traveling, gardening, animals and nature.

Wife of the late Alvaro Mezzetti, she is survived by a daughter, Donna Maggio of Quincy; a son, Alan Mezzetti of Quincy; five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

Burial was in St. Francis Xavier Cemetery, Weymouth.

Anne C. Ostiguy, 60 Retired Secretary

A funeral Mass for Anne C. (Larkin) Ostiguy, 60, of Quincy, a retired secretary, was celebrated April 13 at St. Monica's Church, South Boston.

Mrs. Ostiguy died April 9 of cancer.

She was a retired secretary with the Boston school department.

She is survived by her husband, Ronald F. Ostiguy; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Dorchester.

Funeral arrangements were made by the O'Brien Funeral Home, South Boston.

Robert P. Hooley, 65 Retired MBTA Employee

Private funeral services were held for Robert P. Hooley, 65, of Carthage, Maine, formerly of Quincy, who died April 7 at home.

Mr. Hooley was employed by the Massachusetts Bay Transit Authority in Boston until his retirement in 1983.

After moving to Maine, he drove tractor-trailer trucks for 10 years.

Born in Boston, Mr. Hooley lived in Quincy before moving to Maine.

He was an Air Force veteran and member of the American Legion.

He is survived by his wife, Janet (Marella) Hooley; a son, Christopher Hooley of Hartford, Maine; a daughter, Dawn (Valliere) Anderson of Andover; two brothers, James Hooley of Brighton and Morgan Hooley of Newton; a sister, Mary Gagel of Maryland; four grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Western Mountains Cremation and Funeral Service, Farmington, Maine.

Harold B. Morrissey, Sr.

A funeral Mass for Harold B. Morrissey, Sr. of Quincy was celebrated April 13 at St. Brigid's Church, East Broadway, South Boston.

Mr. Morrissey died April 9.

Husband of the late Edna E. (Tapley) Morrissey, he is survived by three sons, Harold Morrissey Jr. of Quincy, Charles Morrissey

of Quincy and William Morrissey of South Boston; a daughter, Joan Dwyer of Weymouth; two grandchildren; a great-grandchild; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the O'Brien Funeral Home, South Boston.



SCOTT DEWARE

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

People who are sensitive to the suffering and misfortune of others are generally happy people. Showing pity for kindly action is like lending a helping hand.

Jesus said on one occasion,

"Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth... but lay up for yourself treasures in heaven."

Every time we do something for someone else, every time we set ourselves aside that another may live a fuller life, every time that we contribute to some project for human betterment, we are laying up spiritual treasures. If we think about the matter for a moment we realize that the only money we have truly saved unto eternity is the money we have spent unselfishly for the benefit of others. There are treasures stored away "where moth and rust do not corrupt."

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Gerald W. O'Connell, 79

Electrician Local 103

A funeral Mass for Gerald W. "Okie" O'Connell, 79, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a retired electrician, was celebrated Monday at Holy Trinity Parish in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Quincy.

Mr. O'Connell died April 11 at Brigham and Women's Hospital.

Born in Boston, he had lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy more than 50 years ago.

He graduated from Boston Trade School and then served in the U.S. Navy in 1945 during World War II.

He was a 42-year member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Local 013. He was employed by James Sugden Co. in Boston for many of those years, retiring in 1977.

Throughout the 1980s and 1990s after retiring, Mr. O'Connell started the company Century Marine Surveyors in Quincy and was also a constable in Quincy for 20 years.

He was a lifetime member of the Squantum Yacht Club and the Savin Hill Yacht Club, and was a past commodore of the Savin Hill Yacht Club.

Mr. O'Connell was as a DAV and secretary for the Massachusetts



GERALD W. O'CONNELL

Harbormasters Association. He loved boating, storytelling and playing the banjo.

Husband of the late Henrietta M. (McIntyre) O'Connell, he is survived by three sons, Kevin G. O'Connell of Quincy, Michael O'Connell of Quincy and William O'Connell of Quincy; a daughter, Kathleen Blair of Medford; and six grandchildren.

He was the brother of the late Doris Illingworth.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Make A Wish Foundation of Massachusetts, One Bulfinch Place, 2nd floor, Boston, MA 02114.

William H. White, 77

Retired Patriot Ledger Employee

A funeral Mass for William H. White, 77, of Scituate, formerly of Cohasset and Quincy, a retired Patriot Ledger employee, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10:30 a.m. at Saint Ann's Church, Hull.

Mr. White died April 13 at South Shore Rehab in Rockland.

He was a twin at birth — four minutes separating him and his brother George in 1929 in Quincy. He attended St. John's School, Central Junior High School and graduated from Quincy High School in 1948.

He attended Springhill and Boston Colleges.

Mr. White served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict from 1951 to 1954.

As a young boy, he was a paper carrier for The Patriot Ledger and later worked as a circulation district manager, composing room advertising copy coordinator.

Mr. White was a participant in the Wellspring in Hull, a 15-year consistent volunteer.

He was also a daily communicant, lector and prayer group member at St. Mary's of the Assumption Parish in Hull.

He was also a past volunteer at the South Shore Hos-



WILLIAM H. WHITE

pital Chaplains Office and Cancer Support Group.

He was a friend of Dr. Bob's for 26 years, a fan of the Boston Red Sox and enjoyed traveling to Vermont.

Mr. White is survived by three daughters, Kathleen White of Marshfield, Elizabeth Pepin of Fairhaven and Susan O'Sullivan of Marshfield; a son, William P. White of Herndon, VA; a brother, Donald J. White of Milton and his twin brother, George F. White of Quincy; and seven grandchildren.

Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Rutland, VT.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Pyne Keohane Funeral Home, 21 Emerald St., Hingham.

Memorial donations may be made to Wilson House, Village Street, East Dorset, VT 05253.

Charles A. Taylor, 92

Former General Manager

A funeral service for Charles A. Taylor, 92, of Quincy, former general manager for Jac Pac Foods in Watertown, was held Wednesday at Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Mr. Taylor died April 13 at Southwood at Norwell.

He worked for Granite State Packing until retiring in 1982.

Born in Roxbury, he had lived in Quincy. He attended Dorchester High School and moved to New Hampshire where he graduated from East Hampstead High School. He attended Bentley College.

Mr. Taylor was a member of Bethany Congregational Church in Quincy, the

Quincy Lodge of Elks and Skandia Lodge in Braintree.

He enjoyed singing with a band in Milton, played bingo and taking trips to Foxwoods.

He is survived by his wife, Doris M. (Weidman) Taylor of Quincy; a son, Charles G. Taylor of Kingston; a daughter, Lois Mobouck of East Sandwich; and four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Bethany Congregational Church Memorial Fund, 18 Spear St., Quincy, MA 02169 or Vista Hospice Care, 690 Canton St., Westwood, MA 02090.

Richard J. Paradise, 58

Oil Delivery Driver

A memorial service for Richard J. Paradise, 58, of Concord, N.H., formerly of Quincy and Weymouth, an oil delivery driver, will be held April 21 at 1:30 p.m. at Centerpoint Church, 20 North State St., Concord.

Mr. Paradise died April 13 at Concord Hospital after a brief illness.

He worked for Champagne Oil Company in Auburn, N.H., for the past 10 years.

Born in Quincy, he was raised in South Weymouth and graduated from Weymouth High School. He married Lois Cadger in October 1982.

Mr. Paradise was a mem-

ber of Centerpoint Church of Concord, where he served as an usher and youth group leader.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Brian Paradise of Concord; two daughters, Michelle Paradise of Weymouth and Jenna Paradise of Concord; his mother, Edwina Paradise of Concord; a brother, Arthur Paradise of Groveland, N.H.; and several nieces and nephews.

He was the son of the late Walter Paradise.

Funeral arrangements were made by Affordable Funeral and Cremation Services, Inc.

Edith C. Martinson, 89

Retired Secretary

Private funeral services and burial were held for Edith C. (Lindemark) Martinson, 89, of Quincy, a retired secretary. She died April 5 at Braintree Landing Skilled Nursing Center.

Mrs. Martinson worked for Wollaston Savings Bank, John Hancock Insurance Co. and Sears, Roebuck & Co. She retired in 1990.

Born in Brookline, she was educated at Tucker Elementary School in Milton and graduated from Milton

High School in 1936.

Mrs. Martinson lived in Milton before moving to Quincy several years ago.

Wife of the late William O. Martinson, she is survived by a son, David Martinson of Milton; two sisters, Lillian Borgal of Quincy and Dorothy Holland of Milton; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Daniel J. Dorley, Jr., 93

Navy Veteran

A funeral Mass for Daniel J. Dorley, Jr., 93, of Quincy, a Navy veteran, was celebrated April 13 at St. Joseph Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy.

Mr. Dorley died April 9 at St. Joseph Nursing Care Center in Dorchester.

He entered the Navy in 1942 and served until 1968, retiring with the rank of senior chief yeoman.

He was a lifelong member of St. Joseph Parish in Quincy.

Born and raised in Quincy, Mr. Dorley graduated from Quincy High School and

Bentley College.

He worked as an accountant before enlisting in the Navy at the start of World War II.

He is survived by many cousins.

Burial was in St. Peter's Cemetery, Provincetown.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the St. Joseph Church Building Fund, 550 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

James R. McGregor III, 66

Former Elevator Company Owner

A private graveside service for James R. McGregor III, 66, of Englewood, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a former elevator company owner, was held in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Mr. McGregor died April 4 at Englewood Community Hospital.

He owned Vertical Transportation in Quincy for more than 25 years.

He was a long-time member of Local 4, and had a long history with the elevator union and its members.

Born in Quincy, he had lived in the city many years.

Mr. McGregor was an outdoorsman and enjoyed fishing and hunting.

He is survived by his wife, Dolores McGregor; four sons, James R. McGregor IV of Pawling, N.Y., Stephen A. McGregor of Reading, Todd A. McGregor of California and Adams J. McGregor of Marshfield; three daughters, Heather J. McGregor of Quincy, Kathy J. McGregor of Holbrook and Julie McGregor of Lynnfield; a sister, Diane Fernandez of Burlington, Vt.; his former wife, Barbara D. McGregor of Quincy; nine grandchildren; two step-children, Kelly Thompson and Donnie Thompson of Lincoln, Maine; and a step-grandchild.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Cremation Society of Massachusetts,

Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to The American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 1131, Fairfax, VA 2238-1131 or to The American Heart & Stroke Association, Memorial and Tribute Processing Center, P.O. Box 3049, Syracuse, NY 13220.

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Margaret Ada Seager, 87

Former Registered Nurse

A funeral service for Margaret Ada "Peg" (Smith) Seager, 87, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a former registered nurse, will be held today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at Christ Church Episcopal, 12 Quincy Ave., Quincy.

Mrs. Seager died April 13 at Radius Healthcare Center in Braintree.

She served as an Army nurse during World War II and was discharged in 1945 as a second lieutenant.

After the war, she worked at Quincy City Hospital before becoming an industrial nurse at the former Polaroid Corporation and the Raytheon Company for several years.

Mrs. Seager also worked at Colonial Nursing Home in Weymouth before finishing her career in the administra-

tive office of Quincy Medical Center. She retired in 1984.

Born in Quincy, she graduated from Quincy High School in 1937 and Malden Hospital School of Nursing. She moved to Weymouth in 1955.

She was a member of Christ Church, where she belonged to the Mother's Club and the Bridge Club.

She enjoyed visiting her cottage on Widgeon Pond in Myles Standish State Park in Plymouth, where she spent her summers for the last 59 years.

Wife of the late Robert Seager, she is survived by two sons, Robert B. Seager of California and Paul F. Seager of East Boston; a daughter, Janet Farrell of Quincy; a brother, James A. Smith of New Jersey; a sister, Dorothy A. Stevenson of Quincy; and four grandchildren.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Joseph J. Kibart, 90

Retired Shipyard Worker, Cook

A funeral service for Joseph J. Kibart, 90, of Quincy, formerly of West Yarmouth, a retired shipyard worker and cook, was held Tuesday at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Kibart died April 13 at the Caritas Saint Elizabeth's Hospital in Boston after a brief illness.

Born in West Bridgewater, he grew up in South Boston and attended South Boston schools. He was a graduate of South Boston High School.

He had lived in West Yarmouth for 30 years before moving to Quincy 11 years ago.

Mr. Kibart had worked in quality control at the former Fore River Shipyard in Quincy for many years until his retirement many years ago. He also had worked as a cook at the Cape Cod Hospital for several years and at Gaudino's Restaurant in Hyannis.

He was decorated World War II veteran. He served in the U.S. Army with Company B 745th Tank Battal-

ion. He participated in the battles of Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe.

Mr. Kibart received the Bronze Star, Good Conduct Medal and European African Middle Eastern Theater Campaign Ribbon.

After the war, he served in the Connecticut and Massachusetts national Guard for 25 years.

He enjoyed fishing and cribbage, belonging to two cribbage clubs. He was a life member of the Hyannis Lodge of Elks #1549 and the Cape Cod Organ Society.

Husband of the late Mabel K. Kibart, he is survived by a three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a long-time companion, Rita A. Malono of Quincy.

He was the stepfather of the late Nelson Irvine.

Burial with military honors was at the Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th floor, Brookline, MA 02445-7226.

Anthony F. Constantino, 91

Founded St. John's Baseball Little League

A funeral Mass for Anthony F. Constantino, 91, of Quincy, founder of a local baseball Little League, was celebrated Wednesday in St. John's Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Constantino died April 15 at his daughter's home in East Haven, Conn.

He founded the St. John's Baseball Little League, where he served as president for 40 years. He was recently chosen to be inducted into the City of Quincy Baseball Hall of Fame.

Mr. Constantino worked for General Dynamics at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy for more than 30 years.

Born in Quincy, he was a lifelong resident before moving to East Haven recently.

He was an active member of St. John's Church in Quincy.

Husband of the late Marie (DiSalvo) Constantino, he is survived by his daughter, Janet Constantino of East Haven; a son, Robert Constantino of Quincy; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, Quincy.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled seniors to get around.

If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

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You can also call 888.MyCarMD from the lot for a free diagnosis on the vehicle you like. Before making an offer, buyers should check other parts of the vehicle not covered by the tester.

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Do your homework before shopping. Check online for evaluations, recalls, technical service bulletins and retention value for the makes and models you prefer. Determine the vehicle's worth before negotiating the price; order a VIN history report/ "lemon check" and proof of mileage.

When shopping, bring a friend along for a second opinion. Also, bring your driver's license and proof of insurance. Other helpful items include a tire gauge, a magnet (to check for body filler under the paint), a flashlight to look under the car and a CD to check the sound system.

Lastly, ask probing questions:

- Who originally owned the vehicle?
- Why are you selling?
- Were there major repairs?
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Peter H. Pagnano, 49

A funeral Mass for Peter H. Pagnano, 49, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Pagnano died April 13 at home.

Born, raised and educated in Quincy, he was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Mr. Pagnano had lived in Quincy before moving to Weymouth 10 years ago.

He enjoyed fishing and loved animals.

He is survived by his mother, Louise J. (Mackey) Pagnano of Weymouth; a brother, Steven Pagnano of Quincy; a sister, Joan L. Pagnano of Quincy; and two nieces, one nephew and two grandnephews.

He was also the son of the late Armando "Jitter" Pagnano.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree. Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0782EP

In the Estate of
GERARD EDWARD SMITH
Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
October 19, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION

FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that **GERARD EDWARD SMITH JR.** of MARSHFIELD in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 16, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 4, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-017
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of David Kraunelis for a Variance to remove the existing shed and construct an attached two-car garage in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 68 NORTON ROAD, QUINCY.

4/19, 4/26/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

April 9, 2007

ORDER NO. 2007-083

ORDERED:

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20. Stopping Standing and Parking. Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

DELETE THE FOLLOWING:

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Washington Street	East	at a point 339 ft. south of Coddington St., 42 ft. in a southerly direction		2 Handicapped Parking

4/19/07

Memorial donations may be made to the MSPCA, 400 Broadway, Methuen, MA 01844.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

Norfolk Division

Docket No. 04P2516EP

Notice of

Fiduciary's Account

To the persons interested in the estate of Kyllikki A. Hall late of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st and final account(s) of Roger A. Hall as executor (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the **7th day of May, 2007** the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 26th day of March, 2007.

GUARDIAN AD LITEM
REQUIRED.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19/07

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07D0321-DV1

DIVORCE/SEPARATE

SUPPORT SUMMONS BY

PUBLICATION

VIRGINIA NGANGA,

Plaintiff(s)

V.

WILLIAM HOLLAND,

Defendant(s)

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), **VIRGINIA NGANGA**, seeking **DIVORCE.**

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **VIRGINIA NGANGA**, whose address is **9 6 WASHINGTON STREET, #7, QUINCY, MA 02169**, your answer on or before **6/29/07**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at **CANTON.**

Witness, **DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at **CANTON**, this 6th day of APRIL, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19, 4/26, 5/3/07

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07D0359-DV1

DIVORCE/SEPARATE

SUPPORT SUMMONS BY

PUBLICATION

SYED IRFAN, Plaintiff(s)

V.

PATRICIA LIGHTBODY,

Defendant(s)

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), **SYED IRFAN**, seeking **DIVORCE.**

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **WILLIAM GILLESPIE**, Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is **1 0 5 6 CENTRAL STREET, STOUGHTON, MA 02072**, your answer on or before **6/15/2007**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at **CANTON.**

Witness, **DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at **CANTON**, this 22nd day of MARCH, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/5, 4/12, 4/19/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0818AD

In the Estate of

NICOLA DEL VECCHIO

Late of SULMONA

In the County of ABRUZZI,

ITALY

Date of Death

May 2, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION

FOR APPOINTMENT

OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that ANNA MARIA LALAMA of BRAintree in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 16, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 6, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0772AD

In the Estate of

PAULINE B. QAZILBASH

AKA PAULINE BEATRICE QAZILBAS

Late of N. QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

March 5, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION

FOR APPOINTMENT

OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that JEHAN ARA HARTMAN of CANTON in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 16, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 4, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-015
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Joseph & Christine Rimovitz for a Variance to subdivide the existing lot and construct a single family home on the newly created lot in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 67 BAYVIEW AVENUE, QUINCY.

4/19, 4/26/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-014
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Barry McDermott for a Variance to add a second story to the existing front and rear porches and add a wooden deck to the rear of the structure in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 22 BABCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

4/19, 4/26/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 06-099
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 on the application of 92 Sea Ave. LLC for a variance to demolish the existing residential dwelling and construct two single-family residential dwellings in its place in violation of the provisions of Title 17, Section 17.20.040, Table of Dimensional Requirements (Frontage/Lot Width). This matter is back before the board following the allowance of a Motion for Reconsideration, sought by the applicant and granted by the board at its April 10, 2007 meeting.

4/19, 4/26/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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CURBSIDE YARD WASTE COLLECTION RESUMES MONDAY, APRIL 23rd

Yard waste collection will begin on Monday, April 23, 2007, and run weekly through June 29th. During July, August, and September, collection will be every other week. **REMEMBER:** holiday weeks are on a one-day delay schedule.

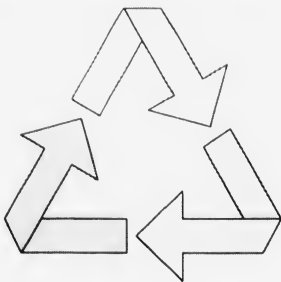
- Cut branches into 3-foot lengths, bundle and tie.
- Leaves, grass and tiny twigs can go into brown paper yard waste bags, open boxes or open barrels (no lids).
- Larger brush and tree limbs can be dropped off at the City's Public Works Drop-Off Facility, at 55 Sea Street, Monday - Friday 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. and on Saturdays 9 a.m. to Noon.

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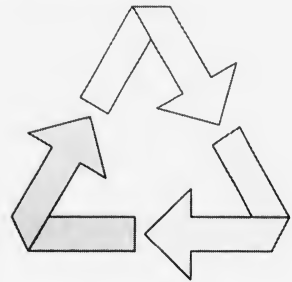
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July 9-13
July 23-27
August 6-10
August 20-24
September 4-8
September 17-21
October 1-5



Weekly collection resumes October 15, and runs through November 30. After November 30, residents may drop off yard waste at the DPW Yard, 55 Sea St., through mid-December.

BFI will not pick up yard waste curbside after November 30.
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CITIZENS OF THE YEAR-Vincent Moscardelli and P.J. Foley were honored Sunday as co-recipients of The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award. They were each presented the award and framed copies of a special Page One telling of their selection at a reception at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center. From the left are Sun editor Robert Bosworth, Moscardelli, Foley and Sun publisher Henry Bosworth.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

For Outstanding Community Service Vincent Moscardelli, P.J. Foley Honored As 'Sun Citizens Of Year'

Vincent R. Moscardelli and Patrick "P.J." Foley were honored Sunday as The Quincy Sun Citizens Of The Year for their outstanding community service.

They are the first co-recipients of the award since it was established in 1985-22 years ago.

Nearly 200 guests-including city and state officials, family and friends-attended the reception at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center where they received their awards.

A panel of judges selected Foley and Moscardelli as the recipients from among 36 nominees submitted by Quincy Sun readers. Foley and Moscardelli were in a deadlocked tie vote.

Moscardelli, former principal of Central Junior High School, was selected for his generous support of high school and youth sports and other worthy causes. Foley, was recognized for his dedicated volunteer environmental and conservation efforts and accomplishments.

"We congratulate Vin and P.J. on their selection for the award and also the other 34 nominees," Sun publisher Henry Bosworth said. "Being nominated is an honor in itself."

He and editor Robert Bosworth presented the two recipients with individual clock plaques and framed special Page Ones of The Sun telling of their selection, the names of the 34 other nominees and the selection panel. Copies of the Page One were presented to those attending.

The inscriptions on the plaques read:

**"To Patrick "P.J." Foley"
For Outstanding Community Service**

"Through his untiring environmental and conservation efforts, leading fellow volunteers to restoring over 1,000 acres of precious salt-water marsh and his latest effort to determine the feasibility of renewable wind energy in Quincy."

**"To Vincent R. Moscardelli"
For Outstanding Public Ser-**

vice

"As a generous supporter of high school and youth sports, the Muscular Dystrophy Association and other worthy causes, and as a positive role model for his students during his 20 years as a Quincy school teacher and principal."

David Murphy represented Mayor or William Phelan whom he said regretted not being able to attend because he was at a college entrance interview with his daughter.

"Both Vinny and P.J. are personal friends of his and he sends his warmest congratulations to both," Murphy said.

Murphy noted that Moscardelli was one of Phelan's teachers at Central Junior High School "and one of his strongest influences."

A personal friend of Foley's, Murphy called him "Quincy's secret weapon... isn't a cause P.J. isn't involved in... a laundry list

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Hundreds Of Leaks Estimated Gas Leaks Seen As Major Threat To City's Trees

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Trees are dying in Quincy because hundreds of gas leaks are seeping into the soil and draining off the oxygen needed for their survival, according to Jan Schlichtmann of the Massachusetts Public Shade Tree Trust.

Schlichtmann outlined his proposal for solving the problem Monday at a meeting of the City Council Oversight and Public Works Committee. Attending the meeting with Schlichtmann were attorney William J. Crowley of Westwood and Bob Ackley of Gas Safety Inc.

Known as the hero of the book and movie entitled "A Civil Action", Schlichtmann is already experienced in dealing with challenging environmental issues and his latest challenge is making utility companies pay for damage to trees.

At Monday's meeting, Ackley estimated that there are from 750 to 1500 gas leaks in the city. Ackley

conducts gas leak surveys for cities and towns, which are members of the Shade Tree Trust. Ackley cited reports obtained from Keyspan which supplies natural gas through pipelines to area customers.

On Tuesday, Keyspan's spokesperson Carmen Fields disputed Ackley's estimate and said, "Our current documents indicate the number (of gas leaks currently in Quincy) is considerably less than 750.... The number is around 600."

Fields also said that the number of emergency gas leak reports is minimal compared to the total 600. She explained that gas leaks are rated on a scale of 1 through 3, according to guidelines from federal agencies.

Under the guidelines, any gas leak with a number 1 rating is an emergency and gets immediate attention with leaks rated 2 allowed

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Weekly Yard Waste Pickup Resumes This Week

Mayor William Phelan and DPW Commissioner Steve O'Donnell announce that weekly curbside yard-waste pickup will resume this week. Quincy residents can place leaves, grass clippings and other small materials in appropriate bags and containers to be picked up on their regular trash pick-up day.

"We are proud to be one of the few communities to provide this convenient service to our residents," said Phelan. "Most Quincy residents take great pride in the upkeep of their properties and the city will continue to do its part to encourage residents to keep their yards beautiful and clean."

Residents can place leaves, grass and twigs in brown paper yard waste bags or open boxes or barrels (no lids). Yard waste in plastic bags will not be picked up. Tree

branches must be cut into pieces three feet in size or less. Residents can drop off large brush and tree limbs at the DPW yard at 55 Sea St. Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Commercial landscapers must purchase a permit to use the facility.

Weekly yard waste pick-up will continue through June. During the summer months of July, August and September, yard waste will be picked up curbside every other week.

"I want to thank all those residents that do a great job maintaining their yards," Phelan said. "A beautiful yard can make for a beautiful neighborhood and beautiful neighborhoods make for a beautiful city."

For questions concerning yard waste pick-up, call the Public Works Department at 617-376-1953.



Adams National Historic Park Begins 60th Year City Leaders, Students Share Ideas On Attracting Tourists To Park, City

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Dice K, the new Red Sox pitcher, is drawing thousands of new visitors to Boston, and Quincy's city officials and business leaders hope to bring home some of those tourist dollars and a lot more.

Topping the wish list for making Quincy more tourist-friendly is an improved transportation network, according to Joe Hajar, a marketing development officer for Water Transportation Alternatives (WTA).

Hajar says WTA's Harbor Express can get tourists to Quincy's shores but they need wheels to get from its parking lot into and around the city center to its businesses and historic spots.

"Boston is loaded with international visitors," Hajar said, adding they can board WTA's ferries with a destination of Quincy, but need a lift from there.

According to Hajar, there's a 1000 car parking lot at Fore River with dollar-a-day spots but he explained there's no way to get out except by car or on foot. Hajar said that there is no bus or trolley or even private van service connecting WTA's Harbor Express drop-off at Fore River to the city center and its historic sites.

"The missing link is transportation," Hajar said last week at a Listening Session held on this season's Opening Day for Adams

National Historic Park. This year, the Adams Park marks its 60th Anniversary as part of the National Park Service (NPS).

Sponsored by the National Park Service, Listening Sessions are being held across the country as the Park Service gears up for its Centennial Celebration in 2016. Such sessions are mini-think tanks aimed at drawing out new proposals and ideas from the public for the nation's park system.

Last week, Superintendent Marianne Peak hosted the Listening Session at Adams Carriage House where some 50 city officials, business leaders, residents, and students exchanged ideas on the national park system, Quincy's historic sites and tourism initiatives.

"You never know where your ideas are going to go," Peaks told the group before the discussion kicked off.

Hajar was one of the more than a dozen participants who outlined their ideas for attracting more visitors to the Adams site, national parks and city businesses.

Speakers not only targeted the need for a transportation system, but, also, the critical need for technology, education and communication, and a friends group.

After calling the Adams Park "an immense resource," Edward Keohane, president

of Quincy's Partnership, suggested tie-ins with Quincy hotels, such as the Adams Inn, Marriott and Best Western.

At those hotels, discount coupons for local restaurants and businesses could be packaged along with city tours.

Peter Forman, president of the South Shore Chamber of Commerce, suggested linkage not only with Quincy sites, but also with the many historic landmarks in other cities and towns from Quincy to Cape Cod National Park.

Park Ranger Tom Speer suggested new booklets and maps featuring trolley stops while others promoted special annual festivals which could highlight historic events and draw visitors to the city and parks.

Mayor William Phelan opened the session by predicting that this season will be a wonderful year for the Adams Park and for added tourism in Quincy that will continue to grow the economy.

Phelan is currently working with Congressman William Delahunt on a project that would link the state's national parks from Boston to the Harbor Islands to Quincy's historic sites straight down to Cape Cod National Seashore.

Under one plan, tourists would use the state's 1000 car parking lot at Squantum Point Park. That lot and a pier adjacent to Marina Bay were built for Deer Island sewer pipeline workers and has been unused since the job was completed.

Deputy Regional Director Sandy Walter spoke after



MRS JOHN QUINCY ADAMS joins Sandy Walter, National Park Service Deputy Regional Director, and Marianne Peaks, Superintendent, during opening day events at Adams National Historic Park. The Adams Park marks its 60th anniversary as part of the park service.



ADOZEN STUDENTS from Quincy College contributed their ideas at the Listening Session held at Adams Memorial Historical Park on opening day. Park Superintendent Marianne Peak stand in the back row on the left, with Mayor William Phelan on the right. Professor Ron Pacy stands in the center with a park ranger.

Phelan and outlined President Bush's Centennial Challenge proposal. The Centennial Challenge could bring as much as \$3 billion into the nation's park system over the next decade through a 50/50 match of federal and private partnerships.

According to Walter, the first billion is already earmarked for 2008 when, among other projects, the money will bulk up the Ranger Service, offer internships, and improve park properties.

Now the federal agency's directors want ideas from the public and they're particularly targeting the I-Pod generation whose numbers are down at parks across the country. Attracting, educating and inspiring the nation's younger generations is a key goal of the Centennial Challenge and is essential to the park system's survival.

"I'm delighted to see kids from the colleges here. They will inherit these parks," Walter said of the 15 coeds

from Quincy College who attended and participated as did Ron Pacy, their history and government professor.

Session speakers were clear that technology is the major route to reaching the younger generation. Speakers repeatedly said that, on both the national and local level, Adams Park and the park system, as a whole, must reach out through websites, video presentations and pod-casts.

However, there should be other outreach as well, according to both Pacy and his students. They suggested that the Adams park service reach out to local schools and colleges with courses, partnerships with professors, and visits to American history classes.

"Surprisingly, few of my students knew of it," Pacy said, noting that Adams Historical Park "is right in the same neighborhood and nobody knows it exists."

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Crime Victims Remembered At City Hall Plaza Ceremony

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Victims of crime suffer long after the headlines fade and public outrage diminishes, Mayor William Phelan said Monday as he addressed some 50 persons holding a vigil for crime victims on City Hall Plaza.

Phelan began Quincy's ceremony observing National Crime Victims' Rights Week with a moment of silence for the families and victims suffering from the violent tragedy at Virginia Institute of Technology where 32 people were shot to death.

"Unfortunately, violence is prevalent through-out our society," Phelan said, adding that such scars last "long after the specific act of violence. We must continue to help those impacted by crime."

Joining Phelan at the vigil were Norfolk County Sheriff Michael Bellotti, Norfolk County District Attorney William Keating and victims' advocates Stephanie Flaherty, Executive Director of DOVE, Inc., Sarah McAllister, Brockton Family and Community Resources,

and Marsha Szymanski, Director of Woman's Place Crisis Center.

"The victim does not go away with the court case," Bellotti said, noting that, far too often, society "moves beyond the victim too quickly." He suggested that more efforts be made "so they feel safe and empowered."

After citing the nightmares that victim endure after crimes, Keating called for the public to join victims in battling violence.

"Let's not be passive," Keating said after asking the public to "be part of it" and join victims in "not taking violence for granted as a part of life."

Keating also believes that efforts to staunch violence can begin in classrooms and he supports increased outreach to victims.

Dove's Flaherty introduced the speakers. Flaherty described the resilience and courage shown by the victims she works with.

Flaherty said, "I am humbled by the courage of the victims to rise above the

crime." Their actions tell her "I refuse to be reduced by it."

In a new development, Szymanski announced a new collaboration between Woman's Place and DOVE. Under the plan, DOVE now will share the services of their trained RAPE counselors with Woman's Place.

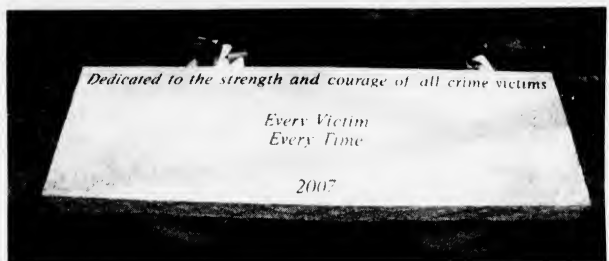
All participants at the ceremony received packets of "Forget Me Not" seeds as well as candles which they struggled to light in honor of victims everywhere. However, a lively breeze snuffed the candles and tossed about the blue and orange balloons marking the colors of this year's theme.

At the conclusion, officials dedicated a new granite bench at City Hall Plaza. The bench is engraved with this year's theme, "Victims Rights: Every Victim. Every Time." Federal funds support victims' awareness programs.



SPEAKERS AT MONDAY'S VIGIL for crime victims included Sarah McAllister of Brockton Family and Community Resources. Shown standing behind McAllister are Monday's other speakers Norfolk County District Attorney William Keating, Mayor William Phelan, and Norfolk County Sheriff Michael Bellotti with Ward 4 Councillor Kevin Coughlin.

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THIS GRANITE BENCH was dedicated Monday to the strength and courage of all crime victims with this year's theme engraved in the center. The theme is "Every Victim. Every Time." This week is Crime Victims Rights Week.

Workshop To Assist Start Business May 8

Quincy 2000 Collaborative will host a free, three-hour workshop for individuals planning to start their own businesses Tuesday, May 8, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the lower level conference room at President Place, 1250 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

The workshop will provide an overview of such startup issues as marketing, financial management, legal and tax issues and how to

access resources to help you succeed.

Bilingual assistance is provided free of charge in Mandarin, Cantonese and Portuguese. Vietnamese and Spanish may be available upon request.

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For more information, contact call 617-847-1454 or visit www.quincy2000.org.

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SHEA

WARD 1 COUNCILLOR Leo Kelly hasn't officially announced he is running for reelection, but he definitely is.

He has a fundraiser coming up Thursday, May 10, 6 to 9 p.m. at the Quincy Yacht Club, Sea St., Houghs Neck. Donation \$20. (Senior special \$15).

The event is being hosted by P.J. Foley, Margaret LaForest and John Chenette, Jr.

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COINCIDENCE DEPT: In his "Scenes From Yesterday" in last week's Quincy Sun, historian Tom Galvin featured a 1908 photo postcard of the main house of the old Pratt estate at 53 Park Ave., Squantum when it became Lee's Inn.

Mary Collins of Century 21 Annex Realty quickly recognized it as the renovated three family house now up for sale. Listed at \$799,900.

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THEN – The main house of the old Pratt Estate on Parke Ave., Squantum in 1909 when it became Lee's Inn.



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Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

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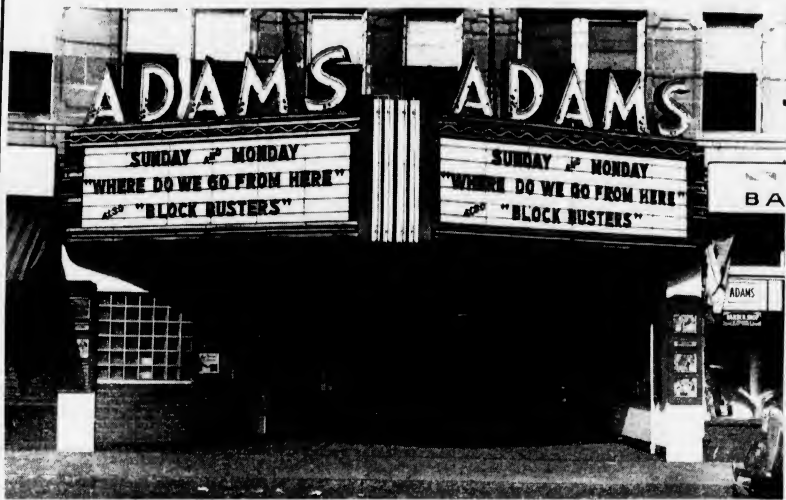
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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1948 real photo postcard reproduction showing the Adams Theater that was at 15 School St. in Quincy Center, across from today's Firestone store. When built in 1932, this was known as the Plymouth Building with apartments on the top floor. The theater space shown here was home for a few years to the Capital Garage that sold and serviced Packard automobiles. In 1934, after the garage moved out and until the start of WWII, this space was used by the Quincy Arena and was the site of amateur and semi-pro boxing and wrestling matches.

The Adams Theater opened here after the Arena closed and it was open for almost 20 years. On Saturday afternoon admission was only five cents. On the right was the Adams Barber Shop and the Art Studios was on the left. There still are apartments on the second floor, but the building is now known as the Aphorpe Building and the theater space is home to the Low Overhead Discount Carpet store and other shops. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Quincy Legion Baseball Thanks Dr. Mark Jaehnig

The American Legion Quincy Post 95 baseball team lost its team manager, Dr. Mark Jaehnig. Jaehnig was recently named as the new executive director of the Park and Recreation Department. Our loss was their gain, said Lenny Seitz, Post 95 Athletic Officer and executive board member.

Mark literally saved our baseball program when he stepped in to recruit players, hire coaches and comply with American Legion's stringent rules and regulations. He met these requirements, literally on the last day of registration over five years ago, and he has been non-stop ever since.

He rebuilt our program and helped us qualify for a playoff berth in 2005. It was our first appearance in the post-season in five years.

Mark guided Post 95 to four straight victories over our cross-city rival, Morrisette, for the first time ever. No small feat, considering the caliber of this most talented and heady ballclub and the top notch coaching staff headed by Steve Maze and their manager Ray Cattaneo.

Jaehnig began a developmental squad preparing Legion hopefuls by instructing them in solid baseball fundamentals and techniques necessary for high school and college ball.

Mark has a fall baseball program for younger kids age eight and up. This program also stresses proper fundamental baseball for all. More importantly, it affords

all kids the opportunity to play every inning and any position they want to play. The kids and parents love it and the program keeps growing every year.

He did the bulk of 95's fundraising through the above programs as well as his individual efforts providing 95 ballplayers and coaches with the tools and equipment necessary to succeed.

Mark provided us with his own batting cage, filling half of his swimming pool to make room for the cage. This quickly became a meeting place for all the players to take batting practice and to bond as a team.

He also instituted an alumni game for all Post 95's former players to suit up and compete against the current 95 team. This helped to create an atmosphere for veteran players to reacquaint with 95, get more involved with our programs and have fun and socialize in the post-game dinner and activities.

He was instrumental in promoting a memorial tribute to Dennis Thomson and his family. Dennis passed away while serving his country at the age of twenty. Dennis was a well-known student, athlete and friend of many attending North Quincy High School.

He was a true competitor; captain of multiple teams at NQHS and was captain of Quincy Post 95's baseball team. The memorial was well attended by former coaches, players and friends.

His family was presented with a glass-encased uniform where his number eight was retired. His number and a memorial tribute are housed on display at the Quincy Post 95. A memorial game was played between Morrisette and Quincy Post 95.

Mark's contributions in his five-year tenure at the helm of Post 95 have been most instrumental in the fostering and sustaining our competitive and well-

coached team. His work ethic, drive to succeed, coaching abilities and love of the game have been an inspiration to serious ballplayers and those willing to give all they got in their quest to be the best and keep their dreams alive. Mark's no-nonsense approach and respect for the game has served Post 95 alumni well in their own quest to succeed in the highly combative venue of college baseball.

On behalf of American Legion Quincy Post 95 Commander Fred McCray, Post 95 veterans, sons of veterans, ballplayers, parents, fans and this writer, a sincere wish and best of luck in your new position is gratefully extended.

Post 95 would also like to give a special thanks to Mark's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jaehnig, for their fan loyalty, support and assistance to our team.

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Quincy's Yesterdays

City Budget Looks Like \$117.8 Million

By FRANK MCCAULEY

If this week's City Council Finance Committee meeting is a sign, it appears that the city's \$117.8 million dollar budget for fiscal year 1990 will be approved with little or no changes.

The committee reviewed a number of departmental budgets and passed most of them. Only a handful did not receive committee support, but it appears there will be another budget review meeting.

Finance Committee Chairman Stephen McGrath said another committee meeting would be held May 8. At that time other departmental budgets including fire, police and schools will be analyzed.

\$275,000 ANIMAL SHELTER TO BE DEDICATED

Quincy's new animal shelter will be dedicated at its Broad Street location May 2, by Mayor Francis X. McCauley. Other officials expected to attend the dedication of the \$275,000 shelter include: Althea Griffin, president of the South Shore Humane Society; John McDuff, president of the Quincy Animal League; Thomas White, director of the Animal Rescue League, as well as Phyllis Berluch, Animal Control Officer.

According to David Colton, deputy commissioner of Public Works, the structure will have 15 to 20 cages for dogs, plus a separate room for cats and puppies.

6 CITY EMPLOYEES TO BE HONORED

Six city employees will be recognized at the seventh annual Mayor's Employee Appreciation Award Ceremony May 11.

The 1989 recipients include: Valerie Palmer, a registered nurse at Quincy Hospital; Ann McLaughlin, assistant director of The Thomas Crane Library; Patricia Ryan, assistant dean at Quincy Junior College; Duncan Blight, building custodian at City Hall; Mary (Fee Curtin) Pace, a teacher at Atherton Hough School and Janet Ellis, Equal Opportunity Administrator for the City of Quincy.

QUINCY-ISMS

Ward 3 Councillor Lawrence Chretien, chairman of the Recycling Committee, discussed the upcoming recycling program at a meeting of Ward 2 residents held at the Fore River Club House... **John McDuff**, animal rights activist from Quincy Point, was planning a campaign for a seat on the School Committee... **Dist. Atty. William Delahunt** will receive the James R. McIntyre Humanitarian Award at the Quincy District Court's Law Day ceremony, in early May. Delahunt is a former Quincy city councillor and state representative... The Quincy High School Class of 1939 is planning its 50th anniversary reunion for Sept. 15 at the Sheraton Nick in Brantree. Reunion committee members include **Nick Pepe**, **Barbara (Gumprecht) Johnson**, **Dorothy Giarusso**, **Tony Cardarelli**, **Tony Mollica** and **Edna (Thorne) Canter**. Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Zoia, lifetime Quincy residents, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception at Lantana in Randolph. The party was hosted by their 12 children. The Zois (she is the former Elaine Martineau) were married April 19, 1939 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy... A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Cosgrove (Nancy Ross) at Quincy Hospital...

The Mayor's Commission on the Status of Women was offering the following programs during the month of May: May 4: "Beyond the Birds and the Bees"; May 11: "Insurance"; May 18: "What's In and What's Out in Divorce"; May 25: "Up Close and Personal"... **Sharon Goodman**, a senior at Quincy High School, was a speaker at the 61st annual awards dinner of the National Conference of Christians and Jews... The Rev. J. William Arnold, senior minister at Bethany Congregational Church, will speak on the topic, "Divine Dance, Considering the Trinitarian Nature of God"... **Brian Buckley** and **John Noonan** co-hosted a Quincy Community Television telethon to raise funds for an AARP scholarship to a nursing school in memory of the late **Barbara Nash**... The Pilgrim Fellowship of the Houghs Neck Congregational Church, sponsored a spaghetti dinner followed by a musical variety show at the church hall... South Shore Buick, 50 Adams St., Quincy, was advertising its "Feature Car of the Week," a 1989 Buick Regal for \$12,800.

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Incumbents Mayor William Phelan, Councillor at-large Joe Finn, Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly. Challengers: Tom Koch, for mayor; Jennifer McCauley, logistic, councillor at-large and Nick Puleo, school committee.

WARD 1 COUNCILLOR Leo Kelly hasn't officially announced he is running for reelection, but he definitely is.

He has a fundraiser coming up Thursday, May 10, 6 to 9 p.m. at the Quincy Yacht Club, Sea St., Houghs Neck. Donation \$20. (Senior special \$15).

The event is being hosted by P.J. Foley, Margaret LaForest and John Chenette, Jr.

COINCIDENCE DEPT: In his "Scenes From Yesterday" in last week's Quincy Sun, historian Tom Galvin featured a 1908 photo postcard of the main house of the old Pratt estate at 53 Park Ave., Squantum when it became Lee's Inn.

Mary Collins of Century 21 Annex Realty quickly recognized it as the renovated three family house now up for sale. Listed at \$799,900.

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THEN - The main house of the old Pratt Estate on Park Ave., Squantum in 1909 when it became Lee's Inn.



NOW - Altered externally and renovated it is now a modernized three-family house up for sale.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

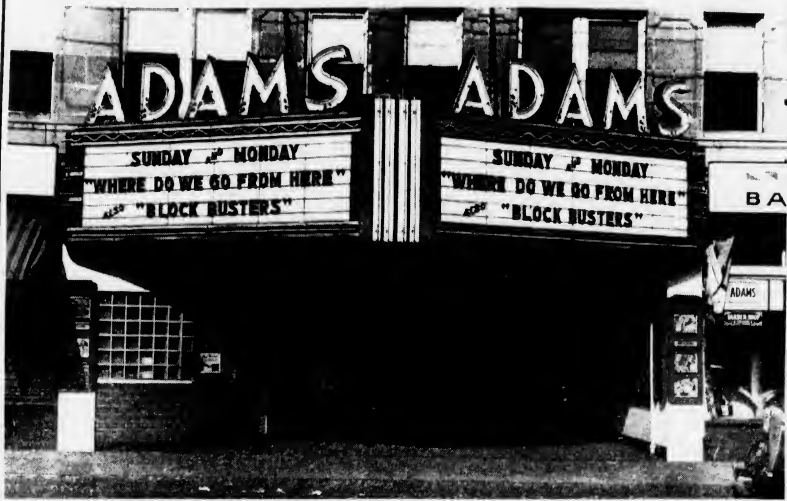
She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person pay-

able at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

For an appointment, call 617-376-1506.

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1948 real photo postcard reproduction showing the Adams Theater that was at 15 School St. in Quincy Center, across from today's Firestone store. When built in 1932, this was known as the Plymouth Building with apartments on the top floor. The theater space shown here was home for a few years to the Capital Garage that sold and serviced Packard automobiles. In 1934, after the garage moved out and until the start of WWII, this space was used by the Quincy Arena and was the site of amateur and semi-pro boxing and wres-

ting matches. The Adams Theater opened here after the Arena closed and it was open for almost 20 years. On Saturday afternoon admission was only five cents. On the right was the Adams Barber Shop and the Art Studios was on the left. There still are apartments on the second floor, but the building is now known as the Aphorpe Building and the theater space is home to the Low Overhead Discount Carpet store and other shops. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Quincy Legion Baseball Thanks Dr. Mark Jaehnig

The American Legion Quincy Post 95 baseball team lost its team manager, Dr. Mark Jaehnig. Jaehnig was recently named as the new executive director of the Park and Recreation Department. Our loss was their gain, said Lenny Seitz, Post 95 Athletic Officer and executive board member.

Mark literally saved our baseball program when he stepped in to recruit players, hire coaches and comply with American Legion's stringent rules and regulations. He met these requirements, literally on the last day of registration over five years ago, and he has been non-stop ever since.

He rebuilt our program and helped us qualify for a playoff berth in 2005. It was our first appearance in the post-season in five years.

Mark guided Post 95 to four straight victories over our cross-city rival, Morrisette, for the first time ever. No small feat, considering the caliber of this most talented and heady ballclub and the top notch coaching staff headed by Steve Maze and their manager Ray Cattaneo.

Jaehnig began a developmental squad preparing Legion hopefuls by instructing them in solid baseball fundamentals and techniques necessary for high school and college ball.

Mark has a fall baseball program for younger kids age eight and up. This program also stresses proper fundamental baseball for all. More importantly, it affords

all kids the opportunity to play every inning and any position they want to play. The kids and parents love it and the program keeps growing every year.

He did the bulk of 95's fundraising through the above programs as well as his individual efforts providing 95 ballplayers and coaches with the tools and equipment necessary to succeed.

Mark provided us with his own batting cage, filling half of his swimming pool to make room for the cage. This quickly became a meeting place for all the players to take batting practice and to bond as a team.

He also instituted an alumni game for all Post 95's former players to suit up and compete against the current 95 team. This helped to create an atmosphere for veteran players to reacquaint with 95, get more involved with our programs and have fun and socialize in the post-game dinner and activities.

He was instrumental in promoting a memorial tribute to Dennis Thomson and his family. Dennis passed away while serving his country at the age of twenty. Dennis was a well-known student, athlete and friend of many attending North Quincy High School.

He was a true competitor; captain of multiple teams at NQHS and was captain of Quincy Post 95's baseball team. The memorial was well attended by former coaches, players and friends.

His family was presented with a glass-encased uniform where his number eight was retired. His number and a memorial tribute are housed on display at the Quincy Post 95. A memorial game was played between Morrisette and Quincy Post 95.

Mark's contributions in his five-year tenure at the helm of Post 95 have been most instrumental in the fostering and sustaining our competitive and well-

coached team. His work ethic, drive to succeed, coaching abilities and love of the game have been an inspiration to serious ballplayers and those willing to give all they got in their quest to be the best and keep their dreams alive. Mark's no-nonsense approach and respect for the game has served Post 95 alumni well in their own quest to succeed in the highly combative venue of college baseball.

On behalf of American Legion Quincy Post 95 Commander Fred McCray, Post 95 veterans, sons of veterans, ballplayers, parents, fans and this writer, a sincere wish and best of luck in your new position is gratefully extended.

Post 95 would also like to give a special thanks to Mark's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jaehnig, for their fan loyalty, support and assistance to our team.

Lenny Seitz
American Legion Post 95

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Quincy's Yesterdays

City Budget Looks Like \$117.8 Million

By FRANK MCCAULEY

If this week's City Council Finance Committee meeting is a sign, it appears that the city's \$117.8 million dollar budget for fiscal year 1990 will be approved with little or no changes.

The committee reviewed a number of departmental budgets and passed most of them. Only a handful did not receive committee support, but it appears there will be another budget review meeting.

Finance Committee Chairman Stephen McGrath said another committee meeting would be held May 8. At that time other departmental budgets including fire, police and schools will be analyzed.

\$275,000 ANIMAL SHELTER TO BE DEDICATED

Quincy's new animal shelter will be dedicated at its Broad Street location May 2, by Mayor Francis X. McCauley. Other officials expected to attend the dedication of the \$275,000 shelter include, Althea Griffin, president of the South Shore Humane Society; John McDuff, president of the Quincy Animal League; Thomas White, director of the Animal Rescue League, as well as Phyllis Berlucchi, Animal Control Officer.

According to David Colton, deputy commissioner of Public Works, the structure will have 15 to 20 cages for dogs, plus a separate room for cats and puppies.

6 CITY EMPLOYEES TO BE HONORED

Six city employees will be recognized at the seventh annual Mayor's Employee Appreciation Award Ceremony May 11.

The 1989 recipients include: Valerie Palmer, a registered nurse at Quincy Hospital; Ann McLaughlin, assistant director of The Thomas Crane Library; Patricia Ryan, assistant dean at Quincy Junior College; Duncan Blight, building custodian at City Hall; Mary (Fee Curtin) Pace, a teacher at Atherton Hough School and Janet Ellis, Equal Opportunity Administrator for the City of Quincy.

QUINCY-ISMS

Ward 3 Councillor Lawrence Chretien, chairman of the Recycling Committee, discussed the upcoming recycling program at a meeting of Ward 2 residents held at the Fore River Club House. John McDuff, animal rights activist from Quincy Point, was planning a campaign for a seat on the School Committee.

Dist. Atty. William Delahunt will receive the James R. McIntyre Humanitarian Award at the Quincy District Court's Law Day ceremony, in early May. Delahunt is a former Quincy city councillor and state representative. The Quincy High School Class of 1939 is planning its 50th anniversary reunion for Sept. 15 at the Sheraton Tara in Braintree. Reunion committee members include Nick Pepe, Barbara (Gumprecht) Johnson, Dorothy Giarusso, Tony Cardarelli, Tony Mollica and Edna (Thorne) Canter. Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Zoia, lifetime Quincy residents, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception at Lantana in Randolph. The party was hosted by their 12 children. The Zois (she is the former Elaine Martineau) were married April 19, 1939 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Cosgrove Nancy Ross at Quincy Hospital.

The Mayor's Commission on the Status of Women was offering the following programs during the month of May: May 4: "Beyond the Birds and the Bees"; May 11: "Insurance"; May 18: "What's In and What's Out in Divorce"; May 25: "Up Close and Personal"; Sharon Goodman, a senior at Quincy High School, was a speaker at the 61st annual awards dinner of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. The Rev. J. William Arnold, senior minister at Bethany Congregational Church, will speak on the topic, "Divine Dance, Considering the Trinitarian Nature of God". Brian Buckley and John Noonan co-hosted a Quincy Community Television telethon to raise funds for an AARP scholarship to a nursing school in memory of the late Barbara Nash. The Pilgrim Fellowship of the Houghs Neck Congregational Church, sponsored a spaghetti dinner followed by a musical variety show at the church hall. South Shore Buick, 50 Adams St., Quincy, was advertising its "Feature Car of the Week," a 1989 Buick Regal for \$12,800.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

36th Annual Summer Festival July 19-21 In Quincy Center

Quincy's 36th Annual Summer Festival will kick-off Thursday, July 19, and continue through Friday, July 20, and Saturday, July 21st. The programs are hosted by the local business community in cooperation with Mayor William Phelan.

Traditionally, the city closes Hancock Street in Quincy Center to vehicular traffic for these summer festivities. This allows local vendors and crafters to display their merchandise

outdoors.

Each year, dinnertime programs provide lively musical entertainment on two evenings and this has proven to be a favorite family event.

The committee anticipates presenting the same top quality programs this year as in the past. Staging created right on Hancock Street allows the audience to enjoy the dining and the daytime and evening events in an open-air venue.

For the luncheon diners,

there will be short musical programs and for the young and the young at heart, there will be inter-active games and fun.

Some limited space will be available for crafters and vendors who are not competing with Quincy Business Association (QBA) members.

Contact the QBA at 617-471-3232 or e-mail director@qbaonline.com for additional information.

Abigail's Crossing Offering Mothers' Day Programs

Abigail's Crossing Gifts in Quincy Center plans special treats for shoppers just in time for Mothers' Day shopping.

Two free programs will start Friday, May 4 and continuing through Saturday, May 5 and Sunday, May 6.

The gift shop located at 1360 Hancock Street will host an in-store Vera Bradley Free Gift w/ Purchase event and, also, offer free raffle tickets for each Vera Bradley item purchased.

Raffle winners will be

drawn every hour on the hour all weekend.

On Friday and Saturday, a Crabtree and Evelyn Hand Recovery Event will offer free hand massages to visitors, along with free samples and gifts while they last.

Mount Wollaston Cemetery Walking Tour Saturday

Quincy historian Tom Galvin will lead a walking tour of Mount Wollaston Cemetery Saturday, April 28, leaving the Greenleaf Street

Gate on Southern Artery at 1 p.m.

The tour will focus on the graves of leaders of Quincy's granite industry. Quincy

mayor, civic leaders, notable granite monuments and other historical highlights.

Rain date is Sunday, April 29, also at 1 p.m.

Mark Crosby, Michael Duggan Win TV Documentary Award

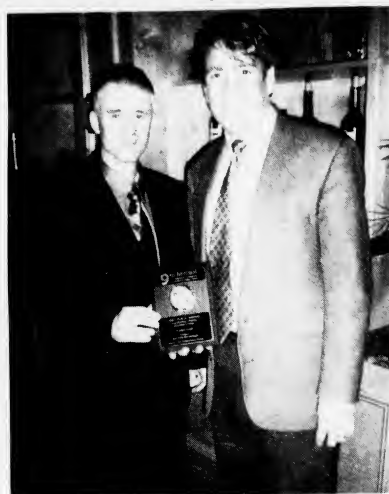
Mark Crosby, director and producer at Quincy Access Television, has won a top documentary award the Alliance for Community Media Northeast Region competition.

"Turning Point," which chronicles a songwriter's journey from the initial concept of composing a song to the completion of the song and music video.

Crosby and Michael Duggan of Plymouth, who produced, directed, video-taped and edited the documentary, were presented the award at ninth annual conference of the ACM-NE.

Quincy Access Television provided the studio space and equipment that enabled Crosby and Duggan, as independent producers, to share their vision with others.

Crosby has been involved in video production since 1986 and has received rec-



MICHAEL DUGGAN and MARK CROSBY

Tamara Crosby photo

ognition for previous projects in the areas of computer/video art, short subjects and documentaries.

Pirates Bring Revelry To Wollaston Church

If you see Captain Kidd and Long John Silver marching down Beale Street in the near future, don't be alarmed.

They'll just be headed to the "pirate party" Saturday, May 12, starting at 1 p.m. at the Quincy Community United Methodist Church at

40 Beale St.

Children, accompanied by adults, are urged to come dressed as pirates for fun and games from 1 to 2 p.m. followed by a showing of the

movie "Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest."

Tickets at \$5 per person are available at the door. For more information, call 617-773-3319.

Space Available At United Methodist Fair

Table spaces for vendors and crafters are available for the Quincy Community United Methodist Church's Beale Street Carnival Saturday, June 23, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the church lawn, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The space is available on

a first come, first served basis at \$25 for an eight-foot table. The carnival will have a sidewalk cafe, a snack bar and a kiddie land. In case of rain, it will be held inside.

For more information or to reserve a table, call 617-773-3319.

Senior Scrabble Every Monday

Elderly devotees of the game "Scrabble" meet every Monday from 12 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on

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Fashion Show May 4 To Benefit Maria Droste Agency

A fashion show and benefit for the Maria Droste Agency will be held Friday, May 4, at Lantana's in Randolph. Planned events also include a cocktail hour, and dinner as well as auctions and raffles.

Guest speaker will be State Rep. Martin Walsh and Paul McDewitt will serve as master of ceremonies. Both were longtime friends of the late Darlene Sheehan.

Once again, the spring event will be dedicated in honor of Darlene as the Maria

Droste Fund Raising Committee and "Friends of Darlene Sheehan" have proved to be a winning team.

Both male and female "Friends of Darlene" will model the spring fashions including evening designs from Michael De Paulo, a rising star in the fashion design world, and ready-to-wear assortments for work and play from Caryn's Corner, Quincy.

For men, there will be fashions from Milton's in Braintree which offers a wide

range of sports and formal wear.

Interested persons may call 617-471-5686 for reservations. The Maria Droste Agency is staffed and operated by the Sisters of the Good Shepherd along with several clinically trained professionals who serve as volunteers.

The staff and volunteers provide counseling services to clients ranging from ages 5 to 75 or over with fees determined by ability to pay.

Jessica Racca Wed To Anthony Lumaghini

A reception at the Crowne Plaza House in Woburn followed the recent wedding of Jessica June Racca of Saugus, and Jason Anthony Lumaghini of Quincy. Deacon Joseph Belmont officiated at the ceremony at St. Anthony's Church in Revere.

The bride is the daughter of Maureen Racca of Saugus and the late James Racca. She is also the granddaughter of Daniel Madden, Sr. of Saugus. The groom is the son of Lionel and Marilyn Lumaghini of Quincy. He is the grandson of Rene Lumaghini, Sr. the late Odette S. Lumaghini, and the late Harold and Marion Bertoni.

The bride was escorted by her two uncles, Robert and Anthony Racca.

Joelle Cannon was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were: Melissa Lumaghini, sister of the groom, Jill Fitzpatrick, Kathleen Murphy, Lynne Little, and Diane Babcock.

Olivia and Sophia Baldino, cousins of the groom were flower girls.

Christopher Lumaghini was his brother's Best Man. Ushers were Jason Little, Jeurik Samborski and Charles Feeley. Peter Santerre, and Daniel Cappetta.

The bride graduated from Saugus High School, and received a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from Framingham State College. She is employed as a Senior Casualty Adjuster at Safety



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The groom graduated from Quincy High School and received a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree from

Stoughton College, Haverhill, Mass. He is the owner of Top Star Trucking in Abington.

After a wedding trip to Hawaii, the couple will be in Rockland.

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33 Quincy Residents On UMass Dean's List

Jo-Anne Vanim, Dean of Students at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, announces 33 Quincy residents are on the Dean's List for the fall semester.

They are:

Kai Leung E. Tso, Nicholas J. Falbo, Emily K. Pahud, Christine E. Foley,

Olga A. Zaharova, Sara J. Chung, Daniel L. Cheng, Shaun M. Gibbons, Connie Wang, James M. Contrino, Hien Mong Nguyen, Xiao Xia Zhang,

Henry C. Chang, Edwin Leung, Justin L. Nguyen, Yi You Mei, Ying Zheng, Virginia J. Hsia, Adam R.

Graeber, Thomas C. Power, Gina Sing Quan Kwong, Hallie E. Acton, Madeline R. Tarabelli,

Caitlyn R. Dow, Joanna P. Tam, Ya Tao Wu, Yi Ping Wu, Xing Chen, Stephanie C. LaBelle, Erin E. Malone, Nga Man Tam, Drusilla W. Szeto and Krista C. Bun.

Retired Teachers Luncheon May 9

The Quincy Retired Teachers Association will hold its annual spring luncheon meeting Wednesday, May 9, at the Neighborhood Club, 27 Glendale Rd., Quincy.

A social hour at 11 a.m. will precede a short business meeting and luncheon at 12:45 p.m. President Arthur

Foster will welcome recent retirees into membership.

Scholarship recipients from Quincy and North Quincy High Schools will be honored at a special scholarship evening Tuesday, May 22, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Sawyer Center in Beechwood Knoll School.

Ward 5 Group Meets Tonight

The Ward 5 Community Association will hold its annual meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. in the Beechwood Knoll School, 222 Fenno St., to choose officers for 2007-08 and winners of the Citizen of the Year and High Five Awards.

There will be a raffle and light refreshments.

NQHS Parents To Meet May 2

The North Quincy High School Parents Advisory Council will meet Thursday, May 2 at 7 p.m. in the Trophy Room at the high school, 316 Hancock St.

QHS Parents Meet May 10

The Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council will meet Thursday, May 10, at

6:30 p.m. in the Pride Room at the high school, 52 Coddington St.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every

Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

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Lena Lowry Marks 100th Birthday With Room Full Of Love

By MIRIAM JOSEPH

In 1907, Teddy Roosevelt was in the White House. Women were fighting for the right to vote in the federal election. A first-class stamp cost two cents.

And Lena Lowry was born in Bologna, Italy, destined to spend the rest of the century and more in America.

She celebrated her 100th birthday last Friday with 85 friends and neighbors at Town Brook House, where she has resided for the past 26 years. Surrounded by a "lot of love," as her son Walter commented, Lena was overwhelmed by the outpouring of affection from her fellow residents at the facility and by their generous gift giving.

Lena's sons Frank, 73 and Walter, 71, and their wives Elaine and Penny, attended a second birthday celebration the following day for the lifelong friends and family members, including Lena's nine grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, and her only surviving sibling, her 90-year-old sister, Babe.

Smartly dressed for the occasion and looking years younger than her age, this petite and slender 103-pounder of elegance says that she "used to be a fat little thing," and works to keep her weight down.

Lena was very young when she immigrated to America, and says that when she was little, "it was five or ten cents for a loaf of bread. It was easy to buy a loaf of bread years ago. I hardly ever went to the movies when I was a kid—I went to a silent



LENA LOWRY, 100 years old.

movie a couple of times, and I would look at the screen and say "can't they just talk?"

When she married Francis Lowry in 1930, they made their home in a cold-water flat in Roxbury. Her sons recall a space heater in the living room, fueled by oil cans of which they would bring upstairs from cellar. And they remembered their icebox, and how she would put a sign in the window for the ice man when the family needed ice.

Lena worked at Boston City Hospital as a nursing assistant for 26 years.

"Sometimes I took the bus to work, sometimes I walked, the hospital wasn't that far from home, but after we moved (in the 60's) I got a car and I used that to go back and forth."

Friend and fellow resident George Negus, 80, read a congratulatory tribute to Lena from the Quincy City

Council. He said that when he jokingly suggested that Lena marry him she had replied, "You just turned 80 years old, you're too old for me!"

Son Frank, a Florida resident, told the guests, "I didn't realize how many friends my mother had here, but now I know and it's just wonderful."

Walter, who moved to Quincy 37 years ago, thanked the party-goers.

"Looking around the room, all I can see is a lot of love...if there is anything else that you folks don't have, you have love."

As Lena rose to speak, her fellow residents were shouting out to her "We love you, we love you, Lena!" She thanked the guests and said "I didn't expect this at all...I knew it was something, but not this...thank you so much."

Although she describes herself as a "full-blown Ital-



FAMILY MEMBERS helped Lena Lowry celebrate her 100th birthday. From the left: Walter Lowry, son, 71; Penny Lowry, daughter-in-law; Lena, 100; son Frank, 73; daughter-in-law Elaine.



FRANK LOWRY (standing) thanks guests at his mother's 100th birthday. From the left: Sister Barbara, Resident Services Coordinator at Town Brook House; Lena Lowry, 100; Peg Stetz, president of residents' association at Town Brook House; Oriana Segalini, 94 and Rachel Menchi, 97.

ian," her sons say that she is a very proud American, a die-hard citizen, and has seldom missed the opportunity to vote. When asked to what she attributed her longevity, Lena replied: "Stay clean."

Her friend Paul Hoadley managed to get her 100th birthday featured on Willard Scott's segment of The To-

day Show that morning, and was pleased that Willard pronounced Quincy correctly. "Or else he would have heard from me!"

Hoadley, who runs the Thursday-night movie presentations, (which Lena enjoys, with popcorn!) said, "The residents have our own association, and we are a real

family here. Lena is a sweetheart, one of my favorites, an absolute love."

A long-time member of the American Legion, Lena served two terms as president, and says she now enjoys bingo, ceramics, dancing and bowling and, of course, her fellow residents at Town Brook!

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Banks Renew Commitment To \$3.5M Quincy Loan Pool

Nine area banks have renewed their three-year commitments to continue their funding support of the Quincy Loan Pool, it was announced by Quincy 2000 Collaborative.

The Quincy Loan Pool combines the financial resources of the banks to provide some \$3.5 million in funding for Quincy-based businesses.

The funding is available for business expansions, equipment purchases, start-up costs and sign and facade

improvements.

The banks include South Shore Cooperative Bank, Sovereign Bank, Eastern Bank, Bank of America, Bank of Canton, South Shore Savings Bank, Century Bank & Trust Company, Colonial Federal Savings Bank and Rockland Trust Company.

"On behalf of the city of Quincy, I would like to thank each of the banks for renewing their commitment, which plays an instrumental role in helping our local businesses grow and prosper," said

Mayor William Phelan.

The Quincy Loan Pool and Quincy's Community Development Block Grant program has provided more than \$5 million in funding to more than 125 Quincy businesses to create jobs and strengthen their viability.

"Of great importance is the skill and dedication provided by the bank executives who review, approve and frequently enhance the loans offered by Quincy 2000," said Dean Rizzo, executive director of Quincy 2000.



QUINCY LOAN POOL commitment announcement figures include, left to right, Dean Rizzo, executive director of Quincy 2000 Collaborative; Gregory Glennon, vice president at South Shore Cooperative Bank; Thomas Landers, vice president of commercial lending at Sovereign Bank; Mayor William Phelan; James Flaherty, vice president of small business banking at Eastern Bank; James Shaw, senior vice president at Bank of America; and Dennis Harrington, director of Planning and Development for Quincy.

S. Quincy Social Club Moving To Torre dei Passeri

The License Board Tuesday, allowed Charles Towers Jr. a change of location and all alcoholic club license of the South Quincy Social Club to move from 480 Quincy Ave., to 242 Washington St. the site of the Torre dei Passeri Social Club.

Chairman Joseph Shea said the Torre dei Passeri used the first floor for their club's

activities, and the second floor for functions. He added that all these some 80 years, the Torre has had a "spotless reputation".

He said the reason for the move from Quincy Ave., was that the building was very big, and that it had a "motivated buyer".

Shea said Torre will no longer have functions, and

instead will move to the second floor while the South Quincy Social Club will now use the first floor.

Shea said he had spoken to the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission (ABCC) and said they supported the move. It will now go to the ABCC for approval of the liquor license.

Shellfish Mitigation On Gas Line To Be Explained

Thomas Shields of the State Division of Marine Fisheries will discuss the future of shellfishing in Boston Harbor waters in the wake of the Algonquin natural gas pipeline Tuesday, May 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the Houghs Neck Maritime Center, 1394 Sea St.

"Shellfish Enhancement in Boston Harbor" is the fourth and final subject for discussion in mitigation for the pipeline which carries gas for KeySpan to Boston along the shores of Quincy, Weymouth and Hingham.

Previous meetings dis-

cussed the restoration of eel grass, the fate of anadromous fish and the creation of an artificial reef.

The program is sponsored by the Quincy Beaches and Coastal Commission. For more information, call 617-773-1534.

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Fallon Gets Green Light On Garaging 60 Vehicles

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

After listening to neighbors and abutters of 199 Commander Shea Boulevard, Joseph Shea, the chairman of the License Board and Police Chief Robert Crowley, both voted against the leased premises of Fallon Ambulance at that site, but after a lengthy discussion, it passed with a 3-2 vote.

At Tuesday's board meeting, Atty. Robert Fleming counsel for Timothy J. Fallon asked the board to allow 60

vehicles and fuel storage and gas/repair license for 2012 gallons of gas and diesel underground, 3000 gas and diesel above-ground and 500 gallons of miscellaneous fluids.

Fleming stressed that there would be no sirens, no lights, and that the employees would be indoors at all times, in an air conditioned area.

Abutters and neighbors, some who lived at the Sea Winds Condo some 50 feet

away from the fuel, said they were already weary from noise from the former tenant. Interstate Distributors who were outside in the wee hours of the morning.

They were concerned over the noise of the ambulances opening and closing doors during the night, as well as activity in the day time. They urged the board to consider a "more appropriate site."

They said since Interstate Distributors had left, they were finally able to get an "interrupted night's rest."

Ward 6 Councillor Brain McNamie said he wanted to attach 15 conditions before the board voted on the re-

quest.

Some of the conditions included no more than 60 vehicles and no idling of vehicles outside.

Also that Fallon will see that fire suppression safeguards are in place at the refueling depot; that late night and early morning employees use of picnic table abutting 90 Quincy Shore Drive be prohibited; and no music be permitted outside the premises.

Another condition was that to restore perimeter fencing where damage or done with sound absorbing fencing material.

Fleming said most of the conditions were a lot of com-

mon sense and that Fallon "did not need restrictions."

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele said that Fallon Ambulance which also has facilities on 115 Brook Rd. in South Quincy has "proved to be good neighbors and that Quincy is lucky to have them located in our city."

Fallon said the company has phased out the facility in Milton, but still has an ambulance in the area.

Maralin Manning, executive director to the Quincy Business Association said

she is a Milton resident where there were two Fallon Ambulance areas and that she has never "heard a complaint."

Prior to the vote, Crowley said although he was "not opposed to Fallon, but that he was "with the neighbors on this one" and said he would not support it.

Shea said he was in agreement with Crowley and added that there is an "unpleasant history at that site," and that he also would not support it.

Elder Caregivers Topic On June 5

Community resources, support and respite services for elders and their families will be discussed at "Caregivers 101" Tuesday, June 5, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Richard Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

The free program is sponsored by the Council on Aging and South Shore Elder

Services.

Participants will receive copies of the Caregiver 101 Manual, a resource and care planning booklet, in addition to knowledge of successful strategies for managing elder care planning and family decision making.

For a reservation, call the COA at 617-376-1506.

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Koch Calls For Full Traffic Plan At North Quincy High

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch this week called for the city to develop a complete traffic plan to improve pedestrian safety and ease congestion in the area surrounding North Quincy High School.

"The timing is perfect. The Foley Chrysler building at the corner of Hancock and Squantum streets is vacant, so we're probably never going to get a better chance to fix that mess," said Koch. "This is an issue that has lingered far too long, and is a glaring example of why we need to fill the traffic engineer's job that has been vacant for nearly two years."

On Monday, Koch attended a subcommittee meeting of the Quincy School Committee held to update parents concerned about safety for students trying to get to school in the morning and home in the afternoon. Parents first raised concerns about safety surrounding the school more than a year ago, and a num-

ber of safety measures were implemented recently under the leadership of the school committee.

But Koch noted that the new sidewalks, drop-off area, and a police detail in the morning only scratches the surface of the traffic troubles around the school. He said parents voiced concern that the police officer stationed at the school in the morning is often assigned to other places, which Koch said shows clearly that more permanent measures are needed.

"The school committee has done a great job tackling this issue head-on, but the fact is they've been dealt a lousy hand," Koch said.

"They are school committee members, not traffic engineers. They've done their job, now it's time for leadership from the mayor."

Koch said he wrote a letter to Mayor William Phelan more than two months ago urging him to hire a traffic engineer as soon as possible, pointing out that the job has

been vacant since September 2005. At the time, Koch highlighted traffic bottlenecks, poorly timed signals, and dangerous intersections for pedestrians as examples of the deteriorating traffic conditions across the city.

He called the situation at North Quincy High School a perfect example of traffic problems increasing across the city. In response to his letter, Koch said, the mayor suggested that the North Quincy High School situation had been resolved by using a contracted traffic engineer hired to study the area.

"It's pretty clear the issue is not resolved," Koch said. "A quick-shot contractor simply isn't enough. These are larger issues that only a traffic engineer in Quincy every day, watching patterns every day, studying the details every day, and with a passion to improve safety and traffic flow, can adequately address. We need to hire somebody now."

State Approves New Water Heater For Tobin Towers

Tobin Tower residents can look forward to uninterrupted hot water service now that the state has approved emergency funds for a new water heater, according to Jay MacRitchie, Executive Director of the Quincy Housing Authority.

MacRitchie attended the City Council's Housing Committee meeting Monday, as a courtesy, after City Council President Douglas Gutro forwarded complaints that he'd received from Tobin Towers residents.

At the meeting, Gutro described calls he'd received regarding the senior citizens residence at 80 Clay Street, particularly complaints of little or no hot water.

Gutro said he forwarded the complaints to MacRitchie's office and, on his own visit, found the water

temperature had improved although it ranged from tepid to warm.

"The water temperature had vastly improved," Gutro said by the time of his visit. Gutro also outlined other problems and complaints raised by tenants, ranging from water backing up into tubs, wet, damp or stained hallway carpeting, and overflowing trash bins.

MacRitchie noted that Tobin Towers was built in the 1970's and rebuilt and renovated in the 1990's. He said that the water heater broke down and was replaced with a temporary heater.

Since then, MacRitchie said he applied for an emergency allocation for a new water heater from the state and received approval that very afternoon. The new heater will be located outside

of the building and away from the buildings electrical systems.

MacRitchie expects construction to be completed in late June if the bidding process goes smoothly. As for current condition, he said the warm weather should reduce interruptions.

On the other issues, MacRitchie said that trash is picked up twice a week but people do leave things outside of bins. In addition, the QHA regularly has exterminators and carpet cleaners.

MacRitchie said the agency has not tested for mold.

Committee Chairman John Finn thanked MacRitchie for coming to the council's committee meeting.

Mosquito Spraying Begins May 4

The Norfolk County Mosquito Control Project began the annual spring aerial spraying for mosquito larvae in Quincy wetlands this week and will continue until Friday, May 4.

The application of the biorational larvicide Bti, or VectoBac G as it is known by brand name, will be carried out by helicopter on the Broad Meadows Marsh.

For more information, contact John J. Smith, director of the Mosquito Control Project, at 781-762-3681 or online at www.massnrc.org/nemcp.

Reverse Mortgage Workshop Topic

Seniors can learn how to make a reverse mortgage work for them at a workshop

and luncheon Monday, April 30, at 11 a.m. at the Houghs Neck Community Center,

1193 Sea St.

To reserve a place, call 617-376-1385.

Art-Song Recital Saturday At ENC

Tickets are still available for an Art-Song Recital featuring acclaimed Mezzo soprano Kathleen Shimeta and pianist Martin Hennessy who will perform Saturday, April 28 at Eastern Nazarene College, Mann Student

Center Auditorium.

Shimeta is an expert on the late Gena Branscombe, a Canadian-American composer whose compositions in the early twentieth century included "Pilgrims of Destiny" in

1919. Branscombe focused on choral music and established the Branscombe Choral in 1934.

Contact Tetra Savoy at 617-773-2741 or Elizabeth Leif at 781-344-2943 for tickets or information.

Beechwood Blood Pressure Clinics

Beechwood on the Bay will offer free blood pressure screenings for Quincy seniors every Thursday from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon and

alternate Fridays from 9 to 11 a.m.

The clinics are provided by Fallon Ambulance and are open to all on a walk-in

basis.

For additional information, call Maryann Mahony at 617-471-5712.

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'Getting To Know You' Clergy To Meet May 22

Quincy's religious leaders, the epitome of diversity with close to 50 houses of worship to draw from, will hold another "Getting to Know You" meeting Tuesday, May 22, from 12:30 to 2 p.m. at the Wollaston Congregational Church, 48 Winthrop St.

The sessions are held so that the clergy men and women can better understand their denominational origins and the context in which they preach and teach in the many churches throughout the city.

All religious leaders in Quincy are invited to attend

and are asked to RSVP to the Rev. Mary Louise Gifford at 617-773-7432. Visit www.wollycong.org for directions to the church.

The first "Getting to Know You" meeting, a luncheon at Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy, March 27, was well-attended.

Alberto Santiago Graduates Army Basic Combat Training

Army Pvt. Alberto Santiago has graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier studied the Army mission, history, tradition and core values, physical fitness, and re-

ceived instruction and practice in basic combat skills, military weapons, chemical warfare and bayonet training, drill and ceremony, marching, rifle marksmanship, armed and unarmed combat, map reading, field tactics, military courtesy,

military justice system, basic first aid, foot marches, and field training exercises.

Santiago is the son of Brunilda Marquez of Quarterdeck Road, Quincy. He is a 2001 graduate of Quincy High School.



'GETTING TO KNOW YOU.' Clergy men and women taking part in the interfaith meetings include, left to right, front row, Rev. Ann Rearick, Rev. Karen Palmatier, Clara Sparks, Sister Kathleen M. Hallee, Rev. Sheldon Bennett, Deacon Jack Salenius; back row, Rev. Michael Cunningham, Rev. Adolph Wismar, Richard Bartlett, Rev. Michael Robertson, David Godfrey, Rev. John O'Brien, Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, Rev. David Hefling, Rev. Fred Fullerton, Rev. Clifford R. Brown.

COA Trip May 3 To Mohegan Sun

The Council on Aging will sponsor a trip to the Mohegan Sun casinos in Connecticut for seniors Thursday, May 3, the bus leaving the Marina Bay parking lot at 8 a.m.

The cost is \$25 per per-

son.

Call Dot Dow at 617-376-1508 for reservations and

further information. A nearly sign up will be appreciated.

Library Book Sale May 5

The Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library will hold a book sale Friday,

May 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the library, 40 Washington St., Quincy Center. Prices

will start at 50 cents. Proceeds will benefit the library.

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, April 30

Pizza sticks, marinara dipping sauce, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, May 1

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, May 2

Egg and cheese on acroissant, potato puffs, fresh fruit or juice.

Thursday, May 3

Barbecue pork rib dip-pers, steamed rice, hot vegetable, fruit cup, dinner roll.

Friday, May 4

Tuna salad sandwich, carrot snack pack, potato chips, fruit juice or fresh fruit.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, April 30

Sonny's pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, May 1

Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, vegetable, cranberry sauce, dinner roll.

Wednesday, May 2

Cheeseburger on a bun, oven fries, fresh fruit or juice.

Thursday, May 3

Tuna salad sandwich, cup of tomato soup, potato chips, fruit cup or fresh fruit.

Friday, May 4

Meatball submarine sandwich with grated cheese, hot vegetable, fresh fruit or juice.

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By Mass. Grand Lodge Order Sons Of Italy Sheriff Bellotti To Be Honored At Law And Justice Day Breakfast

Norfolk County Sheriff Michael Bellotti will be honored at the 24th annual Law and Justice Day Breakfast sponsored by the Massachusetts Grand Lodge Order Sons of Italy in America, Commission for Social Justice, on Sunday, May 6.

The breakfast will be held at 9:30 a.m. at the Newton Marriott on Commonwealth Ave., Newton.

Bellotti, a Quincy resident, will be presented the Law Award. Other award recipients are Middlesex County District Attorney Gerard Leone who will receive the Justice Award; and State Rep. Robert Deleo, chairman of the House Com-



MICHAEL BELLOTTI mittee on Ways and Means, who will be presented the Public Service Award.

Master of ceremonies for the Law and Justice Day Breakfast will be David

Boeri of Channel 5 and 90.9 WBUR FM.

The Commission for Social Justice acts as the anti-defamation arm of the Order of Sons of Italy and its purpose is to ensure equal concern, respect, treatment and opportunity for all Italians, Italian-Americans and those of other ethnic origins.

The commission is recognizing the award recipients as leaders within the community, the state and for the preservation of their Italian heritage.

For more information or to purchase tickets, call the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts at 617-489-5234.

Adams Memorial Park Opens Season With Record Numbers

Adams National Historical Park opened its 60th season last week as part of the National Park Service with a four-day count of 1,400 visitors, according to Marianne Peak.

Opening Day highlights included a Listening Session with greetings from Mayor William Phelan and the park service's Acting Regional Director Chrysantha Walter of Philadelphia.

Walter oversees the country's 80 national parks from Mammoth to Virginia. Both Walter's visit last week and a visit last month by Dean Reeder, Director of Tourism for the park service, highlight the importance of this anniversary season for Quincy park. Reeder made Quincy the first stop on his East Coast tour.

Peak said she expects this season to be a record breaker all round for visitors at the 13-acre park as she and her park service team plan special events during the anniversary season.

In addition, Peak expects a forthcoming HBO series on John Adams to attract new

interest and even more visitors. She noted that park attendance soared from an average of 60,000 a season to 200,000 in recent years.

Most of that increase followed the publication of historian David McCullough's biography of John Adams. McCullough won a Pulitzer Prize for the book.

This year's Adams Park calendar features the October re-enactment of the wedding of John and Abigail Adams, along with several lecture series and plays. The events will be held at the Carriage House at Adams Park and other Adams sites in Quincy and Weymouth. Visitors can use the park's trolley system to visit all the historic Adams family sites.

"We have exciting programs that are not finalized yet," Peak said, adding that additional dates will offer even more unique opportunities for visitors to enjoy the park and its history.

President John Adams and Abigail Adams bought their Quincy home in 1787 while

he was Ambassador to England and was their home during his second presidency. Subsequently, their son President John Quincy Adams and four generations of the Adams family lived there.

The Adams Memorial Society operated the park as a private site from 1927 to 1946. That year, the Adams heirs donated the property to the National Park Service (NPS). NPS officially opened Adams Memorial Historical Park on Patriots Day in 1947.

To this day, Adams family members are involved in decisions regarding the property.

Visitors today can visit the main house which Abigail Adams called "Peacefield," the modest Stone Library and tour the grounds where some of Abigail Adams' flowers are replicated. Trolleys transport visitors to Adams' landmarks in Quincy and Weymouth.

Additional information is available at 617-770-1175 or on the park website nps.gov/adam/

around the world and the City of Quincy. Contact Michael Tsang at 617-721-3922 for additional information.

Free Legal Clinic May 8 At Quincy Court

A free legal clinic will be held Tuesday, May 8 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Quincy District Court.

Persons with legal questions can discuss any issue in confidence during a one-on-one consultation with an attorney specializing in that particular field.

No appointments are necessary for any of the legal clinics sponsored by the

Norfolk County Bar Association. The clinics operate on a walk-in basis.

Three other free legal clinics have been scheduled

Art Class With Lulu At Koch Complex May 2

The Quincy Council on Aging will offer its "Monthly Art Class with Lulu" on Wednesday, May 2 at Koch Park and Recreation

Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

The cost is \$10 and reservations can be made at 617-376-1249.

Quincy Joins Fight To Protect Climate

Mayor William Phelan joined City Councillor Kevin Coughlin in a signing ceremony to have the City of Quincy join the International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLE) cities for climate protection campaign.

The campaign calls for municipalities to take specific steps toward reducing their contribution to factors attributed to climate change.

"Councillor Coughlin has taken a leadership role on the City Council relative to the issue of what local people

can do to make global impacts," said Phelan.

"Along with Councillors (Doug) Gutro and (Leo) Kelly, they have been working with my administration to ensure that we do our part as a municipality to undertake programs and initiatives to help our local and global environment.

"I want to thank them for their continued support of some very important issues in my administration."

Phelan is set to announce his "Act Locally" program on Arbor Day later this week.

It will entail a number of programs involving renewable energy, energy efficiency and environmental protection initiatives.

"I believe that local government can play a leading role in changing our world," added Phelan. "We are less influenced by those industries and corporations who don't want to see changes happen."

"My environmental program could be a blueprint for local governments. I want Quincy to be a leader on the issue of local environmental leadership."

Puleo Campaign Kickoff May 2

Nick Puleo, candidate for school committee, will kick-off his campaign Wednesday, May 2, 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m., at the Sons of Italy Social Center, 120 Quarry St.

The invitation sent out citywide says:

"It was once that 'the best way to predict the future is

to create it.' Here's your chance. We need Nick on our school committee to ensure a brighter future for Quincy's kids."

Puleo will discuss his vision for Quincy's schools. A pasta dinner will be served, and entertainment provided.

This is a family-friendly event. People are encouraged

to bring their children, friends and neighbors.

Suggested donation is \$20, and can be paid at the door. It is also possible to pay in advance by check, or by contributing online at www.nickpuleo.com.

For more information, call (617) 835-1253.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

• Granted a one-day permit to Rick Fitzpatrick, for the 15th and final William F. Degan Road Race, Sunday, Sept. 23 at 10 a.m. The kids free fun race begins at 9:15 a.m.

Fitzpatrick said the run is final with the proceeds going to the scholarship funds of Quincy and North Quincy High Schools. He said the family is grateful for all of the past runs and wants to "move forward."

Police Chief Robert Crowley said the committee did a "tremendous job" and that the race was a "great tribute" to Degan and "we're going to miss the race."

• Granted a request from Montclair School, 8 Belmont St. for the annual May Festival, Saturday, May 19 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Proceeds will benefit teacher's supplies and field trips. Refreshments will be served.

• Granted a one-day per-

mit to the Quincy Community Partnership for the eighth Historical Walk for Education, Sunday, June 2, from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Hannaford Supermarket is the sponsor.

• Granted a request of Philip and Sophia Hui, Inc. doing business as Asian Cafe, 21 Scammell St. for change of name to Lucky Dragon Restaurant.

• Granted a common victualer license to Faith & John's Sub doing business as Subway, 1348 Hancock St. Laudalina Thivitis, manager.

• Granted a transfer of stock, new officers & directors, and change of managers from Honey Cafe, Inc. 217 Quincy Ave., Mattheew J. Thoi, manager, Andrea Kor, paralegal, Chris Coleman is counsel. The site is the Kam Man Plaza.

• Continued a request of Waterworks, Marina Bay for an extension of Premises on Aug. 16 through Aug. 19. Ed Kane.

• Granted a common victualer, all alcoholic license to

Tom Bellotti, owner of Alumni Cafe and Ed Cochrane, owner of Rag's Tavern, who are opening a new restaurant called S-6, 1550 Hancock St.

Atty. Richard Barry said the 45 seat restaurant which hopes to open in September will feature pub convenience food. Marlin Manning, executive secretary of the Quincy Business Association, said the project was "good business people coming downtown."

• Granted a common victualer license to Rawtie Seghal, doing business as Quick Bite, Quincy Adams T Station. Hours will be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

• Granted a Motor II used car license to Charlie Alhelo, manager of Right Deal Inc., 451 Quincy Ave. for 25 cars pending a clean up and site inspection. The site is owned by Harvey Kurtzman who promised to clean the area within 48 hours.

Merrymount Scholarships Available

The Merrymount School PTO has four \$200 book scholarships available for graduating high school seniors who attended the Merrymount School and plan to continue their educa-

tions past high school.

Applications may be picked up at the guidance offices of Quincy and North Quincy High Schools or at the Merrymount School. Deadline is May 31. Winners

will be chosen by lottery and announced at the final PTO meeting of the year in June.

For more information, call the school at 617-984-8762.

Cinco de Mayo FUNdraiser May 4

The Merrymount School PTO will hold a Cinco de Mayo FUNdraiser celebration Friday, May 4, from 7 p.m. to 12 midnight at the North Quincy Knights of Columbus Hall, 5 Hollis Ave.

Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door.

The ticket price includes one free raffle ticket, food, dancing and a cash bar. The silent auction will include tickets to Red Sox and Patri-

ots games.

Proceeds will be used to enhance computer technologies throughout the school.

For more information or for tickets, call 617-773-4976.

This Time Uncle Sam's Message Is Personal

For a dozen years, the billboard at the corner of Newport Avenue and Beale Street in Wollaston has featured Uncle Sam in the role of a crusader for a good cause.

There was the appeal for funds for the homeless at Father Bill's Place; there was the campaign to get out the vote; the plea for support for the nation's veterans; the Red Cross.

But the message that went up today (Thursday) was more personal.

It encourages viewers to educate themselves on the subject of skin cancer and have themselves checked for melanoma, a form of cancer that begins in the skin due to lengthy exposures to the sun.

Only the day before (Wednesday), Uncle Sam Rounseville was undergoing his eighth surgical procedure in the past three years to remove cancerous cells from his face.

His billboard appeal

Emily Snow Attends National Research Conference

Emily Snow of Quincy, a student at Bridgewater State College, recently attended the 21st National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR) at Dominican University of California.

Snow was among more than 2,200 undergraduates from more than 250 colleges and universities who attended the annual event which is designed to promote



UNCLE SAM
ROUNSEVILLE

shows Uncle Sam in his familiar red, white and blue suit and top hat with bandages covering his nose and cheek where the cancer cells were removed.

"May is Melanoma Awareness Month," he said. "Melanoma is a form of skin cancer that we can do something about. There is more information out today regarding preventive measures.

"There are guidelines that

include wearing hats, using sun screen and limiting your time exposed to the sun's direct rays. These things we weren't aware of a couple of decades ago."

More information on skin cancer is available from the American Association of Dermatology's website www.aad.org, including signs and symptoms and a resource directory.

Oh, yes, for those of you who came in late. Uncle Sam is his real name, having been changed legally from Leroy Rounseville on Flag Day, June 14, 1990, to enhance his community work.

He was recognized as the official Uncle Sam in a congressional resolution in 1992.

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UNCLE SAM ROUNSEVILLE knows how dangerous skin cancer is. He has had eight surgical procedures to remove cancerous cells from his face, and doesn't want you to have to go through that. This is his message that went up today on his personal billboard at Newport Avenue and Beale Street, Wollaston.

Career Fair For Veterans May 23

The Quincy Career Center, 152 Parkway, will host a Veterans Career Fair in recognition of Military Appreciation Month Wednesday, May 23, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

All veterans and their spouses are invited to attend, particularly those who fought in the Global War on Terrorism, Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraq Freedom.

There will be several prospective employers, veterans services organizations and training vendor representatives in attendance.

Call 617-745-4083 or 4063 or 4000 to pre-register.



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QHS Senior Night Stay Out Meeting Tonight

Quincy High School parents are invited to attend

the Senior Night Out planning meeting at Ward 4 Community Center in the Della Cheese School on Thursday, April 26 at 6:30 p.m.

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City Leaders, Students Share Ideas On Attracting Tourists To Park, City

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After the session, Pacy's students said they loved their visit but really hadn't know anything much about the Adams site before last week's visit.

Rene Murphy said she's lived all her life in Quincy and visited the Adams site only once in fifth grade and she's has long forgotten that visit. Now, she and other classmates are interested in the Park's intern program.

"It's an amazing place," Murphy said, adding that students should have high school tours "when they have more of an understanding of history."

Another of Pacy's students, Hull resident Nick Doyle said, "I wasn't even aware of this place. I'm im-

pressed by its age and how well it's been kept."

Lithuanian exchange student Ada Nemira said the Adams site needs to advertise on the Internet and in papers. She, also, suggested that there should be one special day or annual attraction for the Adams Park. She used the re-enactment Battle of Concord and Lexington as an example.

Business leaders also proposed partnerships with local companies. Walter said the line between partnerships and commercialization of the parks must be maintained.

"I don't think we can survive without private partnerships," Walter said but added the agency must "be careful that it isn't perceived as selling off the parks."

Among the speakers was Mrs. John Quincy Adams of Dover, whose late husband was the seventh generation direct descendant of President Adams. Adams congratulated the park service staff who "do a wonderful job, but manage to keep the spirit of this place." She, also, stressed that efforts must always be made to protect against commercialism. Other participants at last week's Listening Session included Doug Gutro, President Quincy City Council, Mark Carey, Executive Director of Discover Quincy, Michele Pecoraro, Massachusetts Cultural Coast, Dean Rizzo, Quincy 2000, Maralin Manning, Quincy Business, and Kathy Melia from Congressman Delahunt's office.

Quincy Symphony Orchestra To Perform At Marriott Hotel

An Evening at the Pops featuring the Quincy Symphony Orchestra will be held Thursday, May 10 at 7 p.m. at the Quincy Marriott Hotel.

The orchestra will play

both favorite classical overtures and favorite pop selections. Tickets are \$25 and may be purchased by calling 617-984-8888. All proceeds will benefit the Quincy Public Schools

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Council Committee Supports New State Laws To Protect Homeowners

By LAURA GRIFFIN

City Councillors Monday came face to face with a Quincy homeowner who fears she could lose her home due to her sub-prime mortgage and what she believes is real estate fraud.

North Quincy's Pat Jones spoke at the Council's Housing Committee meeting which was considering a proposal to support new state legislation aimed at protecting homeowners from unscrupulous lenders.

The resolution submitted by Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin supports state legislation which, among other mandates, would create counseling programs, legislate mortgage standards, regulate mortgage advertising and provide criminal sanctions for offenses.

In introducing the issue, Coughlin cited statistics showing a 70% increase in foreclosures in

Massachusetts this year and a 63% increase in Quincy where 186 homes are on the block.

Coughlin cited reckless lending practices as a major part of the problem and cited sub-prime lenders' ads such as one that teases, "Your bank says no; we say yes."

Coughlin then introduced Jones to the committee. Jones who has never missed a mortgage payment described what she considers fraudulent practices by her mortgage lender and a real estate agent.

Two years ago, Jones moved from Mattapan to the two-family house she bought in North Quincy. She cares for four grandchildren and her daughter lives in one unit with two handicapped children.

Jones purchased the \$550,000 house with a \$55,000 down payment, but she needed a sub-prime loan because of a bankruptcy five years earlier in 2001.

At the time, Jones, a 30-year employee of N-Star, was told she'd be eligible for a fixed rate mortgage in two years.

"They told me I could refinance within two years," Jones told the committee. Instead, the two years are up, and Jones faces increased interest rates which she may not be able to afford.

The worst part is Jones has now been told that the value of the house was inflated in the appraisal process and never worth her purchase price.

In addition, she also charges that the mortgage company, now out of business, forged documents inflating her income as well.

Committee Chairman Joseph Finn and Coughlin supported the resolution which will be considered by the full City Council. Ward 6 councillor Brian McNamee opposed the resolution.

Yard Care Conference At Park Complex Saturday

The Park Department will hold a yard care conference Saturday, April 28, from 9 to 11 a.m. on the lawn of the Richard Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway. Admission is free.

The presenters and their topics include:

Mike Nelson, a member of the faculty of Norfolk Agricultural School - "Flower Gardens & Perenni-

als."

Dave Gaspar, sports turf manager at Prescription Turf Services - "Lawn Care & Turf Maintenance."

Mark Bogan, a certified arborist at Bogan Tree Service - "Tree Health and Pruning."

Each presenter will give a 15 to 20 minute talk, sharing methods, tips and strategies, followed by a question and answer session. Coffee and light refreshments as

well as a raffle will be provided.

Local garden clubs from Houghs Neck, Wollaston and Squantum will be on hand to detail some of their projects and inform those interested in joining their clubs.

In the event of inclement weather, the conference will be held in the community room of the Park & Recreation Complex. For more information, call 617-376-1251.

After 28 Years, New Manager At Alfredo's

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

For 28 years, Ekaterina Koumentakos (Katerina) was a welcoming fixture as manager at Alfredo's Restaurant on Franklin St. with her warm smile and friendship.

But that all changed Tuesday at City Hall, when the License Board granted a change of managers from Koumentakos to John Hughes, Sr., who is also a

chef at the restaurant.

She told the board that she wanted her name taken off the liquor license, and said she was accused of wrong doing and then was fired.

She added that she wished the new owners "the best of luck" and said she hoped that they keep the same employees that have worked with her for 28 years because they have the same "dedication

that I gave to Alfredo's."

Chairman Joseph Shea said he and the board members received more calls about this change of managers than any other time and commended her "for all of those years."

Her brother sold the business last year to Helen Ventouris and Koumentakos devoted the time for the transition to her customers into the idea of new owners.

Prior to the meeting, Koumentakos who also lived above the restaurant said she now has "no job and no place to live."

Kabbalah Series At Chabad May 1

The Hingham Quincy Chabad, 1356 Quincy Shore Drive, will introduce a five session Kabbalah Series - Spring 2007, "Love, Anger and Compassion," Tuesday, May 1, from 7:45 to 9 p.m.

The series will continue on Tuesdays, May 8, 15 and 29 and June 5. The suggested donation for the series is \$48.

Kendra Ciccone All American

Kendra Ciccone of Quincy, a student at UMass-Lowell, has been named a collegiate all-American scholar whose name will appear in the Collegiate All-American Yearbook, a national publication.

The daughter of Robin Ciccone and the granddaughter of Marian Ciccone, both of Quincy, she was nominated by Joan Lehoullier, athletic director/educator at UM-L.

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IT WAS A proud day for Vincent Moscardelli's family. From the left, Suzanne Hegarty, daughter; Ciara Hegarty, granddaughter; Nancy Burke, 93, his mother; Vincent Moscardelli, Francis Moscardelli, brother; Lea Hegarty, granddaughter; Merilee Trenholm, daughter; John Hegarty, son-in-law and Gary Trenholm, son-in-law. Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



AND A PROUD day for P.J. Foley's family. From the left, Edna McLeod, aunt; Julie Foley, wife; P.J. Foley, Robert Foley, father; Evelyn McDonald, aunt; Lisa Renzi, niece; Paul Renzi, sister; Robert Foley, Jr., brother and Tim Renzi, nephew.

Moscardelli, Foley Honored As 'Sun Citizens Of Year'

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in addition to restoring marshland and aiding the environment."

Murphy presented Foley and Moscardelli with certificates of appreciation from Pheasant.

Senator Michael Morrissey praised Foley and Moscardelli for their community service.

"It's important that we have people in the city that really contribute to it to make it a better place. These two people have!"

Morrissey presented each with a commendation from Congressman William Delahunt who was unable to attend.

City Council President Doug Gutro, a former student at Central when Moscardelli was principal, said he was "a role model."

"I remember as a student that his personality was magnetic. His presence and his greetings were welcoming and warm. He made the teachers proud to work with him and the students proud to go to that school."

"What P.J. has done in five years, few people have done in a lifetime," Gutro said. "His environmental leadership has earned him both national recognition and regional acclaim."

Councillor Leo Kelly, in whose ward Foley lives, said the latter was a most worthy recipient of The Sun Award.

"For the work you have done restoring acres of salt marsh. For your assistance with the city's renewable energy efforts."

"The restoration of the Souther Tide Mill and your efforts with local and state officials to improve water transportation for this city. You have been an outstanding friend of our environment and a remarkable leader in this community."

Gutro and Kelly presented Moscardelli and Foley with City Council citations.

State Reps. Steve Tobin and Bruce Ayers presented Foley and Moscardelli with State House citations.

Tobin recalled working as a broker at Central Real Estate founded by Moscardelli after retiring as Central Middle School principal.

"At Central you always dealt with a class act with Vinny and all the people who worked there. Real estate can be a very difficult business but whenever you dealt with Central Real Estate you had no worries."

"Straight forward, above board, great operation. Vinny, what a credit to you. You've been a wonderful friend over the years."

Commending Foley and Moscardelli for their community service, Ayers said:

"One thing they share in common is that they share the same principals and values: helping others with their knowledge and they both use their talent and experiences for the betterment of the community unselfishly."

"Quincy is a great place to live and it is because of people like P.J. and Vinny, and the past recipients of The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award that make it a great place."

Ron Ivil and George Mallett of the Quincy High School's 1959s Football Alumni Club of which Moscardelli is a spearhead member presented him with a special plaque "in appreciation of your many years of dedicated, outstanding service and charitable contributions to the Quincy community and to football."

A letter from Marty Finnegan, the 1988 recipient of The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award now living in California was read by Priscilla Ivil. He wrote, in part:

"Your life has been one of giving to the young people of Quincy and North Quincy. You were a teacher, a coach and an inspiring principal at

Central, a very respected and beloved leader. Vinny, throughout your career and life, you have epitomized care and concern for others."

Lou DiMartini, who succeeded Moscardelli as principal at Central and is a 1955 classmate at Quincy High School, was out of state and unable to attend but sent a brief letter:

"I can attest to the many selfless deeds that Vinny has contributed to the community in his quiet unassuming way no matter the time, no the experience. Bravo to The Quincy Sun for recognizing and appreciating one of Quincy's special sons!"

Moscardelli was in the Quincy public school's system 20 years as a coach, teacher and principal at Central Junior High School where he retired in 1982.

In addition to his generous support of Quincy-North Quincy high school and youth sports, he is involved in other worthy causes.

Among them, the Muscular Dystrophy Association, sponsoring golf tournaments that have raised \$85,000. His Central Real Estate Firm which he founded has contributed over \$30,000 to Quincy public school programs.

Foley started his crusade to restore salt-water marshes in 1999 after finding household articles buried in seaweed near his Sea St. home backyard.

He organized a volunteer group of neighbors and friends and together they have restored 1000 acres of marshland along Houghs Neck and in Broadmeadows.

His latest volunteer project is helping to determine if renewable wind energy is feasible for Quincy.

Last August wind-measuring detectors were mounted on the 180-foot tower at the Quincy police station and on the 700-foot Quarry Hills Tower. Results are expected to be known soon.



STATE HOUSE CITATIONS were presented to P.J. Foley and Vincent Moscardelli by state Reps. Steve Tobin and Bruce Ayers.



SENATOR MICHAEL MORRISSEY (right) presented P.J. Foley and Vincent Moscardelli with Congressional commendations from Congressman William Delahunt.



MEMBERS OF THE Quincy High School 1950s Football Alumni Club of which Vincent Moscardelli has been a spearhead were among those honoring him. From the left, (seated) Gene Cavanaugh, Moscardelli, Ron Ivil and George Mallett. Standing are Priscilla Ivil and Irene Mallett.



FORMER MAYOR Frank McCauley, 2004 recipient of The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award, and his wife, Sandra.

Vin Moscardelli's Remarks

In accepting his Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award, Vin Moscardelli said in part:

"I have been most fortunate for my family and friends. It is hard to get through this because there are so many friends and family members here.

"A tremendous honor. I

appreciate this city for the simple things. Drive by Black's Creek and see the beautiful swan there all the time. In the fall at Wollaston Beach, the different kinds of ducks. It's beautiful.

"There are not many places in the world that you can see that kind of stuff. From now to October look-

ing for bass and blue fish. Simple things like that.

"I would be remiss if I didn't mention the wonderful people I've met in real estate and Quincy schools. The people I worked with in the Quincy schools... Great group of people. I appreciate them all a lot. Thank you!"

P.J. Foley's Remarks

P.J. Foley, in accepting his Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award, said in part:

"I really appreciate this. This is quite an honor being selected along with an educator (Moscardelli). The way his fellow teachers and co-workers rallied around him to nominate him for this award spoke volumes. It says so much about Vinny.

"We have scout leaders here today. Mark Berry and Marty Gordon from Troop 6 in Houghs Neck. It is one thing to design a project but it is something else to get in there and do it. It's hard work. The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts have been great."

Foley praised Mayor William Phelan, the City Council, Dave Murphy of the

Sun Citizen Of The Year On QATV Ch. 8

The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year award ceremony Sunday honoring Vincent Moscardelli and P.J. Foley will be shown on Quincy Access Television Ch. 8 Saturday and Sunday. It will be shown twice on each day at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m.

The ceremony was videotaped at a reception at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center.

mayor's office, Congressman William Delahunt, Senator Michael Morrissey, Steve Perdios, of the Quincy Environmental Network, Sally Owen, who supervises a "Environmental Treasures" program.

"We are blessed in this city to be represented as well as we are. Mentioning those names, I'm standing on the shoulders of giants. All these

people are doing all this work.

"One person who I've always stood on his shoulders and is still a giant is my father, Bob Foley. He taught me to lead by example.

"I want to thank my wife, Julie. We are all in this together. We are all in this together. You good citizens are part of the team."



COUNCILLOR Kevin Coughlin, Maralin Manning, executive director of the Quincy Business Association and member of the selection panel, Tom Koch, whose late father, Richard Koch, Sr. was the 1987 recipient of The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award: George White, immediate past recipient and David Murphy, Chief of Operations who represented Mayor William Phelan at the reception.



CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT Doug Gutro and Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly presented City Council commendations to both Vincent Moscardelli and P.J. Foley. Foley is shown receiving his.



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL classmates were on hand to honor Vincent Moscardelli. Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

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New painting, sewing and cooking classes for youth and adult levels are on the schedule at Houghs Neck Community Center. Youngsters, ages 7-12, can participate in an introductory sewing workshop on Thursday, April 26 from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. The course will introduce beginners to the use of the sewing machine. Weekly classes begin in May. Interested persons can call the center

for dates.

A second new youth program will introduce youngsters 7-12 to cooking and baking, particularly sweet specialties and traditional breads. Introduction will be held Thursday, May 3, and the fee is \$4. Interested persons can call the center for dates.

New adult programs in painting and sewing are also scheduled. A beginners and intermediate class for adults

in acrylic painting will be held from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on the second, third and fourth Tuesday of each month. Supplies are needed and the fee is \$65 for five classes.

Sewing machine classes will be held on the second, third and fourth Wednesday of each month from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Students will learn how to use patterns, select fabric and alter clothes to fit the subject.

Eventually, students can create their own fashions for themselves and their home. Participants must bring their own sewing machine, scissors, thread, bobbins, and large fabric scraps to the first class.

Fee for five classes is \$56.

Mayor William Phelan provided testimony in favor of Senate Bill #2160, the City's Home Rule Petition to create a "Neighborhood Stabilization Fund." Mayor Phelan's Director of Operations Dave Murphy provided Phelan's comments to the Joint Committee on Municipalities and Regional Government on Monday.

The Neighborhood Stabilization Fund could provide grants of \$400 to Quincy residents 62 years of age or

older, who have lived in their current properties for 20 years or more. The City Council further amended the Mayor's proposal to create a financial means test for eligibility and to allow for disabled residents to qualify.

"The Neighborhood Stabilization Fund would recognize the significant impact that these people have made on our city and its neighborhoods," said Mayor Phelan. "These are the people that may have formed our neigh-

borhood associations, parent-teacher organizations, youth sports leagues, and other community organizations and activities."

Added Phelan, "I want to thank Senator Michael Morrissey and our state representatives for their efforts in helping our city get this valuable piece of legislation passed. There are still some hurdles, but we will keep working to get this done and help our senior population."

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7 Deadly Mistakes That Will Cost You Thousands When You Sell Your Home

Quincy - A new report has just been released which reveals 7 costly mistakes that most homeowners make when selling their home, and a 9 Step System that can help you sell your home fast and for the most amount of money.

This industry report shows clearly how the traditional ways of selling homes have become increasingly less and less effective in today's market. The fact of the matter is that fully three quarters of homesellers don't get what they want for their home and become disillusioned and - worse - financially disadvantaged when they put their home on the market.

As this report uncovers, most homesellers make 7 deadly mistakes that will cost them literally thousands of dollars. The good news is that each and every one of these mistakes is entirely preventable.

In answer to this issue, industry insiders have prepared a free special report entitled "The 9 Step System to Get Your Home Sold Fast and For Top Dollar."

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Blood Drive At Morrisette Legion Post Sunday

The Morrisette Legion Post will hold a pancake breakfast and American Red Cross blood drive Sunday, April 29, from 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the post home, 81 Liberty St., West Quincy.

Appointments to donate may be scheduled by calling 1-800-0448-3543 or logging on to www.givelife.org. All blood types are needed, particularly Type O.

To be eligible you must be

17 or older, weight at least 110 pounds, be in general good health, have not been tattooed or pierced for the past year and have not donated whole blood in 58 days.

Sean Mullen On Berklee Dean's List

Berklee College of Music announces Sean Mullen of Quincy has earned Dean's List honors for the Fall Semester.

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students both the study and the practice of music. Its student body represents 70 countries and its alumni top names in the music industry for the past half century.

Erica Berg Completes Army Advanced Training

Army National Guard Pfc. Erica L. Berg has graduated from the Petroleum Supply Specialist Advanced

Individual Training course at Fort Lee, Petersburg, VA.

The course is designed to train students in receipt, storage, issue, shipping, and distribution of petroleum, oil and lubricant products used by the Army.

Training included instruction in petroleum and water accounting, operating equipment associated with fuels and water distribution; and fueling and defueling operations and procedures on vehicles, aircraft and stationary equipment.

Berg is the daughter of Stacy L. Preskenis of Brockton. The private is a 2006 graduate of Quincy High School.

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FOOT NOTES

by Joel Chariton, D.P.M.
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Diplomate, American Board of Podiatric Orthopedics

HEEL SPURS

Any medical term with the word "spur" in it sounds uncomfortable, especially if that spur is on the bottom of your foot. A heel spur is a bony growth on the bottom of the heel bone. It can produce pain when standing, walking, or putting any other kind of pressure on the heel. It is caused by calcium deposits made because tissue on the bottom of the foot pulls away from the heel. The condition is more common in people with flat feet and high arches, and women are more likely to suffer from it than men because of the types of shoes women tend to wear. Your podiatrist can recommend orthotics and/or surgery to alleviate discomfort from heel spurs.

When your feet cause you pain, there are many steps you can take to get relief. The

first, and probably most important, is a visit to your podiatrist. If heel spurs or other foot problems have got you down, let us show you how to do best—diagnose and treat the problem so you're back on your feet quickly and painlessly. Located at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING, we are currently accepting new patients for complete podiatric care in a friendly, comfortable atmosphere. Please call us at 781-896-3668 for an appointment. Office hours are also available at Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building, Suite 221. I am affiliated with the Brockton and Good Samaritan Hospitals.

HINT: Many people confuse heel spurs with plantar fasciitis.



QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: April 13 - 19

Total Calls for Service: 1,283

Total Arrests: 30

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 4

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

UNARMED ROBBERY, 5:08 a.m., 257 Centre St. On bike. Party on bike was robbed. Everyone okay. No EMS. black male, black jacket, heavy set.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:12 a.m., 3 Federal Ave. Mirror broken off party's car; caller also possibly assaulted. Left vehicle and returned to find window broken, no assault.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:35 a.m., DZ Motors, 245 Willard St. Business. Keys and equipment taken. Keys, fax and phones taken. No sign of forced entry.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 1:27 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Female who is a suspect in a past assault on an employee has now returned back to the store. Incident occurred about a month ago. Complaint for assault and battery.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:27 p.m., 14 Billings St. Dwelling. Nikon camera and Polaroid portable DVD player known missing.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 7:26 p.m., Malachy's Saloon, 51 Granite St. From a fall. Party transported to QMC by a friend. Bleeding ear.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:49 p.m., 86 Phipps St. Dwelling. Rear door forced open, window broken. Sony PlayStation II known missing.

SATURDAY, APRIL 14

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 12:05 a.m., 72 Nightingale Ave. Dwelling. Caller states bedroom window was smashed in; does not believe they got in.

LARCENY, 7:02 a.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Past. iPod and cellphone were taken from his bag; bag was in the break room.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:12 a.m., 55 Ocean St. Dwelling. Entered via the back door; pocketbook taken, report filed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:16 a.m., 115 Copeland St. Graffiti. Building was tagged, requesting officer.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:16 a.m., 123 Beach St. House egged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:16 a.m., 25 Germain Ave. Vehicle. Youths drinking and causing damage in area.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:48 a.m., 433 Quincy Shore Dr. Glass door. Unknown person smashed glass on front door of house. Unknown means.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11: a.m., 98 Phipps St. Damaged motor vehicle. One tire slashed, windshield wiper broke and mirror broke.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 12:09 p.m., 195 Burgin Parkway. Dwelling. Caller states a male tried to force his window open; left in a green GMC truck.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:15 p.m., 19 Elmwood Park. To vehicle. Keyed all around.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:12 p.m., 23 Germain Ave. To car. Graffiti was spraypainted on car over the last hour. CNC all was written down one side of vehicle. "CMC" was sprayed onto car.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:22 p.m., 285 Fayette St. Four tires slashed. Caller parked here last night and thinks the homeowner slashed her tires.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:58 p.m., 435 Granite St. Smashed window.

LARCENY, 5:56 p.m., Super Petroleum, 728 Southern Artery. Fake bill.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 8:44 p.m., 21 Woodward Ave. Citizen flagged down Patrolman S. Smith and states there was an SP male in the area possibly exposing himself.

LARCENY, 9:11 p.m., 91 Clay St. Cell phone. T-Mobile cell phone stolen at approximately 5:30 p.m. from above address.

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

LARCENY, 3:18 p.m., Wendy's Restaurant, 195 Newport Ave. Wallet. Caller reports she left her handbag on table and left. Then was called that it was found but minus pink leather accordion wallet containing license, three credit cards, mis. ID, \$3.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:04 p.m., Ninety-Fine Restaurant Pub, 59 Newport Ave. Motor vehicle. Passenger side window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:53 p.m., 73 Town Hill St. Window. Front window on the first floor and two on the second floor broken; second time in a week.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:02 p.m., 75 Town Hill St. Rock thrown through house window.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 7:31 p.m., 35 Brooks Ave. Past. Caller was attacked by another tenant in the building; thinks her jaw is broken. One to Quincy Medical Center. Cross complaints filed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:01 p.m., 27 Summer St. Dwelling.

MONDAY, APRIL 16

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 1:04 a.m., 109 Grandview Ave. Window. Break found.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:58 a.m., Lanoptix, 165

Beale St. Window. On arrival officer reports B&E discovered. No break here, keyholder on scene.

LARCENY, 11:23 a.m., 625 Willard St. Property and possibly a vehicle taken. Civil matter.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:10 p.m., 152 Main St. Motorcycle. 2006 Honda CBR 600, color black; missing from outside house.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:28 p.m., 121 Albatross Rd. Car tires. Caller states car was vandalized overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:13 p.m., 20 Langley Cir. Past. Caller states her tires were slashed.

LARCENY, 2:57 p.m., 98 Phipps St. Lawn ornaments. Small ornament taken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:01 p.m., 204 Washington St. Spray painted.

LARCENY, 4:25 p.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Pocketbook. See caller at customer service; larceny over \$250.

LARCENY, 5:45 p.m., 175 Centre St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:31 p.m., 75 Town Hill St. To window; house window smashed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:54 p.m., 109 Taffrail Rd. Past. Caller reports she just chased two males out of her home; got in through window cut screen. She was asleep; both ran. Dark colored hoodie approx. 5'8", deep voice, house was in darkness.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:20 a.m., 72 Taffrail Rd. Past.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 1:36 a.m., DB Tree Service, 35 Federal Ave. Pry marks.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:51 a.m., Tobin towers, 80 Clay St. 1995 Dodge Caravan, color green. Since 6 p.m. on April 16, keys were not in vehicle and the doors were locked.

LARCENY, 8:36 a.m., Squantum Gardens, 400 East Squantum St. Tools. Several boxes broken into.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:16 a.m., AH Company, 12 Old Colony Ave. To vehicle. Graffiti on side of wall.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:08 p.m., St. Ann's Tunnel, 55 St. Ann Rd. Graffiti.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:14 p.m., River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St. Motor vehicle damage. Passenger side rear dented; happened in past two weeks.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:25 p.m., 211 West Squantum St. Small holes to window.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:33 p.m., 1025 Hancock St. Motorcycle taken from the lot. 2006 Kawasaki Model 636, color black.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:54 p.m., Outback Steakhouse, 227 Parkway. Past. Window broken, nothing taken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:59 p.m., Beale St. and Milton St. In progress. Male kicking caller's motor vehicle. Male, grey hooded sweatshirt also with four other youths. No damage; two youths turned over to parents.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:32 p.m., 158 Quincy Shore Dr. Returned home.

ARMED ROBBERY, 11:06 p.m., Faxon Commons, 1071 Southern Artery. Just happened. Two black males, one wearing a white hooded sweatshirt, one wearing a black jacket; showed some type of handgun. One had a beard.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:12 a.m., Store 24, 230 Washington St. In the past. White motor vehicle was taken, \$500 of damage was done to vehicle. Wants to speak to an officer; she now has motor vehicle.

LARCENY, 12:41 p.m., 58 Scotch Pond Pl. Of tools. Had tools in a box behind house, broke open the box and took the tools.

LARCENY, 4:15 p.m., Scotch Pond Pl. Tools.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:56 p.m., 8 Captains Walk. Dwelling. Happened within the last half hour.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:32 a.m., Atlantic Middle School, 86 Hollis Ave. Tagging.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:06 p.m., Quincy District Court, 1 Dennis F. Ryan Parkway. Vehicle damage. Passenger side mirror broken, happened this morning between 9 a.m. and 12 noon.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:07 p.m., 73 Dale Ave. Smashed window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:09 p.m., 30 Ebbett Ave. Dwelling. Looks like the front door was damaged.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:33 p.m., 8 Captains Walk. Follow-up; serviced.

LARCENY, 5:37 p.m., 15 Bower Rd. Of goods. Jewelry.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:30 p.m., 469 Furnace Brook Parkway. Window smashed. Broken windshield.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:46 p.m., Blockbuster Video, 1630 Hancock St.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 11:28 p.m., Centre St. Just happened. White male, Pittsburgh shirt, black hat, blue jeans, white shoes, mustache. Took caller's pocketbook. Assaulted

her with an umbrella. Ran behind a house, happened about 10 minutes ago.

LARCENY, 8:36 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Pocketbook taken from shopping cart.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders book**, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us—Lt. Dan Minton

A Job Well Done

On Wednesday, April 18, Officers Michael King and Matt Hockney were dispatched to Walgreen's Pharmacy on Quincy Avenue on a call of "someone attempting to pass a bad prescription."

Dispatch informed the responding officers that the female suspect was wearing black jeans and a black leather jacket. Since the suspect was waiting for the prescription to be filled, Officer Hockney arrived on scene and conducted a scan of the parking lot. He noticed two people sitting in a vehicle and approached them.

The driver matched the suspect's description. Officer Hockney requested identification from the occupants and learned the passenger was the suspect's brother. The officers escorted the suspect back to the pharmacy to meet with the pharmacist.

The pharmacist told the officers the suspect had just been in the store and attempted to pass a prescription for Oxycodone. The pharmacist told the suspect she would have to wait for the prescription to be filled, then called the police.

The pharmacist told the officers he received a telephone call from a pharmacist at the Walgreen's in Weymouth, informing him that a woman had been in the Weymouth and Dorchester store attempting to use the bogus prescription. The pharmacist also said he called the doctor listed on the prescription and learned it was fraudulent.

The pharmacist then handed the officers the photocopy of the prescription that the suspected handed over to him. The suspect initially denied any involvement with the prescription, voluntarily stating she was diabetic and approached the pharmacist to ask him a question. After listening to the pharmacist's account of what occurred, the suspect revealed she was a drug addict and that she needs to go to a halfway house to take care of her problem. She then admitted to passing a false prescription.

The suspect, a 48-year-old Hull resident, was charged with "uttering a false instrument" and transported to the station for booking. Nice work!

According to Lt. Patrick Glynn of the Quincy Police Special Investigations Unit, Oxycodone is an outstanding medication utilized primarily for pain relief. The problem is it can also be highly addictive when not properly taken. It is becoming more common nationwide for individuals with substance abuse issues to commit crimes in order to support their dependency.

In addition to passing false prescriptions and purchasing drugs illegally on the streets, people have turned to stealing medications, whether it is from shopper's pocket books to family medicine cabinets. In this case, the suspect is facing four years in prison for passing the false prescription.

The suspect was desperate for the drugs in order to feed their habit, which can cost hundreds of dollars a day.

Everyone suffers from substance abuse issues — directly or indirectly — whether it is from collateral crimes, as a family member or as the abuser themselves.

Lt. Glynn stated the Quincy Police Drug Unit not only enforces narcotics laws, it also refers people for treatment for various programs.

If you know anyone who needs help with a drug problem, please contact the Drug Unit. Remember, as with any communication with the Drug Unit, you are not required to identify yourself.



LT. DAN MINTON



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Dollars and sense

by David Uffington

Learn How to Boost Your Credit Score

We all have so many numbers in our lives: Social Security number, driver's license number, phone numbers, lock combination at the gym, credit score and more. While they're all important, it's the credit score that allows (or limits) many of the financial steps we take.

"CreditBooster: Ultimate Guide to a Better Credit Score" (InCharge Education Foundation, \$19.95) is a book you'll want to read with a pencil in hand. "CreditBooster," in a very hands-on workbook format, will take you through every step of understanding and then improving your overall credit picture.

Whether you have a long credit history, are sinking in debt or are just starting out (or are newly married), you'll find help here:

- How your everyday actions, such as making one late payment, can impact your credit scores.

- How to read your credit reports, find any errors and communicate with the credit agencies to have those errors corrected. Have you ever found an error in your credit report and just left it there, taking the easy way out? Your credit could suffer if the information is incorrect. Still, dealing with the credit reporting agencies isn't always easy, but the book walks you through the easiest path to getting corrections made, and includes

sample letters.

- How the credit scores are calculated and what counts most in determining your credit score.

- How to build your credit back after a divorce or bankruptcy.

- Determining your debt inventory and assets.

- How long it will take to get out of debt — If you have a number of credit cards and are only making the minimum payments, you'll find step-by-step help for setting up a budget that will help you pare away those balances.

The importance of your credit score becomes apparent in an illustration from the book showing how your credit score impacts what your monthly mortgage could be. Someone with a credit score of 760 and a mortgage interest APR of 5.8 percent will have a monthly payment of \$1,275 on a \$216,000 loan. Drop that credit score down to 620 and you'll likely be hit with a 7.44 percent APR and a payment of \$1,502. That is, if you're given a loan. The lower your score, the more likely you'll be turned down.

David Uffington regrets that he cannot personally answer reader questions, but will incorporate them into his column whenever possible. Write to him in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475 or send e-mail to letters.kfws@hearstsc.com.

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Hints For Homeowners

Getting The Most Out Of Windows

(NAPS) — You wouldn't think of running your air conditioner or heat with your windows open, but that's essentially what you're doing if you neglect to replace your windows when they need it.

The good news is that new home windows can make your home greener by providing energy efficiency.

healthier by preventing water intrusion and mold, and safer if you consider impact-resistant products. Plus, a retrofit project provides one of the highest rates of return — up to 90 percent, according to some surveys.

The following tips can help you get the most out of your window replacement project:

- Consider your local climate, such as the number of heating and cooling days, average humidity and amount of sun exposure. Visit Efficient Windows Collaborative at efficientwindows.org to compare actual costs by

product and review available tax rebates. Ask your local power company about free inspections and information about rebates.

- Are you in an area susceptible to high winds such as hurricanes? Building codes require windows to meet certain performance criteria, depending on your location. Your local building department can be a resource for this information.

- Make this an opportunity to modify the look of your home. "WinGuard and non-impact PGT products are available in all shapes and sizes, such as circles, sunbursts and triangles," says window and door expert Debbie LaPinska of PGT Industries, manufacturer of custom windows and doors.

These three basic choices are products with wood, vinyl or aluminum frames. Vinyl units are most noted for thermal efficiency and durability, but require reinforcement upgrades in

areas susceptible to extreme winds. Aluminum frames, ideal for coastal areas, are known for structural strength and low cost, but require upgrades to make them energy efficient. Wood frames are thermally efficient but tend to be high maintenance. They are best suited for low-humidity environments.

"It's important to think long term when evaluating a window replacement project," explains LaPinska. "EnergyStar options and energy-efficient vinyl frames can qualify you for tax rebates

and reduce heating and cooling costs. In states where hurricanes are an issue, impact-resistant windows and doors, such as PGT WinGuard, can qualify homeowners for up to a 43 percent reduction in windstorm insurance.

Select reputable dealers and products and check references. Be wary of high-pressure telephone sales. You could end up with inferior products or pay too much. Visit pgtindustries.com or winguard.com for more information about replacing your windows and doors.

Patriots' Alexander Purchases Condo At Presidents Crossing

New England Patriots linebacker Eric Alexander recently purchased a condominium unit at Presidents Crossing Condominiums located at 87 Franklin St., Quincy Center.

Presidents Crossing is located adjacent to the John Adams and John Quincy Adams birthplaces, Quincy Adams MBTA Station and access to all major highways.

Michael Flavin of Flavin & Flavin Realty, representing the marketing of Presidents Crossing, said Alexander was attracted to the features of the condominium has to offer such as extra large units, quality upgrades like jacuzzi, oak floors, state-of-the-art kitchens, wine coolers, high

ceilings and architectural lighting along with garage and ample parking.

The developer, Thomas Fitzgerald of Braintree, has built many developments that attract young professionals of all types.

Alexander, who wears number 52 for the Pats, says he's very happy with his unit and his decision to live in Quincy.

According to Flavin, Presidents Crossing is a 26-unit building with 70 percent of the units sold or under agreement.

Flavin & Flavin Realty invites the public for previewing available units Sundays from 1 to 3 p.m., or private appointment by calling 617-479-1000.

Alexander was born in Tyler, Texas, attended Stephen F. Austin High School and played college football for LSU where he was a member of the National Honor Society.

The linebacker signed with the Patriots in 2004.

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Katie Brown Saves Time But Gets The Cleaning Job Done

Home Style Expert's Spring Cleaning Tips To Save Time

(NAPS) – Let's face it, while many of us love a tidy home, actually cleaning the house can be dreaded chore that's all too easy to put off. After all, with so many other things on our to-do lists these days, there just aren't enough hours in the day to get everything done.

In fact, according to a recent survey of American households conducted by New Best Ever Bounty paper towels and Synovate, Inc., more than 68 percent of Americans feel they just don't have enough time to keep their homes as clean as they would like.

To help Americans make cleaning less time consuming, Katie Brown, often hailed as "the doyenne of domesticity for Generation X" has created tips and tricks to get your home in tip-top shape. A home-style expert, Brown believes her tips can actually make cleaning fun.

"For many of us, cleaning seems like such a hassle," says Brown. "Believe it or not, there are ways to make this dreaded task more enjoyable. An easy way to stay ahead of the learning

curve is to use the tools that instantly help you to be more efficient and effective."

Brown says one of her all-time favorite timesaving tips is to get the whole family involved with spring-cleaning and get the job done even quicker. "The beauty of having everyone help clean your home is that the job will be done much faster and more efficiently," says Brown. "And talk about efficiency, here's a little secret you may not know: One sheet of Bounty keeps working through multiple spring cleaning tasks—just rinse, wring, reopen and then toss in the garbage when you're done. No more cleanup after your cleanup!"

Bounty's clothlike durability and thick quilts make it an ideal partner for cleaning. It can be used for the full gamut of cleaning inside and outside, from attic to basement and kitchen to garage. Whether it's cleaning patio furniture, wiping down blinds or making the stove sparkle, one sheet of Bounty will keep working—until the job is done.

A novel way to make

cleaning fun, says Brown, is to put on a favorite soundtrack while cleaning and "sing'n clean!" Or make a contest to see who can help clean the most with one sheet of Bounty.

Brown also offers these quick tips to help take the chore out of cleaning:

- Clean your home the most effective and efficient

way and then celebrate the outcome!

- Dress in your favorite, comfy "cleaning uniform."
- Have snacks and refreshments ready for you and your little helpers—everyone can us an energy boost!
- When you are finished cleaning, give yourself a little reward.

Speaking of ways to take the dread out of chores, to encourage people to tackle cleaning with enthusiasm and make the most of tidying time, Bounty and Katie Brown have teamed up for the One Sheet Challenge. Log on to OneSheetChallenge.com and share your story of using one sheet of Bounty to tackle a tough task in your home for a

chance to win a complete kitchen makeover, a shopping spree of energy-efficient appliances or a year's supply of New Best Ever Bounty. The One Sheet Challenge runs now through June 30, 2007. Winners will be announced on

OneSheetChallenge.com and notified by mail.

For more of Brown's fun secrets for cleaning with Bounty and details on the contest, log on to onesheetchallenge.com, or quickerpickerupper.com.

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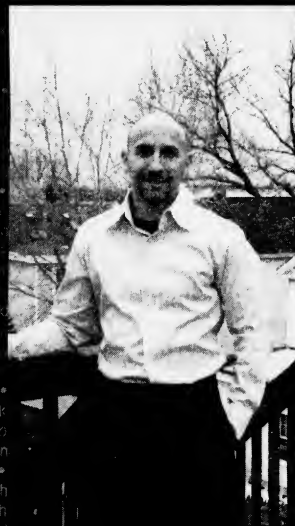
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by David

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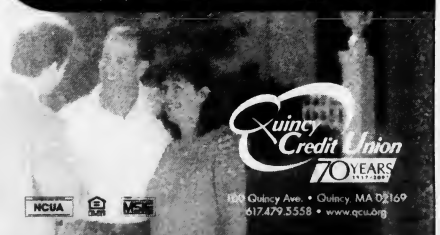
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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Q. I am 35 pounds overweight and inactive. I know I need to lose weight and have just joined a fitness club. I have never belonged to a fitness club before, and I'm not quite sure how to get started? I have the motivation to start, but I am not sure what to do first.

A. Congratulations on your decision to make your health a priority. Joining a fitness club can offer many resources to help you on your fitness journey. How you use your club membership after enrollment can determine the strides you make toward your fitness goals.

Entering a fitness center for the first time can make you feel uneasy. Not being sure of what to do or how to do it can sabotage your desire to get fit. First, take advantage of any initial sessions offered to you to meet with a fitness professional. Most fitness clubs will offer one to three sessions with a fitness team member to help you feel comfortable in the club, introduce you to equipment and classes available, and to show you a safe and basic exercise routine. This can make your transition easier.

Before the fitness team member, who should be a certified personal trainer, designs a program for you, he or she will discuss your past exercise and medical history. Your instructor should also ask that before beginning an exercise program, you speak with your physician about any medical conditions and obtain clearance to participate in all forms of exercise. If you are given any restrictions or guidelines to follow,

be sure to mention them to your trainer.

If your facility does not offer introductory sessions with a fitness professional hiring a certified personal trainer can be a great investment. Not only can the trainer help you develop a goal-oriented and effective training program, but he or she will also make sure your program is safe. Providing motivation and accountability is another great reason to hire a personal trainer.

Try different classes and programs that might seem fun. Go early and ask the instructors about the structure of the class. Explain that you are new and will need them to keep an eye on you. Don't be afraid to ask questions; they are there to help.

In order to get the best out of any fitness facility you must USE its resources and programs. The best gym in the world cannot help you if you do not take the steps to walk inside and begin to work. Your success will depend greatly on how comfortable you feel in the fitness club.

If you are confused by equipment, indifferent with your exercise program structure or uneasy about the overall environment of the club, you will find reasons why you shouldn't go. Secure your success by finding something you enjoy and get started.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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A Dose of Prevention To Safeguard Kids

(NAPS) – Recent studies point to a new substance abuse trend among teens: taking excessively high doses of over-the-counter cough medicines containing dextromethorphan to get high.

While cough medicine abuse is no secret to kids—in fact, a survey by the Partnership for a Drug-Free America found that one out of 10 teens, or 2.4 million kids, reported taking cough medicines to get high—parents are largely unaware of the problem. And of the dangers.

When used properly, cough medicines that contain dextromethorphan have a 50-year history of being safe and effective. But when taken at 25 to 50 times the recommended dose,

dextromethorphan can produce a hallucinogenic effect, as well as heart problems, high blood pressure, loss of consciousness and seizures. The dangers multiply when abused with prescription drugs and alcohol.

"Parents need to be aware of this new trend in teenage drug abuse," said Linda Suydam, President of the Consumer Healthcare Products Association (CHPA), which represents the makers of over-the-counter cough remedies. "We believe strongly in the power of education and are committed to raising awareness about medicine abuse and giving parents and other key influencers in teens' lives the information they need

to stop this preventable problem."

To help educate parents and give them tools to help curb such medicine abuse, CHPA and the Community Ant-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA) created a toolkit for communities across the country. A Dose of Prevention is designed to empower parents and other adults by providing statistics, outreach materials and event-planning ideas to help them educate others in their communities about the problem. You can learn about the toolkit at www.DOSEOFPREVENTION.org.

CHPA's Suydam offered the following tips to help parents combat teen cough medicine abuse:

1. Educate yourself about the problem and know the

warning signs.

2. Talk to your teens about all types of drug abuse, including cough medicine abuse.

3. Safeguard your medicine cabinet; know what medicines you have and how many.

4. Monitor your teens' Internet use, as the Internet is a significant source of dangerous information that instructs kids how to get high.

5. Seek professional help if you think your child has a substance abuse problem.

"Leading substance abuse experts tell us that teens who talk about drugs with their parents are half as likely to use drugs," Suydam said. "This is a great incentive for parents to take an active role in talking with their teens about the problem."

Manet Health Center Helps Establish 'Road To Fitness'

Manet Community Health Center in collaboration with the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation has established the "Road to Fitness" along Quincy Shore Drive at Wollaston Beach.

On Monday, April 23, the mile-marker sponsors joined the MA Department of Conservation and Recreation and Manet Community Health Center for the official unveiling of the "Road to Fitness" on Quincy Shore Drive.

Sponsors and participants included: Congressman William Delahunt's office; Arabella Insurance; Quincy Medical Center; Fallon Ambulance; Doug Gutro, City Council president; Alicia Gardner; Elizabeth Caddigan, Director of

Nursing, QMC; Friends of Wollaston Beach; South Shore Y.M.C.A. and Ralph Yohe, president Telephone Worker's Credit Union and owner Tony Clam Shop.

Mileage markers have been placed an eighth of a mile apart running parallel along the ocean seawall as an incentive for walkers and runners alike to challenge themselves on their personal health and fitness program. The 12-inch by 20-inch granite markers will be permanently embedded in the newly installed sidewalk for two miles.

For more information, contact Lyn Dionne, Director of Development at Manet Community Health Center, or Cynthia Sierra, Director of Community Development at (617) 376-3030, ext. 253.

Red Cross CPR, First Aid Courses May 2-16

The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses May 2-16 at its South Area office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

Adult CPR/AED: May 2 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: May 5 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: May 7 and May 14 (two sessions) from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year

and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

Infant & Child CPR & First Aid: May 10 and May 17 (two sessions) from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. This course teaches rescue breathing, choking and CPR for children under eight years of age. Also, bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Adult CPR/AED: May 11 from 1-5:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Adult CPR/AED: May 15 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

First Aid: May 16 from 6-10 p.m. Cost is \$50. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking, poisoning and other first aid emergencies.

Registrations are being accepted for a daytime Home Health Aid and Certified Nursing Assistant evening course starting May 7th and a daytime course starting May 29th. Cost is \$800.

The American Red Cross will train qualified applicants to become certified classroom instructors in CPR and First Aid. Classes will be offered at our convenient Quincy location. If you have a few hours a week, you can't learn how to teach others in your community to save a life. For more information call our Quincy office, (617) 770-2600.

Preregistration is required for all courses. Call (617) 770-2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for more information.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustlin, D.M.D.

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SPORTS

Pitching, Confidence Keys For Re-Tooling Quincy

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy girls' softball team is young and will undoubtedly have to push through some growing pains this spring. But head coach Mike Sedar looks at the big picture and sees a team that may struggle early, but in the long run should benefit from the trials and tribulations they are bound to face this season.

"We are retooling this season," Sedar said last week. "But we are *not* rebuilding. We lost six starters (all pitching) from last year's team and this year we returned only four starters from a year ago. I have a very young team with five freshmen and two sophomores, but we have begun to build confidence and I am working on getting everyone comfortable with their roles on this year's team."

As is the case with every softball team, either high school, college or at the professional level, pitching is a key to a successful team. Quincy is in the process of finding that starting pitcher

SOFTBALL

who can carry the team and dominate opponents.

"We need our pitching to develop," Sedar said. "Thusfar we are 0-2 on the season, but once our starting pitching develops and learns how to pitch, we should improve dramatically. Our offense and defense is solid, but unless we can get good pitching, this year could be more of a learning stage for us."

The Presidents will rely on the continued all-league play of senior catcher Brigid Kyle to help guide their young team. Kyle, who has already committed to play softball at Framingham State College next year, returns to her position as team leader and field general.

"Brigid is by far the best catcher in the Atlantic Coast League," Sedar boasted. "She is already committed to play at the collegiate level and should bring some stability to our team behind the plate. I expect her to help develop

our young pitching staff and I think she will do just that."

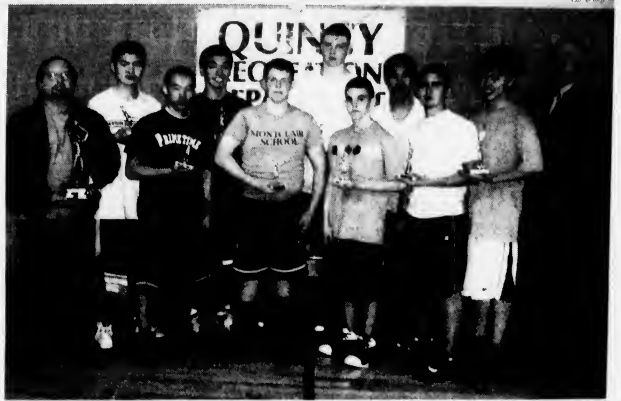
Junior Marybeth Torpey returns this season at the shortstop position. Torpey is an all-around softball player who contributes on offense and defense with the best players in the area.

"Marybeth is as clean a ballplayer and shortstop as I have ever had here at Quincy," Sedar said. "She is a joy to coach and is only going to get better this year and next."

Other players to watch out for this spring include sophomore Alyson Mullen (1B), freshman Kylie Koslowski (2B), freshman Olivia Barry (3B), freshman Eryn Curran (LF), junior Lisa Lam (CF), senior Katie O'Neil, freshman Julia Yee, Amy Anderson, Katie Conso, Jeanelle Driscoll, Mary Spargo and Kerri Ryan.

"Like I said before, we are very young, but it lines us up to get better this year and be very good for the next five years," Sedar said. "Our future is bright. One thing I

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MEMEBERS OF THE 2007 Montclair championship team receive their trophies from Recreation Department Director Barry J. Welch after their 34-27 victory over Merrymount in the George Dunn Basketball Tournament. Front row from the left; Coach Dean Zoia, Adam Huang, Anthony DiPalmo, Mike Pearson, Christian Arrendondo and Andy Ng. Back row from the left; Cheng Zeng, Simon Heung, Dave Hennessey, Raymond Fang and Barry Welch. Anthony Pastore is missing from the photo.

Montclair Wins Dunn Basketball Tournament

The annual high school-aged, citywide basketball tournament, known as the George Dunn Basketball Tournament, was won by Montclair Gym, 34-27, over Merrymount Gym.

Dean Zoia, supervisor for the Montclair Gym for the past 25 years, was the coach of the winning squad.

In the championship game, Montclair and Zoia hung-on to defeat Merrymount in a well-played game that was

not decided until the final minutes of regulation. Montclair managed to pull out the win even after losing one of its top scorers, Anthony Pastore, to an ankle injury that sent him to Quincy Medical Center for treatment.

Playing well for Montclair were Dave Hennessey who stepped up big with 10 of his 12 points in the second half; Cheng Zeng (8 points); Andy Ng (4 points); Anthony DiPalmo (3 points);

Raymond Fang (2 points) and Simon Heung (1 point). Zoia cited Adam Heung for his tough man-to-man defense.

Merrymount, coached by Corey Awed and assisted by Paul Carson, showed solid balance on the scoring front in a losing effort. Adam Vranic had seven points in the first half and finished the game with a team-high nine points; Jon Mullin (7 points); Enis Liagami (6 points);

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QUINCY YOUTH SOCCER FALL 2007 REGISTRATION

DATE: APRIL 28TH, 2007

TIME: 10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.

PLACE: BROADMEADOWS SCHOOL

COST:

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MEMBERS OF THE MERRY MOUNT Gym team receive their finalist medals from Recreation Director Barry J. Welch. Front row from the left: Jon Mullen, Steven Le, Chris Mariano, David Swanton and Coach Corey Awed. Back row from the left: Coach Paul Carson, Diego Arrendondo, James Mullen, Enis Lagami, Adin Vranic and Barry Welch.

Montclair Wins Dunn Tourney

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Steve Lo (3 points) and Diego Arrendondo (2 points) rounded out the scoring for Merry Mount.

David Swanton, Chris Mariano and James Mullen all contributed with solid rebounding and strong zone defense.

Merry Mount had advanced to the championship game with a close 33-31 victory over Snug Harbor in the semi-finals of the single elimination tournament.

In that semi-final game, Snug Harbor was led by Pat Dean's 22 points, Jordan Blair's seven points and Gerald Nelson's two points. The Matt Lavery coached team received good play from Mark Kellham, Thomas Speed, Keenan Pinckney and Ausei Leusi.

In the other semi-final game, Montclair defeated a young Atlantic Gym team coached by Paul Griffith, 51-26. Lee Ng led Atlantic with 16 points; Huang Lu scored

six points and Julius Balayo and Jerson Samson each scored two points. Tim Tran led the team in assists and rebounds.

In a first-round game, Snug Harbor knocked off Sterling Gym 35-33 despite J.J. Barros tossing up three second-half three-pointers on his way to a team high 11 points. Also scoring for Sterlig were Kevin Smith (7 points), Darnell White (5 points) and Victor Otodesell (4 points). Mike Curtin coached the team.

Montclair also defeated a strong Point Webster team coached by tournament veteran Jonathan Brilo and first-year leader Vincent Pastore. Richie Shea led Point Webster with eight points and Atikel Passley finished with five points. Also playing well for Point Webster were Rasheen Walker, Nino Martins, Aaron Cook, Tim Sullivan, Steve McNally and Glenn Henry.

The tournament marks the conclusion of the Quincy Recreation Department's

winter gym program. The City Championship has been conducted for more than 40 years and in the high school division, players cannot have played on a varsity basketball team.

The tournament winner (this year it was Montclair Gym) receives the George Dunn Trophy, named for George Dunn a much-admired member of the Recreation Department's winter staff who passed away after his courageous battle with cancer.

The award has been in his name since 1998. In presenting the award, Recreation Director Barry J. Welch noted that Dean Zoia has worked alongside Dunn for many years, and both helped in shaping the participants in solid fundamentals of sportsmanship and winning the right way.

"It is fitting that Dean Zoia have his name engraved on the perpetual trophy that remains on display at the Recreation Office."

Welch presented the certificates to the finalist (Merry Mount Gym) and the individual trophies to all members of the Montclair Gym championship team.

Dan Sweeney New Manager Of Quincy Legion Baseball

Dan Sweeney of Milton takes the helm of Post 95's Legion baseball team for 2007. Sweeney is a 2003 graduate of Milton High School and he played for Quincy Legion in 2004. Sweeney also played two years of college baseball at Curry College.

Sweeney currently attends Nichols College where he is a regular on the varsity baseball team.

Quincy Legion Post 95 Athletic Officer Lenny Seitz is thrilled with the hiring of Sweeney:

"(Dan's) ability to instruct aspiring ballplayers in acquiring and developing solid baseball fundamentals, mechanics and techniques made him a leading candidate in 95's search for the right man to lead our team," Seitz said. "His passion for the game, work ethic and desire to excel was acknowledged by Post 95 when he was



DAN SWEENEY

named 'Mr. Baseball.' This was the first and only time that award was given to any Post 95 player. His knowledge of the infield will be a great assistance in 95's development of promising candidates competing for those vacated positions."

Andy McAllister of Quincy is slated to assume the role of coach of Post 95 and will assist Sweeney in that capacity. McAllister graduated from North Quincy High School in 2004 where he captained the NQHS baseball team.

McAllister and Sweeney were teammates on the 2004 Quincy Legion team.

"Andy and Dan offer our players a solid working knowledge of baseball fundamentals," Seitz added. "Their work ethic, respect for the game and all out approach is totally focused on teaching and instructing players on solid baseball fundamentals, techniques and strategy. To Dan, this is not a volunteer position; it is part of his life's ambitions. His successes and track record with 95 will have a determining effect on his advancement in this field for years to come. He is motivated and more than ready to share his experience, knowledge and abilities in baseball to promote player development. His educational and baseball experiences make Dan an excellent source to be called upon for aspiring college athletes."

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always do is scheduling a tough set of games to let me see where we are at each year. It helps with our development and experience."

Barry Nedham and Ron Barden round out the Quincy coaching staff and according to Sedar both are major contributors to the team.

"Barry Nedham is our pitching coach and has been

a big part of our success in the past and will be in the future," Sedar said. "Barry is going to be a part of helping to develop our young pitching staff. Ron Barden is the assistant varsity coach. He has been unbelievable in helping get our team ready for the season."

Quincy played on Monday against Atlantic Coast League foe Plymouth North

High School and yesterday (Wed.) the team played against ACL member Whitman-Hanson High School. Their next game is today (Thurs.) on the road against Plymouth South High School.

Their next home game is scheduled for May 2 at 4 p.m. versus North Quincy High School at Mitchell/McCoy Field.

Cerebral Palsy Benefit Golf Tournament At Pinehills May 31

Cerebral Palsy of Massachusetts will hold its 8th Annual Golf Classic at the Pinehills Golf Club, 54 Clubhouse Drive, Plymouth,

MA on Thursday, May 31, from 10:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The schedule for the day includes a 10:30 a.m. Registration and a 12:30 p.m.

Shotgun start. There will be a Cocktail Reception at 5:30 p.m. and a 6:30 p.m. Dinner, Raffle, Auction and Awards Reception.

The cost of the event is \$175 per golfer-which includes 18 holes of golf, gift, box lunch and dinner). There are also sponsorship opportunities for golfers and non-players available. Sponsorship registration is required by May 10.

For more information or to register by mail, contact Ann DiMaggio, Cerebral Palsy of Massachusetts, 43 Old Colony Ave., Quincy, MA 02170, or by calling (617) 479-7443, ext. 203. For additional information visit their website at www.masscp.org.

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Youth Soccer Highlights

In Under-10 North youth soccer action this past weekend, Harbor Point defeated Skoler Orthodontics 4-1 behind four goals from Emily Hatfield. Anna Kiley chipped in with two assists and Rachel Lunny, Kayla McGauhey and Emily Jones all play well.

Jackie Doody scored the lone goal for Skoler Orthodontics, while Annie Doherty and Haleigh Santilli showed good hustle on the field.

In other action, Quincy Granite beat the Celtics 2-0 behind two goals from Hannah Donovan. Also playing well for Quincy Granite were Megan Bouzan and Rachel Gillespie.

Karsten was victorious over U-Rent It Tools by a final score of 2-0. Julia Donovan scored the first goal and Skyla Shaheen scored the second goal. Mary Kate Lynch played well for U-Rent It Tools.

On April 22 in U-8 Girls North soccer action a number of players played well in their respective games.

Joelle Robinson, Michelle Carroll and Sophia Baldino all played well for Colonial Federal, while Sarah O'Donovan, Naomie Kane and Samantha Smith played well for Creeds Crossing.

For Quincy Credit Union, Colleen Stravin, Allison Carey and Meghan Greene shined on the pitch and LG Henley received great play from Nicole Deady, Jillian

Hallisey and Alaina Villarreal.

Mantis Florist got solid play from Eryn McCarthy, Abigail Koch and Meghan Forde.

In U-8 Girls South action, Kelly Phelan, Sarah Clancy and Ciara Viscione played well for Spillane Law.

The Quincy Lodge of Elks received great efforts from Casey Kelliher, Rachel McManus and Ashley McManus.

The Raymondi Club's Anna Scolaro and Caroline Hannon stood out in their game, while Lauren Critelli, Grace Kelliher and Stephanie Meinick played well for Reggie's Oil.

In the one U-12 game reported, the Lightning defeated the Vikings by a score of 6-3. Patrick Donaghey scored three goals for the Vikings and Colleen Andrews has two assists. Eileen Skudris (1 assist) and Sienna Bonfignoli both played well.

Presidents Golf Course in Quincy held a Ladies Association Opening Day Golf Tournament-Florida Style this past weekend.

The tournament was held in the format of four player teams and the following are the results of the weekend:

The team of Barbara Quinn, Ruthie Jacobson, Christine McGarth and Barbara Webber finished in first place with a round of 62;

Danielle Thibeault's Marathon Run Benefits Baby Giovanni Guglielmo

By SEAN BRENNAN

A few weeks back in the March 15th edition, *The Quincy Sun* ran a story about Quincy resident Danielle Thibeault and her fundraising efforts for Baby Giovanni Guglielmo—a baby boy in dire need of a bone marrow transplant.

Thibeault's fundraising efforts culminated with her running in the 111th Boston Marathon on Patriot's Day in Giovanni's name. The major fundraising event for Thibeault and her cause was a benefit dinner that was held at the Sons of Italy in Quincy on March 30. Between the benefit dinner and numerous contributions to her website, Thibeault raised over \$5,000 for this important cause.

"The benefit went very well," Thibeault said this week via email. "All in all, between that and the website donations I raised a little over



QUINCY RESIDENT DANIELLE THIBEAULT (pictured here with Baby Giovanni) helped raise more than \$5,000 in support of Giovanni Guglielmo—a baby boy in dire need of a bone marrow transplant. Thibeault held a benefit dinner on March 30 and ran the 111th Boston Marathon in support of a cure.

\$5,000, and we also added 17 more bone marrow donors to the registry. To date, Michael and Christina Guglielmo-Giovanni's

parents have added 6,855 donors to the registry since January."

At the benefit dinner, Giovanni's parents presented Thibeault with a Cannondale bicycle to help her to train for an upcoming triathlon she will be participating in at the end of the summer. Once again, she will be competing in Baby Giovanni's name.

"I will be competing in the triathlon in August," she added. "But the Boston marathon went very well. I finished in a time of 4:13:05 and had a few spectators with Giovanni signs along the course to help keep me motivated. The weather was actually perfect for the run, a

little wet in the beginning, but by Ashland it was beautiful for running."

Thibeault would not have been able to raise awareness for Baby Giovanni and bone marrow disease without the help of many local businesses and contributions from friends, neighbors and everyone else who contributed to the cause.

"Some of the sponsors I would like to thank include Sean Hannon and the Outback Steakhouse for catering the benefit dinner," Thibeault said. "I would also like to thank Allure Spa; Gennaro's Eatery; Alba Restaurant; Nick's Pizza; O'Donnell's (Randolph); Reggie's Oil; Lander's Jeweler; F1 Boston (Braintree); Sun's Up Tanning Salon and the Quincy Athletic Club."

"I would also like to give a special thanks to my 'committee', Marie and Lauren Lumaghini and Katie O'Donnell," Thibeault said.

If any resident or local business would like to donate to the cause or help support Thibeault in her fundraising efforts for her August triathlon, you can contact her at (617) 529-5169 or reach her by email at dtbibeault9@hotmail.com.

To learn more about Giovanni or to become a bone marrow donor, visit www.helpgiovanniguglielmo.org.

Presidents Ladies Golf Opens

Presidents Golf Course in Quincy held a Ladies Association Opening Day Golf Tournament-Florida Style this past weekend.

The tournament was held in the format of four player teams and the following are the results of the weekend:

The team of Barbara Quinn, Ruthie Jacobson, Christine McGarth and Barbara Webber finished in first place with a round of 62;

Melanie Curtin, Susan Neff, Deb McHugh and Dolly Shea took second place with a round of 63; Keri Pratt, Jeanne Kennedy, Barbara Robertson and Helen McCarthy finished third with a round of 65; Patti Buck, Mal Nestor, Marion Tholander and Maureen Janik took fourth with a score of 67; Mary Vonnreyman, Moya Baldwin, Karen Lyons and Dot Vekos finished fifth

with a round of 68; Marian Conroy, Caryn Condon, Mary Provenzano and Bev Brine finished sixth with a round of 69 and Kim McDowell, Janice Morin, Diane Burke and Ellie Welch finished in seventh place with a combined round of 69.

Judy Mills "aced" the par-37th Hole. Playing with Mills was Rita Minton, Gail Keefe and Ann Noble.

SPRING CAR CARE



Keeping Your Car In Tip-Top Shape

The American Society of Appraisers suggests 10 steps consumers can take to enhance the value of their vehicle.

1. Keep it clean. Not only will you feel better about the car, but you will likely reap the rewards at trade-in time or when you sell. Have your car professionally detailed before you attempt to sell it.

2. Maintain your car. Find the manufacturer specifications in the owner's guide (that book in your glove box).

3. Go synthetic. When you do get that oil change, consider one of the well-known synthetic oils on the market. Synthetic oil is made so that all molecules are the same size; increasing flow and decreasing wear.

4. Fix what brakes. Little problems become big problems if ignored—get them fixed.

5. Fix those paint chips. Little paint chips grow into big paint chips; fix them before they grow.

6. Wax on, wax off.

Find a high-quality paste wax and spend the afternoon getting to know the nooks and crannies of your car. Wax your car at least once a year.

7. Get a yearly physical. Have a reputable mechanic do the inspection.

8. Park and walk. Don't grab the first space you see. Instead, park further

away and walk the short distance. You'll reduce the chance for door dings or being a target of the "park-by-touch" crowd.

9. Don't be cheap. Use parts that are approved by the manufacturer or come from a source you trust.

10. Keep records. Keep

a simple file of all of your bills, receipts, recall notices, e-mails and letters about your vehicle. Future buyers will thank you.

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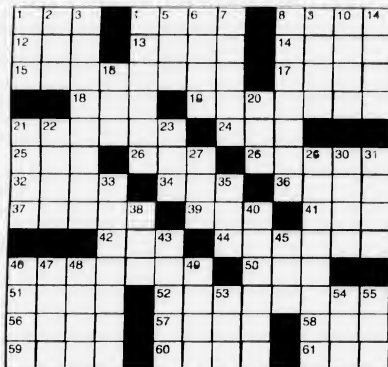
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SUN FUN PAGE

King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- Urban carrier
 - Billions and billions
 - Toil
 - Numerical prefix
 - Hodgepodge
 - "Hi, sailor"
 - Teddy's cudgel?
 - Streamlet
 - Have a bug
 - Peeper's place
 - Stylish
 - Sheltered side
 - Dadaist artist
 - Deviate off course
 - Wealthy person
 - Chip's partner
 - Chart
 - Tragic
 - Not merely plump
 - Poorly lit
 - Obtain
 - Garfield, e.g.
 - Compassion
 - Kitchen cloth
- DOWN**
- Letters From — Jima
 - Skilled
 - Bean speller
 - Remark from
 - 42-Across
 - Shawm
 - The Red or the Black
 - Divorce court figures
 - Peruse
 - Chow down
 - Newsroom newbie
 - Blackbird
 - New York City
 - Multicolored
 - Foreman rival
 - Shaving mishap
 - Hayseed
 - Missile section
 - Columbus' place
 - List of members
 - Rote of football fame
 - Try the Tokay
 - Longing
 - Pedestal part
 - Bedouin
 - Aries
 - Bankroll
 - Jail
 - Hydrox
 - look-alike
 - OTB
 - transactions
 - Shuns
 - "Great Expectations" lad
 - Listener
 - Injured severely
 - Small drum
 - Pair
 - Knighted woman
 - Mountain goat
 - gin fizz
 - Scoff
 - long way
 - Afternoon social
 - Bella Abzug trademark



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MAGIC MAZE

MOST USED WORDS IN COUNTRY AND WESTERN SONG TITLES

Q C Y U Q N J F C Y V R O L H
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Q N K H E O E B Y W T R O L J
E G W E E U B Y W U R P N K I
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K I O B M T R A E H G E C A Y
W U S S H A T R Q S P N L J H
F E C G E I N I E A E Y X V U
S Q I F P N U S L V N M K J H
F N I E R U O Y O C E B Z Y X
V L Y Z A R C L U T T N O D R

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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| Blues | Life | Man | Roses |
| Country | Little | Mountain | Woman |
| Crazy | Lonesome | Never | Your |
| Don't | Love | Night | |

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- MOVIES:** Who won the Best Actor Academy Award for his role in "Forrest Gump"?
 - TELEVISION:** On what show did the Coneheads get their start?
 - FOOD & DRINK:** What is a cauliflower's true origin?
 - ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What type of creature is a bandicoot?
 - GEOGRAPHY:** On which continent is the country of Gabon located?
 - ENTERTAINERS:** Which entertainer's real name was Muzzy Yakhoo?
 - GEOLOGY:** What is the chief ore in aluminum?
 - TECHNOLOGY:** What does a baud measure?
 - MEDICINE:** Who discovered that yellow fever was carried by mosquitoes?
 - GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** On which river is Victoria Falls located?
- Answers**
1. Tom Hanks
 2. "Saturday Night Live"
 3. It is a type of cultivated cabbage
 4. Marsupial
 5. Africa
 6. Danny Thomas
 7. Bauxite
 8. Transmission of digital data
 9. Walter Reed
 10. Zambezi River
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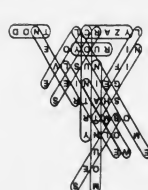
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Answers



Solution time: 25 mins.

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A sudden change of plans could lead to a misunderstanding with a friend or family member. Be ready to offer a full explanation of your decision. A past favor is returned.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Expect pressure from those who want you to change your position on a matter of importance. However, the determined Bovine will be able to withstand the bullying and win out.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) It's time to stop dwelling on past disappointments and move on to other possibilities. By week's end, you'll be meeting new people and making new plans for the future.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A long-simmering situation between co-workers threatens to heat up and could create problems with your work schedule. Best advice: Consult a supervisor on how to proceed.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You might have just learned that someone close to you is keeping a secret. And, of course, the Cat's curiosity has gone into overdrive. But be patient. All is revealed soon enough.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Don't give up. The recognition citing the good work you recently did will come through. Meanwhile, an opportunity opens up that can lead to a lot of traveling later on.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A financial crunch eases, but it's still a good idea to keep a tight rein on what you spend for nonessentials. Education becomes a major focus as the week winds down.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Recent encounters with stressful situations could require some restorative measures to get your energy levels back up. Talk to your doctor about a diet and exercise program.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) New connections follow changes on the job or in your personal life. But keep your feelings reined in until these relationships have a chance to develop.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Pay more attention to your aches and pains, and avoid self-diagnoses. Seek professional advice to make sure these problems won't lead to something more serious.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You love doing research and learning new things, so you'll be happy to know that education becomes a big part of your life at this time, and for some time to come.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your Piscean penchant for doing things logically could be challenged by an equally strong emotional reaction to a new situation. Best advice: Keep the two factors in balance.

BORN THIS WEEK: You love music and nature. You would be an excellent environmentalist, as well as a fine singer or musician.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Door is added. 2. Balloon is added. 3. Girl's sweater is different. 4. Boy is missing. 5. Cake is added. 6. Gift box is different.

RELIGION

Dr. Gary Gibbons Guest Sunday At Good Shepherd Church Service

Dr. Gary Gibbons, president and CEO of Quincy Medical Center, will be a guest during the 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship of the congregation at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 308 West Squantum St., North Quincy.

Dr. Gibbons will share his vision of how the Quincy Medical Center is becoming a proactive advocate in the community for health and wholeness. He will be available after the service for conversation during a fellowship hour hosted by the congregation.

tion.

Dr. Gibbons joined QMC in 2000 and was named chief of surgery in 2004. In September, 2005 he was appointed president and CEO after serving briefly as interim president and CEO.

As president and CEO, Dr. Gibbons has taken a leadership role in many community development programs in the City of Quincy. He serves on the board of directors for the South Shore Chamber of Commerce and the Quincy 2000 Corporation.

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In addition, Dr. Gibbons serves on the Board of Advisors of the Quincy Public School System's Community Partnership Program. In 2006, he received the Partnership Appreciation Award for the Quincy Public School System for his contributions and advocacy on behalf of the school system.

For more information, contact Pastor Nathan Phipps at the church office of Good Shepherd at 617-328-8348.

Spiritual Program for Women In May

A five-week spiritual program for women in recovery will be held each Wednesday evening in May from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Maria Droste Services, 1354 Hancock St., Quincy.

Sr. Kathy Short, CSI, will be the facilitator of the program.

camp entitled "Chaos to Grace." The weekly fee will range from \$10 to \$30 for participants.

"Recovery is the discovery of your true self, one glorious step at a time," is the motto of the program.

This group program, "Chaos to Grace" will focus on relaxation, sharing, meditation and body exercises. Interested persons may contact the center at 617-471-5686 for additional information.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The adult bible study class begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F. Jarek-Glidden will conduct

the service. Ushers will be Dottie Hahn and Joan Honig. The coffee hour hosts are Annie Giger, Florence Hunter and Shirley Poore.

Upcoming events include Family Movie Night Saturday, April 28 featuring the film "Happy Feet. The movie

begins at 6 p.m. Admission is free and there will be popcorn, soda and candy.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service.

vice and preach a sermon entitled "Those Who Seek."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service there will be fellowship

ship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

St. Chrysostom's Church

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church, 1 Linden St., Quincy, is sponsoring a workshop for churches and parishes in the area entitled "The Welcoming Church."

New member inclusion and sustaining membership – or going from "the way it

used to be" to "the way it is" will be the focus of the event.

The workshop, which will be held Saturday, April 28 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., will be led by Barbara Pelowski, Ph.D., director of New Member Ministries at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Cleveland Heights, Ohio – the largest parish in the Diocese of Ohio.

The cost of the workshop is \$12, which includes lunch.

To register or for more information, call Karen Keenan, parish administrator, at 617-472-0737.

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Collegium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

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Spiritualist
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10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm
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Weekday Masses
Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am

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Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

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Weekday Masses

Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
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Saint Ann's Church

757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400

Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM

Daily Masses: 9:00 AM

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Congregational

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310 Manet Ave., Quincy
www.hncong.org
Sunday, April 29
Worship Service 9:30 am

Family Sunday -

Holy Humor Sunday

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Rev. John Castricum

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Congregational

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SUNDAY, APRIL 29

Sermon "Holy Work"

John 10: 22-30

Acts 9: 36-43

Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching

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Sunday Worship Service

10 AM

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6PM Prayer Meeting

7PM Brazilian A/G Service

7PM Thursday Bible Study

Squantum Christian Fellowship

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617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan

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Children's Class 10 a.m.

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10:30 AM Sunday Worship

Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor

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9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL
11AM WORSHIP SERVICE
BRASS BAND MUSIC
7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP
7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

OBITUARIES

Everett W. Redmond Sr., 82 Owned Roofing Company

A funeral Mass for Everett W. Redmond Sr., 82, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, a retired roofing business owner, was celebrated April 21 at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Redmond died April 17 at Southwood at Norwell Nursing Center.

He was president and owner of E.W. Roofing in Quincy for 50 years. He retired in 1998.

Mr. Redmond was a member of the Canadian-American Club in Watertown.

He enjoyed dancing and was a longtime parishioner at St. Ann's Church.

Born in Prince Edward Island, Canada, he lived in Quincy before moving to Braintree three years ago.

Husband of the late Frances E. (McCarron) Redmond, he is survived by a daughter, Linda Mezzetti



EVERETT REDMOND, SR. of Holbrook; two sons, Everett Redmond Jr. of Brewster and Paul Redmond of Weymouth; seven grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to ALS Foundation for Life, P.O. Box 504, Franklin, MA 02038.

Evelyn R. Allen, 83 Real Estate Agent

A funeral service for Evelyn R. (Filsinger) Allen, 83, of Quincy, formerly of Stratford, Vt., and Florida, was held April 21 at Wakefield-Lynnfield United Methodist Church, Wakefield.

Mrs. Allen died April 14 at Caritas Carney Hospital in Dorchester.

Born in Richmond Hill, N.Y., she had lived in Florida for 20 years before moving to Quincy in 2006.

She was a graduate of Sayville High School.

Mrs. Allen had been a real

estate agent for Century 21 in Stratford and was active in United Church of Stratford.

She was also a volunteer with Stratford Auxiliary Fire Department.

She enjoyed vegetable gardening and crocheting.

Mrs. Allen is survived by her husband, Carl Allen; a son, Howe Allen of Dorchester; a sister, Gloria Powers of Lake Ronkonkoma, N.Y.; and a nephew.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, Wakefield.

Regina M. Hussey, 66 Quincy School Teacher

A funeral Mass for Regina M. (Sullivan) Hussey, 66, of Quincy, a homemaker and a teacher in Quincy public schools for many years, was celebrated April 20 at Holy Trinity Parish in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 227 Sea St., Merry Mount.

Mrs. Hussey died April 16 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

Born in South Boston, she had lived in Quincy for 35 years.

Mrs. Hussey was a graduate of South Boston High School and received her bachelor of science degree from Suffolk University in 1978.

She was an accomplished water skier who won several events with the South Boston Water Ski Club.

She ran in many road races and completed the Newport Marathon in 1978.

Even while battling cancer, Mrs. Hussey went for a run or walk every day at Wollaston Beach or Castle Island.

An original Quincy Youth Hockey member or "plank owner", she wrote weekly press releases. She was a regular at hockey rinks and ball fields, cheering on her children and grandchildren.



REGINA M. HUSSEY

Mrs. Hussey enjoyed gardening, cooking, boating, camping and traveling. She was an active member of the Merry Mount Association for many years.

Wife of the late Paul C. Hussey, she is survived by two sons, Michael Hussey of Marshfield and Paul Hussey of Quincy; a daughter, Kathleen O'Brien of Quincy; a brother, Francis Sullivan of Plymouth; a sister, Elaine Breen of Stoughton; and 10 grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Quincy Youth Hockey, 60 Murphy Memorial Dr., Quincy, MA 02169.

Richard H. Walsh Vietnam War Veteran

A funeral Mass for Richard H. Walsh of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, was celebrated April 19 at St. Mark's Church, Dorchester. Mr. Walsh died April 13. He was a Vietnam War veteran and was commander of AMVETS Post 114.

He is survived by a brother, Roger J. Harrington. Burial was in New Calvary Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by John J. O'Connor Funeral Home, Dorchester.

Edna M. Harrington

A funeral Mass for Edna M. (Sheehan) Harrington of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, was celebrated April 20 at St. Brendan Church, Dorchester.

Mrs. Harrington died April 16.

Wife of the late John B. Harrington, she is survived by five sons, John D. Harrington of Cumberland, R.I., Richard F. Harrington

of Dorchester, Robert P. Harrington of California and Mark W. Harrington of Braintree; two daughters, Cheryl McCarron of Dennisport and Debra Brown of Dorchester; a brother, Francis Sheehan of Weymouth; and 11 grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Joseph Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Gino W. Palmer, 82 Retired Quincy Firefighter

Gino W. Palmer, 82, of Quincy, a retired Quincy firefighter and decorated World War II veteran, died April 20 at the Quincy Medical Center after a brief illness.

Born in Quincy, Mr. Palmer was raised in Quincy and attended city schools. He was a lifelong Quincy resident and graduate of Quincy High School.

He was a World War II veteran having served in the U.S. Army. He participated in the campaigns of New Guinea, Southern Philippines and Luzon.

Mr. Palmer received the Good Conduct Medal, the Asiatic Pacific Theater Campaign Ribbon and Victory Medal and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with a Bronze Service Star.

A retired Quincy firefighter, Mr. Palmer was appointed to the Quincy Fire Department on Dec. 1, 1956 and retired on Jan. 17, 1978 after 22 years of service.

During his career he worked at various stations throughout the city. At the time of his retirement, he was assigned to Engine 7 in



GINO W. PALMER

Squantum.

He is survived by his wife, Valerie (DiSalle) Palmer; two sons, Paul W. Palmer of Foxboro and Peter M. Palmer of Belmont, N.H.; a daughter, Jean M. Sheedy of Quincy; a sister, Emma Orr of Maine; and four grandchildren.

Interment services were private.

Memorial visiting hours were held Wednesday from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy Community Action Program/Southwest Community Center, 1 Copeland St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Neil G. MacInnis Jr., 79 Retired Stationary Engineer

A funeral Mass for Neil G. MacInnis Jr., 79, of Quincy, a retired stationary engineer, was celebrated Monday at St. Joseph's Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy.

Mr. MacInnis died April 17 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked for the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. MacInnis was born in Brookline and was a lifelong Quincy resident.

He was a member of Town River Yacht Club for many years and of the Adams Heights Men's Club.

He was a volunteer with the Braintree Food Pantry and an avid chess player.

Husband of the late Mary (Cahill) MacInnis, he is survived by his wife, Claire F.

(Richie) MacInnis; four daughters, Robin McGuinness of Quincy, Jennifer MacInnis of Marshfield, Ellen MacInnis of Brighton and Lori Sevigny of Rochester; four sons, Paul MacInnis of Andover, Bradford Kenyon of Plymouth, Barry Kenyon of Weymouth and Bruce Kenyon of Quincy; a sister, Marie Emery of Quincy; two brothers, John MacInnis of Hull and Mike MacInnis of Quincy; 11 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Braintree Food Pantry, 594 Washington St., Braintree, MA 02184.



DON MCCARTHY
Managing Director

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

It has been said that happiness is impossible without some regard for the happiness of others and can so often be fostered by the smallest acts of kindness; acts that become instinctive and part of our nature if practiced from day to day.

It has also been said that happiness is to be found among life's common things. It is not the rare gifts, the possession of the few; it is not great wealth, great learning, great genius, or great power. It is not these things that make the possessors happy... It is health; it is friendship; it is love at home; it is the voices of children; it is sunshine. It is the blessings that are commonest, not those that are rarest; it is the gifts that God has scattered everywhere.

Those who use happiness as a tool for living appreciate, enjoy and find satisfaction NOW in everything they have and in everything they do. Their condition in life may not be ideal, and need not represent the limit of their ambitions. But being content for the present, they can plan with imagination and work with enthusiasm... Those who make happiness a goal and put it off into the future and those who make it something to struggle for may never know it... To make happiness a tool is never to lose it.

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Everett L. Hall, 82

Procter & Gamble Employee

A funeral service for Everett Lawson Hall, 82, of Quincy, a Navy veteran of two wars, was held April 17 at Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston. Mr. Hall died April 13 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center after a brief illness.

Born in Beverly, he came to Quincy when he was 2.

He worked for Procter & Gamble for 36 years.

Mr. Hall was a Navy veteran of World War II and the Korean War. During World War II, he served on the aircraft carrier Franklin, the battleship Texas and the heavy cruiser Helena.

Mr. Hall received the Victory Medal, the Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal with four battle stars and the Philippine Liberation Medal with two stars.

During the Korean War, he served aboard the destroyer escort Johnnie Hutchins.

He was a member of the USS Franklin Museum Association and the American Legion Post 95 in Quincy.

Mr. Hall is survived by his wife of 54 years, Dorothy L. (White) Hall; three daughters, Karen Whalen, Dianne Cadogan and Susan Shea, all of Quincy; two sons, Kenneth Hall and Steven Hall of Quincy; a brother, Edward Hall of Sebago, Maine; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

He was the grandfather of the late Brian P. Whalen.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Lung Association, 61 Broadway, NY, NY 10006.

Pearl M. Gacicia, 95

Former City Treasurer's Office Clerk

A funeral Mass for Pearl Marie (Bianchi) Gacicia, 95, of Quincy, a former city treasurer's office clerk, was celebrated Tuesday at St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy Center.

Mrs. Gacicia died April 17 in Miami, Fla.

She worked for the City of Quincy for 10 years before she left to raise her family.

She was a past president of the Quincy Emblem Club and a past supreme president of the National Emblem Club from 1961 to 1962.

Mrs. Gacicia was a member of St. John the Baptist Church in Quincy for more than 60 years.

Born in Pogliani, Italy, she came to the United States when she was four. She was raised in Quincy and gradu-

ated from Quincy High School and Burdett School of Business in Boston.

She enjoyed traveling and would drive to Miami, Fla. for the winter months.

Wife of nearly 50 years of the late Philip J. Gacicia, she is survived by a daughter, Ann Marie Cavrich of Boynton Beach, Fla.; two sons, Philip P. Gacicia of Deerfield Beach, Fla., and Peter B. Gacicia of Weymouth; and seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

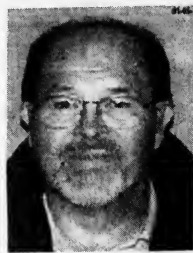
Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice.

Joseph D. Emerson, 59

Courier



JOSEPH D. EMERSON grandson.

Private funeral services were held for Joseph D. Emerson, 59, of Quincy, a courier. Mr. Emerson died April 14 at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

He received a heart transplant on Oct. 13, 2006.

Born in Damariscotta, Maine, he was raised in Somerville and had lived in Quincy for the past 20 years.

He was a courier with the First Call Delivery Service for over 20 years.

Mr. Emerson was an avid camper and motorcycle enthusiast.

He is survived by a daughter, Jodi Harris of Brockton; a son, Dale Emerson of Dennisport; two sisters, Theresa Narus of Rockland and Susan Murphy of Quincy; a brother, Stephen Emerson of Pembroke; two grandchildren and one great-

grandson.

He was also the brother of the late George Emerson. Funeral arrangements were made by the Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Massachusetts General Hospital, c/o Cardiac Unit, 165 Cambridge St., Suite 600, Boston, MA 02114.

Gaetano 'Guy' Chella, 91

Retired Graphic Arts Specialist

A funeral Mass for Gaetano "Guy" Chella, 91, of Quincy, a retired graphic arts specialist, was celebrated April 19 in St. Joseph's Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy.

Mr. Chella died April 16 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born and raised in Quincy, he was a lifelong resident of the city.

Mr. Chella worked for General Dynamics at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy.

He was the oldest member of St. Joseph's Church Holy Name Society and was a founder of the South Shore Men's Catholic Retreat.

Mr. Chella was also a longtime usher and active communicant at St. Joseph's Parish in Quincy Point.

He was an assistant leader of St. Joseph's Girl Bagpipe

Band and scout master for Boy Scout Troop 18.

Mr. Chella is survived by his wife, Theresa (Della Barba) Chella; two sons, Joseph Chella of Weymouth and Paul Chella of Sharon; two daughters, Marie Kilrain of Braintree and Ann Chella-Nigl of Quincy; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the St. Joseph's Building Fund, 550 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

James M. Rago, 54

Truck Driver

A funeral Mass for James M. Rago, 54, of Quincy, a truck driver, was celebrated April 19 at St. Leonard Church in Boston.

Mr. Rago died April 14 at home.

He worked for Camdele Construction Co. in the North End of Boston. He drove tractor-trailer trucks more than 2 million miles through 46 states.

Born in Boston, he was a graduate of English High School in Boston. He previously had lived in the North End.

Mr. Rago was a member of Teamsters Local 379.

He enjoyed traveling and camping.

He is survived by his wife, Annette (Veneto) Rago; a

daughter, Theresa Dern of Quincy; a son, Michael Dern of Carver; a sister, Pamela Fiumara of Revere; two brothers, John Rago of Revere and Joseph Rago of Everett; a grandson; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by Boston Harborside Home of J.S. Waterman and Sons-Waring-Langone, Boston.

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In Memoriam

James R. McGregor, III

Born November 25, 1940

Departed: April 4, 2007

Mr. McGregor died April 4 at Englewood Community Hospital.

Jim was born in Quincy, MA.

Son of James R. McGregor II and Evelyn (Winlock) McGregor, and younger brother of Diane.

He was raised with proper, and meticulous values, and retained those values through the duration of his life. Throughout Jim's life he acquired an enormous amount of lifelong friends. Jim always had an old school attitude, a look in the eye, a handshake, and you could take his word on it. His word was as good as gold; there was never a broken promise. He loved his family, and he loved his friends.

Jim was a longtime member of Local 4, and had a long-standing history with the elevator union, and its members.

He owned Vertical Transportation in Quincy for more than 25 years.

Jim had a true passion for the outdoors, he loved fishing, and hunting. In Jim's eyes, it was about spending time with friends and family. He was a true outdoorsman in every sense, in every way. Thankfully there were a few deer that narrowly escaped Jim's eagle eye, the rest of us outdoorsmen might now stand a chance.

Jim is survived by his wife, Delores McGregor of Lincoln, ME, who he loved dearly and accepted into his life. Jim is also survived by his sister, Diane Fernandez of Burlington, VT; his seven children, James R. McGregor IV of Pawling, NY, Stephen A. McGregor of Lynnfield, MA, Todd A. McGregor of California, Adam A. McGregor of Marshfield; Heather J.



JAMES R. MCGREGOR McGregor of Quincy, Kathy J. McGregor-Anderson of Holbrook and Julie McGregor-Hook of Lynnfield; and his first wife and mother of his children, Barbara D. McGregor of Quincy. Jim is also survived by his nine wonderful grandchildren, two stepchildren, Kelly and Dominic, and one step-grandson. His hard work and devotion to his family and friends will never be forgotten.

We said good-bye to Jim's physical body, but we need never say good-bye to his spirit. He remains with us always. He is no doubt looking down upon us, and smiling, as he will most likely continue on with his endless pranks. We are also certain he is standing proud and observing from above, the family, the legacy and the way his virtues have been carried on.

There will be a private gathering at Mt. Wollaston Cemetery for family and close friends, followed by a celebration of Jim's life at the Elks Club in Quincy, MA on May 12, 2007 at 1 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to The American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 1131, Fairfax, VA 22038-1131, or to The American Heart & Stroke Association, Memorial and Tribute Processing Center, P.O. Box 3049, Syracuse, NY 13220.

Anne Loughran, 90

A funeral Mass for Anne (Deveikis) Loughran, 90, of Easton, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated April 18 at Immaculate Conception Church, Easton.

Mrs. Loughran died April 12 at home.

Born and raised in South Boston, she attended Boston public schools. She lived in Quincy for 48 years.

She worked for Hood Rubber in Boston for many years. She later worked for Sigma Instruments in Braintree and as an engineer's assistant in quality control for the Polaroid Corp. in Cambridge and Norwood.

Mrs. Loughran was an

expert craftswoman who specialized in needlecraft. She was a donor to veterans and animal charities and to St. Jude's Hospital. She also enjoyed her flowers and gardening.

Wife of the late Edward L. Loughran, she is survived by four daughters, Elaine Weeden of Fall River, Joan Hartnett of Hingham and Rosemary Harney and Kathleen Endriunas of Easton; 12 grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Dorchester.

Funeral arrangements were made by Copeland-MacKinnon Funeral Home, Easton.

M. Theresa Griffin, 80

A funeral Mass for M. Theresa (Flaherty) Griffin, 80, of Quincy, was celebrated April 20 at St. Patrick's Church, Falmouth.

Mrs. Griffin died April 14. Wife of the late Leo J. Griffin, she is survived by a son, Kevin Griffin of East Falmouth; and three grand-

children.

She was the companion of the late Leo A'Hearn.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Broune.

Funeral arrangements were made by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Falmouth.

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Marjorie Elizabeth Johnson

Homemaker

A funeral service for Marjorie Elizabeth (Gooding) Johnson of Quincy, a homemaker, was held Monday at Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Mrs. Johnson died April 17 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born in Somerville, she lived in Quincy for the past 66 years.

Mrs. Johnson was a member of the former Frier Lodge in Halifax for many years. She played bingo on Tuesdays at St. Mary's Church.

Mrs. Johnson also enjoyed ironing, cooking, baking and

taking walks.

Wife of the late John H. Johnson Sr., she is survived by two sons, J. Herbert Johnson of South Weymouth and Robert Johnson of Mansfield; a daughter, Carol Bakko of Brockton; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was private.

Memorial donations may be made to Faith Lutheran Church General Fund, 201 Granite St., Quincy, MA 02269 or to the MA Spina Bifida Association, 733 Tunpike St., #282, No. Andover, MA 01845.

John H. Sullivan Jr., 90

Former Wholesale Grocer

A funeral Mass for John H. Sullivan, Jr., of North Falmouth, formerly of Quincy, a former wholesale grocer, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Elizabeth Seton Church, North Falmouth.

Mr. Sullivan died April 19.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Myrtle L. (Coughlin) Sullivan, three daughters, Marie-Christine Sullivan, Jill Gabbe and

Paula Sullivan; a son, Michael Sullivan; a sister, Elizabeth Fagan; a brother, Paul Sullivan; and three grandchildren.

He was the father of the late John H. Sullivan III.

Burial was in North Falmouth Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Falmouth.

Phyllis C. Anderson, 93

Homemaker, Seamstress

A funeral Mass for Phyllis C. (Russo) Anderson, 93, of Dedham, formerly of Braintree and Quincy, a homemaker and seamstress, was celebrated Wednesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Anderson died April 20 at the Golden Living Center in Dedham after an illness.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Boston and educated in Boston schools. She had lived in Dedham for the past four years, Braintree for over 20 years and previously in Quincy and Dorchester.

Mrs. Anderson was a homemaker but also had worked as a seamstress for many years. She worked at

the former Spinning Wheel shop in Quincy and had been retired many years.

She was a former member of Saint John's Senior Citizens.

Wife of the late Joseph H. Anderson, she is survived by a son, John J. Anderson of Westwood; and three granddaughters.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Ann F. Nagle, 68

A Mass of Christian Burial for Ann F. (White) Nagle, 68, of Quincy, a retired secretary, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in St. Joseph Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Nagle died Sunday at Kindred Hospital North-east in Braintree.

Born in Boston, she was raised in the city's Dorchester section. She had lived in Quincy for many years.

Mrs. Nagle worked as a secretary for the Quincy Public Schools for many years.

She worked at the then Quincy Junior College and she retired from the Squantum Elementary School.

She is survived by a son, David P. "Pat" Nagle of Quincy; a brother, Hugh White of Hyannis; a granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial will be in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Robert J. Hibbett, 75

English Teacher

A graveside service for Robert Joseph Hibbett, 75, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, an English teacher, will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. at Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne.

Mr. Hibbett died April 20 at Southwood at Norwell Nursing Center, Norwell after an extensive illness.

Born in Quincy, he had lived in Quincy before moving to Weymouth 20 years ago.

Mr. Hibbett received his undergraduate degree at Boston College in 1953 and his masters in English from the University of Massachusetts.

After his schooling, he served two years in the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

After serving in the Korean War, Mr. Hibbett was a

high school teacher in New Jersey. He retired in 1985, and then went on to teach English literature at Cambridge University.

He also spent most of his life researching and writing many papers including two unpublished books. His passion was researching and writing about the Irish culture.

Mr. Hibbett is survived by his brother, Larry Hibbett of Naples, Fla., and a long-time friend, Sheila Murphy; and four nieces.

He was the brother of the late Bill Hibbett.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 55584, Boston, MA 02205-5584.

Helen E. Hutchinson, 66

A graveside service for Helen E. (Holmes) Hutchinson, 66, of Quincy, was held Monday at South Pond Cemetery, Long Pond Road, Plymouth.

Mrs. Hutchinson died April 20 at Radius Health Care Center.

Born and raised in Plymouth, she graduated from Nathaniel Morton High School.

She enjoyed gardening and bird-watching and was an avid Boston Red Sox fan.

Wife of the late Peter O. Hutchinson, she is survived by three sons, Mark

Hutchinson of Plymouth, Matthew Hutchinson of Buzzards Bay and Eric Hutchinson of Wareham; four brothers, Richard Holmes, Wesley Holmes and Stephen Holmes, all of Plymouth, and Edwin Holmes of Weymouth; four sisters, Shirley Matheson of Brockton and Silvia Viirre, Rosilind Holmes and Marsha Wall, all of Plymouth; and eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by Cartmell Funeral Home, Plymouth.

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LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT NORFOLK DIVISION DOCKET NO. 06P2827GI GENERAL PETITION SHORT ORDER OF NOTICE

To LAWRENCE M. ORTIZ of QUINCY in the county of NORFOLK, and to all persons interested in the estate of LAWRENCE M. ORTIZ, a person under GUARDIANSHIP.

A petition has been presented to said Court by EILEEN ORTIZ for authorization to ESTABLISH ESTATE PLAN PURSUANT TO G.L.C.201, sec. 38 for reasons more fully set out in said petition.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Canton before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 4th day of MAY 2007, the return day of this citation.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this 18TH day of APRIL, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register

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To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07P0791EP
In the Estate of GERALD DAVID DEWEY Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death March 2, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will and first codicil of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JAMES M. O'SULLIVAN of NORWELL in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 16, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 5, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

4/26/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07P0755EP
In the Estate of LEE ANN RYAN Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death February 10, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that LORI J. DOW of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 9, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 30, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 96P2184EP
In the Estate of PAUL E. BARTCH Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death September 30, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that KARNIG BOYAJIAN of NEWTON in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 23, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 12, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

4/26/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07P0857AD
In the Estate of PATRICK F. TEVENAN Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death March 17, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that FRANCIS F. TEVENAN of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 23, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 11, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0470-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION**

**YU LING LIAO, Plaintiff(s)
V.
SIEW KONG WONG,
Defendant(s)**

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), **YU LING LIAO**, seeking **DIVORCE**.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **CARYN MITCHELL-MUNEVAR, ATTORNEY FOR YU LING LIAO**, whose address is **46 CHURCH STREET, BOSTON, MA 02116**, your answer on or before **7/05/07**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at **CANTON**.

Witness, **DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at **CANTON**, this 9th day of APRIL, 2007.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 on the application of 92 Sea Ave. LLC for a variance to demolish the existing residential dwelling and construct two single-family residential dwellings in its place in violation of the provisions of Title 17, Section 17.20.040, Table of Dimensional Requirements (Frontage/Lot Width). This matter is back before the board following the allowance of a Motion for Reconsideration, sought by the applicant and granted by the board at its April 10, 2007 meeting.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**CITY OF QUINCY AND
QUINCY-WEYMOUTH CONSORTIUM
NOTICE OF SUBSTANTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE
FY 2005-2009 CONSOLIDATED PLAN**

On or about May 31, 2007, the City of Quincy and the Quincy-Weymouth Consortium will submit to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and a substantial amendment to their Five-Year (2005-2009) Consolidated plan for addressing Community Development; Housing; Homeless and Special Needs, as well as an analysis of impediments to fair housing, a suitable living environment and expanded economic opportunities for primarily low and moderate-income persons under Quincy's Community Development Block Grant and Emergency Shelter Grant and the Consortium's HOME program. Said amendment will allow for the implementation of infrastructure improvements including sidewalk reconstruction, handicap accessible ramps, new curbs, and associated street resurfacing work in the vicinity of the Water Street/Copeland Street/Granite Street/Smith Street intersection, or also known as Brewer's Corner. A draft of the amendment and the associated reports and plans will be available for viewing starting April 24, 2007 at the Department of Planning and Community Development, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, and at the Thomas Crane Library, 40 Washington Street, Quincy, MA 02169. All comments must be received in writing to the Department of Planning and Community Development, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 by May 25, 2007 at 12:00 PM.

4/26/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0836GC
In the Matter Of
PHYLLIS M. CUDWORTH
Of QUINCY**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN**

To PHYLLIS M. CUDWORTH of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said PHYLLIS M. CUDWORTH of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, is physically incapacitated and praying that PATRICIA A. MICELI of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK and CAROLYN MICELI of WEYMOUTH in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 23, 2007**.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 10, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0353GM
In the Matter Of
BRIAN K. HALL
Of QUINCY**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF GUARDIAN OF MINOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned matter, a petition has been presented praying that PATRICIA JONES of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed guardian of the person and the estate of BRIAN K. HALL of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, a minor child, to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 4, 2007**.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, February 15, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0856EP
In the Estate of
GRETCHEN H.
VARTANIAN
Late of QUINCY**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that RUTH E. FULLERTON of WEYMOUTH in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 13, 2007**.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 11, 2007.

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4/26/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0852AD
In the Estate of
KEVIN C. KYNOCK A/K/A
KEVIN CARL KYNOCK
Late of QUINCY**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that LESLIE KYNOCK of COTUIT in the County of BARNSTABLE or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 23, 2007**.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 11, 2007.

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4/26/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0839EP
In the Estate of
BERNARD J. BURKE
Late of QUINCY**

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that BERNADETTE C. STENTIFORD of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **MAY 23, 2007**.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 10, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/26/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0321-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION**

**VIRGINIA NGANGA,
Plaintiff(s)
V.
WILLIAM HOLLAND,
Defendant(s)**

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), **VIRGINIA NGANGA**, seeking **DIVORCE**.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **VIRGINIA NGANGA**, whose address is **9 WASHINGTON STREET, #7, QUINCY, MA 02169**, your answer on or before **6/29/07**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at **CANTON**.

Witness, **DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at **CANTON**, this 6th day of APRIL, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19, 4/26, 5/3/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Joseph & Christine Rimovitz for a Variance to subdivide the existing lot and construct a single family home on the newly created lot in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 67 BAYVIEW AVENUE, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Barry McDermott for a Variance to add a second story to the existing front and rear porches and add a wooden deck to the rear of the structure in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 22 BABCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 8, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of David Kraunelis for a Variance to remove the existing shed and construct an attached two-car garage in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 68 NORTON ROAD, QUINCY.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0398-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION**

**ANA AMARAL, Plaintiff(s)
V.
PAULO DO AMARAL,
Defendant(s)**

To the above named Defendant(s):

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), **ANA AMARAL**, seeking **DIVORCE**.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon **ANA AMARAL**, whose address is **7 2 5 BROAD STREET, WEYMOUTH, MA 02189**, your answer on or before **6/22/07**. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at **CANTON**.

Witness, **DAVID H. KOPELMAN**, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at **CANTON**, this 23rd day of MARCH, 2007.

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Gas Leaks Seen As Major Threat To City's Trees

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a specific timetable for repair and ratings of 3 put on a watch with no action needed.

Gas industry trade officials, also, have rejected the Trust's connection between the death of trees and gas leaks.

Tom Kiley, spokesman for the Northeast Gas Association, said that there is "fact and fiction around the issue of trees and gas. I don't think this is a widespread problem." He also contended that there is no scientific study linking dead trees and

gas leaks.

Monday's committee meeting was held specifically to discuss Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin's resolution recommending that Quincy join the Shade Tree Trust.

In opening the meeting, Coughlin said one of his constituents claimed a connection between gas leaks and a dead tree in front of their house.

Shortly after that incident, Coughlin learned of the Shade Tree Trust and believes it may help protect

Quincy's tree supply. Coughlin noted that the City Council just recently passed his resolution aimed at adding 2000 trees to Quincy's "Urban Forest" by 2012.

If the trees are dying, Coughlin questioned the logic of planting 2000 new trees for the gas leaks to kill.

Schlichtmann told councillors that officials in Saugus have committed to joining the trust while the Town of Marshfield is now considering it.

Under the terms of membership, the Shade Tree Trust

would conduct a survey of the city's trees and determine the location of gas leaks and provide an evaluation and appraisal of the damage.

Ackley said, "When we find a leak, we notify Keyspan." In addition, the numbers are compiled along with the location of injured trees.

"In the process, we are picking up Grade 1 leaks," Schlichtmann said, noting each leak of any level is reported to Keyspan. "The level of leaks is far more than the industry has acknowledged."



ATTORNEY JAN SCHLICHTMANN (right), architect of the Massachusetts Shade Tree Trust, with Oversight Committee Chairman and proponent Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin.

Once the audit is completed and the number of injured trees is documented, then an appraisal of the value of the trees is made.

Schlichtmann said that "it takes a while for a five inch sapling to become a mighty oak," and that communities should be compensated for the loss.

Once all the documentation is complete, the Trust would seek damages from the company. The trust would retain 40% of all payments while member entities would be paid 60%.

If there is no settlement, there is no fee, said Schlichtmann, adding that

the entire action would hinge on the contingency agreement. Schlichtmann also noted that Keyspan is a private company which could eventually be acquired by National Grid which is headquartered in London.

"We end up paying for our own recovery," said Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee who said the payments would just be charged to customer's bills.

Kiley who spoke for the trade association also said, "If a community does have a situation, they could work through their local gas company. Why would they want to have a middle man?"



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Aimed At Eyesores And Health Hazards

Anti-Blight Ordinance Gets Approval



RESIDENTS OF GRANITE PLACE welcomed city officials last week when they designated the first senior traffic zone in the city, state and probably the country, in front of their building.
Laura Griffin Photo

Traffic Reduced To 20 M.P.H

City Designates First Senior Safety Zone

Quincy became a major pioneer in senior citizen safety last week when Mayor William Phelan designated the city's first senior traffic zone at 125 Granite Street, a senior citizen residence.

"This is the first senior safety zone in the state," Phelan said as some two dozen senior citizens applauded.

The mayor held one of the city's new yellow, black and white traffic signs which

warn, "Senior Zone, 20 m.p.h." Phelan also noted that a 500-foot section of the roadway will be painted, "SENIOR ZONE" and embedded with raised white crosswalks.

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By LAURA GRIFFIN

The City Council's Ordinance Committee Monday approved a new anti-blight ordinance aimed at forcing negligent owners to clean up eyesores and health hazards on their properties.

Prior to the vote, residents from Squantum, Wollaston Hill and North Quincy described abandoned houses and junk-filled yards that not only impact their real estate values, but, also, create dangerous nuisances.

The anti-blight ordinance, filed by Ward 3 Councilor Kevin Coughlin must now be approved by a formal City Council vote.

As part of the motion, councillors directed that the proposal be submitted for review and comment by the city's legal staff, officials in the health department, code enforcement, building department and other affected departments.

"It (blight) has a great impact on a neighborhood," Coughlin said as he introduced the proposed measure, then cited the more than a dozen residents who had waited two hours to be heard.

One resident after another described neighborhoods frustrated by an abandoned or neglected house, and in one case, storefronts, that damage the views and even endanger their homes or health.

In one area, a resident said she won't let her child near a neglected house because "raccoons are going in and out of that building."

At this time, residents say no one from the mayor's office, the health department or code enforcement appears able to help them. That, Coughlin said, is why the new law is needed, "to put teeth" in code enforcement.

Christine Zopkofka lives

on the Strand near Wollaston Beach where one house has been boarded up for 13 years and another abandoned house with broken windows draws youngsters to the site to throw more rocks. Cats roam about unfettered.

"It just looks terrible," said Zopkofka, adding "We did have a nice little neighborhood. I'm so discouraged." She showed more than a dozen pictures of the two eyesores to council members.

Not only does Zopkofka have to pick up as many as 40 rocks at a time and look at the vacant houses but she's also paid dearly to live near them. Zopkofka has had damage to her car by rocks at a cost of \$500 and damage to her house by the same rocks estimated at \$1150. She'll pay \$500 and insurance will cover the balance.

"The house is literally
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Stepping Down After 16 Years

Stice Won't Seek Re-election To School Committee Seat

Linda Stice, a 16-year member of the School Committee, known for her dedication to children, will not seek re-election this year.

She is completing her fourth four-year term and is stepping down to enter a doctoral program at Lesley University in Cambridge.

The program will prepare her to spread that dedication to orphans and abandoned children around the world.



LINDA STICE

A trip to Cuzco, Peru last October where she spent 15 days volunteering helping children in an orphanage convinced her to want to do more.

"This is a problem I want to learn more about and do more about," she says.

"In September," she said, "I will begin work on a Ph.D., researching models of care to address the affective

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The 18th annual Cleaner, Greener Quincy citywide cleanup will take place Saturday, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon with nearly 1,500 expected to participate.

The cleanup will include sprucing up the city's beaches, marshes, school grounds, parks and open spaces. Rain date for the event is Saturday, May 12.

Mayor William Phelan noted the significant impact this one-day event makes on the city's overall appearance and encourages residents to pitch in and join the ceremonial kick-off to the city's beautification efforts.

CLEANUP SITES

Ward One: Edgewater Drive, LaBrecque Field,

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Gull Point/Snug Harbor School, Merrymount School, Parkhurst Marshes, Post Island Road Beach, Shoreside Beach and Perry Beach.

Ward Two: Avalon Beach, Faxon Park, Mound Street Beach/Fore River Field and High School Ave./Quincy Art Association.

Ward Three: The Bog, Wollaston School, Bishop Field (Montclair), Montclair School and Newport Ave./Beale Street.

Ward Four: O'Rourke Field/Flaherty Playground, Sterling Middle School, Lin-

coln Hancock School and Taber Street World War II Memorial.

Ward Five: Wollaston Beach (meet at WYC), Beechwood Knoll School, Sailors' Home Pond, Butler Pond (Central Middle School), Dickens Street Marsh, Labadie Street and Bernazzani School.

Ward Six: Squantum School, North Quincy High School, Nickerson Beach, Orchard Beach, Border/Bayside Road, Squaw Rock, Moswettset Hummuck and Parker School.

"I strongly urge residents to join a cleanup site in their neighborhood and partici-

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At Former St. Boniface Church New Germantown Center Seen Ready Next Month

Work on the new Germantown Neighborhood Center in the former St. Boniface Church, is expected to be completed in June.

When the Archdiocese of Boston announced it was closing the church, it came as a blow to the Germantown community, which had long depended on the church and its programs.

The closing, it was felt, would leave a significant void in the neighborhood.

But now, through the teamwork of Mayor William Phelan and the South Shore YMCA with a big assist from the South Shore Building Trades Council, the closed church is being renovated as the new Germantown Neighborhood Center.

The center currently operates out of a small classroom at the end of the Snug Harbor Elementary School.

Mayor Phelan and the South Shore YMCA worked together to purchase the building with Federal Community Development Block Grant monies. The YMCA committed to running programs out of the new facility and made a major capital investment to retro-fit the

church building.

But the project was still well short of the funding needed to complete the work. The South Shore Building Trades Council then made a commitment to see the job through with volunteer union labor that could amount to close to an in-kind donation in excess of \$800,000.

"I cannot thank the Building Trades more for what they are doing for this project and the Germantown neighborhood," said Mayor Phelan. "The talent and resources they are giving to this effort are making this dream a possibility. This is a perfect story of organizations working together to help our community."

"We are proud to be involved in another great cause that will benefit children and families in Quincy," said Robert Rizzi, president of the Building Trades Council. "This project shows organized labor's continued commitment to the families of this community and to the betterment of our neighborhoods."

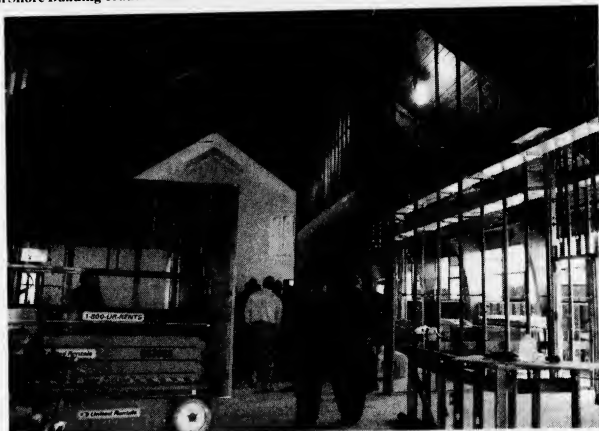
Phelan also pointed out the work done by Trades Council members at various park projects including the



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN and Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly with leaders from the South Shore Building Trades Council who are volunteering to transform the former St. Boniface Church into the new Germantown Neighborhood Center.

Snug Harbor playground, Adams Field, Mitchell/McCoy Field and others.

The Germantown Neighborhood Center and Executive Director Kathy Quigley run a wide range of valuable programs in the Germantown community. Quigley has programs for young children, job training for adults, programs for seniors and she now runs the neighborhood food pantry



THE INTERIOR OF the former St. Boniface Church begins to take shape as the new Germantown Neighborhood Center.

Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

out of the neighborhood center.

"There's more good that comes out of that neighborhood center than anyone could possibly imagine," said Phelan. "It is seen as a beacon of hope for many

people and I want to thank the YMCA and the Trades Council for sharing our understanding of its importance to the Germantown community."

Phelan pointed out the work that Ward 1 City Councilor Leo Kelly and Dick Moynahan did in leveraging the support of the trade unions. He also thanked Trades Council President Rizzi for his work in gaining unified support from the members of his organization.

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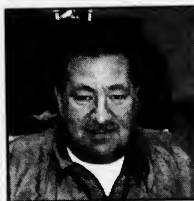
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Running On Record Of Accomplishment Phelan Kicks-Off Campaign For Fourth Term

Mayor William Phelan, in front of a packed house Thursday night in the Quincy Lodge of Elks Tirrell Room on Quarry Street, announced he is running for re-election on his record of accomplishment.

Citing a major turnaround in the City's finances, from a \$5 million deficit to a \$11 surplus in just 4 1/2 years and an A+ bond rating for Quincy, Phelan highlighted the financial transformation as the foundation that other improvements are built upon.

Phelan emphasized Quincy's status as the 2nd safest city in Massachusetts, the implementation of all-day kindergarten, smaller class sizes, nicer parks and beaches, and new streets and sidewalks as accomplishments resulting from a stronger financial outlook for the city.

"Our accomplishments are based on our ability to properly manage our City's finances," said Phelan. "We had to straighten out the mess of the past and now we are seeing the benefits of sound financial planning and management. We will continue to build upon the success and achieve even greater goals in the years to come."

Phelan highlighted the construction of a new Quincy High School, the Crown Colony ramps, and

the Quincy Center Concourse as significant projects set to break ground this summer.

He also championed the City's newest endeavor, an emergency efficiency program that will result in more energy efficiency at 41 municipal buildings, saving taxpayers millions in energy infrastructure costs in the years to come.

Phelan was introduced by his daughter Rachel, a senior at North Quincy High School. He was joined at the podium by his wife Tracey, daughters Rachel, Brianne and Kerry, and by his son William Arthur.

Rachel, in introducing her father, said:

"The lessons I have learned from my father are life lessons I couldn't have learned anywhere else. For example, to always do the right thing, no matter what the consequences, to always work hard, and to always stand up for what you believe in and you will persevere."

"On Sept. 18, I will be turning 18," she added. "I will register to vote at Quincy City Hall and I will have the incredible pleasure of casting my very first vote for my father, William Phelan for Mayor of the City of Quincy." Her poised speech was met with applause.

"We've come a long way together," he said. "And I ask that you stay with me and

help me continue to move this city forward. But it will be a fight. Those same insiders want City Hall back. And I need your help."

"Those insiders want you to believe that this election is about them, and their long history of control over City Hall and departments throughout the city. Well, this election is not about them. It is about you. It's about your hard-earned tax dollars. It's about your public safety. It's about your family's public education. It's about your paved streets and sidewalks and your parks and delivery of basic city services to you."

After the event Phelan highlighted his plan for the coming months.

"Carry on the fight for the average taxpayer and always remember who it is that I work for and who elected me. It's time to roll up the sleeves and start knocking doors, hitting coffee shops and grocery stores and continue an open and honest dialogue with Quincy residents on how to best run their government."



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN kicks off his campaign for a fourth term saying he will run on his record of accomplishments. At the left are his wife, Tracey, daughter, Brianne, daughter Rachel, who introduced him, and son William Arthur. His daughter, Kerry, also attended.

There Could Be A Preliminary Election For Mayor

There could be a preliminary election for mayor.

Charles Dennehey of Willard Street, West Quincy took out nomination papers Tuesday the first day the papers became available.

Dennehey ran on stickers two years ago but that did not cause a preliminary election. He would have to become a

regular candidate to create a preliminary election this year.

Others taking out papers Tuesday were mayoral chal-

lenger Tom Koch and Councilor at-large Joseph Finn.

Nomination papers will be available until July 31, the deadline for filing.

Help With Simple Wills Monthly

Atty. Ed Conroy will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy, every third Friday of

the month to assist the elderly with a free explanation of simple wills.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On May 5, 1914, Erwin "Cannonball" Baker begins a cross-continental motorcycle trip on his 1,000cc V-twin Stutz Indian motorcycle. Starting in California, Baker traveled 3,379 miles across the U.S. Due to the poor roads and primitive "cradle-spring" shock absorption of his bike, he rode most of the way standing up.

• On April 30, 1927, the Federal Industrial Institute for Women, the first women's federal prison, opens in Alderson, W.Va. The vast majority of the women were imprisoned for drug and alcohol charges imposed during the Prohibition era. Only one of the inmates was imprisoned for murder.

• On May 6, 1940, John Steinbeck is awarded the Pulitzer Prize for his novel "The Grapes of Wrath." The book traces the fictional Joad family of Oklahoma as they lose their family farm and move to California in search of a better life. One of Steinbeck's most effective works of social commentary, the novel also won the National Book Award.

• On May 4, 1959, the

National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences announces the winners of the first Grammy Awards. Henry Mancini won the Best Album award for "The Music from Peter Gunn"; Perry Como was voted Best Male Vocalist and Ella Fitzgerald Best Female Vocalist.

• On May 1, 1963, James Whitaker of Redmond, Wash., becomes the first American to reach the summit of Mt. Everest, the tallest mountain in the world. Located in the central Himalayas on the border of China and Nepal, Everest stands 29,028 feet above sea level.

• On May 2, 1972, Steven Spielberg begins filming "Jaws." The production, which used three mechanical sharks to great effect, grossed \$458 million in its theatrical release.

• On May 3, 1991, the prime-time soap opera "Dallas" airs its final episode. The show debuted in April 1978, and broke ratings records in 1980 when 83.6 million viewers tuned in to find out "Who Shot J.R.?"

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Where Did Lassie Go?

Where did Lassie go?
And Fido, Rover and Spot?

Once the in-names in the canine world, they have virtually disappeared in Quincy as the annual dog license renewals show.

Carol Damiano and Brenda Fernandez in City Clerk Joseph Shea's Vital Statistics Department notice a big shift in popular names.

Going into this week-with Friday the deadline for license renewals-no Lassie had checked in. No Rover. One Fido. One Spot.

Those once popular names have been nudged aside by the likes of Max (56 so far), Buddy (53), Rocky (37), Lucky (37).

Some of today's other popular names: Bella (33), Maggie and Jake (29 each), Jack (26), Murphy (24), Brady (20), Charlie (19), Rosie (19), Teddy (12), Henry (12) Quincy (7).

Senior citizen, so far, is Shafer, a 17-year old male Bichon Frise. That's the equivalent to a 119-year old human.

And did you know there are a couple of new breeds? The Labradoodle and the Cockapoo. The Labradoodle is a cross between a Labrador and a poodle. And the Cockapoo is a cross between a cocker spaniel and a poodle.

The most popular dog?

It seems to be the Labrador, although those figures have not yet been finalized.

But there were more Labradors than any other breed at the Quincy Health Department's recent rabies clinic reports Michelle Bertoldi. Followed by Golden Retrievers, German Shepherds, Cocker Spaniels and Beagles.

The city's licensed population, which was 1,768 in 2002, has been steadily rising since. Last year's figure was 2,753.

Shea sees it reaching 2,800 this year.

Fee for a dog license he reminds owners is \$10 until Friday's deadline. After that it doubles to \$20.

And don't forget to bring an updated rabies vaccination certificate.

Volunteers Needed For Mass Memories Road Show At Library June 2

Volunteers are needed for the Mass Memories Road Show, which is scheduled to visit Quincy's Thomas Crane Public Library on Saturday, June 2.

The Mass Memories Roadshow is a traveling event at which participants and volunteers aim to protect and record historic photos of each locale through an online database.

The Road Shows are public events where residents interested in preserving local history bring in their pictures or documents related to local history.

Roadshow volunteers then scan the photographs and documents to the database. These documents and photographs become part of the archived online history base for that locale.

The Quincy Road Show

Committee needs greeters, videographers, photographers and translators for the daylong program

Interested persons should contact Joanne Riley at either 617-287-7654 or email Joanne.riley@umb.edu. Additional information on the Road Show project is available at www.massmemories.org.

Vision Deprived Meet To Learn New Skills

Seniors and others with limited vision meet twice a week Tuesdays and Fridays at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., to learn new skills from each other.

For more information, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

TACKEY CHAN has moved on from Senator Michael Morrissey's office to Atty. Gen. Martha Coakley's.

Chan, who had been Research Director of Legislation for Morrissey is now an assistant attorney general in the Division of Energy and Telecommunications.

He and Morrissey were together for 11 1/2 years with a friendship and mutual respect relationship.

"Tackey knew how to get things done," says Morrissey. "He's going to be hard to replace-big shoes to fill."

Chan returns the compliment.

"Mike was great to work for. I learned a lot from him. I would not have got as far if it wasn't for him and the staff."

That staff includes such reliables as former Ward 6 City Councillor Alicia Gardner, Director of Constituent Affairs and Jan Coughlin, office manager.

Chan, a Quincy resident, is treasurer of Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. and was recently appointed to the newly formed Asian American Association by Secretary of State William Galvin.

He is a graduate of Boston College High School, Brandeis University and New England School of Law.

Observers see a political career in his future.

RICHIE PEARSON, downtown Quincy's popular letter carrier, has what he considers the right job for him.



PEARSON

He loves to walk.

Each morning before he starts his route, he does a mile and a half warm-up with colleague Bobby Tagg. He then takes off on his route through Quincy Center and into the outskirts-something like three and a half miles.

And after work, when he gets home?

He's off on another three and a half-mile jaunt making it eight and a half miles for the day.

"It helps keep my weight in check," he says.

SIGN OF A close mayoral race? Two cars with political bumper stickers in St. John's parking lot at Saturday's 4 o'clock Mass. One Mayor William Phelan. The other challenger Tom Koch.

MBTA Job Lottery Open May 7 - June 5

The MBTA, seeking applicants for parttime jobs as bus operators, train attendants and motorpersons, will hold its 2007 Job Lottery beginning Monday, May 7 and ending June 5.

Only on-line applications will be accepted and may be made using the website www.mbta.com.

The MBTA Human Resources Department will have computer terminals available for walk-in applicants at the State Transportation Building, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, Room 4810, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The department will have

a representative on hand to assist applicants with the on-line process.

"This is an excellent employment opportunity for those people who have an interest in working for the MBTA," said Sen. Michael Morrissey. "The entire on-line process takes about 15 minutes."

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

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SCHLOMO: White with black "top hat." Street weary, wants a home of his own.

SOPHIA: Playful 3 y.o. tabby.

TELLY: Black and white 1 y.o. Shy, but he loves belly rubs!

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS 1909 REAL PHOTO postcard was mailed to Hilga Nilson in Providence by her father who was working in the Quincy quarries at the time. One of thousands of immigrant craftsmen who brought their skills from Europe to Quincy, this quarryman proudly stands next to an example of our famous granite that was extracted in blocks like this from the hills of West Quincy. The best-grained dark and blue granite found its use in the form of important monuments, building facades and memorial structures. Lesser grades and scraps were

used for all types of stonework from breakwaters to house foundations and cobblestones. One can only wonder what beautiful polished Quincy Granite memorial standing today was fashioned from this block by one of Quincy's talented artisan stonemasons. The motto of the Quincy Granite Manufacturers Association was "Quincy Granite - Lasting Till Everlasting." To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Human Rights Commission Opposes Legislative Vote On Same-Sex Marriage

Open letter:

As state lawmakers consider a second legislative vote on same-sex marriage, The Quincy Human Rights Commission respectfully calls on area lawmakers Senator Michael Morrissey and Reps. Bruce Ayers, Stephen Tobin and Ronald Mariano to vote against any measure that would put fundamental human rights up for a popular vote.

Our Commission has invested much time and dialog with representatives from both sides of the debate. We've held city meeting on the issue and reflected on countless hours of testimony. We've heard from same-sex couples, some married and some hoping to marry. We've listened to clergy who vehemently oppose same-sex marriage. We've seen the passion on both sides of the debate and continue to respect all points of view.

Through it all, we are unanimous in our belief that tolerance must begin where agreement ends. Our experience with the issue suggests that intolerance for same-sex marriage stems primarily from the religious belief that homosexual relationships are immoral. It is primarily for this reason that we are asking area lawmakers to reject the petition.

There should always be freedom to exercise religion, but equally as important is the freedom from the establishment of religion. This is where our Commission feels the proposed amendment violates civil liberties and becomes destructive.

No constitution has ever been amended to take away existing rights. Our Constitution was created to protect everyone and it should not be changed to discriminate against anyone. Massachusetts could soon hold a pub-

lic vote on the right of same-sex couples to marry. For the first time in our history, we would be allowing one group to vote to restrict the civil rights of another group of people. We respectfully and graciously implore you all to formally reject the same-sex marriage petition.

The April 19th Quincy Sun article about special activities for Point Webster students (page 8) incorrectly calls pi "Einstein's formula."

While Albert Einstein was arguably one of the most brilliant minds of the modern age, one cannot attribute pi to him. Pi is a mathematical constant equal to the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter. The online resource Wikipedia states that "the value of pi has been known in some form

"The humblest citizen in all the land, when clad in the armor of a righteous cause, is stronger than all the hosts of error." (William Jennings Bryan).

Ed Grogan
Chairperson of The
Quincy Human Rights
Commission

Pi And Einstein

since antiquity."

As early as the 19th century BC, Babylonian mathematicians were using $\pi = 25/8$, which is within "0.5% of the true value." Wikipedia further states that the Greek letter pi was used to represent the number in a text in 1706.

Pi's approximate value is 3.14; this is why March 14th is called "pi day." March 14th (1879) is also Albert Einstein's birthday.

Matthew Jarpe
Michelle Morris

Quincy's Yesterdays

21 Appointments Beef Up Police, Fire Depts.

By FRANK McCAULEY

Appointments and promotions of 21 men will beef up and bring into existence the Quincy Police and Fire Departments.

The 21 men representing the largest single change in personnel for the two protective branches in recent years were sworn in this week at City Hall.

It will give both departments more manpower and flexibility and bring into existence a Police Narcotics Division to fight the ominous rise in drug abuse especially among Quincy teenagers.

Mayor James R. McIntyre, who made the appointments and promotions said, "They are needed and will increase the efficiency of both departments, giving Quincy a first class line of defense against both fire and crime."

SECOND PARKING HEARING TO BE SET MONDAY

The City Council will set a date for a second public hearing on the proposed 140 car municipal parking lot on Mechanic Street, at its May 5 regular meeting.

The second hearing is necessary, Council President J. Vincent Smyth noted, because of opposition registered at the first public hearing.

Proponents argued that the project is necessary for the "economic vitality of not only the downtown business district but the city in general."

Opponents countered that the problem is not one of a need for parking but one relieving traffic congestion.

QUINCY-ISMS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Olsen of German town have clocked some 3,000 miles on foot since 1967, averaging 30 miles per week. He is 72 and she is 65... Long-time city health inspector **Clarence Edwards** was honored at a testimonial retirement dinner... **Dante F. Mastro II**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dante F. Mastro, 11 Rosemary Lane, West Quincy, was elected State Recording Secretary of the Student New Hampshire Education Association. Dante is a freshman at New England College, Henniker, N.H.... The Quincy Sunbeams column reported that the perennial candidate **Louis Caruso** was planning to run for the Ward 3 City Council seat... Dentists **Thomas F. Neville** and **Arthur R. Sergi** announced the opening of their office at 372 Washington St., Practice Limited To Oral Surgery... Mr. and Mrs. **Frank Milne**, 64 White St., welcomed a baby daughter born at Quincy City Hospital... The Jewish War Veterans, Post No. 193, held their 30th annual installation of officers at a breakfast meeting in the Jewish Community Center, 10 Merrymount Rd. **George Swartz** was installed as commander... Hancock Tire and Appliance Company, 115 Franklin St., South Quincy, was advertising a 3-cycle GE washer for \$219.88... The Quincy Lodge of Elks awarded two \$600 scholarships to **Sandra McLeod** of Spear St. and **Jeffrey Hughes** of Granite St. Both are 1969 graduates of Quincy High School... The George F. Bryan VFW Post, observed Loyalty Day with a parade and ceremonies at the First Parish Church, Quincy Center... Dacey Bros. Dairy Stores, with four convenient locations in Quincy, was advertising a "Plastic Returnable Gallon Milk Bottle for \$.89 plus deposit"... **Bob Basiliere**, Quincy Junior College basketball coach, resigned after nine years. Basiliere's teams won 116 games while losing only 42... **Guyton Salvucci**, an all-scholastic in football and baseball at Quincy High School, has been the head football coach at American International College (A.I.C.) since 1956... A dedication for a new church addition and a reception in honor of the **Rev. Bedros Baharian** was held at Quincy Point Congregational Church... The **Rev. William Dudley Underhill** began his duties as Rector of St. Chrysostom's Church in Wollaston. Rev. Underhill has previously served as Rector in Wrentham, MA... Mayor **James R. McIntyre**, along with former Mayors **Thomas S. Burgin**, **David S. McIntosh** and **Amelio Della Chiesa**, attended the dedication of the new Public Works Building on Sea St. The building was named in honor of Mayor McIntosh who had served the city in many capacities over the years... Fire Lt. **John R. Menz**, 49 Babcock St., Houghs Neck, was promoted to fire captain... Sergeants **Francis Mullen**, 7 Essex St., and **David Rowell**, 55 Henry St., were promoted to lieutenant in the police department... **Dr. Charles Djerf**, Quincy Rotarian, was presented the Certificate of Achievement Award by his fellow Rotarians for "giving service above self"... The Quincy Co-Operative Bank was celebrating 80 years of service, 1889-1969, to savers and borrowers in Quincy and throughout the South Shore.

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Boston's Big Dig Project Topic At Crane Library May 8

Boston *Globe* reporter Sean Murphy will present the inside scoop on Boston's Big Dig at a free lecture scheduled Tuesday, May 8 at 7 p.m. at Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington Street.

Murphy's lecture entitled "Highway Robbery: The Rise, Fall and Collapse of Boston's Big Dig" traces the \$15 billion Central Artery Project from its beginnings in the 1970's to the collapse of a tunnel ceiling in 2006.

During his presentation, Murphy offers a chronological outline of the

Big Dig and individual sketches of the key players as well as related events. Murphy traces events from the earliest "Big Dig" proposal scribbled on a napkin through five gubernatorial administrations.

"This is the story of politicians, union workers and commuters who have been shoveling the Big Dig's dirt for over 20 years," says Murphy who has spent the past two decades breaking stories on the Big Dig. His published reports include coverage of the state's failure

to hold contractors accountable in 2003.

Murphy, an award winning investigative reporter and editor, researches government documents for his stories. A law school graduate and member of the Massachusetts Bar, Murphy has taught journalism at local colleges and universities, most recently at Tufts University, Boston University, Suffolk University and Eastern Nazarene College.

For more information call Quincy Public Library at 617-376-1301.



ITS SHOWTIME AT NORTH Quincy High School where the Drama Club will present "You Can't Take It With You" at 7:30 p.m. on May 10, May 11 and May 12 and on May 17, May 18, and May 19 at the Black Box Theatre. Club members are shown in the photo above. Standing in the back row (left to right) are Jane Esterquest, Steven Valli, Nora Canavan, Scott O'Connell, Catherine McAloon, Mike Foley, Julianne Ross, Zac Deegan, Ellen DiNicola, Chris Rooney, James Vey, Jackie Moran, Ted Harris. Shown sitting in the front row are Edward Alvero, Courtney Dotoli, Kim Lyons and Keith Tarrant. Club member Kristina Storen is not shown.

NQHS Drama Club To Present 'You Can't Take It With You'

The North Quincy High School Drama Club will present its spring production of "You Can't Take It With You" on six evenings in May.

The shows will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, May 10, May 11, May 12 and the following Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 17, May 18 and May 19.

All shows start at 7:30

p.m. in the Black Box Theatre at the high school.

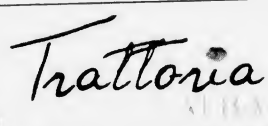
This play by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman tells the story of a delightful family named Sycamore who appears to be quite mad. However, as the plot develops, it actually appears as if the rest of the world is madder by far.

Tickets for each performance can be reserved

by calling the Drama Club office at 617-984-8998. Ticket prices are \$8 for adults and \$5 for students and senior citizens.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.



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Dorothy Quincy House Open To Public May 12

The Dorothy Quincy Homestead, once considered the grandest estate in Quincy, now a National Historic Landmark, will be open to the public Saturday, May 12, between 1 and 4 p.m.

Free tours of the 321-year-old mansion at the corner of Hancock Street and Butler Road will be offered

on the hour and half hour beginning at 1 p.m. The last tour will start at 3:30 p.m.

The Red Herring Morris Dancers will perform during the afternoon on the spacious grounds of the old house on which an extensive renovation, including painting the exterior, is near completion.

The Homestead, the

childhood home of Dorothy Quincy, wife of John Hancock, was a Revolutionary War meeting place of such patriots as Josiah Quincy, John Adams and Hancock.

For more information, visit the website www.nscda.org/ma/quincy_homestead/htm.

NQ Catholic Club To Meet May 10

The North Quincy Catholic Club will meet Thursday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the Sacred Heart School hall, 270 Hancock St., during which John Lukkanen will display his "Dolls of Yesterday."

Chairlady for the evening will be Mrs. Ruth Mullaney and committee applications for the Monsignor Richard Hawks Scholarship will be available from Mrs. Virginia

Moore.

Mrs. Kate Shannon, president, will conduct the business meeting after which a reception for new members will take place.

School Faculty, Students Art Display At Crane Library During May

Quincy's school faculty and students will display their artwork during May at Thomas Crane Public Library on Washington Street, Quincy Center.

School faculty art will be

displayed from May 7 to May 18 in the Coletti Reading Room on the first floor. The following weeks, May 21 to June 1, student artwork will be displayed in the same area.

A public reception will be held Monday, May 21 from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the ground floor atrium.

Call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranelibrary.org for more information.

Quincy Students Spend Spring Break In Service

Marissa Deegan and Julia Berberan, sophomores from Quincy at Saint Michael's College in Colchester, Vt., spent their spring break working as volunteers in the Big Thicket National Preserve in Beaumont, Texas.

Marissa, the daughter of Douglas and MaryLouise Deegan of Squantum, is a psychology major, and Julia,

daughter of William and Julie Berberan of Quincy, is a sociology major at the Catholic liberal arts college.

Both are graduates of North Quincy High School.

Their work in the Big Thicket involved spending some of their time searching for a threatened species of Phlox and studying the diverse ecosystems that in-

clude flatland forests, cypress-tupelo swamps, flood plain forests, wetlands and slope forests.

For the past 21 years, the Saint Michael's College MOVE (Mobilization of Volunteer Efforts) program has sent across the country during spring and winter breaks to participate in a week of service.

Jessica Racca Wed To Jason Lumaghini

A reception at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Woburn followed the recent wedding of Jessica June Racca of Saugus, and Jason Anthony Lumaghini of Quincy. Deacon Joseph Belmont officiated at the ceremony at St. Anthony's Church in Revere.

The bride is the daughter of Maureen Racca of Saugus and the late James Racca. She is also the granddaughter of Daniel Madden, Sr. of Saugus. The groom is the son of Lionel and Marilyn Lumaghini of Quincy. He is the grandson of Rene Lumaghini, Sr. the late Odette S. Lumaghini, and the late Harold and Marion Bertoni.

The bride was escorted by her two uncles, Robert and Anthony Racca.

Joelle Cannon was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were, Melissa Lumaghini, sister of the groom, Jill Fitzpatrick, Kathleen Murphy, Lynne Little, and Diane Babcock.

Olivia and Sophia Baldino, cousins of the groom were flower girls.

Christopher Lumaghini was his brother's Best Man. Ushers were Jason Little, Jeurik Samborski and Charles Feeley, Peter Santerre, and Daniel Cappetta.

The bride graduated from Saugus High School, and received a Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from Framingham State College. She is employed as a Senior



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Casualty Adjuster at Safety Insurance Company in Boston.

The groom graduated from Quincy High School, and received a Bachelor of Science in Business Admin-

istration degree from Stonehill College. He is the owner Top Star Tickets in Abington.

After a wedding trip to Hawaii, the couple live in Rockland.

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And as early as Jan. 8, 2008, travelers by air or sea to and from Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, South and Central America and the Caribbean may be required to present a valid passport.

Now the U.S. Postal Service is making it a bit easier to get one.

The Quincy Post Office, 47 Washington St., will extend its passport application hours on Saturday, May 5, until 4 p.m.

Under normal conditions,

it costs a \$97 fee to process a passport application for an adult, with \$30 going to the Postal Service and \$67 going to the State Department. For persons under 16, the fee is \$82.

For expedited service, \$60 is added to each application, payable to the State Department. Two-way overnight delivery is encouraged with costs made payable to the U.S. Postal Service.

In order to help the process go smoothly and efficiently, the Postal Service recommends the following steps be taken by the passport applicant:

- Bring proper proof of American citizenship — a certified birth certificate, a

previous U.S. passport, a certificate of citizenship or a naturalization certificate. A hospital-issued birth certificate alone won't do.

- Bring proof of identity — a previous U.S. passport, a naturalization certificate, a certificate of citizenship or a current valid driver's license, government ID or military photo ID.

- The passport application requires two recent identical photographs of the applicant. As a convenience, photos can be taken at the Post Office for a \$15 fee.

- To save time, an applicant can download a passport application at www.usps.com/passport to complete an application beforehand.

'Last King Of Scotland' Among Movies This Month At Library

Library officials recently released the May movie schedule planned at Thomas Crane Public Library, Washington Street, Quincy Center. These free movies will be shown on a Thursday evening with a 7 p.m. starting time.

On May 10, *The Last King*

of Scotland will be featured. This film depicts the reign of Ugandan dictator Idi Amin through the eyes of a fictional Scottish doctor who served as Amin's personal physician beginning in the early 1970's. The account traces Amin's reign from its beginnings to Amin's final years of

genocidal tyranny. Running time: 121 minutes. Rated R.

On May 24, the feature film will be *The Bothersome Man* which depicts the adventure of Andreas who arrives in a strange city with no memory of how he got there. He is then presented with a wife, job and apartment, but soon learns he can't get out. In an effort to escape, Andreas teams up with a character called Hugo. The film chronicles their effort to escape to "the other side" and features beautiful music. Running time: 95 minutes. Rated for ages 17 and over.

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VOLUNTEERS FILLED this 10 cubic yard dumpster with trash that littered the shoreline of the Neponset.

Giving Back On Earth Day

Volunteers Clean Neponset Shoreline

On Saturday, April 21, in honor of Earth Day, a group of hard working Quincy residents spent the morning cleaning up trash that littered the shoreline of the Neponset River.

Over a dozen volunteers filled a 10 cubic yard dumpster with tires, propane tanks, and garbage bags full of plastic bottles, Styrofoam cups, and snack wrappers. Nearby friend of the river, Boston Scientific, donated the dumpster for the event. Panera Bread donated bagels for the volunteers.

The clean up effort focused on the segment of the Neponset along Commander Shea Boulevard near the MBTA bridge.

Carly Rocklen, outreach director for the Neponset River Watershed Association (NepRWA), said, "What an inspiring event — weather, food, and camaraderie.



VOLUNTEER LAURA BILOTAS and others carrying trash away from the river's edge.

People put in a lot of effort."

The clean up was organized by the Quincy Environmental Network (QEN) and NepRWA. For more in-

formation on future events like this, visit the QEN website (www.QENet.org) or the NepRWA website (www.neponset.org).

Women's Fitness Classes At Fore River Clubhouse

Quincy Recreation and the Mayor's Commission on Women will conduct registration for two women's fitness classes, which will take place at the Fore River Clubhouse, announces Recreation Director Barry Welch.

Both programs will be held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 8:15

a.m. or 9:15 a.m.

Instructor is Karen Gaughan.

Each class includes exercise to improve and strengthen flexibility, endurance and overall fitness. Adaptations in the exercise allows each participant to work out at their own pace.

Cost of the program is

\$60. Sessions began May 2 and conclude June 29.

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Stice Won't Seek Re-election To School Committee Seat

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needs of orphaned and abandoned children around the world."

She will remain a Staff Associate in the Office of Quincy Constituent Services where she is now also Executive Director of the Affordable Housing Trust Fund.

"Combining doctoral studies with a challenging job in the Office of Constituent Services means that I could not be a fully contributing member of the School Committee," she said.

Stice said she received a letter of acceptance into the doctoral program from Lesley University two weeks ago.

She said her decision not to seek another four-year term on the School Committee was a difficult one.

"Serving on the Quincy School Committee has been the greatest honor of my professional life," she said. "For 16 years, I've loved working with students, families, a wonderful staff and my colleagues on the Committee. From all of you, the Quincy Public Schools family, I have learned and grown."

The doctoral program will help lead her to the role of consultant with an agency such as CARE, UNICEF, World Health Care or a governmental agency.

"Working with the Quincy Public Schools has been both an intellectual challenge and a labor of love," she said.

"I have many people to thank for that privilege, but my deepest gratitude is to the voters of Quincy who have entrusted me with the education and well-being of children. For me there is no higher calling. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for all you have given me."

Stice was first elected to the School Committee in 1991 and served as vice chairman from 1997 to 1999.

She has been chairman of the Policy Sub-Committee since 2000 and is a member and past chairman of the Budget and Special Education Sub-Committee.

Stice has also been a member of the Massachusetts Advisory Committee on Assessment for Early Childhood Education Programs and the Advisory Committee on Assessment for Parent-Child Home Programs.

She served as Executive Director of the Commission on the family from 1995 to 2002. She founded and continues to supervise a prize winning transitional housing program for homeless Quincy families and the Parent to Parent newborn home visiting program.

She founded and chaired the Local Council on After-School Activities, assisting in bringing more than 3 million into the Quincy public schools for before and after-school programs.

She was coordinator of the Quincy Teen Mothers Program and a director of

Survival, Inc., a member of the Impact Quincy Advisory Board, and College Courses, Inc. Board, and the Community Policing Commission.

Stice has received the Quincy Public Schools "Distinguished Educator" award, the Impact Quincy "Community Hero Award", the Mayor's Commission on Woman's "Outstanding Service Award." She has been nominated three years for "The Quincy Sun Citizen of the Year Award."

And as she purposes to fill out her last term on the School Committee, she says:

"I look forward, as you do, to the continued success of a great school system that truly values children and exemplifies excellence, integrity, compassion and innovation."

Her decision not to seek re-election will leave an open-seat on the School Committee, which is expected to attract a number of candidates.

The two other incumbents up for re-election this year, vice chairman Elaine Dwyer and Dave McCarthy, are expected to run.

Nick Puleo, president of the Ward 5 Neighborhood Association announced his candidacy before Stice disclosed her plans to step down.

Nomination papers for the city election became available Tuesday at City Hall.



COMFORT DOLLS knitted for HIV/AIDS orphans in Rwanda are displayed Lois Ferrazzi of Quincy. Each of the five-inch dolls is different and was knitted by hand. A Vermont organization, CHABHA, hopes to send 1000 dolls to Rwanda in the near future.

(Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Bosworth)

Knitting Comfort Dolls For Orphans In Rawanda

Quincy's Lois Ferrazzi recently invited 30 knitters to a Sunday afternoon tea and asked them to make dolls.

She wanted little dolls, just five or six inches high, with brown faces.

Ferrazzi called the little dolls, Duduza or comfort dolls, and told her students that the dolls will be shipped to Africa soon, thanks to a Vermont charity called CHABHA.

In Africa, Rwanda to be specific, the comfort dolls are given to youngsters orphaned and suffering from the AIDS epidemic that is sweeping their

continent. Duduza is the original African name for comfort dolls.

After hearing the story of the Duduzas, Ferrazzi's knitters went to work like elves. The group actually produced 35 little dolls before the tea was cold at The Snow Goose Yarn Shop in Milton. Now these dolls and other dolls made in Cohasset and other New England towns will go to Rwanda.

Actually, CHABHA's goal is for many, many more Duduzas because there are never enough Duduzas to meet the demand.

According to CHABHA's founder, Susanna Grannis,

she brought 250 Duduzas to Rwanda recently and 1000 children showed up. Now Grannis is hoping to send 1000 Duduzas to Rwanda with the next shipment planned for October.

Grannis describes her trip and CHABHA's goal and other projects on the CHABHA web site, www.chabha.org. The website also includes the pattern for making the comfort dolls.

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THE CITY OF Quincy recently celebrated National Community Development Week with a host of activities, including a Friday Fitness Fun Program at the Beechwood Community Life Center. Above, seniors enjoy shooting baskets in the center's gym. *Stephen Connolly Photo*



RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY was held recently at 356 Washington St., the city's newest affordable housing project that will provide permanent supportive housing for at least five chronically homeless individuals. Mayor William Phelan (fourth from left) cuts the ribbon at a ceremony during Community Development Week. Looking on are (from left): Steve Borgerson, vice president and regional manager of Residential Lending, Rockland Trust; Taylor Caswell, New England regional director of the U.S. Department of HUD; Pastor Adolf Wisnar (chairman of Fr. Bill's Place Board of Directors); Normand Grenier, executive director, Neighborhood Housing Services; Nancy Callanan, David Kilnapp, Chairman, Neighborhood Housing Services Board of Directors; Rev. William McCarthy; Robert Corley, director of Housing Development; and Dennis E. Harrington. *Robert Noble Photo*

Mayor Phelan Proclaims

Community Development Week 'A Great Success'

Quincy's participation in National Community Development Week was "a great success," announces Mayor William Phelan.

This year's theme was "Building Stronger Communities: Telling the Story, Promoting the Success." Community Development Week was recognized April 9-13.

Since 1975, the Community Development Block Grant program has provided more than \$64 million to the City of Quincy for community development programs related to housing rehabilitation, first-time homebuyers, public facilities, economic development, public services, handicapped accessibility, affordable housing, and public works projects.

"The Community Development Block Grant program has greatly contributed to the overall improvement of the physical, economic, and social conditions of our city," Phelan said.

Several recent events highlighted the positive impacts Quincy Community Block Grants and similar federal programs have had in Quincy.

The Community Development Week celebration began April 9 with a first anniversary tour and reception at

the Germantown Neighborhood Center Food Pantry.

On April 10, the Ward 4 Community Center joined in the celebration by unveiling its new "Pokemon Club" to the delight of several dozen area children.

Three events held April 11 culminated Community Development Week. The day began with the mayor joining the city's Fair Housing Committee to announce the recent updates made to the city's Five-Year Housing Plan, and to announce the opening of the public comment period with respect to the plan.

Later that same morning, Phelan gave the keynote address at a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 356 Washington St., which is the city's newest affordable housing project that will provide permanent supportive housing for at least five chronically homeless individuals.

When speaking about Quincy's 10-year plan to end chronic homelessness, the mayor said, "We are almost four years ahead of schedule in creating this much-needed supportive housing. The chronically homeless population in the City of Quincy has decreased by nearly 56 percent in the past three



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN (standing) addresses members of the Quincy Fair Housing Committee. The city's Community Development Block Grant program, by the end of this fiscal year, will have created a suitable living environment for an estimated 12,132 low- and moderate-income residents and will have provided decent affordable housing for 150 individuals and four households. *Stephen Connolly Photo*

years."

Along with a federal McKinney-Vento grant of more than \$450,000 and a partnership with Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore and Rockland Trust, the City of Quincy is committing \$350,000 of HOME Program funding to this project. In addition, the Massachusetts Department of Housing and Urban Development is committing over \$1 million to this project.

Phelan was joined on the dais by Taylor Caswell, the New England regional director of the U.S. Department of

Housing and Urban Development.

Three community development awards were presented at the Washington Street event.

The first annual Mayor's Community Service Award was presented by Mayor Phelan to Sandra Buckley, director of the Squantum Community Center.

Robert Card of the city's Housing Rehabilitation Office, was given an award for having served the City of Quincy for nearly 20 years under the Community Development Block Grant Program.

The third award was presented to Nancy Callanan, community development director of the City of Quincy. Her plaque was presented in recognition of her leadership in managing Quincy's Community Development Block Grant Program with a positive attitude, clear focus, and an open mind.

On April 12, the Atlantic Neighborhood Center sponsored an English as a Second Language (ESL) class and senior luncheon.

Community Development events ended April 13 with two programs in the northern part of the city. The

Beechwood Community Life Center started things off with their "Friday Fitness Fun" program. An open house of the senior program at the Squantum Community Center followed.

In all, the City of Quincy showcased eight community development programs over a five-day period.

By the end of this fiscal year, Quincy's Community Development Block Grant Program will have created a suitable living environment for an estimated 12,132 low- and moderate-income residents and will have provided decent affordable housing for 150 individuals and four households. In addition, an estimated 7,155 individuals and four businesses will have directly benefited from economic opportunity programs under the umbrella of the Community Development Block Grant Program.

"I am very pleased with the large number of people we are able to serve under this program, and I was delighted to see so many people attend the events of Community Development Week," Phelan said. "It is very important for our citizens to know about these vital programs, which assist us in moving Quincy forward."



SANDRA BUCKLEY (center), director of the Squantum Community Center, is the first recipient of the first "Mayor's Community Service Award." She was presented the award during the city's observance of Community Development Week. With her are Mayor William Phelan and Nancy Callanan, community development director for the City of Quincy.



NANCY CALLANAN, community development director for the City of Quincy, receives a plaque recognizing her leadership in managing Quincy's Community Development Block Grant program. Presenting the award are Mayor William Phelan (left) and Quincy Planning Director Dennis Harrington.



ROBERT CARD (center), who works in the City of Quincy's Office of Housing Rehabilitation, receives an award in recognition of serving the city for nearly 20 years under the Community Development Block Grant Program. With him are Mayor William Phelan (left) and Dennis E. Harrington, Quincy planning director. *Robert Noble Photos*

Mayor Urges Year-Round Cleaner, Greener Philosophy

Mayor William Phelan urges Quincy businesses and residents to adopt a "Cleaner, Greener" philosophy not just for one day, but for the entire year.

"We are a large city, yet we maintain a great small-town neighborhood feel here in Quincy," said Phelan. "Quincy residents are extremely proud of their city and it's reflected in the way people maintain their properties. As I've said before, a beautiful yard can make a beautiful neighborhood and beautiful neighborhoods can make a beautiful city. I thank all those folks who work hard, and it is hard work, to keep their properties looking

great."

Quincy recently conducted a successful "Yard Care Conference" where experts are brought in to coach residents on how best to maintain their lawns, gardens, and flowers.

This Saturday, more than 1,000 residents are expected to fan out across Quincy's parks, playgrounds, beaches, marshes and open space areas to give the city a spring cleanup.

"Combining the resources of city government with the passion that people have for their neighborhoods, we are able to accomplish a great deal in one day," Phelan said. "But Cleaner,

Greener is about more than one day; it is an attitude that needs to be adopted throughout the year to keep our city looking great."

Specifically, Phelan called upon coffee shops and convenience stores to assign personnel to keep the outside of their stores consistently clean.

"One bad neighbor can have trash blowing throughout a neighborhood," Phelan said. "If there is a problem in your neighborhood, I urge you to contact the City Code Enforcement Officer immediately."

The City Code Enforcement Officer can be reached at (617) 376-1450.

Scholarship Applications Ready At Montclair School

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fice until the end of the school year and again in September and must be submitted by Friday, Sept. 14 at the Montclair School, 8 Belmont St., Quincy.

For more information, call 617-984-8708.

McNamee To Seek Second Term On Council

Ward 6 City Councillor Brian McNamee will formally announce his candidacy for a second term Thursday, May 31, at a fundraising reception from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at the Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy.

McNamee pledged to place continued focus on city finances, insuring community input and oversight of development, promoting traffic and pedestrian safety and ensuring that neglectful property owners do not destroy the residential fabric of neighborhoods.

"We have made some significant progress in improving the quality of life in Ward 6," he said, "but much work remains."

Among the achievements of his first term, McNamee listed an agreement with



BRIAN MCNAMEE

Boston's Health and Hospital Unit to stop using the North Quincy T station as a transportation hub for clients of its homeless shelter on Long Island.

Individuals from Boston seeking the services of the shelter are now transported to and from the JFK/UMass MBTA station.

McNamee also focused on what he called "the forgotten streets" of Ward 6.

"Many residents who live on streets where some level of neglect has crept in, know that I have aggressively utilized every resource available to me to ensure that their streets are clean and safe," he said.

"I have worked closely with the rooming house task force, the code enforcement officer, community police officers, the Park Department, Traffic and Public Works to insure the maximum delivery of city services."

All are welcome to attend the May 31 reelection fundraiser regardless of contribution, but if you wish to contribute to McNamee's reelection campaign, the suggested amount is \$100 per person.

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John Ridge Graduates Marine Basic Training

North Quincy's John E. Ridge graduated from basic training at Parris Island, South Carolina where he earned awards for physical training and marksmanship. He will complete his training at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

John, the son of John and Debbie Ridge, graduated from North Quincy High School in 2006.



JOHN RIDGE

New Krabby Joe's Owner Gets License

The License Board Tuesday granted a common victualer all alcoholic license to Kristie Hendrikson, now owner at Krabby Joe's, 30 Victory Rd. with the same restriction that all patrons are off the property by 11 p.m.

The board granted a pledge of license presently held by Di-Jo Corp.

Hendrikson, who also owns Siro's adjacent to Krabby Joe's at Marina Bay told the board she has been

"cleaning up and painting the establishment." She said they are also replacing the floor and roof.

She said the name will remain the same and that the menu will be gourmet pizza only.

Because of a noise issue Hendrikson said she plans to drop down sides on the side facing residents in the West Building.

Plans for opening are set for mid May.

Rummage Sale At Christ Church

A rummage sale will be held at Christ Church Episcopal, Quincy, this Friday and Saturday. The Friday sale will run from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. and the Saturday

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Phelan Announces Comprehensive City Environmental Initiative – 'Act Locally'

Mayor William Phelan utilized the celebrations of Earth Day and Arbor Day to announce a five-point plan to help improve our local and global environment.

Labeling his new initiative, "Act Locally", the plan lays out steps that Quincy's local government will be taking over the next 12 months to help improve the environment.

"This issue of the quality of our environment is too important to simply rely on other levels of government," said Phelan. "We must act in unison with Federal and State officials to improve our world and our local environment for the better. There are important steps that we can all take, as a government, as neighborhoods, and as individuals, that can collectively make a major impact on the quality of our local and global environment."

Phelan announced that the five major tenants of the "Act Locally" initiative include:

- Developing renewable energy sources, possibly including a wind turbine (s), photovoltaics, and harnessing of landfill gasses, in Quincy in the next 24 months.
- A major overhaul of all city infrastructure to improve the City's energy efficiency by more than 25% in the coming 18 months and reduce water usage efficiency by more than 30%.
- Reconstituting the city's "Recycling Committee" to educate and encourage residents to recycle more and waste less.
- Adopting procurement policies that focus on more environmentally friendly products.
- The preservation of precious remaining open space.

Renewable Energy:

The City of Quincy has been working with the Massachusetts Technology Collaborative for the past three years to investigate the possibility of creating a wind turbine in Quincy. An initial site assessment of the entire

city, led to the installation of wind testing equipment being installed on existing towers at Quarry Hills and the Quincy Police Station. The data gathering process will be completed this summer and the results will be analyzed to determine feasibility.

"Mayor Phelan has been a strong supporter of renewable energies since first taking office," said P.J. Foley, local environmentalist and volunteer for the Mayor's renewable energy team. "He has provided us the opportunity to deliberately explore the possibilities of wind energy in Quincy with an eye toward our environment and saving taxpayers' money."

Information from the anonymous is currently being analyzed by the wind laboratory at U-Mass Amherst. Comprehensive wind data should be available to the City in the summer of 2007.

The Center for Technical Education is undertaking a project that will install a small wind machine and solar panels to help educate students about the importance of renewable, natural energy sources. North Quincy High School currently has solar panels on their roof. The project is being undertaken with significant help from IBEW Local 103 and other business partners.

Energy Efficiency:

Quincy is poised to become the first community in Massachusetts to take advantage of new State law to save millions of dollars in improved energy efficiency. An energy audit has been completed at 41 municipal buildings. Improvements to boilers, lighting systems, heating systems, windows, doors, and buildings will save the City millions of dollars in the coming years.

Added Mayor Phelan, "not only will we be improv-

ing the learning and working environments in our schools and public buildings, we can make a huge difference in the energy consumption in our city. Quincy is proud to be the first community to undertake such a comprehensive energy efficiency effort."

The city is aiming to invest \$32 million in energy efficiency upgrades. The capital investment will be paid for in large part by the captured savings on lower utility bills and more accurate accounting on water usage.

Mayor Phelan thanked City Council President Doug Gutro for his support and advocacy for such an energy efficiency program.

Recycling:

Mayor Phelan will appoint 10 citizens to the Quincy Recycling Committee in early May. The committee will be charged with examining ways to further promote and encourage recycling in the city of Quincy.

The City of Quincy has recently launched a program to end co-mingling of trash and recyclable materials at every school building.

"Above all else, it is imperative that our schools set the example of what we should do in our community," said Superintendent Rick DeCristofaro. "I want to thank the DPW and all our principals and administrators for helping lead our children down the right environmental and educational paths relative to recycling."

The City of Quincy saves hundreds of thousands of dollars on an annual basis by separating recyclable materials from its general waste.

Environmentally-Sound Procurement:

Mayor Phelan is introducing an Executive Order requiring that the Purchasing Department issue specific standards and guidelines pertaining to environmentally friendly products that avoid toxins and help protect our future environment. City Ordinances have been adopted in Buffalo and Se-

attle that create a similar mandate for municipal purchasing.

"We are a major consumer of goods and products and our purchasing can impact our employees, students, and the public in general," said Phelan. "I want to ensure that cleaning products, light fixtures, lawn maintenance products and other goods are purchased with the health and safety of our people and environment foremost in our minds."

The City has already undertaken steps to improve the environmental quality of its purchasing by installing light fixtures with the lowest standard level of mercury.

Protecting the Local Environment:

Mayor Phelan has advocated for the further protection of open space through the City's new Community Preservation Act, adopted by voters in November 2006. The Mayor has suggested the Committee consider a short-term bond to allow for the immediate protection of valuable open space permits.

The City purchased a bird sanctuary at Lot 23 in Marina Bay and a waterfront boatyard in Houghs Neck two years ago.

Added Phelan, "It is my hope that the Community Preservation Committee considers the unique opportunity to protect our valuable open space in perpetuity. In a dense city, trees and open space have an increased value in producing cleaner air and providing a natural space to put the bustle and jar of the city far away."

Mayor Phelan will include money in the Fiscal Year 2008 City Budget Appropriation for additional tree plantings. Last year, the Mayor included tree-planting money in the budget for the first time in decades. The City is finishing up a contract that will plant more than 400 new trees citywide. Quincy has been recognized as a "Tree City USA" by the National Arbor Day Foundation in each year of Phelan's term in office.

Phelan thanked the residents who have long lobbied for the local environment in Quincy, and specifically highlighted the efforts of the Quincy Environmental Network.

"I applaud the work that the QEN has done in raising local environmental awareness. I firmly believe that if every city and town follows the lead of Quincy and undertakes the steps we are taking, our entire world environment will benefit. And our work doesn't stop here. We are trying to create a mindset where the present and future quality of our environment drives our decision making process. We must act locally to ensure a better future for our community and our world."

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, May 7

Taco quesadilla, chunky salsa sauce, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, May 8

Baked lasagna, meat and tomato sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, fruit juice. *Early release middle and high schools.*

Wednesday, May 9

Grilled chicken cutlet, lettuce and tomato on a French roll, potato wedges, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Thursday, May 10

Cinnamon glazed French toast with sausage patty, applesauce cup, fruit juice, maple syrup.

Friday, May 11

Tuna salad sandwich, baked potato chips, cup of tomato soup, carrot and celery sticks, fruit juice.

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, May 7

Pizza, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, May 8

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, May 9

Beef patty with cheese on a bun, potato puffs, fruit cup.

Thursday, May 10

French toast sticks, sausage links, maple syrup, applesauce, fruit juice.

Friday, May 11

Breaded turkey cutlet on a bulgie roll, potato puffs, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Atty. General Coakley Keynote Speaker

Awards To Be Presented At Quincy Court Law Day

Attorney General Martha Coakley, the first woman to hold that state-wide post, will deliver the main address today (Thursday) at Law Day ceremonies at Quincy District Court, One Dennis Ryan Parkway.

The observance will get underway at 9:30 a.m.

Three Quincy police officers will be among those

receiving the coveted Robert P. Dana Award for distinguished service in law enforcement.

They are Lt. Charles Santoro and Officers Michael Sullivan and John Leuchte for their actions on Nov. 14, 2006, in saving the life of an 81-year-old man who suffered a heart attack while driving his car.

Santoro witnessed the accident and, without regard for his own health and safety, administered CPR until Sullivan and Leuchte arrived with a defibrillator.

Three officers from the Cohasset Police Department and four from the Weymouth Police Department also will be given Dana Awards.

The Dana Award, named for a state police officer who was slain in the line of duty, will be presented by District Attorney William Keating.

Guido Pettinelli, recently retired after a long career as safety officer in the Quincy Police Department, will receive the James R. McIntyre Humanitarian Award.

Francis Bellotti of Quincy, the former state attorney general and lieutenant governor, is down to get the Rabbi Jacob Mann Social Justice Award.

The Quincy Court Jason Feldman Outstanding Citizen Award will go to William Mignosa and Attorney

William Sullivan will receive the Alfred P. Malaney Award.

State Trooper George Demos will receive the Mark S. Charbonnier Award.

The winner of the Timothy J. Spillane Outstanding District Court Prosecutor Award will be announced at the ceremony as will the winner of the Dennis F. Ryan Student Essay Contest.

Phyllis Field, president of the Quincy Bar Association, will set the day's events in

motion followed by greetings from Mayor William Phelan of Quincy.

Mark S. Coven, first justice of the Quincy District Court, will deliver remarks and introduce Martha Coakley, the Law Day speaker.

Father Raymond Kiley, curate of St. John the Baptist Church, will give the invocation, and Rabbi Shmuel Bronstein of the Hingham Quincy Chabad will give the benediction.

Granite Railway Tours Start 1st May Weekend

Public tours of the Granite Railway, the nation's first chartered commercial railroad, from its 1826 terminus at Bunker Hill Ledge in West Quincy to the Neponset River wharf in East Milton, will begin the first weekend in May.

A \$10 donation is requested from all participants.

There will be two guided, limited-capacity, 3 1/2 hour tours a day at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, May 5 and 6, June 16 and 17 and July 21 and 22. Sunday morning tours are run only with sufficient advance reservations.

Special tours may be arranged for pre-formed groups.

Convenient meeting place is the Quincy Historical Society, 8 Adams St., Quincy Center, but pickup is also available at the Milton T station at 8:30 a.m. to ride a restored PCC car on the Ashmont-Mattapan "High Speed Line."

The tour will visit surviving segments of the old right-of-way, some quarries with spectacular views, the 1830 double track incline, the Neponset River wharf and some structures significant to the granite, iron and railroad industries in Quincy.

Big Sisters Orientation Session In Quincy May 15

Big sisters are needed to offer little girls special memories of fun and friendship, those "Little Moments" that create "Big Magic."

Interested volunteers can apply at either one of two Orientation Sessions scheduled in Quincy on Tuesday, May 15 by the Big Sister Association of Greater Boston.

The first session will be held from noon to 1 and the second from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Monroe Building, 1245

Hancock Street.

Volunteers must be 20 years or older. Interested persons can call 617-236-8060 or visit www.bigsister.org for more information.

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Keating Would Try Young Witness Intimidators As Adults

Usually, when you think of witness intimidation, you think of the mean streets of the inner city where the gangbangers rule right up to the steps of the courthouse and sometimes beyond.

But, warns Norfolk District Attorney Bill Keating, don't overlook the problem of courthouse bullying right here in the suburbs.

"There has been an increase in witness intimidation in Norfolk County," he said. "Don't look at it as geographical. It's generational. The young among here don't view it as a crime."

That's why he was instrumental in filing a bill that would allow prosecutors to strip some young intimidators of juvenile protections and try them as adults with adult penalties.

That means that those between the ages of 14 and 18



WILLIAM KEATING

who are convicted could go to jail for as long as 10 years but, more important, they could be tried in open court for all to see.

Right now, teens found guilty of intimidation might be committed to the Department of Youth Services (DYS) until they are 18. More likely they would receive probation after a trial closed to the public.

"It has a direct affect on other cases," said Keating. "It is important that we go forward in an open setting so that word gets out that it is a crime to intimidate a witness."

"We have the option of treating teens as adults in some ways now, like conviction for offenses committed with a firearm, murder or a past DYS sentence."

The bill, sponsored by Sen. Robert Creighton Jr., not only allows an open trial and adult penalties but still gives a judge the ability to give the offender a shorter sentence or commit him or her to the DYS.

"We want to look at the crime more seriously," said Keating. "Changing the law will not eradicate something. But it will be one more tool in the toolbox if the prosecutor chooses to use it."

Union Chief Challenges City's Ranking On FBI List

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Patrolman's union president Bruce Tait Monday challenged the city's ranking as "second safest city" in the state, claiming the statistics used in the FBI report were skewed by computer glitches in 2004 and 2005.

Tait told the City Council's Public Safety Committee that police officers were still learning a new computer system in those years so "the crime statistics were very under-reported."

When police officers filed their reports in those years, "they kept getting error messages. Back then, it was an absolute nightmare."

Not only were certain crimes under-reported, Tait said there were changes in FBI categories that inaccurately indicated fewer arrests. For example, Tait said that domestic incidents are no longer entered as ARR for arrests, but as referrals.

Committee Chair Jay Davis noted that total recorded arrests dropped from 10,000 to 7,000 and 8,000 in recent years.

Later in the meeting, Police Chief Robert Crowley disputed Tait's facts regarding the FBI report which has been used by the mayor and the chief to promote Quincy as the "second safest city" in the state. Crowley said the figures used were actually from more recent years.

The FBI makes no such rankings and discourages that use of the municipal crime reports.

Raymond later asked Crowley why he used the FBI statistics against the agency's wishes.

"There's got to be a measurement somehow," said Crowley.

Raymond then asked what city the chief would choose for comparison purposes.

"I don't know," said

Crowley.

Davis's committee had invited both Tait and Police Chief Robert Crowley to Monday's meeting to review a resolution submitted by Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond.

The meeting is part of an ongoing discussion of police issues by the Public Safety Committee, which has asked Crowley and Tait to meet and resolve the bitter divide between union and management.

"I think it's almost impossible to get a meeting together," said Crowley. "They want a stenographer. They're not going to get one."

Some 30 uniformed police officers attended the meeting in support of their president Tait while, on the other city of City Council chambers, a dozen high ranking officers sat with or behind Crowley.

Davis asked both Tait and Crowley to review each of the seven points in Raymond's resolution.

Point 7 recommends a review and analysis of crime statistics. "We're going to contract with a private company to crunch the numbers," Tait said.

As for good news out of the police department, both Tait and Crowley, separately, agreed that the current budget does cover the department's capital needs. However, Tait said the officers were disappointed that the canine unit did not get the promised new canine recruits.

Davis asked Crowley to describe the status of several high-cost projects, including a new generator but Crowley said, "I don't know."

In addition, both Davis and Crowley praised the new training program which includes simulated gun training with paint balls as well as hostage and hijacking

simulations in buildings.

There was no agreement on the other points of Raymond's resolution and neither the chief nor Tait appears ready to budge on their requirements for a sit-down meeting.

Tait said the union wants a stenographer and Crowley said no way.

As for morale, Tait said, "The morale, if anything, is worse. Our most senior member was dumped (after the last meeting with City Council)"

Davis asked Tait to provide specific instances where the department's training levels were too low and Tait described an incident on St. Patrick's Day.

"We were running around like chickens with our heads cut off," Tait said officers described that night.

In addition, Raymond referred to situation where an individual was arrested and then released because there were not enough officers on duty to transfer him to a hospital.

Raymond had the police report which was copied for other councillors and then destroyed. Davis cited federal privacy laws and none of the councillors discussed the details.

"I'd like to know if it's an ongoing problem," Davis said of the situation where the on-duty sergeant did not call in additional help.

"Once is outrageous enough," said Raymond.

As for the future, Tait said the drug unit should be doubled because the city's "drug problem is out of control."

No action was taken by the committee whose members include Davis, Raymond, Councillor John Keenan and Ward 6 councillor Brian McNamee.

Quincy Medical Center Golf Tournament May 14

Despite the cold weather, Quincy Medical Center is focused on spring and their annual Quincy Medical Center Golf Classic, to be held on Monday, May 14 at the Granite Links Golf Club at Quarry Hills in Quincy, Milton.

Several South Shore business leaders have stepped up to volunteer their time and talents in the planning of the Classic.

They include Committee Chair, Arthur Connelly, Chairman of South

Shore Savings Bank, Anthony Agnitti, Agnitti Insurance Agency, Mark Bertman, Rogers Jewelry, Richard Cahill, Jack Conway & Company, Martin Cowick, Great Harbor Benefits Insurance Agency, Robert Curry, Curry ACE Hardware, Walter Fraser, Fraser Market Strategies, Grace Murphy-McAuliffe, Citizens Bank, Peter Racicot, Fallon Ambulance Service, Chris Sleet, Granite Links Golf Club and Donald Uvanitte, Eastern Insurance.

In addition, several local businesses have already signed on as major sponsors of this year's Classic, including:

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Proceeds from this year's tournament will benefit the Medication Safety Program at Quincy Medical Center, a proactive performance improvement initiative to enhance patient care and safety.

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Funds Added To Extend Shore Drive Repaving

An additional \$600,000 in state funds has been made available to extend the repaving of Quincy Shore Drive from East Squantum Street to Furnace Brook Parkway.

The original project design of the \$7 million restoration of Wollaston Beach called for the repaving of the Drive only from Fenno to Billings Streets.

But the efforts of the Quincy legislative delegation convinced the Patrick Administration that repaving the Drive along the beach from end to end was a critical component of the restoration project.

"I am extremely pleased with the quick response of

the Patrick Administration and the secretary of Environmental Affairs, Ian Bowles, to our call for more funding to finish the entire project," said Sen. Michael Morrissey.

"These funds demonstrate the spirit of cooperation between the Legislature and the Patrick Administration that will allow this critical project to get the funding it needs," said Rep. Bruce Ayers.

The legislative delegation pledged to continue to push for rapid completion of the restoration project in time for the summer months.

"We continue to push the DCR administrators as quickly as possible people can use the beach," said Rep. Stephen Tobin.

Anti-Blight Ordinance Gets Approval

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falling apart," reported Tom Costello of Lincoln Avenue where he said one house has "more animals in there than the San Diego Zoo."

"The mayor said there's nothing we can do," Costello said that he and his neighbors have been rebuffed at the city level but added, "I bet you money Cohasset and Newton have ways to do something about it."

"What does it take? A sledgehammer on the head," asked Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond after reviewing Costello's paper trail which began over a year ago. "We have no laws."

"I'm told we don't have any ordinance that has any impact," said Coughlin, explaining the inaction at the official level.

"I'm proud of this city," said Amy Piscanti of Winthrop Avenue who described neglected storefronts with trash on Newport Avenue. "It's deplorable."

"It's imperative that you pass this. We need this badly," Kay Borek of Grandview Avenue told the committee after her neighbors described a neglected home.

The committee chaired by Jay Davis of Ward 4 not only agreed that the time is right for the passage of stiffer laws but thanked Coughlin for preparing the ordinance.

"Thank you for making this a priority for us," Davis said after the vote, adding, "This is an excellent step to resolve these problems."

"This ordinance gives

them to ability take enforcement action," Councillor John Keenan said, noting that officials now can only deal with conditions that are visible from the street. Now, he believes there will be "teeth in the ordinance."

"I'm hoping this is legally sufficient," said Raymond who found the residents' photographs "just unbelievable."

Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee supported the motion after noting that neglect is contagious, has a "demoralizing effect on a neighborhood and can be a neighborhood buster."

McNamee also reported that the city will be demolishing a long empty house in Squantum that has been condemned.



A CAKE DECORATING contest was recently held by St Ann's Cub Scout Pak 21. The Tiger Cub winners were (left to right) cub Tom Kelly with his dad Tim Kelly and cub Steve Andrews with his dad Bill Andrews.

Complaint Against Restaurant Placed On File

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

The License Board Tuesday placed on file a violation of the rules and regulations of the License Board at Sarsfields, 1454 Hancock St. because of an incident on March 18.

Officer Sean Glennon told the board that on that night, the bartender asked him to escort a patron out of the place because she said he was "intoxicated."

Glennon said when he got out on the sidewalk, one of

the patrons waiting in line to get in the club, began fighting with the man the officer escorted.

When Glennon tried to stop the patron from fighting, he tackled him. They both fell on the ground and the patron almost grabbed the belt that the handcuffs were on, said Glennon.

Police Chief Robert Crowley said he thought Sarsfields, should have been "more vigilant" in realizing that the officer was in trouble

and should have called 911.

Glennon said he called the police station and within minutes, a police car arrived.

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Cleaner, Greener Quincy Cleanup Set For Saturday

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pate on Saturday," said Phelan. "Each year, this event not only makes a significant visible impact on the appearance of our neighborhoods but, more importantly, strengthens community spirit, which contributes to the desirability of our city and our neighborhoods."

Residents are encouraged to join a cleanup site in their neighborhood and there is still time to designate additional sites. To designate a site, contact the Park Department at (617) 376-1251. The

Park Department will also support the cleanup effort by providing the necessary tools including rakes, brooms, bags, gloves and other equipment. In addition the Department of Public Works and Allied Waste, who had dedicated trucks and manpower to assist with the cleanup efforts, will be on hand to haul refuse and other debris collected throughout the day.

Following the cleanup, Phelan will host an appreciation

cookout where t-shirts will be distributed to all volunteers at the Park & Recreation Complex (One Merrymount Parkway) at 12:30 p.m. Hannaford Supermarket in North Quincy is donating a portion of the food, paper goods and supplies for the barbecue.

For more information on Cleaner, Greener or to organize a cleanup site, contact the Quincy Park Department at (617) 376-1251 or kkeohane@ci.quincy.ma.us.

Wollaston Beach Friends To Hold Picnic In Park

The Friends of Wollaston Beach will co-host a "Picnic in the Park," Saturday, May 12, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Caddy Memorial Park on Quincy Shore Drive.

Families of all sizes are invited to bring their own

picnic lunches and listen to an informational presentation of Native American finds in the park.

The State Department of Conservation & Recreation is co-host of the picnic, which is being held as part

of the state-wide observance of "Park Serve Day."

The Friends of Wollaston Beach will hold its monthly meeting today (Thursday) at 7 p.m. at the Nickerson American Legion Post, 20 Moon Island Rd., Squantum

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Councillors Ask Police Union President To Stop Using Offensive Nicknames

By LAURA GRIFFIN

City councillors Monday asked police union President Bruce Tait to stop using offensive nicknames for city officials on his website, particularly his unprintable tagline for Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis.

"I leave the name-calling out of it," Councillor John Keenan told Tait, adding, "Let's bring dignity to the table, engage in civil discourse."

Keenan said that the problems disturbing the police department won't be solved without dialogue and there can not be a dialogue with personal insults.

"Let's put all of that aside," Keenan urged Tait.

Keenan addressed the issue after Davis asked Tait to stop using the derisive

"Please pick up the phone and call me if you have any problem," said Davis.

Tait defended his nickname for Davis by saying he is a criminal lawyer "slavishly defending" clients arrested by Quincy Police. For that reason, Tait doesn't believe Davis should chair the Public Safety Committee.

Davis pointed out that fellow committee member Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond was also a defense lawyer. Keenan said that he, too, had done defense work.

In fact, Davis said that Tait's fellow officers had occasionally called him on criminal issues.

The heated exchange regarding Tait's website followed the committee's hearing on police issues at which both Tait and Chief Robert Crowley testified.

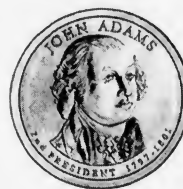
On the same website, Tait has used a nickname for Crowley. Councillor John Keenan said the practice of name-calling must stop if there is ever to be solutions to the police department's divide.

At previous council meetings, councillors have objected to other derogatory comments on Tait's website, particularly his labels for certain sections of the city and his description of criminal elements.

The split between Crowley and the police union became public last October when the police union voted "no confidence" in the chief.

Some 30 uniformed police officers accompanied Tait to the City council chambers for the meeting and they stood and applauded him after his testimony.

John Adams Dollar Coin Due Out May 22



They tried Susan B. Anthony but not even the liberated women she served could rescue her. They tried Sacajawea but Lewis & Clark's Indian girl suffered the same fate.

Now they're trying John Adams.

A one dollar coin bearing the likeness of John Adams will be put into general circulation here in Quincy Tuesday, May 22, with ceremonies planned for the Adams National Historical Park.

Dollar coins have never been popular among the big spenders in America — witness the demise of those that were minted to honor Susan

year.

Issuance of the John Adams coin is important enough to attract the attendance of Edmund C. Moy, director of the U.S. Mint.

Activities at the May 22 event are sponsored by Discover Quincy, Quincy 2000 Collaborative, the Quincy Partnership, the National Park Service and the Patriot Ledger.

The sponsors are encouraging local businesses to use the Adams coins instead of paper bills when they make change.

Who knows? John Adams may succeed at the cash register where Susan B. Anthony and Sacajawea failed.

Paving Season Begins In Merrymount, Wollaston

Mayor William Phelan and DPW Commissioner Steve O'Donnell announce that Quincy's paving season is underway with projects in Merrymount and Wollaston.

In Merrymount, four streets will be completely repaved and new sidewalks will be installed. Hobomack Road, Chickatabot Road, Algonquin Road and Wampatuck Road will be completely redone under the current contract. New sidewalks will be installed throughout the four neighborhood streets.

In Wollaston, work is un-

derway to replace the near century-old water main under Standish Avenue. Upon completion of the infrastructure work, the streets and sidewalks will be replaced.

"I appreciate the patience and cooperation of residents and we work toward improving our neighborhoods," said Phelan. "The end product of new streets and sidewalks will be worth the inconveniences of construction. We will continue to work on improving the overall condition of our streets and sidewalks in the coming year."

O'Donnell urged residents to use Standish Avenue for their commute to consider alternative routes.

"It's easier for everyone," said O'Donnell. "We will keep the impacts to a minimum, but we recognize that many people use this street during commuting hours."

Phelan is including \$1 million in the current Budget Appropriation for continuation of the City's Pave-

ment Management Plan; a systematic approach to daunting repairs needed by Quincy's roads.

Phelan also appropriated \$2.2 million for citywide sidewalk repairs, which is currently ongoing.

"The Mayor has given us the resources to take a big bite out of the problem and now that the asphalt plants are open, we start rolling hard," said O'Donnell.

Paving projects in Squantum, Houghs Neck and West Quincy will take place in the early Spring. Phelan is set to announce the next round of summer paving sometime in May.

If residents have questions or concerns about a paving project, they can call the DPW office from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at (617) 376-1959.

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As this report uncovers, most homesellers make 7 deadly mistakes that will cost them literally thousands of dollars.

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The Quincy Sun

Many Events Scheduled As Senior Olympics Open May 7

The 25th Annual Senior Olympics is set to begin next Monday. The following is a list of important pre-Olympic information that all participants need in order to be prepared to compete:

General Information

Registration fee of \$20 entitles each participant to:

- A Senior Olympics T-shirt
- A week's menu of competition, fun and fellowship
- Awards Ceremony
- Lunch-Friday

Registration

- Registration and full payment of your registration fee must be received at Beechwood by the start of the Olympic Games.

- Registration packets are available at the Office of the Mayor, Beechwood on the Bay (440 E. Squantum St.), The Quincy Sun, the Quincy Business and Professional Association, Quincy City Hall, Quincy Recreation Department and the Quincy Council On Aging.

Age Groupings

- Competition will be judged by age categories, in five-year increments: 55-59, 60-64, etc.

Highlights

- Opening Ceremony: Monday, May 7 at Merrymount Park, Quincy.

- Volleyball Celebrity Exhibition
- Awards Night
- Medal Award Policy
- 3 or fewer in an age group-one medal (gold).
- 4 to 6 persons in an age group-two medals (gold & silver).
- 7 or more in an age group-3 medals (gold, silver, and bronze).

Waiver of Liability Form

- Must be signed with an emergency contact person indicated.

The following is the schedule of events for the seven-day Senior Olympics:

Monday, May 7

- One Mile Walk: 6 p.m. at Collins Rest-A-While Playground, So. Artery (Arrive at 5:45 p.m.).
- Opening Ceremony: Veterans Memorial Stadium (rear) across from the stadium at approximately 6:45 p.m.

Tuesday, May 8

- Bowling: 12 noon at O'Lindy's Lanes, 170 Quincy Ave. (please do not arrive before 11:30 a.m.) \$3 fee payable with registration.

Wed., May 9

- Billiards: 10 a.m. at O'Lindy's Lanes, 170 Quincy Ave.
- Darts: Start time-12 p.m.-following billiards, O'Lindy's Lanes, 170 Quincy Ave.
- Swimming: 6 p.m. at Lincoln Hancock School, 300 Granite St. (enter Water St.). Swimming

events include Sprint, Free-Style, Breast-Stroke, Backstroke, Distance Free-Style and Butterfly (Ages 55-69 swim 100-yard event; Ages 70+ swim 50-yard event).

Thurs., May 10

- Bocce: 10 a.m. (Men), 12:30 p.m. (Women), at the Torre Dei Passeri Club, 252 Washington St. (rear of the building).

Friday, May 11

- Events to be held at Beechwood, 440 East Squantum St.
- 9:30 a.m. Three-Mile Walk.
- 11 a.m. Volleyball: Celebrity Exhibition Game.
- 12 noon- Lunch.
- 12:30 p.m. Rotation Events: Horseshoe Pitching and Basketball Free Throw.

Sat., May 12

- New location Cavanaugh Field, Hollis Ave. & Birch St. (Atlantic Middle School).
- 9 a.m. One-Mile Run.
- 9:15 a.m. Half-Mile Walk.
- 9:30 a.m. Rotational Events: Softball Throw, Running Long Jump, Standing Long Jump, Javelin Throw and Shot Put (participants should prepare for these events).

Monday, May 14

- Golf Tournament, Presidents Golf Course, West Squantum St.
- Tee Times begin at 8 a.m.
- All entrants are asked to arrive at 8 a.m.
- There is an \$18 greens fee for non-golf club members, payable with registration fees.

Tuesday, May 15

- 6 p.m. Awards Ceremony at Beechwood on the Bay.
- 6 p.m. refreshments
- 6:30 p.m. presentation of awards and medals

Daughter Of Babe Ruth A Guest Speaker

Julia Ruth Stevens To Attend QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame Banquet

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee announces Julia Ruth Stevens, the daughter of Babe Ruth, will be attending the QHS Hall of Fame banquet Thursday, May 10.

Stevens, 89, is scheduled to be a guest speaker at the banquet along with Bill Monbouquette. Monbouquette wore the number 27 for the Red Sox, making his first Major League start on July 18, 1958. He won at least 14 games from 1960-63, with a career-high 20 victories in 1963. He was a four-time all-star and pitched a no-hitter in 1962 against the Chicago White Sox and set a club record with 17 strikeouts against the Washington Senators in 1961.

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee announces the names of fifteen former Quincy High School baseball players to be inducted into the Quincy High School Hall of Fame on May 10, 2007. The Hall of Fame Banquet will be held at the Quincy Sons of Italy. The social hour is from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., with dinner and the awards ceremonies to follow. Tickets to the Hall of Fame Banquet are \$25 and can be purchased by contacting Joseph Brill, chairman of the QHSBBAA, at (617) 770-4813.

The 2007 inductees include Gerald Curtis ('46), Bob Gumprecht ('41), Frances "Frankie" Pineau ('49), Dan Raymond ('65), Ted Meyers ('69), Bob Pettinelli ('69), Bob Lane ('73), Joe Brill ('74), Paul Sutherland ('76), Gary DiNardo ('81), Tom Balzano ('91), Robert "Robbie" Kane ('93), Tom Malvesti ('94) and the late Steve Barrett ('95).

Salvation Army Bands Joint Concert May 19

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Norman Bearcroft will be special guests at the annual spring music festival of the Quincy Temple Corps Band Saturday, May 19, at 7 p.m. at the Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy.

Bearcroft is the founding conductor of the International Staff Songsters and world renowned as a conductor and a member of band and vocal music.

The Quincy Temple Band is directed by Band Master William L. Rillins and the Quincy Temple Band, conducted by Band Master James Hephum.

A free will offering will be taken for world services.

Donovan ('42) have been inducted.

George Burke will be inducted as only the third Honorary Member into the Hall of Fame, joining former Quincy mayor James Sheets and former Minnesota Twins manager Sam Mele.

Warren Finley and A. "Bud" Mosher will join the Hall of Fame as former coaches.

The Hall of Fame committee will also honor four youth coaches who have given their time to teaching the game of baseball to so many kids for so many years. The four include Bill Draichio, Dick Lombardi and the late John Rossi of Quincy Youth Baseball and Tony Constantino from St. John's Baseball.

The Paul Grasso Memorial Baseball Book Scholarship will be awarded to a senior who will further their education and baseball skills at the college level. Grasso, who graduated from Quincy High School in 1967, was killed while serving his country during the Vietnam War. Book Scholarships in the name of the late Bill Sullivan and Joe Grasso will also be awarded.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

- Granted a one day alcoholic license for the third annual "Queen for the Night Tickled Pink" program at Sacred Heart School, 370 Hancock St.
- Granted a one day permit to Kristen Awed Ladas, from Friends of Wollaston Beach, for Picnic in the Park, Saturday May 12 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Caddy Park, and a Kite Day at Wollaston Beach June 2 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Granted a change of managers at the Adams Heights Men's Club, 63 Bower Rd., from Andrew Dunn to Kevin Gilmartin.

- Granted a change of managers at Terra Brasili's, 1506 Hancock St. from Margarita Bregast to Charles Santos.

- Continued until May 22, a request of Coop's Bar & Grille, 520 Washington St. for an entertainment license.

- Granted a common victualer license to Chris Maloof, owner of School House Pizza, 1-3 School St. formerly Pepper's Grille. Maloof plans to sell pizza, sandwiches and salads, and said he plans to expand the restaurant to 16 seats. It will also offer take-out and delivery.

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By Samantha Mazzotta

Ridding Yard of Fire Ants

Q. Each spring and summer I have to deal with thousands of tiny red fire ants swarming around my yard and even coming up out of cracks in the driveway. A neighbor recommended that I find the main nest, pour gasoline on it and set it on fire, and that this is the only way to kill them. Is he right, or is there another way to get rid of these pests? I would really like to have my yard back. — Tammy C., Lake City, Fla.

A. Anyone who has ever inadvertently stood on or near a fire ant nest knows how painful those tiny bites can be! Fighting fire with fire has been a popular solution to the Southeast's fire ant invasion for quite a few decades now. But it's dangerous and not something I would recommend. Once the nest has been eliminated, the fire ant population may be reduced for a short period, but these small pests — first reaching the southern U.S. sometime in the 1920s — will be back.

However, new products are on the market now that can have a longer-term impact on the fire ants currently residing in your yard. Visit

the pest-control section of your home-improvement store and ask for granule-type ant baits specifically formulated for fire ants. These baits don't kill instantly. Instead, worker ants pick up the granules and carry them back to the main nest, where the queen resides. The chemicals in the bait are metabolic inhibitors — meaning the ants that consume it will no longer thrive on other foods and eventually die.

A couple of important notes on chemical baits: These do have some environmental impact, so use only the amount recommended on the package, and avoid using the bait during periods of heavy rain — since it will wash away from the intended target and into lakes or streams. Also, for the most effective treatment, coordinate the bait application with surrounding neighbors so that several yards are treated at once, further reducing the risk of re-infestation.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequincy2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Deck Care 101:

Deck Care 101: It's All In The Prep

(NAPS) — As the weather gets warmer, we tend to spend more and more time outdoors. There is no better place to sit and enjoy the great spring weather than on your deck. Did you know that the key to keeping your deck looking great for years is not in the stain or finish you apply — it's in the surface prep? Weathered wood needs to be cleaned and restored before a single brush stroke of new stain or water-repellent can be applied. For a great-looking deck, follow these tips from the experts at Wolman Wood Care

Products.

Thoroughly clean. Clean pressure-treated wood decks with Wolman DeckBrite Wood Cleaner & Coating Prep. An acid- and chlorine-free, oxygen-powered powder concentrate, it is tough on stains yet safe to use near plant life and shrubs. If you're not sure of your wood type, use Wolman Deck & Fence Brightener liquid concentrate. It is formulated to restore all wood-even tannin-rich woods such as cedar, redwood, mahogany and other exotic hardwoods.

Both products clean and restore wood to its natural beauty without bleaching or yellowing and remove invisible surface barriers, which can prevent the adhesion of protective coatings and stains. These fast-acting formulas loosen dirt, stains and discoloration in just 10 minutes. And they are easy to use—just mix with water, spray on, brush in and rinse off with a garden hose.

Strip away deteriorating or unwanted finishes. If the colored finish on your deck has seen better days—or if you want a different look—remove it with a product like Wolman DeckStrip Stain & Finish Remover. For tough-to-remove 100 percent acrylic stains, use Wolman DeckStrip ASR Acrylic Stain Remover. Both remove oil- and water-based solid, semitransparent and clear finishes and prepare wood for a new finish or stain. The ready-to-use, highly concentrated formulas work in just 15 minutes without the need for multiple applications. They contain special wetting agents and thickeners that cling to all wood surfaces—even vertical

surfaces—so they're great for fences, gazebos, play sets and more.

Beautify and protect. Once your deck has been properly cleaned and restored, beautify and protect it with a water-repellent coating. Apply a semitransparent or solid stain, such as Wolman DuraStain, or a rich transparent oil finish, such as Wolman F & P, to enhance the beauty of your deck.

Even if you decide not to stain, it's important to protect your deck with a clear, water-repellent sealer. Water-repellent sealers stop rain from penetrating the wood surface, which can cause swelling, shrinking, warping and cracking. Many water-repellent sealers, including Wolman RainCoat, also contain a mildewcide that will impede the growth of mildew on your deck during the warm, humid months ahead.

For more information on the complete line of Wolman Cleaners and Stain Strippers and for more helpful wood care tips—visit www.wolman.com.

Norfolk Registry Of Deeds Computer Seminar May 24

Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell will host an informational seminar on computer-assisted land records research at the Registry of Deeds in Dedham Thursday, May 24 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

The seminar is intended for both real estate professionals and public. The program will include a brief presentation, written reference materials, and hands-on exercises. There will be opportunities for both basic and advanced questions and answers.

Computer assisted land records research is available at both the Registry and on the Internet at www.norfolkdeeds.org.

"These services have proven valuable tools for our customers," O'Donnell said. "We hope this seminar will

be helpful and informative."

There is no charge to attend the seminar. Persons planning to attend should register by phone, 781-461-6116. Include names, address and a day-time phone number.

The Registry of Deeds, located at 649 High St., Dedham, is the principal office for real property in Norfolk County. The registry receives and records hundreds of thousands of documents each year and is a basic resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate and accessible land record information.

For more information, visit www.norfolkdeeds.org or call 781-461-6101.

O'Donnell Guest Speaker At Ward 4 Senior Citizens Group Meeting May 9

Norfolk County Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell will be the guest speaker at the Ward 4 Senior Citizens Social Group meeting Wednesday, May 9 at 1:45 p.m. at the Ward 4 Community Center, 100 Brooks Ave., Quincy.

O'Donnell will speak about homesteads, deeds and other documents recorded at the Registry.

An informal presentation will follow on computer assisted land records research.

Computer assisted land records research is available at both the Registry and on the Internet at the website www.norfolkdeeds.org.

"Internet Land Record research at the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds has brought the Registry records into people's homes and businesses," O'Donnell said.

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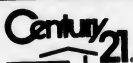
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Lallis is based in the company's Quincy office.

He also worked at Arbella Insurance for more than seven years. He began his career at Arbella Insurance Group as a mailroom associate and later moved to commercial lines as an



ANTHONY LALLIS

underwriter assistant. He currently holds the position of marketing support

coordinator.

Prior to obtaining his real estate license from Quincy College, Lallis received his bachelor's degree from Emerson College in marketing with a concentration in advertising and public relations.

Lallis enjoys golfing and playing flag football in his spare time.

For more information, call the Century 21 Annex Realty Quincy office at 617-472-4330.

Keep Those Flowering Plants Healthy

(NAPS) — Americans love their flower gardens and want to keep those flowers as pretty in the yard as they looked at the garden store.

"Many gardeners carefully budget, plant and water," says Bayer Advanced Garden Expert Lance Walheim, who wrote the best-selling book "Roses for Dummies" and is a regular contributor to Sunset magazine and books.

But diseases, insects and mites can attack flowering plants. For example, spider mites can literally suck dry the leaves of flowering plants, especially roses. These close relatives of spiders, daddy longlegs and ticks are smaller than a head of a pin. Spider mites use a pair of needlelike stylets to rupture leaf cells when they feed, and then suck cell sap from torn cells.

"You can have the start of a spider mite problem and not know it because the pests are so small," says Walheim. "Preventing the problem is the key to success after all of the money, care and emotional energy you've given to your flower beds."

Ways to help flowering plants thrive include:

1. Choose flowers adapted to both your climate and to the conditions of your garden.

2. Position your plants in the appropriate season. For example, impatiens thrive in shady areas. Marigolds like full sun.

3. Check the sprinklers to make sure they reach the flowers and are left on long enough to thoroughly wet plant roots.

4. Remove spent flowers, (called deadheading) to

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5. Fertilize to keep plants growing vigorously and blooming.

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New Outdoor Furnishings Focus On Stress Relief

(NAPS) — With Americans working harder than ever, more homeowners are investing in outdoor living spaces where they can enjoy some well-deserved rest.

From sleek contemporary chairs to warm, traditional rocking chairs, this season's outdoor furnishings are designed to offer a much-needed respite from their frantic lifestyles.

"Our own porches and patios are the most accessible 'de-stressing' zones we have. They can replenish us in ways no other place or destination can," said Jackie Hirschhaut, vice-president of the American Home Furnishing Alliance. "If you're feeling frazzled, create an outdoor oasis you can escape to every day."

Some trends that you may spot this outdoor season include:

• **Designer labels.** Designer labels are making their way to the outdoors. For example, Vladimir Kagan, one of the most important contemporary furniture designers of the 21st century, has designed his first outdoor collection.

• **Sophisticated style.** Shoppers can now find

outdoor furnishings inspired by historic laces and styles. For example, The Ladies Association of Mount Vernon, the home of George and Martha Washington, has licensed a new outdoor furniture collection.

• **Colorful comfort.** From soothing blues and greens to earthy bronze and copper, top hues in outdoor furnishings this year bring an element of calm to outdoor settings, even on the dullest of winter days. Manufacturers have taken a cue from their indoor upholstery counterparts and begun presenting matched groupings to simplify selection.

• **Materials mix.** A new luxury fabric that combines the opulence of velvet with weather-resistant capabilities gives

manufacturers the opportunity to create unprecedented extravagance in high-end outdoor fabrics.

• **Rock on.** If you want to take the pressure off, a few minutes in a rocker on your porch or patio—or perhaps your urban balcony—just might do the trick. Studies suggest the humble low-tech rocker can ease the stress and anxiety brought on by our high-pressure, high-tech lives.

• **Party on.** Backyard entertaining has never been easier with functional products such as compact outdoor kitchens, multifunctional service bars and beverage centers.

For outdoor furniture care and cleaning tips plus information on the latest outdoor furniture, visit www.findyourfurniture.com.

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Fitness Facts

Getting In Shape For A Healthy Life

By Jennifer Hadfield
Certified Personal
Trainer and author of
"Marathoning for Mortals"

(NAPS) - Whether it's walking, running, tennis, cycling or swimming, exercising outdoors provides us with a fun, versatile way to burn calories.

As a coach and personal trainer, I encourage my clients to reach the full potential of their workouts by being motivated and committed for the long term throughout the year. It takes more than jogging a few miles once a week or participating in the weekly company softball game.

Here are 10 tips to keep you focused on achieving your fitness goals for the rest of your life:

1. Fitness devices, such as heart rate monitors, calorie counters, body-fat analyzers and pedometers, are very important in

monitoring progress and keeping people on the right track to meeting their goals.

2. If you are inactive, begin with frequent but shorter workouts (25 to 30 minutes, three to five days per week) and let your body adapt to the change in activity level. Gradually increase the time of each workout after completing 12 sessions.

3. If you are active three to five times per week, add one or two high-intensity workouts per week to boost metabolism, effort level and fitness.

4. Even if you're not technically savvy, get a pedometer, which helps count each step you make and helps motivate you.

5. Know what kind of batteries your fitness devices take and have backup sets available, in case additional power is needed. For example, Energizer offers miniature, coin-cell batteries

in popular sizes identified by number, such as 357, 2025 and 2032.

6. Drop those pounds efficiently by keeping a fuel log. There are free online resources that make it easy to keep track of your meals, calories and exercise.

7. Think of exercising as group therapy. Before you know it, the workout is done; you've enjoyed it and had quality time with your friends.

8. Avoid doing the same exercise or machine over and over again. Your body will become efficient at that exercise and won't burn as many calories as when you first started.

9. Incorporate strengthening exercises into your regimen two to three times per week. Increasing lean muscle tissue will boost resting metabolism, help decrease inches from your

body and provide a strong base to prevent injury.

10. Be patient. Getting active takes time. It takes 21 days to create a new habit. Exercising regularly can become a habit over time. Make it a priority in your life and you'll find three to four weeks later you will wonder how you managed without it.

Trying to get into shape may be hard work. According to a recent Energizer Keep Going fitness survey of personal trainers, after the first two months of the year, almost 85 percent of those who began their fitness training have stopped. However, working on a healthy lifestyle can help you get into a routine for years to come.

For more information on fitness tips, devices and the batteries that power them, visit www.jennyhadfield.com or www.energizer.com.

The fitness world can be a confusing and intimidating place. Each day there seems to be another news report, infomercial, magazine article or Internet site telling you what you should or should not do with your body. With the enormous amount of material available, it is important to know what is fact, fiction or just another get-rich-quick scheme.

Let's separate fact from fiction and tackle the following fitness excuses... I mean myths.

If I Lift Weights I Will Bulk Up

Not a quiet! Obtaining strong, balanced and functional muscles through strength training should be a goal in your fitness routine, no matter your gender. For women, this is very important due to the benefits that strength training has on conditions such as osteoporosis and facilitating the loss of body fat. With the proper technique and workout program, it is possible to develop lean, toned muscles without fear of "bulking up." So breathe a sigh of relief and hit the weights.

Doing Crunches Will Give Me "Flat Abs"

Oh, if this myth were only true, but IT'S NOT. The desire for washboard abdominals has many people crunching themselves to disappointment. Achieving visible "flat abs" is a combination of a consistent progressive exercise program, proper nutrition and genetics. Crunches should be completed as part of the development of stable, strong and efficient core muscles (muscles of the trunk).

Completing these exercises alone will not result in washboard abs, and in any

case, the mere fact of seeing a "six pack" is not recommended. You can have the strongest abdominal muscles in the world, but if they are hidden under body fat you will not see them. Concentrate on a well-rounded fitness routine that encourages a decrease in body fat and an increase in lean muscle mass, in addition to proper nutrition.

If I'm Not Overweight, I Don't Need to Exercise

Don't let the mirror fool you. Your external appearance does not represent your internal appearance. Keeping your heart, lungs, muscles and bones strong are extremely important. Everyone can be at risk for medical conditions such as diabetes, heart disease and osteoporosis. Although this risk may increase for a person who is overweight, there is a need for everyone to keep his or her body fit and strong.

Do not rely solely on what the scale reads or what size you wear to determine if you should exercise. Your weight may be within a desirable range, but that does not guarantee the same holds true for your body fat and lean muscle mass. Your body fat percentage can be more significant than your weight. The risks of many conditions such as a stroke, heart attack, diabetes and high blood pressure can be decreased through exercise. No one is exempt from exercising.

Seek the advice of a medical or fitness professional about any questions or you may have, and don't let these fitness myths keep you from reaching your fitness goals.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program.

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Endodontists Battle Tooth Pain--And Misperceptions

(NAPS) - Do the words "root canal" leave you unsettled, anxious and fearful? If so, you are not alone. A recent survey by the American Association of Endodontists (AAE) found that nearly half of respondents believe a root canal to be "excruciatingly painful." The reality is that root canal treatments are virtually painless and provide patients with instant pain relief.

"People come into my office every day apprehensive about getting a root canal," says Dr. James A. Abbott, an endodontist in Santa Rosa, Calif. "But these fears are undeserved." New technologies and the advanced training of endodontists have revolutionized the treatment, making it more hero than villain.

Endodontists, the dentists who specialize in root canal treatment, save more than 17 million natural teeth each

year. Yet they spend a lot of time dispelling myths about root canal treatment and explaining what they do for a living.

"At a cocktail party, when I tell people I'm an endodontist, they say 'What's that?'" says Dr. Terry A. Propper, an endodontist in Brentwood, Tenn. "Then, when I explain that I'm a dentist who specializes in root canal treatment, they get a pained expression."

Since the notorious image of the root canal doesn't reflect today's reality, the AAE set out to change the procedure's reputation. In an effort to raise awareness about root canals, as well as endodontics as a specialty, the AAE has introduced the first ever Root Canal Awareness Week this year.

"It's a sound peculiar to dedicate a week to dental procedure, but Root Canal Awareness Week has an important educational

purpose," said Dr. John S. Olmsted, AAE president, of Greensboro, N.C. "Many people don't know that root canal treatment is no more uncomfortable than getting a filling placed. It's a beneficial treatment that eliminates pain and helps people keep their natural teeth."

In fact, research is showing that saving natural teeth has extensive health implications. A December 2005 study in the American Journal of Preventive Medicine found that tooth loss was associated with a greater risk of heart disease, with those who had lost the most teeth at the greatest risk. This remained the case even when other risk factors such

as smoking, alcohol and obesity were taken into account. Another study, published in the November 2006 Journal of Dental Research, found a relationship between endodontic disease—which root canals treat—and coronary heart disease.

Dr. Propper says she always asks her patients at the end of a root canal procedure how the appointment went. "They always say 'it was so much easier than I expected.' The truth is that people come to us in pain and they leave feeling better."

For more information, visit www.rootcanalspecialists.org.

Mother's Day Event At Healing Tree Yoga

Healing Tree Yoga and Wellness Center, 605 Hancock St., Quincy, will host a special Mother's Day

event Sunday, May 13.

Healing Tree will offer free classes for moms and their sons and daughters who come together for a class on May 13. Also, "Aura Photography and Angel Messenger Readings" will be scheduled from noon to 5 p.m. with Maureen Spencer and Mark Howell.

Aura photography captures the energy fields around the body on film and is analyzed to reveal many things about the individual. Cost is \$95 per couple for one hour session which includes two aura photos and two angel messenger readings. For more information, call 617-770-4800.



DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

TELL GRAMPA TO WATCH HIS SWEETS

While most people associate tooth decay with children who have a fondness for sweets, cavities may also be a problem for those approaching middle age and beyond. The reason for this is that gums begin to recede as we get older. This leads to exposure of vulnerable tooth roots, which do not have the benefit of an enamel coating to protect them. Unlike the exposed crowns, tooth roots also have minimal exposure to topical fluoride. Moreover, many older people have reduced secretions of saliva, which affords natural protection against tooth decay. So, to protect aging teeth against "senile decay," older patients are urged to ask their dentists about possible fluoride applications, as well as ways to improve saliva flow.

Have you ever noticed that the most perfect smiles have an almost flawless "gum line" like a beautiful frame surrounding the smile? Periodontal disease approaches silently. It may progress painlessly, producing few obvious signs. We believe oral health is key to overall health and well-being. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where we offer complete dental care for the entire family. Please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. You can trust your dental health to our experience and knowledge. We want to keep you smiling. We offer the services of anesthesia with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

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SPORTS

North Poised For Post-Season

By SEAN BRENNAN

The North Quincy varsity softball team is on its way to its first post-season tournament appearance in years. The Red Raiders enter this week's scheduled play with a 6-2 overall record and a 3-1 record in the Atlantic Coast League.

"I am happy with the results so far in the early goings," said head coach Mike Connor. "It has been a pleasure coaching these young women. They are doing the little things right on the field, they are staying poised even when we have been down in most of our games and they have a sense that no matter what, they can come back and win each and every game they have and will play."

"This attitude was much-needed here at North Quincy. But it all will come down to our pitching and I have three varsity caliber starting pitchers in Paige and Sammi Bonanni and Brittany Folkins. Once our offense heats up we should be a lot better. One game at a time is the motto this season."

The Red Raiders hosted their NQ Girls Softball Tournament over April vacation and finished with a 1-1 record, but since then, the team has reeled off two straight wins over ACL opponents Marshfield High School and Plymouth North High School.

In the opening game of the NQ Tournament, the Red Raiders defeated Rockland by a score of 9-5. Junior Paige Bonanni was the winning pitcher.

Sophomore Kathleen Lynch finished the game with two hits, a RBI and two runs scored, while junior Katherine Feeney contributed with two hits, two runs and four RBIs.

"Paige pitched great for us against Rockland," Connor said. "After giving up five hits in the first two innings, she no-hit Rockland the rest of the way. Lynch and Feeney highlighted the offense with solid games in the field and at the plate."

North Quincy squared off against Winthrop HS in the championship game and lost a well-pitched game 4-1. The only hit North Quincy got all game came off the bat of Kasey O'Connell.

On April 23, NQ played Marshfield for the first time on the softball diamond and came away with a hard-earned 5-3 victory. Paige Bonanni earned the win on the mound for the Raiders.

Junior standout Rebecca Goreham went 3 for 3 at the dish and had one RBI. Other players producing on offense were juniors Kerry Coughlin (2-3, 2 runs scored) and

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Kasey O'Connell (3-4, 2 RBIs).

"This was the first time we had played against Marshfield in softball," Connor said. "They are a good team and it was a great win and step forward for the program. Paige pitched another great game and our offense came through with the big hits when we needed them, including two runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to put the game away."

In their game against Plymouth North, freshman pitcher Sammi Bonanni earned her second career win in the 8-6 victory. Kathleen Lynch went 2 for 2 at the plate and had three runs scored and three stolen bases.

"Sammi's contributions as a freshman have been very positive," Connor added. "She is 2-1 as a starting pitcher with wins over Falmouth and Plymouth North. After giving up five hits in the first three innings (including four in a row), she settled down and no-hit Plymouth North from the fourth inning on. Also, Catherine O'Connell played a great game for us defensively."

The Red Raiders played Boston Latin Academy on Tuesday night and matched up against Quincy High School last night (May 2) in the first of two meetings between the city high schools.

Their next home game is Monday against league super-power Whitman-Hanson High School. The scheduled starting time is 4 p.m. at Mitchell/McCoy Field.



MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL Middle School championship team pose for a team photo after their 35-25 victory over Broad Meadows last month. Front row from left: Ashley Bergonzi, Sara Ryan, Courtney Peters, Jillian Carchedi and Madison

McBirney. Back row from left: Shelby Merchant, Talia Hampton, Julia Murphy, Montana McBirney, Kiley McDonald, Courtney Timmins and Olivia Umoren. Not pictured is coach Anne McGuigan.

Central Girls City Basketball Champs

The Central Middle School girls' basketball team captured the City Championship for the third year in a row. The championship game was played in March at Quincy High School.

In an exciting game, Central defeated Broad Meadows by a score of 35-25. Eighth grader Montana McBirney (center) led

Central with 10 points. She also played an outstanding game on defense and she dominated the boards. Kiley McDonald chipped in with nine points and Jillian Carchedi and Talia Hampton each scored six points.

The team headed into the playoffs with a 6-0 record. In their playoff game against Atlantic, the Rams were once again led by McBirney's

outstanding offense as she scored 12 points. Sixth grader Sara Ryan played a great game at point guard and scored six points and Jillian Carchedi scored five points.

Eighth graders Courtney Peters and Shelby Merchant,

along with seventh grader Courtney Timmins, led the defensive effort.

Other members of the championship team included Ashley Bergonzi, Olivia Umoren, Julia Murphy and Madison McBirney.

Morrisette Baseball Tryouts May 5 and 6

Tryouts for the Morrisette Post #294 American Legion Baseball Team will be held on Saturday, May 5 and Sunday, May 6 at O'Rourke Field on Quarry St., West Quincy beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Anyone who resides in Quincy, born on or after Jan. 1, 1988 is eligible to tryout.

There are 10 teams competing for this year's Zone 6 title. Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Milton,

Morrisette, Quincy, Stoughton, West Roxbury, Weymouth and Holbrook.

Each team will play a 20-game schedule, commencing on Thurs., June 7 and ending Mon., July 16 with zone, sectional and state playoffs to follow. The State Tournament will be held in Hudson, MA beginning Sat., August 4.

Tryouts will continue at O'Rourke Field on Saturdays and Sundays during May.

Dr. Allan Yacubian Roast To Celebrate 50 Years Of The 'Yakoo' June 10

On June 10, 2007 there will be a celebration of "fifty years" for North Quincy High School's 'Yakoo' and a great benefactor to sports in general for the Quincy school's, Dr. Allan Yacubian.

This celebration, a "roast" of Dr. Yacubian will be held at the Sons of Italy Social Hall on Quarry St. at 1 p.m. Tickets for the event will be

\$10. A cash bar and snack food will be available.

It would be appreciated if you could contact any alumni of your class year to come and help us show our appreciation for all the good Dr. Yacubian has done for our schools over the years.

To purchase tickets, contact either Ron Ival at (781) 337-0062 or Joe Minukas at (617) 328-4489.

REGISTRATION Quincy Youth Football League 2007 Season



The Quincy Youth Football League is accepting registration on
Sat., May 5 & Sat., June 2 from 9am to 11am

at the following locations:

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| North Quincy Apaches | - Pageant Field |
| West Quincy Elks | - O'Rourke Field |
| Houghs Neck Manets | - Lebrague Field |
| Quincy Point Panthers | - Fore River Field |
| Squantum Storm | - Squantum Community Center (Huckins Ave.) |

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Presidents Defeat Raiders

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy Presidents have played a handful of games over the last two weeks. The team currently has a record of 3-4 overall and 0-3 in Atlantic Coast League play.

The highlight over the past two weeks for the Presidents was their win over cross-city rival North Quincy High School and the third annual Quincy/North Quincy Baseball Tournament held over the school vacation week.

Quincy got things going after a day delay due to bad weather in the opening round against Archbishop Williams High School with a 10-6 victory. Senior Dan Meyers was the winning pitcher for the Presidents.

The ten runs the team scored came as a direct result of a spread out offensive attack. Senior captain Steve Connolly went 3 for 4 with a RBI and junior Ricky Salvucci finished the game 3-4 with three runs scored and three RBIs. Senior captain John Alexander (1-2, RBI, two runs scored), senior Matt Boyle (1-3, RBI) and junior Mike LeBel (1-3, two RBIs) also contributed in the victory.

With their win in the opening round game, Quincy squared off against North Quincy in the tournament final. The Presidents and the

BASEBALL

Red Raiders had never faced each other in the championship game. Quincy defeated North Quincy by a 9-2 score.

"This was the first time we had faced North in the three years we have been playing this tournament," said head coach Mike Draicchio. "It was a big win for us this early in the season. It lifted us up and was a great win. North was coming off of a big win over Milton in their first game, and they are a very good team. It was a nice win."

The Presidents scored three times in the second inning to get the scoring going and would score again in the third, fourth and fifth innings. Connolly, Salvucci and LeBel each had two RBIs apiece in the win.

The team's last two games were against ACL members Plymouth North and Whitman-Hanson High Schools.

In the Plymouth North game, the Presidents lost 8-1, while managing only four hits all game. Senior Wendall Cosgrove had two of the four hits and drove in the lone run for Quincy. Matt Boyle and senior Dan O'Connell had the other two hits.

"It just did not go our way against Plymouth North," Draicchio said. "We had no

offense and the mistakes that we made in the field hurt us in the end."

Against Whitman-Hanson, Quincy led multiple times throughout, but ended up allowing three runs in the last inning and lost a heartbreaking 10-9.

Steve Connolly got the Presidents on the scoreboard first with a two-run homer in the first inning. Matt Boyle would help add to the lead with a homerun in the second, but after holding leads of 4-1, 4-2, 5-2, 7-5 and 9-7 Quincy fell in the final frame.

Boyle and Connolly finished with three RBIs each, but it was not enough as Quincy lost its third game in as many tries against an Atlantic Coast League team. "It was a crazy game (played in the rain)," Draicchio said. "We had our chances. This loss really hurt, but it does not take away from our ultimate goal, which is to make it back to the tourney. We have been good enough to win the games we have lost."

Quincy played Marshfield High on Tuesday and played against North Quincy last night (May 2nd) in the first of two scheduled games between the city's high schools. The team's next home date is Monday against Nauset High School. The first pitch is at 4 p.m. at Adams Field.

Pitch, Hit & Run Competition At Quarry Hills Field May 12

Mini Fenway Park will host a free Pepsi Major League Baseball Pitch, Hit & Run competition for area youth on Saturday, May 12 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Quarry Hills Fields in Quincy, MA.

Pitch, Hit & Run is the official skills competition of Major League Baseball. This grassroots program is designed to provide youngsters with an opportunity to compete free of charge in a competition that recognizes individual

excellence in core baseball skills.

Competitors are divided into four age divisions: 7-8, 9-10, 11-12 and 13-14. Competitors have the chance to advance through four levels of competition, including Team Championships at Major League ballparks and the National Finals at the 2007 MLB All-Star Game.

The individual pitching, hitting and running champions. Along with the

all-around champion in each age group at the local competition will be awarded and advance to the Sectional level of competition.

All participants must bring a copy of their birth certificate and fill out a registration waiver form prior to the start of the competition.

For questions about the competition, contact Luis Tiant, Jr., the local coordinator, at (617) 471-3332, ext. 5 or by email at luis.tiant@quincyballpark.org.

Quincy Post 95 Tryouts Set for May 5-6

Tryouts for the Quincy Legion Post #95 American Legion Baseball team will be held on Sat. May 5 and Sun., May 6 at O'Rourke Field on Quarry St., West Quincy beginning at 2:30 p.m.

Anyone who resides in Quincy, born on or after Jan. 1, 1988 is eligible to tryout.

If you are planning on trying out, bring baseball pants, cleats and your glove.

Tryouts will continue at O'Rourke Field on Saturdays

and Sundays through the month of May.

If you have any questions, contact Dan Sweeney at (617) 417-3853 or Andy McAllister at (617) 290-3074.

Wollaston Senior Babe Ruth Tryouts

Wollaston Senior Babe Ruth will hold tryouts for its three teams on May 5, 6, 12 and 13 at O'Rourke Field from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Players who do not turn 19 years of age before May 1, 1988 are invited to tryout.

Wollaston will sponsor three teams; two teams in the

Senior League (16-18 year olds) and one team in the newly formed 16-Year Old Prep League. Wollaston plays in the Senior Babe Ruth South Shore League that includes teams from Boston and South Shore communities.

Wollaston also sponsors

a 16-year old all-star team that participates in the Babe Ruth State Tournament.

For more information contact Steve Reardon at (617) 438-5727 or Bob Griffin at (617) 472-4811 or by email at NFOX0897@comcast.net.

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(NAPS)—Determining whether or not a vehicle requires a specific service or repair is one of the key tasks of automotive technicians and repair facilities — and one of the great mysteries for the average consumer.

To help build consumer trust and satisfaction with the automotive service industry, a group of business owners, manufacturers and associations created the non-profit Motorist Assurance Program

(MAP), which requires member shops to adhere to a strict set of fact-based vehicle inspection and communication standards. MAP establishes criteria not only for recommending replacement of worn parts and other products, but also how these recommendations are communicated to the vehicle owner.

"Sad to say, but many repair professionals and show owners are so concerned about earning the customer's

trust that they actually hesitate to recommend parts and services the customer's vehicle really requires to return it to its proper operating condition," said MAP President Larry Hecker. "Our Uniform Inspection and Communication Standards make it clear to both the repair provider and vehicle owner when, and under what circumstances, a component or fluid has exceeded or is nearing its effective service life."

Using these industry standards, the repair facility can provide a factual basis for recommending a specific repair and/or parts replacement. At the same time, the vehicle owner will receive a clear, concise explanation of why the repair is necessary. This way, the vehicle owner can make a more confident, satisfying and informed decision about the care of their vehicle.

Among the most recent MAP guidelines are: the suggested replacement, after 50,000 or more miles, of original equipment shocks and struts; replacement of brake fluid that exceeds specified levels of copper content; and the suggested replacement of a battery when it tests near the "end of its useful life" utilizing a tester or on-board monitor.

MAP offers a comprehensive library of vehicle repair information — including a vehicle repair video, tips for choosing and working with qualified repair providers and a guide to MAP member shops — at www.motorist.org. Most participating repair shops display their "Motorist Assurance Program" decal at their entrance or near their customer waiting areas.

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QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: April 20 - 27

Total Calls for Service: 1,321

Total Arrests: 42

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 2

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

LARCENY, 11:08 a.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. By ATM card.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:56 p.m., 47 Pelican Rd. Past. Caller found his gas cap on top of the car.

LARCENY, 3:30 p.m., 38 Germain Ave. Purse. Party reported crime last week.

LARCENY, 4:31 p.m., Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St. Duffle bag containing clothing, medication, gold chain.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:47 p.m., 35 Spear St. Past.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:32 p.m., 149 Suomi Rd. Dwelling.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 9:42 p.m., Wal-Mart, 301 Falls Blvd. Attempted to steal \$1,500 in merchandise; unable to get video of suspect.

LARCENY, 11:24 p.m., Ninety-Nine Restaurant Pub, 59 Newport Ave. Of bill.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:33 a.m., 175 Centre St. To motor vehicle. Vehicle was broken into overnight; vandalized.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:36 a.m., 517 Hancock St. To window. One window broken from the inside; building is apartment building.

LARCENY, 11:17 a.m., Schuerch Corp., 48 Oval Rd. By check.

LARCENY, 11:26 a.m., 58 Vane St. Checks stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:13 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Car keyed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:52 p.m., 101 Faxon Rd. Golf balls. Youths throwing golf balls at passing cars. Damaged caller's windshield.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:40 p.m., 95 High St. Past.

LARCENY, 10:11 p.m., 1469 Hancock St. Past.

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:13 a.m., Time Out Pizza Grill, 524 Sea St. Windows smashed. Cash register and approximately \$200 taken.

LARCENY, 4:53 a.m., 333 Kicciuti Dr. Cab fare. Fare paid. Parties satisfied.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:57 a.m., 164 Staughton St. Past. 2001 Pontiac Aztec, color white, Florida plates.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:19 a.m., 275 Farrington St. Past. To motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:25 a.m., Home Depot, 177 Willard St. Carts. There was no larceny.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:03 p.m., 19 Beale St. Tagging.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:05 p.m., 1025 Hancock St. To window. Car window was smashed sometime last night.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:19 p.m., 70 Grandview Ave. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:47 p.m., 42 Rodman St. Two tires slashed on motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:09 p.m., 225 Independence Ave. To motor vehicle.

LARCENY, 2:12 p.m., Hess Gas Station, 238 Hancock St. Of gas. Motorist left without paying for gas. Store to handle.

MONDAY, APRIL 23

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:51 a.m., 225 Independence Ave. Motor vehicle. Air let out of three tires, second recent incident happened overnight.

LARCENY, 12:19 p.m., Copeland Pizza, 150 Copeland St. Cell phone. A MDA cell phone.

LARCENY, 2:02 p.m., Freddy's Auto Body, 54 Water St. Past/over.

LARCENY, 2:39 p.m., 35 Greenleaf St. Of mail.

LARCENY, 4:22 p.m., 61 Lawn Ave. Past larceny.

LARCENY, 4:23 p.m., 23 Des Moines Rd. Check.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 7:09 p.m., 36 Taffrail Rd. Just occurred. White male and black male driving a black Lincoln sedan possibly in possession of a handgun.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:24 p.m., 422 Granite St. Rocks. Male party outside throwing rocks at house.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 11:45 p.m., Burke's Seafood, 61 Billings Rd. In progress. Cab driver saw a male wearing a blue shirt with a tee shirt underneath. Glass break by front door. White male, blue jeans. Unknown if anything was taken at this time. A cell was recovered, to be turned into BCI. Suspect is white male, blue jeans, white shirt, grey flat top hair cut.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:33 a.m., 128 Brook Rd. Car spraypainted white from the nose up the hood.

LARCENY, 8:44 a.m., Quincy High School West, 52 Coddington St. iPod.

LARCENY, 9:13 a.m., 15 Grogan Ave. Of jewelry.

LARCENY, 9:40 a.m., Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St. Past. Backpack stolen off library bench, contained Apple iPod and medication.

LARCENY, 1:32 p.m., Boston Market, 126 Granite St. Credit card. Bank card was used fraudulently. This was a larceny of a credit card, which was believed stolen from Boston Market, then used at different locations.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:35 p.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Car scratched.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:27 p.m., Braewell, 230 Willard St. Past. 2001 Yamaha motorcycle, color blue.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:36 p.m., 92 Centre St. Dwelling. Jewelry and a bottle of blueberry vodka known missing.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 4:17 p.m., Quincy High School East, 107 Woodward Ave. Just happened. Five black males headed to T station.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:54 p.m., 54 Randlett St. Scratch on tailgate.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:28 p.m., 58 Curtis Ave. Just occurred. Youths seen running down Shaw St., unknown who broke window.

ARMED ROBBERY, 7:49 p.m., 203 West Squantum St. Female alluded to having knife. 5'8" female, blemishes, brown hair, wearing sweats, black shirt. Left in motor vehicle, unknown direction.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:56 p.m., 29 Glenview Rd. Rock/window. Rock thrown through bedroom window.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25

LARCENY, 10:13 a.m., 4 Seaport Dr. Jewelry - 2 rings, engagement ring, and wedding band.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 10:37 a.m., Eastern Bank, 63 Franklin St. Robbery. White male, 5'8", wearing tan hat with white, grey hooded sweatshirt, skin tone tannish. No weapon shown, fled out front door, unknown which direction. Fled toward rear parking lot. Freckles and reddish blond hair. After reviewing the tapes, the suspect is between 5'8" and 6', wearing gray hoodie, tan fisherman hat, blond or reddish hair, pale complexion with freckles, very slender build.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:29 a.m., 46 Cleverly Ct. Five double pane windows smashed in laundry room overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:14 p.m., Roxie's Meat Market, 479 Southern Artery. BB shots. Caller states there may have been a BB shot at her car.

LARCENY, 3:13 p.m., Marina Bay, 542 East Squantum St. From boat. Several items taken from boat. Also wires to electronics were cut.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:22 a.m., 90 Sumner St. Tires slashed and car keyed.

LARCENY, 8:17 a.m., 867 Hancock St. Construction equipment. Large piece of construction equipment taken. Property stolen from fence in lot of former nursery school.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:09 a.m., Settles Glass Co. Inc., 196 Washington St. Business. Safe was taken. Glass removed from service bay door to gain entry.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:47 p.m., 225 Independence Ave. Again to motor vehicle. Has two flat tires again. Officer believes there is a slow leak in the party's tires.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 4:07 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. Pry marks left on front door to apartment.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:45 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. Front door pried open - Bose, jewelry, camera and coins known missing.

LARCENY, 7:12 p.m., Marriott Hotel, 1000 Marriott Dr. Laptop.

LARCENY, 9:09 p.m., Friendly's Restaurant, 213 Independence Ave. Pocketbook.

LARCENY, 9:20 p.m., Club 58, 58 Ross Way. Just happened. Three or four males in the parking garage, came over and took her pocketbook. One is a white male, short, blue jacket, dark pants, 15-17 years; pushed caller, ran towards the concourse.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:54 p.m., Captain's Cove Condos, 200 Cove Way. Past. All four tires on two cars flattened; also both cars were keyed.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:10 a.m., 225 Independence Ave. Tire flat.

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please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton

A Job Well Done

On Friday, April 20, at approximately 1:05 a.m., Officer John McGovern was on routine patrol in the area below the ramp going over the Neponset River, when he observed two males in front of Bert's Electric Supply on Newbury Street. Upon seeing the cruiser, the two males fled into an alleyway between Newbury and Densmore Streets, running towards the Adams Inn.

The officer noted the suspects were wearing hoods and were holding their hands under their sweatshirts as if to hid something from view as they ran. Officer McGovern notified communications, then exited his cruiser to give chase.

As the officer entered the alley, he spotted one of the suspects hiding and told him to stop and take his hands out of his sweatshirt pouch. The suspect, who was about 20 feet away, then ran off.

Officer Christopher McDermott arrived on scene and went to the area of the Adams Inn. There, he caught the fleeing suspect and pat-frisked him (search on outer garments for items that could be a concealed weapon) and felt a hard round object in the suspect's front left pocket. This item turned out to be a permanent marker.

Often used by "graffiti artists." Once Officer McGovern learned of this, he returned to the location where the suspects were first seen and then retraced their steps as they fled.

Nearby, the officer found two cans of spray paint, one green and one silver, in the alley. A short distance away, he found another can of black spray paint. Officer McGovern then found three box trucks that had been vandalized with the black paint. He also noted there was a strong smell of spray paint in the air indicating the cans were used recently.

The suspect that had been detained by Officer McDermott was placed under arrest for "defacing or vandalizing property." While enroute to the station with the prisoner, Officer McDermott spotted a male in a t-shirt (in 30-degree temperature and windy) walking away from the crime scene by the Hess gas station and confronted him. Officer McGovern also responded.

They observed this male had black paint all over his hands. The suspect (2) denied it was paint, stating it was from a marker, which only hurt his defense. Officer McGovern noted the suspect was very warm and sweaty. The suspect said he just had an argument with his father, was "mad" and left, walking to "blow off steam." The suspect had difficulty explaining to the officers how he walked over four miles from his home in Hough's Neck.

Officer McDermott retraced this suspect's steps and found a black leather jacket with a black hooded sweatshirt near the entrance to Applebee's Restaurant. The officer noted the sweatshirt appeared warm to the touch, as if someone had just finished wearing it. The suspect denied the garments were his.

The officers had the following pieces of circumstantial evidence: initial description provided by Officer McGovern; close proximity of the suspect to the crime scene; paint/marker on hands; high body temperature as well as elusive and implausible remarks as to where he had been. Based on the above information, the second suspect was also charged with "defacing or vandalizing property."

Both suspects are 17-year-old Quincy residents. In addition to the damage to the trucks, spray paint and marker were also found on a garage door and a storage container. Photographs of the vandalism were taken.

The spray paint cans and marker were placed into evidence for trial. Video from surveillance cameras located in the alleys were also being obtained for court purposes.

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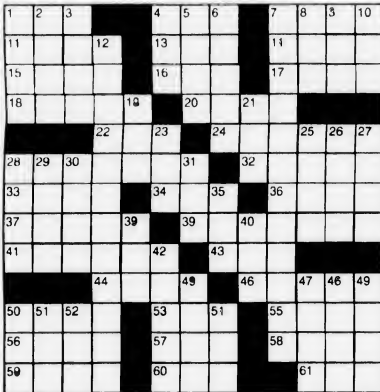
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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime,

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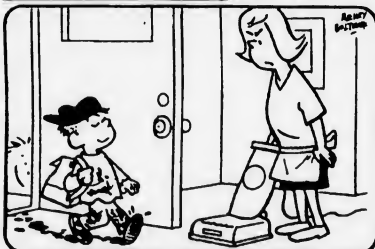
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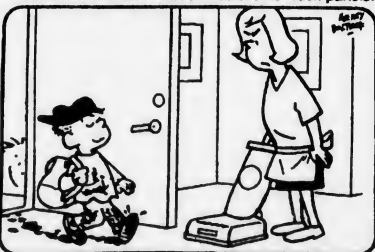
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Door knob is different. 2. Door window is missing. 3. Picture is added. 4. Backpack is different. 5. Cord is missing. 6. Woman's hair is different.

The Garden Bug

Motherwort

The ancient Greeks used this herb to relieve anxiety in new mothers. It was thought to drive out "wicked spirits" and "melancholy vapours" and cheer the mind. Chinese herbalists use the seeds to treat menstrual irregularities.

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- SCIENCE: The conversion of water vapor to liquid is called what?
- PSYCHOLOGY: What is gymnophobia?
- LITERATURE: What was the name of the primary centaur in "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone"?
- MOVIES: What does Cruella De Vil want to make out of the puppies in "101 Dalmatians"?
- TELEVISION: Where does the show "The Gilmore Girls" take place?
- MUSIC: In what year did the Beatles make their first visit to the United States?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Iceland?
- ANIMAL KINGDOM: What kind of animal is a macaque?
- MEDICINE: What is the chief cause of cholera?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the biggest snake in the world, in terms of weight and girth?

Answers

- Condensation
- Fear of nudity
- Firenze
- A fur coat
- Stars Hollow, Conn.
- 1964
- Reykjavik
- A monkey
- Contaminated water
- The anaconda

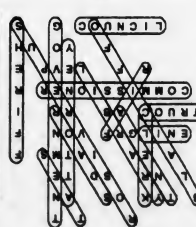
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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Temper your typical Aries urge to charge into a situation and demand answers. Instead, let the Lamb's gentler self emerge to deal with a problem that requires delicacy.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You are aware of what's going on, so continue to stand by your earlier decision, no matter how persuasive the counter-arguments might be. Money pressures will soon ease.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) By all means, have fun and enjoy your newly expanded social life. But don't forget that some people are depending on you to keep promises that are very important to them.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You need to wait patiently for an answer to a workplace problem and not push for a decision. Remember: Time is on your side. A financial matter needs closer attention.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You now have information that can influence that decision you planned to make. But the clever Cat will consult a trusted friend or family member before making a major move.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Good news: You're finding that more doors are opening for you to show what you can do, and you don't even have to knock very hard to get the attention you're seeking.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) Your gift for creating order out of chaos will help you deal with a sudden rush of responsibilities that would threaten someone less able to balance his or her priorities.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Congratulations. Your energy levels are coming right back up to normal — just in time to help you tackle some worthwhile challenges and make some important choices.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) The sage Sagittarian should demand a full explanation of inconsistencies that might be cropping up in what had seemed to be a straightforward deal.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A conflict between obligations to family and to the job can create stressful problems. Best advice: Balance your dual priorities so that one doesn't outweigh the other.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Don't guess, speculate or gossip about that so-called "mystery" situation at the workplace. Bide your time. An explanation will be forthcoming very soon.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Boredom might be creeping in and causing you to lose interest in a repeat project. Deal with it by flipping over your usual routine and finding a new way to do an old task.

BORN THIS WEEK: You can warm the coldest heart with your lyrical voice and bright smile. You find yourself at home, wherever you are.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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RELIGION

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The adult bible study class begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Paul DelGreco. Ushers will be Ann Giger and Shirley Poore. The coffee hour hosts are Kelly Cobble, Nancy Valorz and Jeannie O'Connor.

Upcoming events include

a "Pirates Party" Saturday, May 12 and a yard sale on Saturday, May 19.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Spiritual Program For Women In May

A five-week spiritual program for women in recovery will be held each Wednesday evening in May from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Maria Droste Services, 1354 Hancock St., Quincy.

Sr. Kathy Short, CSJ, will be the facilitator of the pro-

gram entitled "Chaos to Grace." The weekly fee will range from \$10 to \$30 for participants.

"Recovery is the discovery of your truest self, one glorious step at a time," is the motto of the program.

This group program, "Chaos to Grace" will focus on relaxation, sharing, meditation and body exercises.

Interested persons may contact the center at 617-471-5686 for additional information.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy sponsor a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group on the third Tuesday of every month.

The next meeting is May 15 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St.

Joseph's Rectory conference room.

The evening provides an opportunity to deepen one's relationship with Christ and be supported by the presence

of other faith-filled women.

For more information, contact Sister Pat Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero at 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Bishop To Visit St. Chrysostom's May 20

The Right Rev. Gayle Elizabeth Harris, Suffragan Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, is scheduled to visit St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Sunday, May 20.

Bishop Harris, who has

oversight of most of the urban parishes in the Diocese, will celebrate and preach at the 10 a.m. service. She will also have luncheon with parishioners and conduct a meeting of the parish vestry.

Bishop Harris will be

honored with a performance by "Andrew and Expressions," and Tracy O'Sullivan, a parishioner and area voice teacher, will be the soprano soloist.

The public is welcome to this celebration of the ministry of the parish.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Worship, Communion/ISS Pantry and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C.

Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "Importance of the Lord's Supper."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers. Following the worship

service there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Walk For Hunger To Benefit Local Food Pantries

More families than ever are turning for help from the emergency food programs funded by Project Bread's Walk for Hunger. To respond, Project Bread is asking everyone to recruit teammates and donors for the 2007 Walk which is scheduled for Sunday, May 6.

In Massachusetts, 450,000 people struggle to put food on the table, and more people than ever are living up for meals and groceries from emergency soup kitchens and food pantries.

The Walk for Hunger is

the oldest continual pledge walk in the country and the largest event to relieve local hunger. The event benefits 64 emergency food programs in the South Shore area, including several in Quincy.

"We see an average of three to five clients a week," says Cathy Jacques, pantry coordinator of the Germantown Neighborhood Center Pantry in Quincy. "We're seeking people who own homes, but just can't make ends meet. We also have single mothers, seniors, and families - all of which

are struggling to provide the daily nutrition they need to survive."

For 38 years, the Walk for Hunger has provided critical resources for hungry people in Massachusetts. This year, 42,000 people are expected to take part in the event, walking with friends, family, or as part of a team.

Participants can walk all or part of the 20-mile scenic route, which weaves through Boston, Brookline, Newton, Watertown, and Cambridge.

For more information, call 617-723-5000.

Assemblies of God Glad Tidings 158 Washington St., Quincy phone: 773-9797 Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m.; Christian Ed. 10 a.m.; Senior Hi Youth 7 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study, Royal Ranger Missionettes; Friday Junior Hi Youth 7 p.m. Youth & Children's Ministry •Contemporary Worship •Marriage & Family Group •International Fellowship •DivorceCare		Episcopal St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy (617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Heffling Sunday School 9 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m. Nursery Care During Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME THURSDAY 10:30-11:30 AM 10:30-11:30 AM	
Catholic St. Mary's Church 95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120 Masses Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30 & 11:30am, Weekdays 9am Handicapped Accessible New Members Welcome!		Evangelical EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC 65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy (617) 847-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue 10:30 Sunday Worship 6PM Prayer Meeting 7PM Brazilian A/G Service 7PM Thursday Bible Study	
Unitarian UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy 1306 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T Worship Service & Church School SUNDAYS, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister • A Welcoming Congregation • 617-773-1290 • www.ulpc.org		Evangelical Squantum Christian Fellowship 50 Hucks Ave., Squantum 617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew Children's Class 10 a.m. Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m. Handicap Accessible email: info@squantumcfc.org	
Congregational First Church of Squantum 164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649 Pastor: Michael S. Robertson Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson 10 a.m. Sunday Worship All Are Welcome		Evangelical VICTORY CHURCH Bringing Christ and People Together Place of Worship: 225 Fenn St., Wollaston Services: Sundays at 11 a.m. Bible Study Wednesdays at 7 p.m. Telephone: 617-388-0794	
Quincy Point CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424 Worship and Church School 10 am Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor visit us at www.QPCC.org		Methodist QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Gridden, Pastor	
Spiritualist First Spiritualist Church of Quincy 40 West St., Quincy • (617) 770-2246 Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM Coffee and Conversation following service. (Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August) Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.		Salvationist THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY	
Catholic Sacred Heart Church "A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service" 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy) 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am Handicapped Accessible Confessions Sat. 3-4:35pm in Saint Joseph Oratory		Congregational HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org Sunday, May 6 Worship Service 9:30 am Good Shepherd Sunday 'Members of the Flock' Revelation 9: 9-17 Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Castricum 617-479-8778	
Catholic St. Joseph's Church 550 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-472-6321 SUNDAY MASSES: 4 p.m. (On Saturday) 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. Weekday Masses 9am CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm Handicapped accessible & Handicapped parking, side entrance air conditioned		Congregational BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Spear & Coddington Streets, Quincy Center, 617-479-7300 10 a.m. SUNDAY WORSHIP Communion/ISS Pantry and Sunday School Sermon By Rev. William Harding "Importance of the Lord's Supper" ALL ARE WELCOME Child Care Available for Infants, Toddlers Fellowship Time in Allen Parlor Following Worship Service Wheelchair Accessible	
Catholic ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST 44 School St., Quincy 617-773-1021 Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy) Weekday Masses Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Handicapped Accessible		Christian Science First Church of Christ, Scientist 10:30 AM Sunday Service & Sunday School 7:30 PM Wednesday Evening Meeting 20 Greenleaf Street Quincy off Hancock St. 617-472-0055	
Catholic Saint Ann's Church 757 Hancock St., Wollaston • 617-479-5400 Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM Daily Masses: 9:00 AM Handicapped Chairlift Available		Covenant COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Whitwell & Granite St. Sunday Worship 10:00 AM Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor 9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages Child Care Available - All Are Welcome Children's Pantry Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon 617-479-5728	
Catholic St. John the Baptist 44 School St., Quincy 617-773-1021 Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy) Weekday Masses Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Handicapped Accessible		Nazarene Wollaston Church of the Nazarene 37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston (617) 472-5669 On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College Pastor: Rev. Fred Fullerton Sunday Services 8:30 am - Holy Communion 9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School 11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service Come Worship with Us!	

OBITUARIES

Elsa I. Weisse, 98

Retired Seamstress

A funeral Mass for Elsa I. Weisse, 98, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, a homemaker and a retired seamstress, was celebrated April 27 at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mrs. Weisse died April 23 at Colonial Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Weymouth.

She worked at New England Baptist Hospital in Boston and was retired for many years.

Born and raised in Quincy, she attended Quincy schools. She was a member of the first graduating class at Quincy High School on Coddington Street.

She had lived in Quincy before moving to Braintree seven years ago.

Mrs. Weisse enjoyed flowers and gardening. She also enjoyed traveling and had attended many Finfest celebrations throughout the United States.

Wife of the late Joseph G. Weisse, she is survived by a



ELSA I. WEISSE

son, Richard Weisse of Weymouth; 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; a niece, a nephew and many cousins in Finland.

She was the mother of the late Barbara Finerty and the late Patricia Nord.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to charity of choice.

Antoinette M. Fleming, 86

World War II Veteran,
Retired Beauty Salon Owner

A funeral service for Antoinette M. "Toni" (Gatens) Fleming, 86, of Quincy, a retired beauty salon owner and teacher and a British Army veteran of World War II, was held Monday at the Keohane Funeral Home, 333 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Fleming died April 25 at home.

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, she moved to Quincy in 1955 and graduated from Wilfred Beauty Academy in Boston.

Mrs. Fleming was a member of the Auxiliary Territorial Service (ATS) in England when it became the official women's branch of the British Army during the war. She was in charge of plotting coordinates of enemy bombers and contacting British and American pilots about their location.

Mrs. Fleming taught at Quincy Beauty Academy in North Quincy. She left to open her own salon, "Toni Salon" on Billings Road in North Quincy.

When it closed in 1970, she went back to teach at the



ANTOINETTE M. FLEMING

academy until 1983 and became a head instructor.

Mrs. Fleming was active in the plays and shows at 1000 Southern Artery and volunteered for Meals on Wheels for many years.

She enjoyed singing and dancing and visiting local nursing homes to entertain the residents.

Wife of the late Robert Fleming, she is survived by a son, Robert J. Fleming, Jr. of Quincy; a daughter, Aileen Lyons of Quincy; a brother, Harry Gatens of New Zealand; and four grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Charles W. Patten, 96

Retired City Of Quincy Employee

Private funeral services for Charles W. Patten, 96, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, a retired City of Quincy employee, were held April 26 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Patten died April 24 at the Braintree Landing Nursing Home after a brief illness.

Born in Cambridge, she was raised in Quincy and attended Quincy schools. He had lived in Quincy for 90 years until moving to Braintree six years ago.

Mr. Patten was employed for 34 years with the City of Quincy in the Quincy Police Department's former General Services Division. He retired on Jan. 9, 1976.

During World War II, he

served in the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Mr. Patten was a member of the Quincy Yacht Club and a member of the Town River Yacht Club.

He enjoyed fishing.

Husband of the late Louise E. (Page) Patten, he is survived by two daughters, Frances M. Leuchte of Quincy and Joan A. Klaus of Quincy; two sons, George O. Patten of Weymouth and Richard K. Patten of Wareham; and many nieces and nephews.

He was the father of the late George Dennis.

Interment was in Maplewood Cemetery, Stoughton.

Memorial donations may be made to Saint Coletta's School, 405 Washington St., Hanover, MA 02339.

Patricia E. Shea, 15

Freshman At Archbishop Williams H.S.

A funeral Mass for Patricia E. "Patty" Shea, 15, of Quincy, a freshman at Archbishop Williams High School, was celebrated Monday at St. Joseph's Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy.

Miss Shea died April 24 at home.

She attended first through fifth grade at St. Joseph's School and sixth through eighth grade at St. Ann's School.

Born at South Shore Hospital in Weymouth, she lived with her grandparents, Carl Gus Soderstrom Jr. and Elizabeth Soderstrom of Quincy.

Miss Shea worked at Stop & Shop and enjoyed tutoring other students.

She volunteered at Labour Children's Center in South Boston and for the Salvation Army during Christmastime.

Known for always helping and doing for others, she talked about wanting to become a nurse.

Very athletic, she was involved with Quincy Youth Hockey, Quincy Softball League, the Quincy Lacrosse Team, St. John's Baseball and Sacred Heart Basketball.

She was also on the freshmen basketball team at Archbishop Williams High School.

Miss Shea was a cheer-



PATRICIA E. SHEA

leader for the Quincy Point Panthers youth football team.

She was very outgoing and loved children, photography, animals and creating collages of her family on the computer.

In addition to her grandparents, she is survived by her mother, Deborah (Soderstrom) Shea of Quincy; two brothers, Richard Shea and Nicholas Maberry of Quincy; her paternal grandparents, Richard Shea Sr. and Patricia Shea of Peabody; her great-grandmother, Leona McLaughlin of South Boston; six aunts, her godfather and many cousins.

She was the daughter of the late Richard A. Shea Jr.

Memorial donations may be made to the Patricia "Patty" Shea Memorial Fund, c/o Citizens Bank, Quincy, MA 02169.

Eleanor Desmond, 81

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Eleanor (Connolly) Desmond, 81, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Desmond died April 27 at Marina Bay Skilled Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Quincy.

Born in Boston, she graduated from Jeremiah E. Burke High School in Dorchester.

She worked at New England Telephone and Schuster Lab before marrying her husband, the late Joseph L. Desmond, 55 years ago.

Mrs. Desmond was a member of the Red Hat Society, St. Ann's Church Mariann's group, and an avid bingo player.



ELEANOR DESMOND

She is survived by four sons, Daniel J. Desmond of Chatham, Richard J. Desmond of Randolph, John F. Desmond and Paul M. Desmond of Quincy; three daughters, Kathleen S. Halpin of Wollaston, Maureen Cronin of Manchester, N.H., and Nancy Eastman of Marshfield; three brothers, William Connolly and James Connolly of Randolph and Robert Connolly of Sandwich; and 18 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Patricia A. Hennessy.

Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Make-A-Wish Foundation, 66 Hanover St., Suite 101, Manchester, NH 03101.

Anthony Battistone, 75

A funeral Mass for Anthony Battistone, 75, of Quincy, was celebrated April 27 at St. Joseph's Church, 550 Washington St., Quincy.

Mr. Battistone died April 23 at home after a brief illness.

Born in Italy, he had lived in Quincy for 40 years.

He is survived by his wife, Antoinette (Timperio) Battistone; two sons, Frank Battistone of Haverhill and Anthony Battistone of

Quincy; two daughters, Gloria Aroio of Summit, N.J., and Maria Battistone of Milton; a brother, Frank Battistone of Canada; a sister, Quindelia Mantenuto of Canada; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, Quincy.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Age is not measured by years. Nature does not equally distribute energy. Some people are born old and tired while others are going strong at 70." - Dorothy Thompson

The late Louis Armstrong, one of the greatest jazz musicians this country has ever produced, was once asked how he felt at being over 69 years old. He replied: "My belief and satisfaction is that, as long as a person breathes, they still have a chance to exercise the talents they were born with. There's no such thing as being 'on the way out' as long as you are doing something interesting and good. You are in business as long as you are breathing." ... What a remarkable and sound philosophy. ...

A friend of mine/ours who as age 83 still maintains an active, busy schedule was asked why he virtually never reminisced about his more than 80 years of living. "No time for that," he replied. "Past experiences shouldn't be talked about. It should be put to good use. Take what you learned from the past and put it to work on tomorrow."

Isn't this what Louis Armstrong was talking about in his quote? Exercise the talents you were born with. Do something interesting and good each day, every day ...

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Francis J. Dever, Esq., 89**Director Estate Planning Council**

A funeral Mass for Francis J. Dever, Esq., 89, of Quincy, director of the Estate Planning Council at Boston College High School, was celebrated Monday at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Dever died April 25 at home.

He was the director of the planning council for 17 years, retiring in 1983.

He was also counselor to the president of Boston College and taught taxation courses for 10 years at Suffolk Law School in Boston and at New England Law School in Boston.

Born in St. John, Canada, he graduated from Boston College in 1942 and from Boston College Law School in 1951. He was admitted to the Massachusetts Bar in 1951.

Mr. Dever had lived in the city's Wollaston section for 62 years. Previously, he was a Dorchester resident.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving as captain of LST 399 in seven battles in the South Pacific, including Okinawa and Iwo Jima. He served from September 1942 to November 1945.

He was a past president of St. Ann's Holy Name Society and a member of Boston College Alumni Association and Boston College Law School Alumni Association.

In 1957, Mr. Dever was director of Boston College Alumni Association and in the 1960s a director of Boston College Law School.

He was also a member of the Massachusetts Navy LST

**FRANCIS J. DEVER, ESQ.**

Association and the U.S. Navy LST Association.

Mr. Dever was a trustee for College Courses Inc. at Quincy College and a board member of Caritas Carney Hospital.

Husband of the late Marie (Gaudreau) Dever, he is survived by two sons, Francis Dever of Lake Mary, Fla., and Brian Dever of Mansfield; three daughters, Jeanne-Marie Ryan of Needham, Anne Dever-McEvoy of Wollaston and Martha Dever Barbadoro of Quincy; two sisters, Eileen Dever of Milton and Geraldine Mayer of Quincy; a brother, Robert Dever of Hingham; and 13 grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Boston College Office of Development, 140 Commonwealth Ave., Chestnut Hill, MA 02467.

Bruce A. Sharples, 63**Security Guard**

A funeral service for Bruce A. Sharples, 63, of Quincy, a security guard, was held April 27 at O'Donnell and Mulry Funeral Home, Dorchester.

Mr. Sharples died April 23 at Waban Health Care in Newton after a long illness.

He worked in the Quincy area.

Born in Dorchester, Mr. Sharples attended Boston

schools. He was a longtime Quincy resident.

He enjoyed walking and spending time at Wollaston Beach.

He is survived by two daughters, Deborah Sharples and Jeanne Scalf, both of Pennsylvania; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was private.

Serena Swan, 83**Worked At Howard John's Candy Factory**

A funeral Mass for Serena "Tina" (Zellner) Swan, 83, of Quincy, formerly of North Weymouth, was celebrated Monday at St. Jerome's Church, North Weymouth.

Mrs. Swan died April 27 at South Shore Hospital.

She worked at the Howard Johnson's candy factory in Quincy for many years.

Born and raised in Boston, she had lived in North Weymouth most of her life. She lived in Quincy for 10 years.

She is survived by a

daughter, Diane Miller of Whitman; two grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, North Weymouth.

Memorial donations may be made to Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, 9 Riverside Rd., Weston, MA 02493-2281.

Joseph Staiti, 93**Retired Hair Salon Owner**

A funeral service for Joseph Staiti, 93, of Milton, formerly of Quincy, a retired hair salon owner, was held April 28 at Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Mr. Staiti died April 16 at Marina Bay Skilled Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Quincy after a long illness.

Born in Rodi, Sicily, his family immigrated to Quincy in 1920.

Mr. Staiti worked in the textile trade in Boston and at Grover Cronin Department Store in Waltham. He joined his two older brothers, Fred and Gus, in the hairdressing business.

He owned and operated Fred the Hair Stylist in Milton for many years.

Mr. Staiti married his wife of 63 years, Lucy (DeMeo) Staiti, in November 1944. They moved to Milton in 1951.

Frances Abbatangelo, 55**Manager**

A funeral Mass for Frances (Coppens) Abbatangelo, 55, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a manager, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Abbatangelo died April 27 at South Shore Hospital.

She worked at Commonwealth Oncology in Weymouth for 10 years.

She enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren, cooking, holidays, and traveling with her husband, Dominic Abbatangelo.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Louis G. Bertucci III and John Bertucci of Quincy; a daughter, Patricia Bertucci of Quincy; three stepsons, Dominic Abbatangelo of Westwood, Mark Abbatangelo of Brockton and Craig Abbatangelo of Los Angeles; two brothers, William Coppens of Braintree and Leo Coppens of Rockland; and three sisters, Mary LeBreque of Vermont, Patti Coughlin of Milton and Regina Coppens-Buchsbaum of Maine.

Burial was in Blue Hill

**JOSEPH STAITI**

He enjoyed trips to Europe, the Caribbean and Mexico with his wife. After retirement, they enjoyed spending part of the year in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Staiti is survived by a son, Paul Staiti of South Hadley; a brother, Gus LaStaiti of Mattapoisett; and two grandchildren.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

**FRANCES ABBATANGELO**

Cemetery, Braintree. Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Central N.E. Region, 18 Tremont St., Suite 700, Boston, MA 02108.

Esther A. Fickett, 94**Teacher**

A funeral service for Esther A. (Leppala) Fickett, 94, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a retired teacher, will be held today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. at Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Mrs. Fickett died April 26 at Colonial Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Weymouth.

She was a teacher in Quincy and Weymouth for 15 years.

Born and raised in Quincy, she attended Quincy public schools and graduated from Bridgewater State College.

She had lived in Quincy for more than 60 years.

Mrs. Fickett was a member of the U.K. Temperance Society, Braintree Art Association, Faith Seniors and the Norfolk County Retired

**ESTHER A. FICKETT**

Teachers Association. She was also a Club Scout Den mother.

She is survived by her husband, Carleton M. Fickett of Weymouth; a daughter, Susan Smith of Hingham; a son, Peter Fickett of Stafford, N.H.; a sister, Katherine "Katie" Leppala of Quincy; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Doris V. McAleer, 64**Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Doris V. (Morise) McAleer, 64, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated April 28 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. McAleer died April 26 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born in Boston, she lived in Quincy for 50 years.

She is survived by a son, Michael McAleer of Quincy; two brothers, John Marre of Quincy and Richard Marre of Halifax; three sisters, Joyce Clooney of Weymouth, Maureen Marre and Kathleen Marre, both of Quincy.

Burial was in Pine Hill

**DORIS V. MCALEER**

Cemetery, Quincy. Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Lung Association of MA, 460 Totten Pond Rd., Suite 400, Waltham, MA 02451.

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OBITUARIES

Virginia M. Walker, 83**Small Claims Clerk, Homemaker**

A funeral Mass for Virginia M. (Ellard) Walker, 83, of Quincy, a small claims clerk in the Quincy Court-house for more than 20 years, will be celebrated Friday at 11 a.m. in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy Center.

Mrs. Walker died Sunday at her home after a brief illness.

Born in Quincy, she had lived in Quincy for the past 20 years. Previously she had lived in Weymouth for more than 30 years and earlier lived in Quincy for over 30 years.

She was educated in Quincy Public Schools. She graduated from Quincy High School and was a graduate of the former Burdett Business School in Boston.

Mrs. Walker also had worked at the former Granite Trust and former Quincy Savings Bank. She was also a homemaker.

Mrs. Walker was named Miss Quincy in 1940 when she was 16 years old.

Wife of the late Stanley L. Walker, she is survived by



VIRGINIA M. WALKER

two sons, James S. Walker of New Jersey and David L. Walker of Weymouth; a sister, Mary E. Ellard of Quincy; two brothers, George W. Ellard of California and James V. Ellard of Belmont; seven grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

She was also the sister of the late Marguerite H. Conlan.

Burial will be in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Visiting hours are Friday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Gilda DiCesare, 96**Homemaker**

A Mass of Christian Burial for Gilda (Agnitti) DiCesare, 96, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Monday at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy Center.

Mrs. DiCesare died April 26 at Southwood at Norwell Nursing Center.



GILDA DICESARE

She was the late of seven siblings born and raised in Anversa D'egli Abruzzi, Italy. She came to the United States after World War II.

She enjoyed sewing, cooking and listening to operate. A devout Catholic, she was a communicant of St. John the Baptist Church for many years.

Wife of the late Ralph DiCesare, she is survived by three sons, Joseph DiCesare of Quincy, John DiCesare of Delaware and Ralph DiCesare of Hanover; a daughter, Rosemarie Stadig of Hanover; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and a niece, a nephew and several grandnieces and grandnephews.

Entombment was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy Center.

Ralph A. McLeod, 90**Outfielder For Boston Braves, Quincy Firefighter, Battle Of Bulge Veteran**

A funeral service for Ralph A. McLeod, 90, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, an outfielder for the Boston Braves and a retired Quincy firefighter, was held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. McLeod died April 27 at the Colonial Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Weymouth.

He was a firefighter for 32 years. He retired in 1980.

Born in North Quincy, Mr. McLeod grew up next door to former Boston pitcher Fred Doe. Doe used his contacts with the Boston Braves to get Mr. McLeod signed to the team in 1936.

After batting in the .300s in the minor leagues at McKeesport, Columbia of the South Atlantic League and Hartford of the Eastern League, he was called up to the Boston Bees in September 1938 and played in six games.

The Braves, who later moved to Milwaukee and then Atlanta, were known as the Bees in the 1930s.

His first big league hit was an eighth-inning, pinch-hit single off the Cardinals' Paul Dean on Sept. 21. In seven official at-bats, he connected for the one single and one double for a career batting average of .286.

Mr. McLeod was drafted into the Army during World



RALPH A. McLEOD

War II, and he never returned to the game.

He served in the Army from February 1941 until December 1945 and fought in the Battle of the Bulge with the 75th Division.

He was a member of the Boston Braves Historical Society, the Major League Baseball Alumni Association and Morrisette Post, American Legion, and the Beechwood Life Center Volleyball Club.

Husband of the late Barbara (White) McLeod, he is survived by a daughter, Beverly St. Pierre of Weymouth; a son, Robert McLeod of Eugene, Ore.; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, MA 02169.

John J. Griffin, 72**Member Of Operating Engineers Union**

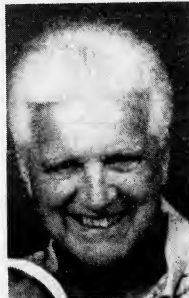
A funeral Mass for John J. Griffin, 72, of Houghs Neck, a member of International Union of Operating Engineers Local 4 for more than 50 years, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Francis Xavier Church, Weymouth.

Mr. Griffin died Sunday at his daughter's home in Weymouth.

He served in the Army and was member of Houghs Neck American Legion Post 380.

A lifelong Houghs Neck resident, Mr. Griffin was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Husband of the late Joan Glee (Murphy) Griffin, he is survived by a daughter, Lori Atteridge of Weymouth; a son, John "Chip" Griffin Jr. of Hull; a sister, Kay Smith of Quincy; a brother, James Griffin of Canton; two grand-



JOHN J. GRIFFIN

daughters; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 30 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit

Roy T. Cavicchi, 85**Retired Quincy Police Captain**

A funeral Mass for Roy T. Cavicchi, 85, of Rockland, formerly of Quincy, a retired Quincy Police Department captain, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Cavicchi died Monday at the Kindred Hospital Northeast Braintree after a long illness.

Born in Quincy, he was raised in the city and attended Quincy schools. He was a 1939 graduate of North Quincy High School and a graduate of Quincy Junior College.

Mr. Cavicchi was appointed as a permanent Quincy Police officer on June 3, 1954. He was promoted to sergeant on Dec. 7, 1961, to lieutenant on May 13, 1965, and captain on Jan. 26, 1967. He served with the Quincy Police Department for 29 years. He retired July 6, 1983.

Mr. Cavicchi was a veteran of World War II having served in the U.S. Army Air Corps as a staff sergeant. He participated in many campaigns, including Rome Arno, Normandy, Rhineland, Po Valley, Northern and Southern France, North Apennines and air combat Balkans. He received the Good Conduct Medal, the Distinguished Unit Badge with oak leaf clusters and the European African Middle Eastern Theater Campaign Ribbon.



ROY T. CAVICCHI

He was an avid golfer. He was a member of the Halifax Country Club and former member of the South Shore Country Club.

Mr. Cavicchi enjoyed painting, especially water colors and seascapes. He also enjoyed woodworking.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Gertrude (Johnson) Cavicchi of Rockland; two sons, Roy T. Cavicchi of Pittsburgh, Penn. and Thomas A. Cavicchi of Norwell; a daughter, Karen A. Caruso of Norwell; six grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Burial with military honors will be in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, 85 Astor Ave., Suite 2, Norwood, MA 02062.

Renee Anne Levesque, 38**Legal Secretary**

A funeral Mass for Renee Anne Levesque, 38, of Franklin, N.H., formerly of Quincy, a legal secretary, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Miss Levesque died Monday at Dartmouth Hitchcock Hospital in Lebanon, N.H., by accident.

Born in Boston, she had lived in Quincy before moving to Franklin, N.H., 18 years ago.

She enjoyed being with people and loved her family and friends, especially her son, Ian.

She was the owner/operator of a clothing consignment shop in Laconia, N.H.

Miss Levesque also worked for 10 years as a legal secretary for a law firm.

She was a 1987 graduate of North Quincy High School



RENEE ANNE LEVESQUE and attended Plymouth State College.

She is survived by her father, Frank E. Levesque of Quincy; her mother, Grace A. (O'Connor) Levesque of Bridgewater; her son, Ian Gourlay of Laconia, N.H.; and two brothers, Frank D. Levesque of Hanson and James A. Levesque of Bridgewater.

Burial will be in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Cerebral Palsy South Shore Area, 43 Old Colony Ave., Quincy, MA 02170.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department

NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0958AD

In the Estate of
RICHARD OWENS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death

February 18, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that GARY W. OWENS of BELLINGHAM in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 6, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 25, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or

their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Neighborhood Housing Services Homebuyer Workshop Starts May 14

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore will host a First-Time Homebuyer Workshop on Monday, May 14 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, May 19 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Neighborhood Housing Services is located at 422 Washington St., Quincy.

The workshop is open to

citizens of Massachusetts, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. At the workshop, participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal

aspects of the home buying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from related professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person.

Call 617-770-2227 ext. 31.

QPAC To Special Education Election May 8

The Quincy Parent Advisory Council (QPAC) to Special Education will hold its elections Tuesday, May 8 from 7 to 9 p.m. at its new location, the Quincy

Public Schools Administrative Annex/ Parker Suite, 70 Coddington St., Quincy.

Nominations are being accepted for the 2007-2008

QPAC to Special Education Executive Board: president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, outreach, and public relations.

For more information about QPAC to Special Education, contact Toni-Marie Mahoney, president, at 617-773-4558 or e-mail tmahoney77@comcast.net.

SWAP Earns Tax Abatements For Seniors

The Council on Aging has a SWAP (Senior Workers' Abatement Program) that enable the elderly to work 89 1/2 hours a year and earn \$600 towards their real estate tax bills.

For further details, call Dorothy Dow at 617-376-

1508.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Patrick J. Barry for a Variance to enclose the front and side porches and extend the front stairs for the new landing in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 11 OAK GROVE TERRACE, QUINCY.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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The parcel of land is located at the end of Spaulding Street at Apex Street and is shown on Assessors' plan no. 2087A.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-089

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic, Chapter 10.20 Stopping, Standing and Parking. Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

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CLERK OF COUNCIL

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0811AD
In the Estate of
ANN M. DIANTONIO
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
January 21, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that JOHN DIANTONIO of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 16, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 6, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
5/3/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 95P1652EP2
In the Estate of
KATHLEEN P.
McDERMOTT
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
June 27, 1995

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that MARTIN F. CONNOLLY of DORCHESTER in the County of SUFFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON MAY 23, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 12, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
5/3/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0321-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION
VIRGINIA NGANGA,
Plaintiff(s)
V.
WILLIAM HOLLAND,
Defendant(s)
To the above named
Defendant(s):
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), VIRGINIA NGANGA, seeking DIVORCE.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon VIRGINIA NGANGA, whose address is 96 WASHINGTON STREET, #7, QUINCY, MA 02169, your answer on or before 6/29/07. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 6th day of APRIL, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/19, 4/26, 5/3/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07-016
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5/3, 5/10/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07D0470-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY
PUBLICATION
YU LING LIAO, Plaintiff(s)
V.
SIEW KONG WONG,
Defendant(s)
To the above named
Defendant(s):
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), YU LING LIAO, seeking DIVORCE.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.

You are required to serve upon CARYN MITCHELL-MUNEVAR, ATTORNEY FOR YU LING LIAO, whose address is 46 CHURCH STREET, BOSTON, MA 02116, your answer on or before 7/05/07. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 9th day of APRIL, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
4/26, 5/3, 5/10/07

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5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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The property is located at 315 Willard Street, Quincy and is shown as Plot 16 on Assessors' plan 4111.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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WARD 3 COUNCILLOR Kevin F. Coughlin gets a hug from Vera DiCarlo after the city's first Senior Traffic Safety Zone was dedicated at 125 Granite Street. Shown left to right with DiCarlo are Barbara Hughes and Ramsey Hassan (center). Standing are Evelyn Heinz and Margaret Pearson.

City Designates First Senior Safety Zone

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Quincy's senior citizen traffic zoning is not only the first in the state, but very likely the first in the nation, according to Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin.

Coughlin introduced the idea of a senior citizen safety zone to the City Council in 2003 after considering the benefits of school traffic zones.

"I looked at the school behind my house," said Coughlin. "I thought, 'If we can protect schoolchildren with special zones, why not seniors?'"

At this time, Coughlin said that officials in Chicago are considering adopting the idea as are local officials in Milton and Somerville, but no other city or town has senior traffic zones yet.

Phelan and the City Council approved Coughlin's proposal in 2003 as a Home Rule Petition which must be cleared at the state level. Coughlin said that Senator Michael Morrissey then "led the charge" through the state legislature and the petition was signed by Governor Mitt Romney late last fall.

"The state controls the roadways," Phelan said last week, explaining the lengthy process. Any change in speed limits or traffic zones must be approved at the state level.

Under the new law, drivers face \$100 fines for violating the new speed limits in a Senior Traffic Zone.

The new zoning comes



SENIOR TRAFFIC ZONE on Granite Street is now marked by signs warning drivers of a 20 M.P.H. speed limit and a possible \$100 fine. The zone, the first in the state is 500 feet long and will include enhanced crosswalks. This is the first of some 20 scheduled for sites across the city. Two cars ignored a Red light as this photo was being shot.

none too soon for residents of Granite Place like Nancy Grasso who said crossing Granite Street has been hazardous to life and limb. "Some of them (drivers) speed right through red lights."

Several senior housing developments are on one side of Granite Street while all types of shopping destinations, from a fruit store to a drugstore to a supermarket to a clothing store, lie across the roadway.

"You take your life in your hands (crossing Granite Street)," said Mary Cappadona who attended last week's ceremony as did Amelia Sacco who said, "A lot of times, they go right through the red light."

However, it's not always the drivers' fault said Helen Taylor who lives nearby. "Sometimes, they (pedestrians) still go when the hand is up."

Recently, Barbara O'Brien said she kept a

woman from crossing at the wrong time, "I yelled at a woman. Told her to stand close to that fence."

Contacted after the ceremony, Coughlin emphasized that police enforcement of traffic laws and pedestrian education are just as important as creating protective zones. He said that safety plans have three important components, which he labels the three E's: Engineering, Education and Enforcement.

In the near future, many more of the city's 16,000 senior citizens stand to benefit from the new zoning. Coughlin said there are 20 additional Senior Zone locations on the public works list.

Included, at this time, are such zones as 80 Clay Street, Beechwood on the Bay, the Bauer House, Drohan Apartments, and apartments on School Street across from St. John's Church.

By LAURA GRIFFIN

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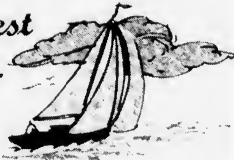
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• 4.9% Increase • \$5.1 Million More For Schools • Police, Fire Depts. Up Phelan Proposes \$250.8 Million Budget



STORM REFUSE ON Avalon Beach in Quincy Point is raked up by Richard Morris (left), Ward 2 Councillor Dan Raymond and Peter Papile as part of Quincy's Cleaner, Greener Cleanup Saturday.
Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble

1,450 Volunteers Team Up

Cleaner, Greener Project Cleans 45 Tons of Trash

Mayor William Phelan and Park Director Mark Jaehnig called last Saturday's Cleaner, Greener Quincy cleanup one of the most successful in the 18-year history of the event.

More than 1,450 volunteers fanned out across Quincy's parks, beaches, marshes, schoolyards, and open spaces, cleaning an estimated 45 tons of trash.

"What a wonderful day for our community," said Phelan at a post-event appreciation barbecue. "We are so fortunate to have residents who care so deeply about their city. The weather and enthusiasm of our volunteers have combined to make this one the greatest turnouts in Cleaner, Greener Quincy history."

Estimates from the DPW indicate that more than 45 tons of trash and debris were cleaned, with most of the larger debris from winter wash-ups at beaches and marsh areas.

"People are really buying into our 'Neighborhoods First' program and becoming actively involved in

keeping our community great," said Phelan. "It's nice to see the cleaner, greener stalwarts out today working alongside so many new people to the program. It's a great sign for the future of our city."

Volunteers cleaned up at more than 30 sites in every Quincy neighborhood.

"I want to thank the volunteers and employees that made Cleaner,

Greener such a great event this year," said Jaehnig. "As a long-time volunteer in the program, it was impressive to see the full scope and impact made by our volunteers. I want to thank Allied Waste, Hannaford Supermarkets, Barry Welch and the Recreation Department, the members of Local 1139, and Kristen Keohane who all contributed to the success of the event."

Volunteers Sought To Help Letter Carriers' Food Drive

Volunteers are needed to help the National Association of Letter Carriers with their annual food drive for the hungry Saturday, May 12.

The letter carriers themselves will pick up the non-perishable donations made by clients along their routes and left beside their mailboxes.

But the volunteers are needed

from 2:30 to 7 p.m. to sort and package the food for the pantries at the Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

Drivers are also needed to pick up and transport the food from the Quincy Center, Wollaston and North Quincy post offices to the Park & Recreation Complex.

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Mayor William Phelan Monday presented a \$250,844,657 budget proposal for fiscal year 2008 to the City Council.

"This represents an approximate 4.9% increase from last year's actual budget," Phelan said, attributing a large part of the \$11.6 million increase over the 2007 budget to a 12% hike in the cost of employee benefits.

"Our budget line for 'Employee Benefits' has grown from \$18 million in fiscal year 2002 to \$42 million in fiscal year 2008," said the mayor.

Phelan's 2008 budget plan, also, includes a \$5.1 million or 7% increase in the city's education budget and one and two percent increases in fire and police respectively.

"I know of no other community that is making such an investment in education," Phelan said as he cited his proposed \$5.1 million increase in the education budget. "Our investment in our schools comprises 31% of the fiscal year 2008 appropriation. Our public

Budget Highlights

- A 12% increase in the employee benefits cost-a number Phelan is fighting to reduce through the collective bargaining process.
- A 7% increase in the Education budget-more than \$5 million.
- \$150,000 for additional tree-plantings through Quincy neighborhoods.
- Purchase of seven new police cruisers.
- Continued resources for the next phase of the City's Pavement Management Plan.
- Additional money for the Council on Aging's SWAP program, which allows Quincy seniors to work in government for a stipend.

safety departments comprise almost 15% of the total budget."

"While towns all around Quincy are forced to make Draconian cuts to their education budgets, the state

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Board Selects Pageant Field For New Track

The Quincy Park and Recreation Board voted to site a new running track at Pageant Field at Monday night's board meeting.

The vote was a 5-3 vote to proceed with construction of the track after a two-year absence of such a facility.

The board conditioned their approval on there not being any chain-link fencing surrounding the track and that the aesthetic impacts be minimized. The board also requested that any concerns of the Adams family be addressed prior to final design.

Final approval is required by the City Council.

Mayor William Phelan first proposed the creation of a new track facility to replace the aging, quar-

ter-mile track in Veterans' Stadium as part of the hotel/motel tax bond.

"I applaud the work of the Park and Recreation Board in helping move this project forward," said Phelan. "This site stands to benefit our entire community as a premiere facility for our track program and as a beautiful place where all residents can walk, exercise, and enjoy the natural beauty of the park. I believe time will show this to be the ideal location for such a community facility."

Board members voting in favor of the proposed track location were Bryan Connolly, Betty DeCristofaro, Robert Evans, David McCarthy and Sandy Verhaalt.

Board members voting against the

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JUDGE MARK COVEN, First Justice of Quincy District Court, presents the Rabbi Jacob Mann Social Justice Award to former Attorney General Frank Bellotti.

Frank Bellotti Honored For Social Justice Work

Awards Presented At Quincy District Court Law Day Ceremonies

By LAURA GRIFFIN

The 2007 Law Day at Quincy District Court served as somewhat of a homecoming last week for the day's keynote speaker, Attorney General Martha Coakley, and for Quincy's Frank Bellotti, a former attorney general and lieutenant governor, honored for his lifetime dedication to social justice.

For Coakley, district courts are the foundation of the country's legal system, and the place where her own law career began as did her love of law.

Bellotti actually began his legal career in the 1950's in Quincy's old district courthouse on Coddington Street.

Last week, Bellotti not only received the prestigious Rabbi Jacob Mann Social Justice Award at the ceremonies but, also, his 84th birthday cake from his district courthouse friends.



CHIEF JUSTICE of the District Courts, Linda Connolly opened the 2007 Law Day session at Quincy District Court.

"Coming over here 30 years, one of the perks of the job was to watch him try a case," Assistant Clerk Magistrate Robert Bloom said of Bellotti's reputation as a defense attorney.

Bloom was master of ceremony at the 49th Annual Law Day, which drew some 150 persons to the courthouse.

Mayor William Phelan



ROBERT BLOOM, Assistant Clerk Magistrate at Quincy District Court, served as master of ceremonies.

welcomed the participants, as did Phyllis Field, President of the Quincy Bar Association. Judge Linda M. Connolly officially, opened the session.

Connolly, Chief Justice of the District Courts, noted that some 62 district courts are in session every day in the state and, annually, adjudicate some 788,000 cases involving 1.5 million



THREE QUINCY POLICE officers were selected for the Robert F. Dana Distinguished Service Award. Officer John Leuchte (second from left) and Officer Michael Sullivan (center) are shown with Police Chief Robert Crowley (far right). Also honored was Lt. Charles Santoro whose father Rosario Charles Santoro, accepted the award on his behalf. Lt. Santoro was out of town on the day of the ceremony.

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RETIRED POLICE OFFICER Guido "Budsie" Pettinelli receives the James McIntyre Humanitarian Award from Quincy District Court Clerk Magistrate Arthur Tobin.

people. Both Bellotti and Coakley spoke of the beauty of the American legal system which, they believe, begins at the district court level.

"Every single day in courts like this, the Constitution works," Coakley said. She then described America's historic experiment in seeking justice for all.

"It was a huge experiment," Coakley said, adding that, even though justice is served through the country's court system, "It's not perfect."

The justice system is evolving and, sometimes, there are detours, said Coakley. She then observed that the infamous Dred Scott Decision, 150 years ago, contrasts with the United States' Supreme Court decision to require legal counsel for all defendants, regardless of the ability to pay.

As for the attorney general's office, Coakley said, "We wear two hats." On the one hand, her office focuses on enforcement and on the other hand, prevention.

Coakley acknowledged that the attorney general's work is best known for



WILLIAM P. MIGNOSA (left) receives the Jason Feldman Award from Marion Feldman Needel. Mignosa was honored for his generous response to the Montillo family when their bakery burned down. Mignosa provided space for the bakery operation and employees at his own store, Fruit Basket on Granite Street.

enforcement, but said that prevention is equally important. As an example, Coakley cited her staff's current effort in regulating insurance rates which "doesn't seem all that sexy, but it's so important."

Clerk Magistrate Arthur Tobin and Judge Mark S. Coven, presiding justice, introduced Bellotti who was selected for this year's Rabbi Jacob Mann Social Justice Award which honors the late spiritual leader of Beth Israel Synagogue.

Coven said that Bellotti was chosen because he "represents what Rabbi Mann stood for. He gave voice to people who have no power."

Coven credited Bellotti with instituting the state's first effective consumer protection laws in the 1970's. Such laws were first "written and promulgated by Frank Bellotti and no one else," Judge Coven said, referring to Bellotti's legal initiatives on protecting consumers buying cars or

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Highpoint Developers Seek 4-Year Extension

The developers of Highpoint, The Congress Group, want four more years to finish their 1000 plus units on Quarry Street.

The Congress Group has already completed nearly 500 apartments and condominiums in five buildings on the site at the top of Quarry Street. They are halfway to their goal.

However, times have changed since construction began and the market right now is not the best for the new development.

Now, developer Dean Stratouly said they must stop construction for a while. They need more time because current market conditions make completing the project impractical at this time.

According to a letter dated April 24, Stratouly claims his firm, The Congress Group, has a right to a four-year extension under the terms of the city's 1999 Special Permit.

The terms of the Special Permit require that all

exterior construction on Highpoint be completed within six years of "the commencement of construction, subject to extensions...."

However, the permit does allow an extension of the building period if market conditions change, making development impractical. The language does not specify the length of the extension.

In addition, the wording of the Special Permit does not specify how or who would issue an extension. In fact, Stratouly believes that he does not have to ask for the extension.

"Under the terms of the Special Permit, the Developer is entitled to the claimed extension," writes Stratouly, repeating several times throughout his letter that the extension is a matter of his right under the Special Permit.

Stratouly asked the City Council for a formal written confirmation of the extension

in his April letter. He also stated that he does not believe that he must request the extension, as it is part of the Special Permit.

At Monday's meeting, City Clerk Joseph Shea read Stratouly's letter to the City Council. Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond recused himself and left the City Council Chambers.

Ward 2 Councillor Jay Davis and Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin both asked council members to table any action on the letter until the city solicitor can issue an opinion on the request.

Davis and Coughlin rejected attempts to ask Stratouly to direct the letter to the City Council, acting as Special Permitting Authority. Both believed any action on the request could trigger a requirement that the Council act on a specific timetable.

Councillors will request additional information from the City Solicitor's office.

— LAURA GRIFFIN



SEVERAL HUNDRED MEMBERS of the Quincy Education Association demonstrate at City Hall Plaza before last Wednesday's School Committee meeting, carrying signs reading "Fair Contract Now." They have been without a contract since last August.



TEACHERS CROWD the City Council chamber at last Wednesday's School Committee meeting urging "a fair contract now." Speaking is Point-Webster teacher Jessica Davis-Myers as others wait their turn.
Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

Chiropractor To Screen June 19

Dr. Bruce Indek, a chiropractor, will provide computerized neck and back screenings and speak on various subjects from nutrition to arthritis Tuesday, June 19, from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. at

the Richard Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway. The program is free.

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**Moments
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THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On May 10, 1877, President Rutherford B. Hayes has the White House's first telephone installed in the mansion's telegraph room. President Hayes embraced the new technology, though he rarely received phone calls. The White House phone number was "1."

• On May 12, 1903, President Theodore Roosevelt's trip to San Francisco is captured on moving-picture film, making him the first president to have an official activity recorded in that medium. The film showed Roosevelt riding in a carriage and escorted by the Ninth U.S. Cavalry Regiment, which was unusual for the time because it was an all-black company.

• On May 9, 1914, President Woodrow Wilson issues a presidential proclamation that officially establishes the first national Mother's Day holiday to celebrate America's mothers. The idea for a "Mother's Day" is credited by some to Julia Ward Howe (1827) and by others to Anna Jarvis (1907), who both suggested a holiday dedicated to a day of peace.

• On May 8, 1933, the first

police radio system, connecting headquarters to patrol cars and patrol cars to one another, is installed in Eastchester Township, N.Y. The system consisted of one transmitter of 20 watts for the headquarters and two transmitters of 4.5 volts each for the two patrol cars.

• On May 7, 1947, Kraft Television Theater debuts on NBC with a play called "Double Doors." The show ran for 11 years. Kraft had launched Kraft Music Hall in 1933 as part of a promotional push to introduce its new salad dressing, Miracle Whip.

• On May 13, 1956, Gene Autry's musical variety show, "Gene Autry's Melody Ranch," airs its final broadcast after 16 years. The weekly radio show featured 10- to 15-minute skits about cowboys and rustlers, along with musical numbers by Autry, "America's singing cowboy."

• On May 11, 1976, long-running TV medical drama "Marcus Welby, M.D." airs its last episode. The show, which premiered in 1969, was ABC's first No. 1-rated series.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

'The Meanest Mother' Returns

"The Meanest Mother" is still remembered with fondness.

She first appeared here 36 years ago as a Mother's Day tribute in 1971.

For many readers, it brought back fond memories of their own mother.

Don't know where the article came from. And, as far as we know, the writer remains anonymous.

From time to time we have requests to reprint it.

But as you read it, you realize that times and values have changed somewhat since 1971.

The article seemed most appropriate back then. But today, some readers, might take issue with part of it as child abuse.

We thought back then, it was a tribute to all the "mean mothers" everywhere—mothers who raised their children strictly, but with love and care. Mothers who took the time to guide their children through those early years when they needed guidance. Someone who wanted to know where their children were, who they were with and what they were doing. Mothers who were always there for them.

We still think it is appropriate.

See what you think.

It goes like this:

"I had the meanest mother in the whole world.

While other kids ate candy for breakfast, I had to have cereal, eggs and toast. While others had cokes and candy for lunch, I had to eat a sandwich. As you guessed, my supper was different from the other kids, too.

But, at least I wasn't alone in my suffering. My sister and two brothers had the same mean mother as I did.

My mother insisted upon knowing where we were at all times. You'd think we were on the chain gang. She had to know who our friends were and what we were doing.

She insisted that if we'd be gone one hour that we be one hour or less—not one hour and one minute.

I am nearly ashamed to admit it, but she actually struck us. Not once but each time we did as we pleased. Can you imagine someone actually hitting a child because he disobeyed? Now you can begin to see how mean she really was.

The worst is yet to come. We had to be in bed by nine each night and up early the next morning. We couldn't sleep until noon like our friends. So, while they slept, my mother actually had the nerve to break the child labor law. She made us work.

We had to wash dishes, make beds, learn to cook and all sorts of cruel things. I believe she laid awake at nights thinking of mean things for us to do.

She always insisted upon our telling the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, even if it killed us. It nearly did.

By the time we were teenagers, she was much wiser and our life became even more unbearable. None of this tooting the horn of a car for us to come running. She embarrassed us to no end by making our dates and

friends come to the door to get us.

I forgot to mention, while friends were dating at the mature age of 12 and 13, my old fashioned mother refused to let me date until the age of 15 and 18. Fifteen, that is, if you dated only to go to a school function and that was only once or twice a year.

My mother was a complete failure as a mother. None of us has ever been arrested. Each of my brothers served his time in the service of his country.

And, whom do we have to blame for this terrible way we turned out? You're right, our mean mother.

Look at all the things we missed. We never got to march in a protest parade, nor to take part in a riot, and a million and one things that our friends did. She forced us to grow into God fearing, educated, honest adults.

Using this as background, I am trying to raise my three children. I stand a little taller and I am filled with pride when my children call me mean.

Because, you see, I thank God. He gave me the meanest mother in the whole world."

And, just let me add:

Happy Mother's Day, all you "mean" mothers.

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NICK PULEO has stepped down as president of the Ward 5 Community Association because of his candidacy for the school committee.

His reason, he notes, is to keep the association non-political—especially in a city election year.

He says he is following in the steps of past presidents Doug Gutro when he was campaigning for the Ward 5 city council seat and Steve Golden when he ran for the school committee.

Puleo, who announced his candidacy for the school committee before Linda Stice announced she would not seek re-election isn't doing any coasting now that there's an open seat.

"I am running like I am still up against three incumbents," he says.

□



GUTRO



DWYER

INCUMBENTS DOUG GUTRO and Elaine Dwyer haven't officially announced yet, but both will be seeking re-election this year.

Gutro has taken out nomination papers to retain his Ward 5 city council seat and Dwyer for her school committee seat.

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LOOKS LIKE A race for the Ward 4 city council seat. Kevin Worley of Douglas Street, has nomination papers out to challenge incumbent Jay Davis.

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PET PEEVE DEPT. People who leave shopping carts in the middle of a parking space. Just too lazy to return them or just don't give a damn?

Red Cross, CPR, First Aid Courses May 19-30

The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses May 19-30 at its South Area office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

CPR for the Professional Rescuer: May 19 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Cost is \$80. In addition to skills learned in Adult, Child & Infant CPR, this course

teaches two-rescuer CPR, advanced airway procedures and the use of a pocket mask.

Adult CPR/AED: May 23 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

CPR for the Professional Rescuer Review: May 24 from 6-10:30 p.m.

Cost is \$60. Prerequisite: current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Adult CPR/AED Review: May 29 from 6-8:30 p.m. Cost is \$50. Prerequisite: current certification in Adult CPR/AED.

CPR for the Professional Rescuer Review: May 30 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$60. Prerequisite:

current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Registrations are being accepted for a daytime Home Health Aid/Certified Nursing Assistant course starting May 29, 2007. Cost is \$800.

Pre-registration is required for all courses. Call 617-770-2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for more information.

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SCHLOMO: White with black "top hat." Street

weary, wants a home of his own.

SOPHIA: Playful 3 y.o. tabby.

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1930s view of Quincy's first off-street parking lot that later became known as Parkingway. This view is looking north from Hancock Court. In the distance on the right can be seen the new Granite Trust Co. building and the belfry of the First Parish Church. Known as the James Edwards Meadow after its 19th century owner this land was originally a swamp bisected by the Town Brook. In the 1840s, the railroad was built through it. The old raised roadbed can be seen in the left center of the picture. In 1929 the Grossman Company purchased the land from the Edwards estate. They filled the swamp and built the road shown here from Hancock Court to Cliveden Street. They allowed free

parking for up to 500 cars. In 1931, the city leased the parking lot from the Grossman's Hia Pearl Corporation and then in 1939 purchased it along with a few small contiguous lots. After several years of litigation with Hia Pearl, the city-owned Parkingway was dedicated by Mayor Charles A. Ross in December 1949. Today, the railroad tracks are depressed as they run through here and parking garages pretty much dominate this view. The new Concourse is slated to run across just beyond the two signs. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Found City Council Hearing An Embarrassment

After viewing the most recent Quincy City Council hearing, chaired by Councillor Jay Davis, at which Chief of Police Robert Crowley and the President of the Quincy Police Patrolman's Union, Officer Bruce Tait appeared, I am compelled to write and express that it was actually embarrassing and painful to watch those proceedings.

It is very clear that there are strong feelings on both sides. Councillor Davis and Councillor Keenan are apparently aligned with management and Chief Crowley, and Councillor Raymondi seems to support Officer Tait and organized labor. It is equally clear that Councillor Keenan and Councillor Davis take great offense at some of the language appearing on the Union's Web site. And based on Councillor Keenan's lengthy analysis I can certainly see why both are offended.

However, I am absolutely astounded that Councillor

Keenan believed it would be useful to painfully belabor and define the offensive term "rumpswab" within the context of a City Council hearing. The discussion of the term was as offensive as the term itself. Can you imagine what the minutes of the Council hearing are going to look like? As a tax-paying citizen it was embarrassing to listen to Councillor Keenan parse words with Officer Tait concerning that admittedly vulgar term's meaning. It did nothing except escalate the already volatile situation. I find it unbelievable that Councillor Keenan was genuinely unclear on the term's meaning and would really like to know what he hoped to accomplish by deconstructing the term in public and on the record?

No one can claim the moral high ground here. There are valid points on both sides and for the record I agree with Councillor Keenan and Councillor

Davis that resorting to name calling is an ineffective way to resolve differences. However, it is a tact that is not unusual for unions to employ. Like it or not it is their right to do that and no amount of self-righteous indignation will obviate their right to continue with such a course of action. Union tactics can be a lot more brutal than name-calling and I am surprised that Councillor Davis and Councillor Keenan reacted so emotionally and unprofessionally to words published on a union's Web site. Is the Council surprised that dealing with a union can be frustrating? Is our Council really that inexperienced? Thicker skins and more dignified comportment on the part of our City Council are clearly in order. Now the Council may rely the same can be said of the Union except that the taxpayers did not elect the Union. We elected the Council. I can't believe I am typing these words to a City

Councillor but, Councillor Keenan, asking someone to define the term "rumpswab" in a City Council hearing, under any circumstances, is inappropriate and accomplishes absolutely nothing. It embarrassed not just Councillor Keenan but the whole City Council and all of Councillor Kennan's constituents and just made a bad situation worse.

As a final note, Chief Crowley's hands are not clean in this matter. He would be a much better leader and could set a good example of acceptable professional behavior if he at least attempted to hide his disdain and contempt for Councillor Raymondi by responding to his inquiries in a polite and professional manner rather than the belligerent and incredibly rude tone he has chosen to adopt. The whole proceeding was an embarrassment to the City Council and the citizens of Quincy.

Ed Brown
Connell Street

Opposes Vote On Same-Sex Marriage

Freedom is difficult; tyranny is easy.

Voting is a privilege that must be used wisely.

Inappropriate voting, like those on the rights of a minority, mask tyranny. The argument that all questions must be put to a vote in a true democracy is specious. The inherent worth of *each and every citizen* must be paramount for a democracy to thrive. Putting same-sex marriage to a popular vote attacks the inherent self-worth of each and every gay

citizen. In addition, this vote will set a precedent that puts anyone in *any* minority group at risk.

Please contact Senator Morrissey, Representative Tobin, and Representative

Ayers and ask them not to permit a vote on minority rights. Representative Mariano already understands this civil rights battle so please contact him to thank him for standing up for

Same Name, Different Opinion

I write in response to a letter to the editor in The Quincy Sun April 19, and authored by Joseph Moynihan of Brackett Street, Quincy.

I respectfully request that The Quincy Sun afford me

the opportunity to point out that my opinion differs markedly from that of the gentleman who offered his own for publication, which whom I share a name, citizenship and residency in Quincy, but no my opinions, political or otherwise.

equality. For more information on the same-sex marriage fight, please go to www.massequality.org.

Dr. James P. Coady-Hahn
Lincoln Ave.

erwise.

Thanking you in advance for your thoughtful consideration in this matter, I look forward to your reply.

Joseph G. Moynihan
Presidents Lane

Quincy's Yesterdays

General Dynamics Denies Shift To R.I.

By FRANK McCAULEY

A spokesman for General Dynamics squelched rumors that the company is planning to move its Quincy operations to the old Quonset Point Naval Air Station, which was recently decommissioned in Rhode Island.

General Dynamics Chairman David S. Lewis told the annual meeting that the company has been working with the state of Rhode Island to lease portions of the base "for use as a production support facility" for the Electric Boat Division in Groton, Conn.

"It has absolutely nothing to do with us," said a spokesman for the Quincy Division.

Meanwhile, the strike of production workers at the General Dynamics Quincy Shipyard moved into its eighth week. Mayor Walter J. Hannon notified the company that only one Quincy police officer per shift per officer will be assigned to the shipyard for the duration of the strike.

COMMUNITY COOPERATIVE FIGHTS RISING FOOD COSTS

While the price of food continues to skyrocket in 1974, there is an organization in Quincy, which provides much needed relief to the consumer.

Formed in the Spring of 1973, The Quincy Community Food Corp will celebrate its first year of operation this summer and the venture has proven quite successful thus far.

Operating out of the Southwest Community Center in West Quincy, the Cooperative comprises an average of 35 households per week and is always seeking new members. The membership fee is \$1 per household and regardless of income or geographical location the Coop is open to everyone.

4 FIREFIGHTERS HONORED FOR RESCUE

Four Quincy firefighters were honored at the 88th annual Fireman's Ball for their acts of heroism. They are **Richard Salvaggio, Richard Cooke, Anthony Innello and John Demaggio**. They were cited for their rescue of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hagen of 122 Piermont St., who were overcome with smoke shortly after 2 a.m. on June 10, 1973 when fire swept their home.

QUINCY-ISMS

Janet Poole, president of the Quincy League of Woman Voters and **Anges Cooney** attended the L.W.V.'s 31st national convention in San Francisco... Plumbing Inspector **James A. Erwin, Jr.** reported that 67 applications for plumbing work valued at \$451,537 were filed with the Dept. of Plumbing Inspection in April... The Republican City Committee of Quincy recently elected 38 delegates to the GOP Primary Convention June 1st at Boston University... The Quincy Sun Sunbeams column reported that former Mayor-Senator **James R. McIntyre** was considering a run for councillor at large in the 1975 city election... **Joyce Baker**, president of the Quincy Women's Republican Club has nomination papers in circulation for the Fourth Norfolk State Representative seat... The 25th anniversary of NU Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma Society was celebrated at a dinner held at the Quincy Neighborhood Club. Incoming officers included: **Dr. Carol Lee Griffin**, president, **Ruth Haggerty**, first vice-president, **Eleanor Blaine**, 2nd vice-president, **Kathleen Kelly**, secretary and **Ann Pegg**, corresponding secretary... **Mrs. Helen Black**, 210 Bellevue Ave., Squantum, was elected secretary of the Tilton School Parents Association. Her son, **Bruce**, is a sophomore at the 128-year old prep school in Tilton, N.H... The Trinity Lutheran Church Women were making plans for a Mother-Daughter Banquet for May 14th... **Mrs. Shirley MacDonald** was chairman of the planning committee... **Sabina's International Beauty Salon** was advertising "Senior Citizens Discounts, 60 years and up. Prices include: Wash & Set \$2; Haircut \$1.50; Permanent Wave: \$8.95 and up"... **Rev. John R. Graham**, President of Survival, Inc., announced that the fourth anniversary dinner would be attended by a number of community leaders, including, former **Speaker of the House John McCormack**, **Judge Robert Prince**, **Mayor Walter J. Hannon**, **Councillor John Lydon, Jr.**, **Police Chief Francis X. Finn**, and former Mayor **James R. McIntyre**. Emcee for the dinner which will be held at the United First Parish Church, will be **Herb Fontaine** of WJDA... Houghs Neck cyclists were planning a 65-mile bike ride from Quincy to Sandwich to raise money for the Heart Fund. The cyclists included **Jeanne Considine**, **Joan Watson**, **Linda Weeks**, **Richard Weeks**, **William Berry** and **Donna Berry**... **Frank Remick**, owner of Remick's Department Store, Hancock St., was elected chairman of the Board of Directors of the Hancock Bank... Former **Mayor Thomas S. Burgin**, a charter member of the Quincy Kiwanis Club, was presented a Legion of Honor 50-year award at the club's 50th anniversary celebration at the Sons of Italy Hall, West Quincy... **Public Works Commissioner James J. Ricciuti** announced that water rates would increase from 40 cents to 60 cents per hundred cubic feet.

This Week
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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



TRACY'S VOICE STUDIO, under the direction of Tracy O'Sullivan, provides students of all ages the opportunity to explore the many aspects and healthy techniques of singing through musical repertoire and theoretical study. The performance and self confidence building opportunity of a "repertoire class" provides a friendly environment to sing in front of other equally enthusiastic singers whose goal is to improve through both performing in front of and listening to others. Students are (first row from left): Jimmy Vey, Kirsten Shetler, Michael Gardiner, Jenna McAuliffe and Emily Zarnoch. Second row: Rachael Phelan, Brenna McGoff, Gina Christo and Joe Pratalongo. Third row: Tina Storer, Catherine MacAlloon, Heather Lee and Hannah Smith.

Mount Wollaston Cemetery Walking Tour June 2

Quincy historian Tom Galvin will lead a historical walking tour of Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Saturday, June 2 at 1 p.m. The tour will focus on Quincy's former granite industry. Stops will be at the graves of the leaders of that industry, notable granite monuments and the graves of Quincy mayors and civic leaders.

Those participating will meet at the Greenleaf Street gate on the Southern Artery. Rain date is Sunday, June 3 at 1 p.m.

Francis Hartel, Michael Maxey Greek Scholars At BC High

Francis Hartel and Michael Maxey of Quincy, seniors at Boston College High School, recently gave stellar performances in successfully translating and answering questions about Homer's Odyssey at Loyola Hall on the Dorchester campus.

Along with 11 other senior classmates, Hartel and Maxey are members of BC High's prestigious Homeric Academy, an Advanced Placement course offered to students who have successfully completed three years of Classical Greek.

The 13 students, under the guidance of Maureen Toner, devoted themselves to an intensive reading of the Odyssey and prepared all year for the public oral examination, an academic exercise that BC High has been offering for more than 40 years.

At the defense, which is regarded as a final examination, Dr. Jacqueline Carlon, PhD from the Department of



FRANCIS HARTEL
Classics, University of Massachusetts, Boston and Dr. D. Neel Smith, PhD from the Department of Classics, College of the Holy Cross, were the examiners. They asked the students to translate and interpret passages from various parts of the Odyssey, to comment on the literary and historical significance of the passage, to read in Greek, to discuss scholars' analyses of the poem, and to offer their own opinions, based on their year-long studies.

The audience, who also questioned the panelists, were several hundred stu-



MICHAEL MAXEY
dents and a large number of faculty members, parents and alumni all of whom were most impressed with the team's performance. Hartel and Maxey received College level credit for this rigorous course.

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Salvation Army Combined Band Concert May 19

The Salvation Army Quincy Corps will hold its annual Spring Concert Saturday May 19 at 7 p.m.

The concert will feature both the Quincy Corps Band and the 30-piece Mass Brass (Massachusetts Divisional Band) under the direction of William Rollins. Included in the program will be brass band items, vocal items, and solos.

Colonel Norman Bearcroft, world-renowned conductor and composer of brass band and vocal music,

will chair the program. Within the Salvation Army, Colonel Bearcroft has served as the Salvation Army National Bandmaster for the British Territory, as Music Secretary in the Canadian Territory, and as Bandmaster

of the Canadian Staff Band.

A free-will offering will be taken to go to the Salvation Army World Services Appeal. The Salvation Army is located 6 Baxter St. Call 617-472-2345 for more information.

Space Available At United Methodist Church Fair

Table spaces for vendors and crafters are available for the Quincy Community United Methodist Church's Beale Street Carnival Saturday, June 16, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the church lawn, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The space is available on a first come, first served basis at \$25 for an eight-foot table. The carnival will have a sidewalk cafe, a snack bar and a kiddie land. In case of rain, it will be held inside.

Due to erroneous information provided *The Sun*, a story in last week's edition contained the wrong date.

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John Adams Library Historical Society Topic

Beth Prindle, lead curator of the recent *John Adams Unbound* exhibit at the Boston Public Library, will be the guest speaker Thursday, May 17, at 7:30 p.m. at the Quincy Historical Society's annual meeting at the Adams Academy, 8 Adams St., Quincy Center.

The occasion is the annual meeting of the Quincy Historical Society at which the public is welcome and for which there is no charge.

Prindle is also manager of the John Adams Library Project, a multi-year project for the preservation, electronic cataloging, digitalizing and exhibition of the 3,500 volume John Adams Library, which has been at the BPL since 1893.

The vast majority of the books were purchased and used by the second president during his lifetime. He chose

the books himself and made extensive notes and comments in their margins, leaving a fascinating record of his life and thought.

The Library Project is designed to save a national treasure, create the first adequate and complete catalogue and record of the books and Adams' commentaries, and make the library accessible to the public.

In her illustrated talk, Prindle will discuss the character and thought of John Adams as revealed through the library, the history of the library from Adams' time to the present and the challenges and surprises presented by the Library Project.

She will be speaking at the Adams Academy in a room that once housed the John Adams Library.

Special Education Director Citywide Parents Speaker

The Quincy Citywide Parents Council to meet Monday, May 14 at 7 p.m. at the Broadmeadows Middle School, Calvin Road.

Judy Todd, Director of

Special Education for the Quincy public schools, will be the guest speaker.

Election for the school year 2007-08 will be held. The public is invited to attend.

Child Identification Program Saturday At Wollaston Center

Parents may enter their children in a free CHIP (Child Identification Program) Saturday, May 12, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, at the Wollaston Child Care Center, 47 Weston Ave.

Each child will be fingerprinted, a dental impression taken and a brief video made to kept by the parents in the event the child may someday become lost.

The CHIP is presented by the Massachusetts Free Ma-

sons and sponsored by the Mayor's Commission on Women and the Wollaston Child Care Center.

Emblem Club Meeting

The Quincy Emblem Club will meet Wednesday, May 9, at 7 p.m. at the Elks Lodge, 254 Quarry St., Quincy. Hostesses will be Corinne Kiley and Muriel McKay.



DANIEL MAHONEY and ALICIA MONAHAN
**Alicia Monahan Engaged
To Daniel Mahoney**

Kenneth E. Monahan of Weymouth and Julie Monahan-Mays of Danvers announce the engagement of their daughter, Alicia Jeanne Monahan to Daniel Justin Mahoney, son of Eugene and Lora Mahoney of Quincy, formerly of West Dennis and Braintree.

Miss Monahan attended Cardinal O'Hara High School and Methodist

School of Nursing in Philadelphia, Penn. She is employed as a registered nurse at South Boston Community Health Center.

Mr. Mahoney attended Thayer Academy and the University of Massachusetts. He is the president of Cashelmara Realty, LLC.

The couple, who live in Braintree, are planning a Sept. 8 wedding.

Mr., Mrs. Frank Jones Parents Of Twins

Frank and Cheryl Jones of Quincy, are parents of twins Emily Elizabeth and Daniel Patrick born Jan. 26 at South Shore Hospital, Weymouth. Grandparents are Robert

and Barbara Blaney of Quincy, and Daniel and Ellen Jones of County Cork, Ireland.

Seaside Gardeners Spring Plant Sale May 19

The Seaside Gardeners of Squantum will hold their 49th annual spring fundraiser plant sale Saturday, May 19.

The event will be from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Gilbert Memorial Park, Huckins Avenue and East Squantum Street.

In case of rain, the event will be held indoors at First Church of Squantum, Huckins Avenue and Bellevue Road.

There will be a wide selection of plants available.

Cub Scout Signup At Library May 12

Citywide signups for the Cub Scouts will be held Saturday, May 12, from 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Cub scouting is a program for boys graduating from grades K-4, after which they are eligible for Boy scouting up to grade 11.

Information regarding each of Quincy's Cub Scout

Packs and Boy Scout Troops programs, schedules and fees will be available at the signup.

Boys who sign up for Cub Scouts at the library will be eligible for a \$75 discount off the summer's standard weekly fee for day camp at Camp Sayre in the Blue Hills. For more information, visit www.bsaboston.org or ray@BoyScoutTroop42.org.

QHS Parents To Meet Tonight

The Quincy High School Parents Advisory Council will meet tonight (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. in the Pride Room at the high school, 52

Coddington St. All parents are encouraged to attend to say farewell to parents of 2007 graduates and look forward to electing new officers for next year.

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The Norfolk County Mosquito Control Project will begin early morning ultra low volume (ULV) aerosol applications on or about Tuesday, May 29, weather permitting, and continue through Sept. 30.

The adulticide aerosol Anvil will be applied in ULV sprayers at a rate of about one half ounce per acre of finished spray Monday through Friday from 2 to 6:30 a.m., each day.

This program is a continuation of the procedure

which has been used in past years.

Any resident who wishes to know when the spray program may be conducted in his or her area should visit the Project website at <http://www.massnrc.org/nmcnp> or contact the Quincy Board of Health.

Current early morning aerosol application schedules and maps will be available to residents who click on <http://massnrc.org/nmcnp/spraysch.htm> and then click on Quincy.

The ULV map and/or listing of the streets to be sprayed will be posted on or about 3:30 p.m. the day before the scheduled application day.

Residents also may contact the Project's main phone line at 781-762-3681 after 3:30 p.m. the day before the scheduled treatment to hear a recorded message identifying the areas to be treated.

In order to have your property excluded from spraying, contact the Norfolk County Mosquito Control Project at 781-762-3681.

Kelly Fundraiser Tonight At QYC

Friends of Ward 2 City Councillor Leo Kelly will hold a fundraiser tonight (Thursday) from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Quincy Yacht Club, 1310 Sea St., Houghs Neck,

hosted by John Chenette, P.J. Foley and Margaret Laloret.

The suggested donation is \$20 with a senior special of \$15.

Each paid admission will have a chance to win a "clam bucket" and six lobsters donated by Capt. Steve Holler of the fishing vessel November Gale.

Robert Bloom To Be Honored For Long Court Service

Assistant Clerk-Magistrate Robert Bloom, a fixture at the Quincy District Court for more than 30 years, will be honored with the Lifetime Person of the Year Award tonight (Thursday) at 6 p.m. at a dinner in the Dedham Hilton Hotel.

The award is given by the Bar Association of Norfolk County in recognition of his "wisdom, wit and judgement" shown in carrying out his duties in virtually every clerk's position at the court and as an active citizen in the town of Braintree.

The featured speaker will be Lawrence O'Donnell Jr., an Emmy-winning executive producer of NBC's "The West Wing," whose episode on the death penalty won the 2000 Humanitas Prize for



ROBERT BLOOM

writing that "communicated those values which most enrich the human person."

He is also MSNBC's senior political analyst and a panelist on "The McLaughlin Group," and has been chief of staff to the U. S. Senate Committees on Finance and Environment

and Public Works.

Guest of Honor Bloom had been in private practice in Cambridge and Boston from 1963 to 1973 when he was tapped by the late Dennis Ryan, then clerk-magistrate in Quincy District Court, for appointment as an assistant court clerk.

He was named first assistant by Clerk-Magistrate Arthur Tobin in 1992 and for 15 years has decided most of the criminal complaint applications and motor vehicle civil infractions.

In addition to his court career, Bloom has been an elected town meeting member in Braintree, a member of the School Committee, including a term as chairman in 1981-82 and an appointed member of the Board of Zoning Appeals.

He and his wife, Elizabeth, have two daughters: Stacey, a lawyer with Murphy, Hesse, Toomey & Lehan in Quincy, and Susanne, a registered nurse at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston.

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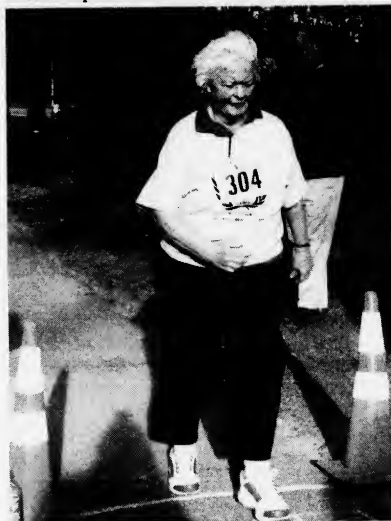
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DON MURRAY, age 72, crosses the finish line in a time of 11'49" to take first place in the men's division of the 1-mile walk.



JUDY HURLEY, age 65, finished first in the women's division of the 1-mile walk. Hurley's winning time was 13'10."



WARREN KIRKLAND, 93, the eldest Olympian, lights the torch with Mayor William Phelan during Monday evening's opening ceremony to launch the 25th annual Quincy Senior Olympics. The torch being used was carried through Quincy before the 2002 Salt Lake City Winter Olympic Games by Karen Cashman, a graduate of North Quincy High School and a bronze medalist in short-track speed skating at the XVII Winter Games in Lillehammer, Norway.

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SENIORS get set to start the 1-mile walk out of Veterans Memorial Stadium. The 1-mile walk was the kick-off event for the 25th annual Quincy Senior Olympics.

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OBITUARY

Lilly E. Allen, 91 Homemaker

A funeral service for Lilly E. (Wright) Allen, 91, of Quincy, a homemaker, was held May 10 at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Allen died May 4 at John Scott Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Braintree.

Born in Boston, she was raised in the Fields Corner neighborhood of Dorchester. She had lived in Quincy for 65 years.

Mrs. Allen enjoyed the beach, especially Orchard Beach and Nickerson Beach in Squantum. She also enjoyed swimming. She once swam from Nickerson Beach to Dorchester Yacht Club.

Mrs. Allen also enjoyed traveling, drawing with pencil and chalk, knitting afghans and sweaters, and baking cookies.

She liked rock music and was a fan of Jimmy Buffett, Eric Clapton and the Fabu-



LILLY E. ALLEN
lous Thunderbirds.

She was an avid reader, bird watcher, animal lover and gardener.

Wife of the late Ramsey Allen, she is survived by two sons, Jack Allen and Bill Allen, both of Quincy; a daughter, Janet Sisson of West Barnstable; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Burial will be a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy, MA 02169 or a hospice of choice.

Board Selects Pageant Field Track

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proposed location were Byrant Carter, Josephine Shea and Jack Nigro. Connie Driscoll, board chairman, did not vote.

The original 1/5-mile track at the Stadium was removed to make way for the new synthetic all-purpose turf facility. A true 1/4-mile track could not fit within the footprint of the stadium without significant wetlands permitting problems.

Other sites that were considered were the DPW facility, Faxon Field, Faxon Park, Squantum Point Park, and Cavanaugh Stadium.

The DPW facility, Phelan said, would have entered the City into a more difficult siting conundrum relative to the home of one of the City's largest departments, which operates trucks and heavy machinery around the clock. Wetlands and environmental concerns were also raised for this location.

A track at Faxon Park, he said, would have required the removal of a significant number of stately oak trees, potentially required blasting to deal with the rock and ledge on Penn's Hill, and would have been located in a remote portion of the city.

The Faxon Field site was deemed too narrow and the design would have required significant investment in pilings to avoid settling along the wetlands. The additional site work could have doubled the cost of the project. This site would not have space for field events. It is also the proposed staging area for construction of a new Quincy High School and that would have put the project off for a number of years.

Cavanaugh Stadium was deemed too small for a 1/4-mile track with no space for field events. Parking and neighborhood impacts were

also a major detriment to siting a track here. Squantum Point Park was discussed but discounted because it is not owned by the City and is located remotely in the far northern end of the city.

"I look forward to working with the Board and the track community to develop a design that works for all parties," said Mark Jaehnig, Executive Director of the Park, Forestry and Cemetery Departments. "The Mayor has given us the resources to get the job done and I look forward to building a facility that our community will truly be proud of."

Man Still Sought In Attack On Woman

Police are chasing down meager clues in their search for a "very skinny," goateed, dark-skinned man in his middle or late 20s who raped an 87-year-old woman inside her apartment on School Street, Quincy Cent.

The woman was treated and released from Quincy Medical Center and is "doing as well as can be ex-

pected after such an ordeal," said Detective Lt. Patrick Glynn.

He said there was nothing new in the investigation of the rape, which occurred shortly before 8 p.m. Thursday night, but police were gradually collecting enough clues to put out a composite drawing of the rapist.

The man broke into the apartment, where the elderly woman lived alone, through a sliding glass door, restrained the woman in handcuffs and attacked her before

fleeing.

She described him as about six feet tall, dark-skinned with short, curly black hair and a goatee. He wore a maroon jacket, blue

trousers, black shoes and a white T-shirt.

Investigators distributed a flyer asking anyone with information to call them at 617-745-5750.

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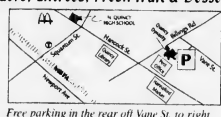
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Phelan Proposes \$250.8 Million Budget

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of Quincy's schools continue to improve with all-day kindergarten, early intervention literacy programs, technology upgrades, and smaller class sizes."

In addition, the mayor's budget includes funds to continue the city's pavement management plan, as well as an \$150,000 appropriation to plant 500 new trees in the neighborhoods.

A 2008 budget must now be approved by the City Council by June 30th. The Council's Finance Committee Chairman John Keenan has scheduled five hearings beginning May 15.

The city's five-year capital improvement program is funded separately through bonds. On Monday, the City Council voted to refer a \$3 million capital improvement bond request for 2008 to the Council's Finance Committee. A separate \$32.5 million energy savings program approved Monday will also be funded by bonds.

Under the budget plan, the city's tax levy would increase by 2.5% or \$3,876,394 to \$155,055,727.

Even with that increase, Phelan said the city's Excess Levy Capacity "remains at a historically high level. This

budget will allow us to remain at least \$4.5 million below our levy limit."

State law mandates the formula for the levy limit or levy capacity which is the total amount a municipality can increase its property tax without seeking voter approval.

According to the mayor's budget projections, revenues from other sources, such as state aid, new growth and local receipts, are estimated at \$100,254,358.

The tax levy accounts for 60% or \$155 million of the city's estimated 2008 revenues with state aid at \$38 million or 15% and local receipts at \$23.3 million or 9%. New Growth is expected to be nearly level at one

percent or \$3 million.

In addition, Phelan said the budget protects such programs as the city's curbside waste collections and transportation of the elderly to doctor's offices.

"Because of our collective commitment, we are a clean, safe city with great schools and great parks," Phelan said, adding, "We are truly a city that people want to live in, and raise a family."

Last year's, the 2007 budget was approved at \$236,960,139. That figure is \$13 million dollars less than the current request. However, as of May 9, the city's actual budget line which includes supplemental appropriations was \$239,201,110.

"We continue to estimate revenues conservatively," Phelan told councillors Monday, noting that projections are based on actual fiscal year 2006 receipts.

According to the mayor's

budget data, the city's fixed costs have increased from \$105,458,675 to \$111,910,114 in the past year. This figure includes employee benefits (39%), Pension contributions (16%), MWRA assessment (25%),

and waste collection (6%).

The City Council's Finance Committee will discuss the 2008 budget on Tuesdays, May 15, May 22, and May 29 and on Wednesday, June 6 and Wednesday, June 13.

Cancer Society Fundraiser In Memory Of Petar Pepdjonovic

A fundraiser for the American Cancer Society in honor of the late Petar Pepdjonovic, of Quincy will be held tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. at The Mystic Lounge, 536 Washington St., Quincy Point.

A native of Yugoslavia, Petar, with his wife Prena, and four children, George, Vera, Steve and Tom moved

to Quincy in 1980. He worked as a bartender at Anthony's Pier 4 for 25 years before leaving to begin the family business with his sons. He was owner of The Mystic Lounge and former Atlantic Restaurant.

Last fall, Petar's life was cut short when he was diagnosed with Glioblastoma Multiforme, an aggressive

form of a brain tumor. Although there are treatments for some forms of the cancer, his was not one.

Raffle tickets are being sold to raise money to help find a cure for this form of cancer. Prizes include a 37-inch flat panel LCD TV, Red Sox tickets, and more. There is no cover charge. DJ Mike Falco will entertain and light refreshments will be served.

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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: April 27 - May 4

Total Calls for Service: 1,207

Total Arrests: 44

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 3

FRIDAY, APRIL 27

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:10 a.m., 225 Independence Ave. Tire flat.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:27 p.m., 136 Elliot Ave. Dwelling. Television taken. No sign of force. Jewelry, cash and medication also known missing.

LARCENY, 1:10 p.m., Marina Bay Administration, 333 Victory Rd. Past.

LARCENY, 1:57 p.m., Weight Watchers, 1250 Hancock St. Money. \$101 taken from elderly woman's purse.

LARCENY, 1:59 p.m., Citizens Bank, 85 Quincy Ave. By check. Numerous checks have been cashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:44 a.m., 33 Edison St. Broken window. Caller reports an unknown item just when through the window of above.

ARMED ROBBERY, 8:53 p.m., Two Hundred Food Mart, 200 Sea St. Gun shown. One black heavy set male. Two black males entered store. #1 heavy set, mask partially covering face, held gun to clerk's face. #2 went behind counter, grabbed books of scratch tickets. Attempted to open register but was unsuccessful. They then fled. No description of #2 or if they had a vehicle or not at this time.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:34 p.m., 90 Summer St. Past. Motor vehicle broken into. Damage to motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:17 p.m., Pet Supply Plus, 625 Southern Artery. To motor vehicle. Caller found brick in backseat, thrown through her window.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28
VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:55 a.m., 44 Smith St. Windows breaking. States someone is throw my rocks or other objects through his window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:13 a.m., 86 Main St. Motor vehicle. Beer bottle through window rear.

LARCENY, 12:57 p.m., 246 South St. Cash. \$140.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 1:37 p.m., Curry Hardware, 370 Copeland St. Business.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 7:17 p.m., 45 Morton St. On street.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:37 p.m., 86 Lawn Ave. Past motor vehicle. Front passenger tire was slashed.

LARCENY, 9:23 p.m., Renaissance, 1585 Hancock St. Purse.

SUNDAY, APRIL 29
VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:54 a.m., 150 Quarry St. Smashed window, nothing was stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:49 a.m., 250 Furnace Brook Parkway. Four tires on caller's vehicle slashed overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:01 p.m., Avalon Summit East, 150 Quarry St. To windshield.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:02 p.m., 147 Newbury Ave. Since found. 2001 Mercury Sable, keys were not in vehicle and the doors were locked. Was parked last night around 10 p.m.

Recent query by PD Boston, investigated and it was learned this vehicle was towed privately at around noon today by AD Walsh Towing from 16 W Broadway in South Boston. Unknown if there is damage to vehicle at this time.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 4:27 p.m., 52 Town Hill St. Large group. Arrest made.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:57 p.m., 43 Merrymount Rd. Dwelling. Entry gained nothing taken at this time.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:01 p.m., 86 Phillips St. Rear door. Entry was not gained; damage to door and frame.

MONDAY, APRIL 30
VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:09 a.m., Granite Links Golf Course, 100 Quarry Hills Dr. Past. Trashed car. Damage to headlight/tail light/driver's side window.

LARCENY, 9:02 a.m., 188 Warren Ave. Copper gutters. Property for sale, someone has stolen all the copper gutters.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 10:03 a.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. White male, white hat, striped navy blue Adidas jacket. Caller found suspect hiding behind a chair in her

apartment; fled scene. Update on description: Olive skin male, white hat, Adidas jacket, and blue jeans. State PD to respond with K9.

LARCENY, 10:17 a.m., Father Bill's Place, 38 Broad St. Possible larceny. Caller states his plastic market bag was taken from above containing a Shaw's gift card, Wal-Mart gift card and possibly a \$1 million lottery ticket.

LARCENY, 10:25 a.m., 500 Falls Blvd. Past incident, happened last Monday.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:39 a.m., Fajitas Ritas, 1237 Hancock St. Business. Happened over weekend or overnight. No sign of forced entry. Cash and liquor known missing.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 11:25 a.m., All-Town Check Cashing, 34 School St. Uttering. Black male, black coat, 6'2", beard. One under arrest to QPD.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:52 a.m., 23 Germain Ave. Tires slashed on caller's vehicle.

LARCENY, 1:05 p.m., Bay State Community Services, 13 Temple St. Wallet, Maroon wallet, \$21 cash, numerous credit cards, MA license, stolen today.

LARCENY, 2:35 p.m., CVS Pharmacy, 626 Southern Artery. Credit card. Caller states credit card was stolen and used CVS. Warrant arrest made. Suspect charged with larceny/misuse of credit card, larceny under and a default warrant.

LARCENY, 5:55 p.m., Alfredo's Restaurant, 77 Franklin St. Pocketbook. Black leather pocketbook, with wallet, credit cards, license, 2 phones, SS card, happened today around 4 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 1
LARCENY, 9:55 a.m., 46 Hudson St. ATM card. All transactions with card took place outside of Quincy.

LARCENY, 10:08 a.m., 203 Atlantic St. Of check. A check from Comcast for \$57.02 was stolen and cashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:01 p.m., 53 Curtis St. Past motor vehicle. Screw in front passenger tire.

LARCENY, 3:17 p.m., Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. Box of ethyl alcohol taken from facility.

LARCENY, 8:55 p.m., 100 Marina Dr. Rolex watch.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2
LARCENY, 8:22 a.m., 2 Hancock St. Past. Vandalism as well.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:24 a.m., Boston Bell Characters, 333 Victory Rd. Past. Signs taken down.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:13 p.m., 82 Rawson Rd. Rock thrown through window of motor vehicle.

THURSDAY, MAY 3
LARCENY, 1:12 a.m., 10 Copeland St. Fare dispute. \$30 fare, suspect fled area. No description.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 1:57 a.m., 70 Beale St. Residence. Caller says someone is breaking windows.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:09 a.m., 170 Harvard St. Past.

LARCENY, 1:38 p.m., 211 West St. Keys. Elderly party states mailbox/car keys stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:51 p.m., Firestone Tire, 2 School St. Shot out window. Two windows damaged.

LARCENY, 2:45 p.m., Brook Rd. and School St. Two under arrest larceny over.

LARCENY, 2:32 p.m., 30 Tinson Rd. Via ATM. Caller's check account cleaned out, via ATM.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 3:42 p.m., 500 Washington St. Someone climbing on railing. Gone on arrival.

FRIDAY, MAY 4
LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:44 a.m., 40 Bay St. Gone within the last hour.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

A Job Well Done

On Sunday, April 29, at approximately 1:10 A.M., Officers Ronald McKim, Dan Parisi and Paul Holland were dispatched to President's Lane for a report of "someone smashing their way into the apartment building." Sergeant Patrick Buonaugurio also responded. Officer McKim was the first to arrive and immediately scanned the area. Near the entrance, he observed that a large cement urn used to hold plants was tipped over and one of the large glass plate windows was broken.



LT. DAN MINTON

Officer McKim noted that the window had been broken inward since the glass had fallen inside the building. The window was adjacent to the front door. Officer McKim then opened the door by reaching in where the window was and unlocking the door. Officer Parisi arrived on scene and assisted in conducting a systematic sweep of the multi-story building. Officer Holland and Sergeant Buonaugurio initially took up surveillance posts outside of the building to watch for exiting suspects. One of the residents identified themselves as the caller and stated that he first heard someone banging on the front door and moments later heard the sound of glass shattering. He added that immediately afterward he heard screaming and the sound of an object crashing on the floor above him.

Officers Holland and McKim could hear some shouting and as they responded to the third floor, they heard Officer Parisi radio to them to go to his location on the third floor.

There they found Officer Parisi with an angry, intoxicated male suspect in handcuffs. Officer Parisi advised the other Officers that he heard yelling, swearing and the sound of glass breaking inside the apartment. He found that the door was ajar, with the deadbolt preventing the door from shutting. Officer Parisi had the other Officers search the apartment because there was so much shouting and noise it was possible that someone else was in there too. After the search, it was determined that the suspect was alone!

The suspect said that the apartment was his friend's, but he did not have any keys. As the Officers were questioning the suspect, the renter of the apartment arrived home. He said that he knew the suspect and was with him earlier in the evening. He said that they left together when the renter drove his girlfriend home and the suspect went to a local bar. The renter, upon seeing the damage to his property, stated that he did not give keys or permission for the suspect to be in his apartment. Sergeant Buonaugurio asked the suspect why he smashed the front window and the suspect responded, "I'm sorry." When asked why he was trying to get into the building, the suspect said, "I got nothing more to say." The caller never saw who broke the front window, but based on the above information, the suspect, a 21-year-old Weymouth resident, was arrested and charged with "Breaking and Entering in the Nighttime with Intent to Commit a Felony." Since the suspect was the only person around at the time of the break and by his own admission did not have keys to the apartment or the front door, he was also charged with "Wanton and Malicious Destruction of Real Property over \$250.00" (felony). Nice Work!

One question you may ask yourself is, "Did the suspect turn the deadbolt so that the door would not shut tight, then be the last one out of the apartment, so that he could go back into the apartment after the renter/victim left?" This was not the case. It turns out that the renter/victim had a tiff with his girlfriend and wanted to get her to her home as soon as possible. He couldn't find his keys, so he slid the deadbolt and left the door ajar so he could get back in!

Telemarketers seeking donations for Police, Fire and Veteran's Groups

By PATRICK SULLIVAN
Quincy Police Department Intern
Emmanuel College

You've probably received them in the mail, or even by a call on the telephone during dinner. You might have even listened to their whole spiel and either hung up or been convinced to contribute.

I'm talking about solicitations of charity organizations. More specifically, I am referring to organizations that use the words "police", "fire", and "veterans" in their titles. By doing this, their goal is to make you feel more inclined or obligated to donate.

Now don't get me wrong - there are plenty of charitable organizations that use their donations for their specific purposes in which they state. Sadly, there are also the ones who do not. After receiving different solicitation letters from concerned residents of Quincy.

Crime Prevention Lieutenant Dan Minton put me on assignment to further investigate some of these charities.

The organization that I started to research was the NADPO (National Association of Disabled Police Officers).

After some investigation and "googleing", I discovered that NADPO is one of about a half dozen organizations that are operated by a larger group called, "Tomorrow's Abundance." Their website and others indicate that they work out

of Washington State. The Better Business Bureau's "Wise Giving Alliance" is an organization that reports on national soliciting/charitable organizations that are the subject of donor inquiries.

Reports on their website state that with requests in the past year, Tomorrow's Abundance "either has not responded to BBB Alliance requests for information, or has declined to be evaluated in relation to the Alliance's Standards for Charity Accountability. Without their compliance, the BBB Alliance believes that this lack of cooperation may demonstrate a lack of commitment to transparency and accountability."

If they had nothing to hide and claim to be an honest and charitable organization, why wouldn't they want to participate and give themselves a good name? In addition to the BBB Alliance information found online, Forbes.com also provides similar reports about Tomorrow's Abundance saying the organization has failed to provide information on finances, programs and governance.

Matthew Kaufman of the *Hartford Courant* reported in an article on Nov. 10th, 2005, that Robert M. Friend and his wife ran the Tomorrow's Abundance organization for three years. At the end of their last year, Friend and his wife raised approximately \$450,000, of which approximately 94% of the monies went to fundraising, administrative expenses, and salaries for the couple. With a little math, that would leave a

minuscule 6% to all the different charities within the Tomorrow's Abundance organization. Six percent of donor's money went to the disabled police officers, children with cancer, and the blind. This is certainly disturbing for the giver who has the best intentions.

This has been just one example of a charitable organization that doesn't seem to live up to their word. There are plenty of honest organizations that will send out mail to your house, or call you during evening hours.

Yet, there are the ones like Tomorrow's Abundance that run the NADPO that fly under the radar. If you are a concerned citizen, don't be afraid to do a little research on the solicitations that you receive, so that you know exactly what your money is being used for. If you are so inclined to donate to an organization, try donating locally to a credible organization.

One reason to donate locally is that the monies will be used directly for your community and you might have a say to exactly what you want your donation used for.

For more information, contact Lieutenant Dan Minton of the Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit. Thanks to our interns, Patrick Sullivan, who attends Emmanuel College and wrote this article, and to James Zapata, who attends UMASS Boston.

Nice Work!

Six Invited To Preview

Quincy Veterans Who Lived It Give Thumbs Up To 'The War'

By TOM HENSHAW

Award-winning filmmaker Ken Burns' latest documentary, entitled simply "The War," will not be shown on PBS until September but already it has drawn rave reviews from its most critical reviewers.

Six World War II combat veterans from Quincy were among 450 people invited to preview a one-hour clip from the 14 1/2-hour epic at the Coolidge Corner Theatre in Brookline and they pronounced it anywhere from "excellent" to "terrific."

"I thought it was excellent," said Earl Kuja, a member of the 10th Army's 25th Division, who survived the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and later took part in the Pacific battles of Saipan and Tinian.

"I enjoyed every bit of it and so did the guy who was sitting next to me. This was the first of 14 parts and I intend to watch every one in September."

The entire documentary from the attack on Pearl Harbor to the surrender on the deck of the USS Missouri is scheduled to be shown on Boston's WGBH-TV Channel 2 starting Sunday, Sept. 23, and continuing for two weeks.

"I thought it was terrific," said John Laukkanen, a Marine Corps veteran of the bloody Okinawa campaign. "Some parts of it were grue-



KEN BURNS

some but it was true to the war. It was a darned good bit of history.

"I'm looking forward to seeing the rest of it in September."

Eschewing politicians and generals, Burns' documentary views World War II through eyewitness accounts of citizens and soldiers from Waterbury, Conn.; Mobile, Ala.; Sacramento, Calif.; and Luverne, Minn.

Also missing from "The War," in the view of the Quincy veterans, is any attempt to politicize its message at a time when many people can't look at a Stop sign without suspecting a plot.

"There were no political overtones," said Peter Gacicia, a Navy veteran who served in both the Pacific and Atlantic as a signalman and also as an engineer who helped build the portable harbors, or mulberries, that expedited supplies to Omaha Beach on D-Day.

"He (Burns) brought the message across like he did in 'The Civil War.' He knew what he was talking about. I'm certainly going to try to see it all in September."

Burns, already renowned for his PBS documentaries "The Civil War," "Jazz" and "Baseball," attended the special screening in Coolidge Corner with the veterans himself and fielded their questions after the showing.

Robert Carella, who served aboard the heavy cruiser USS Baltimore and shot down Japanese kamikaze suicide planes, called the picture "great."

"I liked the whole idea," he said. "It got all the people talking about their experi-

ences. I'll watch the rest of it in September."

Carella said he saw no political bias in the production although one of the other viewers who did questioned Burns about it after the showing.

Lennie Morris, who landed on Omaha Beach with the Army's legendary Devil's Brigade on D-Day, June 6, 1944, and fought through the Battle of the Bulge in December, called the film "terrific."

"We took no prisoners (in the Bulge) since this war was one of totality," he said. "Our unit never abided by the rules of the Geneva Convention."

"I asked him (Burns) if he ever met any veteran from my brigade and surprisingly he said he did and I asked him what he said and Ken Burns stated, 'The same thing you just told me.'"

Morris said some segments of the film, "including those from the concentration camps, left the audience gasping. I, as an American soldier, was in four of them. Those sights never leave you."

Nevertheless, he added,



WEARY MARINES trudge down a road on the Pacific island of Guadalcanal in "The War," a made-for-TV documentary by Ken Burns that is scheduled to be shown on WGBH-TV Channel 2 starting Sunday, Sept. 23, and running for two weeks.

"I'm looking forward to seeing the whole thing when it airs in September."

The sixth Quincy veteran, Anthony Pagnano, who served in the famed 101st Airborne Division, landing behind German lines at 2:30 a.m. on D-Day to help clear the way for the Omaha Beach landing, was not

available for comment on the picture.

The Quincy veterans were invited to the preview by Jennifer Logue, also of Quincy, the publicist for Channel 2. They were transported to the showing via van by the Quincy Elder Services Department.

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No Tuition Increase For Quincy College Students

For the second year in a row, the cost of tuition at Quincy College will remain the same.

The Board of Governors voted unanimously not to raise tuition for students in the Liberal Arts and Sciences, Computer and Business programs, the basic curricula at the college.

The tuition remains at \$149 per credit course or \$1,788 for a full time student for one semester.

"The goal is to retain students and garner new students by providing a cost-

effective way to allow access to education," said President Sue Harris.

"We want as many of our decisions as possible to reflect what we have included in our mission statement."

The college's stated mission is to make education accessible and affordable for the current and prospective students in these programs.

The college is able to hold the tuition line despite bringing on new faculty, increasing classroom space and plans to relocate its oldest classroom facility,

Coddington Hall.

Quincy College recently opened a state-of-the-art facility in Plymouth.

The administration also decided to go from a flat fee to a per credit cost of Allied Health programs to facilitate strategic and financial planning and simplify cost structures.

According to the Digest for Education Statistics, the national average of tuition increases at all colleges is generally between 6 and 9 percent.

Puleo Kicks Off School Committee Campaign



NICK PULEO

and I, want to ensure Quincy's schools offer hope for our children in the future."

Of the many points put forward, Puleo stressed providing children with an education worthy of the 21st century. He said that schools were on the right track, but that more could be invested to improve the curriculum and resources.

Nick Puleo, candidate for Quincy School Committee, officially kicked-off his campaign last Wednesday night in front of what was described as a full house at the Quincy Sons of Italy Social Center.

Stressing the importance of responsible, honest budgeting for Quincy's public schools, Puleo committed to fully-funding all programs within the school system. He also emphasized the role all Quincy residents play in education.

"Schools are a community issue, and we all have a stake in them," he said. "Some people may want to provide their children who are in the school system now with the best education they can get. Some people may want to preserve a family legacy. Others, like my wife

He noted the importance of computer skills, saying that companies provide a computer at every desk. He also talked about expanded learning time.

"We can improve on the basics," he said. "And we can do this without sacrificing things like music, art, sports, and especially languages."

Puleo also made note of the teachers who were protesting Wednesday across town at City Hall. He said that teachers, as public servants, accept lower pay in return for better benefits. Citing the example of his own teachers and retired neighbors, Puleo came out strong against proposed pay cuts.

"We need to support our teachers," he said. "Now more than ever they are facing increasing pressure. We made them a promise, and we need to honor it."

For those who were not able to attend, a video of the entire speech, along with photos from the event, are available at www.NickPuleo.com.

ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, May 14

Toasted cheese sandwich, fresh fruit, fruit juice.

Tuesday, May 15

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, May 16

Chicken nuggets, macaroni and cheese, hot vegetable, fruit juice, sweet and sour sauce.

Thursday, May 17

Pasta with meat sauce, vegetable, dinner roll, fruit cup.

Friday, May 18

Diced chicken in gray, mashed potatoes, hot vegetable, dinner roll.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, May 14

Southwest pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, May 15

Kentucky style chicken, mashed potatoes, vegetable, fruit juice.

Wednesday, May 16

Barbecue pork rib on a French roll, oven fry potatoes, fruit cup.

Thursday, May 17

America chop suey with beef and tomato sauce, hot vegetable, bread stick, fruit juice.

Friday, May 18

Buffalo chicken chunks, oriental vegetables, steamed rice, pineapple tidbits, roll.

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FOOT NOTES

by Joel Chariton, D.P.M.
Diplomate, American Board of Podiatric Surgery
Diplomate, American Board of Podiatric Orthopedics

CHILDHOOD OBESITY AND FOOT PAIN

Experts are learning more and more about the cycle between childhood obesity and foot pain. Overweight children often have foot pain that prevents them from exercising. The extra weight puts more pressure on the feet, which can lead to a variety of problems. Meanwhile, lack of exercise contributes to further weight gain. As an added complication, the heel plate in the foot is not fully developed until a child is approximately 14 years old. Overweight children are more prone to a condition that inflames the growth plate and makes the foot hurt even more. A podiatrist can treat overweight children's foot problems with custom orthotics (inserts that fit into a person's shoe) or prescribe physical therapy.

We believe one of the most important elements of healthcare we can provide you with is education. We bring you these columns in order to show you how the many benefits of podiatric medicine can help keep all the members of your family walking, running, living in comfort. And since taking care of the feet can't begin too early, you'll be glad to know there is a footcare specialist in Randolph who can help you if there seems to be a problem with your child's feet. We're located at 999 North Main Street, Randolph, in the MEDICAL OFFICE BUILDING, with office hours also available at Quincy Medical Center and Milton Medical Building, Suite 221. Call 781-986-3668 for an appointment. I am affiliated with the Brockton and Good Samaritan Hospitals.

HINT: Approximately 16% of children in the United States are obese.



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Child Identification Program Saturday At Wollaston Center

Parents may enter their children in a free CHIP (Child Identification Program) Saturday, May 12, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, at the Wollaston Child Care Center, 47 Weston Ave.

Each child will be fingerprinted, a dental impression taken and a brief video made to kept by the parents in the event the child may someday become lost.

The CHIP is presented by the Massachusetts Free Masons and sponsored by the Mayor's Commission on Women and the Wollaston Child Care Center.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

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Repairs Begin At Fore River Clubhouse

Repairs are underway at the Fore River Clubhouse on Nevada Road in Quincy Point.

The floor is currently being rebuilt and the heating and air conditioning system will be replaced later this summer. The work is being performed as part of Mayor Phelan's "Neighborhoods First!" initiative.

"We understand how important this facility is to the Quincy Point community and to the city as a whole," said Phelan. "We hope to continue the Clubhouse's tradition as a community gathering place for neighborhood events, elderly programs,

and much more. We will continue to invest in the upgrade of this important community asset."

The floor repairs are being performed under the first phase of the City's Capital Improvement Plan (C.I.P.) proposed by Mayor Phelan last year.

The heating and air conditioning needs of the clubhouse are being targeted as part of the city's energy management program. The energy program aims to improve efficiency at all public buildings. That work will be completed this summer.

Additional repairs to the rest room facilities were pro-

posed by Mayor Phelan in the next phase of the Capital Improvement Plan presented to the City Council on Monday evening.

Phelan proposed a series of additional neighborhood improvement projects to the City Council at Monday's meeting.

"The Quincy Point neighborhood was unified in their support for improving the Fore River Clubhouse," said Phelan. "We have heard their voice and we are responding to their needs. This project is a good example of how your government can work with your community to improve your neighborhood."

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REAL ESTATE



By Samantha Mazzotta

Win the Battle Against Soap Scum

Q. How can I remove soap scum from the shower door? Thank you.
—Roslyn M., via e-mail

A. Cleaning soap scum from glass shower doors seems like an easy chore, but it rarely is. These deposits from soap and minerals in the shower water build up gradually; one day the shower door is clean, and then, the next time you notice the door, it's because it's no longer clear.

Scrubbing it away can be problematic. There's a risk of scratching the glass if you use the wrong cleaning materials. Sometimes over-the-counter cleaners work well, and sometimes they don't. Using homemade cleaners is also hit-and-miss. And in both cases, you must be careful of toxicity.

If you use store-bought cleaning solutions, make sure they are specifically formulated for glass shower doors, and follow the directions. Keep in mind that some solutions should not be used on the door's aluminum frames due to discoloration.

Several home cleaning solutions can be used. First, try fighting fire with fire: Most soap has an oil or lipid (fat) base. Apply a thin coat of lemon oil using a clean,

nonabrasive cloth. Let it sit for several minutes and wipe clean. The oil should moisten and loosen up the deposits.

Another method is to break up the oil/fat base using a grease-fighting cleaner. One of the best (and least expensive) grease fighters is ordinary liquid dishwashing soap. Apply using a nonabrasive cloth or sponge, let it sit for about 10 minutes, wipe the doors well and rinse.

For really tough soap scum, baking soda is your best friend. It can be mixed with the dish liquid (1 part baking soda to 2 parts liquid) to provide minimally abrasive scrubbing power. To clean buildup from the corners of the door frame, make a thick paste of baking soda and vinegar, apply to the buildup, and let it foam for a few minutes. Wipe away the excess paste and rinse.

In all three cases, repeated application may be necessary. But the ingredients are less toxic than over-the-counter solutions and will not scratch the glass or discolor the frame.

Send questions or home-repair tips to home.ru2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Protecting Your Investment

Buying A Home? Don't Forget Title Insurance

(NAPS) – The National Association of Realtors projects that 6.4 million resale home sales will take place this year. If you are one of those homebuyers, you're keenly aware that this will likely be your largest single investment.

Many will purchase homeowner's insurance to guard against forces such as fire, theft or wind damage. But what about other, hidden hazards that may threaten their financial investment?

Unlike homeowner's insurance, which focuses on future events and charges an annual premium, title insurance charges a one-time premium and safeguards against loss from hazards already existing in the title.

The two basic kinds of title insurance are lender, or mortgage, protection and

owner's coverage. Most lenders require the former as security for their investment. Owner's title insurance lasts as long as you, the policyholder, or your heirs have interest in the insured property.

Stewart Title Guaranty Co., a leader in real estate information, advises potential homeowners to ask their real estate professional about owner's coverage and confirm that it will be included in the contract.

Insuring a home's title begins with a search of public land records. The title agent, or attorney working on behalf of the title underwriter, examines documents, such as deeds, wills or trusts, to determine whether the property is insurable.

When title problems are found, they are corrected,

whenever possible, to avoid future claims. According to a recent survey by the American Land Title Association (ALTA), title problems consistently arise in 36 percent, or more than one out of every three, real estate transactions.

After search and examination, title problems may still be hidden or missed, such as a signature forged on a deed, or an unknown heir might step forward to claim ownership. In each of these

cases, a title insurance policy will offer financial protection (subject to the policy's terms and conditions). The title insurer defends the title and "perfects" the title or pays valid claims.

With title insurance, you have financial protection against covered title hazards for your most important investment.

For more information, visit the Web sites at www.ALTA.org or www.stewart.com.

Trends In Decks:

Personalized, Upscale

(NAPS) – Whether used for entertaining or for quiet family nights at home, decks are becoming an increasingly important "room" of the house.

According to a recent survey by the American Institute of Architects, there's heightened interest in outdoor living spaces, with design firms reporting that 64 percent of those surveyed expressed interest in a deck, compared to 47 percent the previous year.

The survey also reported that a patio or deck is one of the top three features people look for in a new house, with porches also growing in popularity.

Homeowners want upscale style and coordinated accessories for their outdoor spaces that increasingly mirror interior ones. Because of this, key trends have emerged: the creation of a personalized oasis through garden décor; added heat with grills, outdoor fireplaces and fire pits; decorative outdoor lighting, ranging from solar to outdoor candles; and low-maintenance materials that improve both the life of the deck and the quality of life for the deck owner.

According to the National Association of Home Builders, the demand for deck-related features, such as outdoor audio and TV, outdoor lighting and outdoor fireplaces, is expected to

increase significantly among owners of upscale homes. It is also expected to increase, though not as dramatically, among owners of average-sized homes.

And, a growing number of homeowners are turning to composite materials when building a deck. First introduced on the market several years ago, composite building materials are said to be virtually maintenance-free. In addition, composite deck materials provide superior durability, consistent quality and are expected to last longer than wood while still providing the aesthetic look of wood with an etched woodgrain surface.

A new line of composite decking is described as featuring deeper, richer colors and a new, natural wood texture. This line, called Boardwalk Signature HFS (Hidden Fastener System), is available from CertainTeed Corporation in a rich wood stain look that replicates the attractive appearance of Chestnut, Cedar and Redwood. And besides being stain, fade and scratch resistant it also features a patented EcoTech material that assures consistent color, texture and quality.

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Neighborhood Housing

Services Homebuyer

Workshop Starts May 14

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore will host a First-Time Homebuyer Workshop on Monday, May 14 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, May 19 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Neighborhood Housing Services is located at 422 Washington St., Quincy.

The workshop is open to citizens of Massachusetts, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. At the workshop,

participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics covered include mortgage options, legal aspects of the home buying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from related professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person.

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Flip for Market-Proof Real Estate Investing

(NAPS) – In today's slowing real estate market, a "buy and hold" investment strategy might seem to make more sense than "flipping" for investors looking to build long-term wealth. But according to recent National Association of Realtors statistics and a new book in the popular *Millionaire Real Estate Series*, flippers—investors who buy and sell houses within 12 months after making improvements, like a new bathroom—continue to profit even as real estate markets stagnate nationwide.

"Flipping a house has many moving parts. Anyone looking to flip as a 'get-rich-quick' scheme is going to get burned," says Rick Villani, co-author of the new book **"FLIP: How to Find, Fix, and Sell House for Profit"** (McGraw-Hill). "FLIP" provides a road map to

success that anyone can follow."

In **"FLIP,"** Villani and co-author Clay Davis break flipping down to a market-proof, Find-Analyze-Bu-Fix-Sell process that helps evaluate investments and flip houses no matter what the market conditions. Based on their extensive experience finding, fixing and reselling more than 1,000 houses with their company HomeFixers, Villani and Davis provide the practical and technical guidance investors need to read the real estate market, weigh costs and maximize profits. The five-stage process presented in **"FLIP"** includes:

- **Find** – Research/select neighborhoods and houses, attract sellers.
- **Analyze** – Identify improvements, consider costs, analyze profit

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potential.

- **Buy** – Arrange financing, make offer, close.
- **Fix** – Develop and execute improvement plan, on time and on budget.
- **Sell** – Sell quickly for maximum profit.

While there are flipping opportunities in any market, **"FLIP"** emphasizes the

importance of carefully evaluating the market, identifying viable buying opportunities, anticipating potential problems and costs, and developing an overall strategic plan. Before making any real estate investment decision, Davis and Villani strongly recommend each potential flipper evaluate the

current local market environment and then consider which opportunities present the best profit potential. They also encourage prospective flippers to follow four key indicators before making any buying decisions: mortgage rate trends, seasonal buying cycles, time on the market for all houses in a given neighborhood, and current

and planned city/area developments.

"For the average real estate investor to succeed, they've got to know when to buy and when to walk away," says Davis. "Like with any sound investment, investors first must do their homework."

"FLIP" is available in bookstores and at www.homefixers.com.

Home Buyers Workshop Offered In Cantonese

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. (QCAP) and QuincyAsian Resources, Inc. (QARI) is offering their First Time Home Buyers Workshop series in Cantonese.

The free workshop, consisting of two sessions, will be held on Saturday, June 2 and June 9 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the fourth floor

conference room of QCAP, 1509 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

QARI Executive Director John Brothers said the workshop will serve the needs of the many Cantonese speakers moving to the South Shore. "Cantonese speakers need to know about and be able to take advantage of the same home buying opportunities as other home

buyers," he said.

The workshop provides a comprehensive review of the homebuying process. Cantonese-speaking real estate professionals will discuss topics ranging from mortgages to home insurance.

In addition, participants who complete the 10-hour program may be eligible for downpayment/closing cost

assistance of up to \$10,000 and for the soft second program. Participants may also use their certificate of completion to obtain a low rate loan through MassHousing or MassHousing Partnership.

For more information about the program, and/or to register for the workshop, contact QARI at 617-472-2200.

Your Home: Safe From Electrical Hazards?

(NAPS) – Most people would be shocked if they knew the potential danger posed by electrical hazards hidden in the walls of their homes or lying unseen on their grounds. According to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, over 400 people are electrocuted in the United States every year. To help ensure that your home is truly safe, here's a checklist from the Leviton Institute:

Don't Overload Outlets: With power strips and surge protectors, it's all too easy to add more appliances to an outlet than it was designed to handle. By overloading circuits, you can create a fire hazard.

Outlets and Switches: Replace any outlet or switch that has broken parts or

cracks, feels warm to the touch or has plugs that hang loose.

Power Cords and Extension Cords: Examine power and extension cords for fraying or cracking. Replace taped-over cords or those showing wear. Never run cords or extensions under carpets, rugs or furniture, where damage might be hidden.

Use of Power Tools: Don't use power tools, even if they are properly grounded, in wet or damp spots.

Install GFCIs and Test Them Monthly: GFCIs (ground fault circuit interrupters) have prevented hundreds of electrocutions and untold numbers of injuries since the early 1970s. The National Electrical Code requires GFCI-equipped

outlets in rooms with a water source or damp ground such as kitchens, bathrooms, garages, laundry rooms and crawl spaces, and in outdoor locations such as hot tubs or poolside, where they should be equipped with weather-proof covers. Testing them is simple. Just follow these three easy steps:

1. Plug a lamp or radio into the GFCI. Turn on the

lamp or radio.

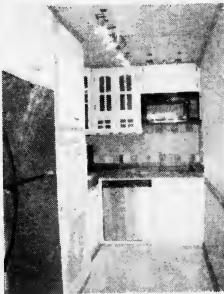
2. Press the TEST button. Lamp or radio should go off. If the lamp or radio doesn't go off, the GFCI is damaged or was miswired during installation. Please call a qualified electrician.

3. Press the RESET button. Lamp or radio should come back on. If the lamp or radio doesn't come back on, the GFCI is damaged and

must be replaced. Call a qualified electrician.

If you are not sure that your GFCI is testing and resetting properly for any reason, play it safe and call a qualified electrician. Be sure to make your safety inspection a yearly habit and hire a licensed electrician to conduct an in-depth inspection every 10 years.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
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Why Change Exercise Routine?

Q. I have been involved with some type of exercise consistently for the past 20 years. Every three or four years I hear about a "new" way to do an exercise or activity that I previously completed. The explanation is usually that the "new" way will help me prevent injuries or provide a better outcome. If I haven't gotten hurt completing my exercise routine and am happy with my results, why should I change?

A. There are several reasons for the constant changes surrounding the fitness industry, some legitimate and others just a gimmick.

The fitness industry has seen numerous transformations since its mainstream acceptance over the past several decades. What used to be just for body builders and athletes became accessible to the general public through health clubs, fitness facilities, television shows and videos/DVDs.

The popularity of exercise set a great tone, but many of the exercise models the general population used were modified body-building workouts. As time has passed, fitness professionals have been studying how to best optimize the body's potential, prevent injuries and maintain an active and strong lifestyle. As a result, changes often occur to better help you reach your goals and possibly surpass them.

The inactive lifestyles of

many people today has also changed the focus of fitness-based material by bringing to light the need for exercise programs to address the growing presence of medical conditions caused by lack of activity. The increase in sedentary lifestyles also has caused the fitness industry to place more emphasis on preventing lower back injuries, tackling obesity and motivating the general public to be "active." Modifying existing exercises is often necessary to provide safe programs to those who may be dealing with these issues.

On the other hand, there is a difference between research and gimmicks. The "next best thing," a "revolutionary breakthrough" and a "fitness secret" often promise a new spin on a classic exercise program. Although the technique of certain exercises may change, the best method of becoming fit and healthy has not. Be active, exercise and consistently eat a healthy, balanced diet — and enjoy life.

You may not need to change your current exercise routine, but consider the "new" changes that can possibly help you reach your goals more efficiently and safely.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfw@heartsinc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Lori Zanin New Milton Hospital Lab Manager

Milton Hospital announces Lori Zanin has been appointed to the position of laboratory manager.

Most recently, Zanin served as Chemistry and Hematology Section Head at Memorial Hospital of Rhode Island, a 170-bed acute care hospital located in Pawtucket, RI. She returns to Milton Hospital after holding positions of increasing responsibility from 1995 to 2001 in the laboratory, including Medical Technologist and lab supervisor. She has also served as a clinical instructor for Northeastern University and Massasoit College.



LORI ZANIN

Zanin is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, where she studied medical laboratory science and economics. She has also studied laboratory

management at the University of Rhode Island.

"Lori has a tremendous track record for improving lab test turnaround times while decreasing costs," said Laboratory Director and Chief of Pathology Jon Keller, M.D. "I am very pleased that to welcome her back to Milton Hospital, particularly at this time of unprecedented growth at Milton Hospital."

In 2005, Milton Hospital's laboratory drew and analyzed blood from some 125,000 people. Last year, the laboratory performed more than 252,600 total procedures, a 4 percent

increase over 2005.

Milton Hospital provides community-based health care to people of all ages in Milton, Quincy, Braintree, Randolph, Canton, Hyde Park, Dorchester and other local communities. Services include general medical and surgical inpatient care, a complete complement of outpatient health services and 24-hour emergency services.

The hospital is a clinical affiliate of Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, and has more than 250 physicians on staff, representing primary care and 22 different medical specialties.

Spotlight On Health

Use Caution When Treating Allergy Symptoms

(NAPS) — It may come as a surprise to some, but allergies can happen at any time of the year, bringing on

sneezing, headache, stuffy nose and sinus pressure. Because there is no cure for allergies, only treatments for

the symptoms, many sufferers turn to medications for relief. What you may not know is that by treating these different symptoms, you could actually be putting yourself at risk.

A recent telephone survey conducted by TSC, a division of Yankelovich, found many people who report having allergies use medications to treat symptoms such as sinus pressure (77 percent) and headaches (62 percent). When selecting a medication to alleviate their symptoms, most (85 percent) who have allergies use an allergy medication, while nearly half (46 percent) report taking a pain reliever or headache remedy.

The danger in treating multiple allergy symptoms comes in not knowing what active ingredients make up the medications you are taking. By using both an allergy medication and taking a pain reliever or headache remedy, you could accidentally overdose on ingredients commonly found in over-the-counter (OTC) products, such as

acetaminophen, an active ingredient that can be found in many medications, including Tylenol. When taken in excess, studies have shown acetaminophen to cause liver failure and other serious complications.

The TSC survey found that although more than half of respondents (68 percent) knew that acetaminophen could be found in pain relievers and headache remedies, only about one-third (38 percent) knew that it could also be found in allergy medications.

To achieve the greatest benefit from OTC products, it is important to understand your allergy symptoms, as well as the active ingredients in the products you are using to treat them. Further, being aware of warning labels on product labels and packaging is another step you can take to help avoid acetaminophen overdose.

If you have questions, talk to your healthcare provider or pharmacist—they can advise you on medications to treat your allergy symptoms.

Eye On Health

Guarding Against Glaucoma

(NAPS) — A simple eye exam could help protect you from a leading cause of vision loss: glaucoma.

More than 4 million Americans have glaucoma, an eye disease that damages the optic nerve and destroys eyesight. However, nearly half of those with glaucoma are not aware they have it.

With its painless and gradual loss of vision, glaucoma comes with no early warning signs, but it can be detected during a comprehensive dilated eye exam. The National Eye Institutes of Health (NEI), encourages Americans to make vision a health priority and receive regular dilated eye exams.

Paul A. Sieving, M.D., Ph.D., director of the NEI, said, "Treatment during the early stages of glaucoma can control the disease and prevent future vision loss and blindness. This is why we encourage people at higher risk for glaucoma to get a comprehensive dilated eye exam every one to two years."

Those at higher risk for developing glaucoma include:

- African Americans over age 40.
 - Everyone over age 60, especially Mexican Americans.
 - People with a family history of the disease.
- With a dilated eye exam, an eye care professional can

see inside the eye to detect signs of glaucoma, such as subtle changes to the optic nerve and other vision problems, before any symptoms appear. This allows the eye care professional to monitor patients and treat glaucoma as early as possible.

"A dilated eye examination is essential to protecting the vision of those at higher risk for glaucoma," noted Anne L. Coleman, M.D., Ph.D., Frances and Ray Stark Professor of Ophthalmology at UCLA's Jules Stein Eye Institute and chair of the glaucoma subcommittee for NEI's National Eye Health Education Program. "If glaucoma is detected early, treatments such as medication, conventional surgery or laser surgery can slow or stop vision loss. High pressure inside the eye, which may be associated with glaucoma, does not itself mean that you have glaucoma. Only a dilated eye exam and evaluation of the optic nerve can tell you that."

The NEI is encouraging individuals to get an eye exam and to spread the word about glaucoma to family and friends by using NEI's e-cards and brochures.

For further information and links to help you find an eye care professional in the area, visit www.nei.gov/glaucoma.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.
DENTAL EROSION



One serious threat to teeth involves the widespread condition known as "dental erosion." This gradual destruction of tooth enamel can result in pain that is felt when eating or drinking hot or cold foods. It can also cause tooth discoloration and loss. Alarmingly, the primary culprit in cases of dental erosion is soft drink consumption. In the United States, where soft drink consumption has risen 1,100 percent over the past two decades, many children show signs of erosion. Some even have exposed dentin (the layer below the hard outer enamel), which is typically found only in adult teeth. While all acidic foods can cause dental erosion, soda is particularly harsh because of ingredients such as phosphoric acid.

This informative column on dental erosion has been brought to you as a public service.

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Spina Bifida Risk

(NAPS) — An estimated 65 million American women are of childbearing age — and all of them are at risk for having a baby born with Spina Bifida, a birth defect of the spine.

Taking a multivitamin with folic acid every day reduces the risk by up to 70 percent. Folic acid cannot guarantee a healthy baby, but it will help reduce the risk of neural tube defects.

A previous Spina Bifida pregnancy, like the condition

itself, increases the chances of a second affected pregnancy by approximately 20 times. Women with a previous affected pregnancy need a higher prescription dose of folic acid to reduce the risk of having another one.

If you know of any women of childbearing age, encourage them to make folic acid part of their day, every day. To learn more, visit the Spina Bifida Association at www.sbaa.org or call (800) 621-3141.

SPORTS

One Win And North's In Postseason Play

By SEAN BRENNAN

The magic number is one. The North Quincy Red Raider softball team is one victory away from securing their first postseason appearance since 1995, and if the team continues on the pace it is going right now, they should lock up that elusive spot sometime this week.

North Quincy (9-2 overall) took care of business last week with a three game sweep over Boston Latin Academy (2-1), Quincy (8-3) and Sandwich (12-1).

"At the moment we are tied with Whitman-Hanson for the best record in the Atlantic Coast League," said head coach Mike Connor. "I have three starting pitchers who have really carried the team so far, and when our hitting comes around we will be even more dangerous. At 9-2, we need one more win to get back to the post-season for the first time since 1995."

The Red Raiders started their winning ways last Tuesday with a well-pitched, come-from-behind 2-1 victory over Boston Latin Academy. The winning pitcher was Brittany Folkins. Folkins is now 2-0 on the year with a 2.00 earned run average.

North Quincy trailed 1-0 entering the home half of the seventh and final inning. With one out and the bases loaded, junior Rebecca Goreham doubled in the tying and winning run. Paige Bonanni scored the tying run and Jenna McDonough scored the winning run.

"They (Boston Latin) were probably one of the two best pitching teams we have faced all year, with the other being Winthrop," Connor said. "We struggled hitting

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early in the game, but Brittany kept us in the game and we came up big in our last at-bat."

On Wednesday at Mitchell/McCoy Field, the Raiders and the Quincy Presidents met for the first of two meetings this spring. North won the rivalry game by a score of 8-3.

Junior Paige Bonanni scattered four hits over seven innings with three punchouts to earn her fourth victory of the season. Bonanni is 4-1 on the year with a 4.04 earned run average.

Goreham finished the game 2-for-2 with two runs scored and one RBI. Junior Kasey O'Connell walked three times and scored three runs in the win. Sophomore Catherine O'Connell went 2-for-4 at the plate.

"These rivalry games are always intense," Connor added. "We had some timely hits against their young pitcher (Julia Yee) who pitched really well for them. Paige continued to pitch great for us and we got our hits when we needed them the most."

Leanna Lam went 1-for-3 for Quincy.

On Thursday, North Quincy completed their 3-0 week with a convincing 12-1 victory over Atlantic Coast League foe, Sandwich High School.

Freshman sensation Sammi Bonanni pitched a complete game, five-hitter to earn her third win of the season. On the year, Sammi Bonanni has a record of 3-1 with a 1.23 earned run average.

Junior Catherine Feeney went 2-for-4 with a two-RBI

triple and Catherine O'Connell added two hits and three RBI for the visiting Red Raiders.

The team's 9-2 record represents the best start for a North Quincy team in years, and as is the case with most successful softball programs, the team's starting pitching has been the key.

Paige Bonanni, Sammi Bonanni and Brittany Folkins have combined to go 9-2 with a 2.42 earned run average through eleven games this spring.

The team's offense has been led by the Atlantic Coast League's leading hitter, Kerry Coughlin. Coughlin's .464 batting average leads the ACL, and her teammate, sophomore Kathleen Lynch, is second in the league batting title race with a .462 average.

Goreham leads the team with 13 RBI and Feeney is second with 12 RBI.

"It has been a pleasure coaching these girls. They know what they want and they go out on the field and get it done," Connor said. "With three pitchers I can throw at teams and an offense that is starting to heat up, we are getting there. We still have plenty of time left to improve and we will not be satisfied with just making the tournament. We do not have one senior on our roster, so the future could not look any brighter"

North Quincy played against Whitman-Hanson on Monday night, and played last night (Wed.) versus Marshfield High School. The team hosts Plymouth South this afternoon at Mitchell/McCoy Field (4 p.m.) and will play host to Plymouth North next Monday at Mitchell/McCoy (4 p.m.).

Girls And Boys Tennis Results

The Quincy Presidents defeated the North Quincy Red Raiders 3-2 in girls' tennis action last Wednesday.

Senior captain Kim Pham rebounded from an opening-set 7-5 loss by winning 6-1, 6-2 to take the key victory at second singles to help the Presidents to the overall team win.

In the first singles match, Quincy's Talisa Faustin won 6-0, 6-3 and My Pham won at third singles, 6-1, 6-4 to help Quincy run its record to 4-3 overall.

Ping Mai and Christina Lin won at first doubles and Jennifer Wu and Candice Tsang were victorious at second doubles for the Red Raiders.

In boys' tennis action last

Wednesday, the Quincy Presidents took a 4-1 team victory over North Quincy at the Montclair courts.

The visiting Presidents won two of the three close matches to improve their record to 6-2 overall, 3-1 in the Atlantic Coast League.

Quincy's Robbie Yee won 7-6 (3), 6-3 at first singles, while Kevin Chan and Terry

Szeto won 6-2, 2-6, 6-1 at first doubles.

Other winners for the Presidents included Steve Palmarier at second singles and Pluton Anjelli and Jeff Mui at second doubles.

The Red Raiders (3-5 overall, 1-4 in the ACL) got a 6-2, 5-7, 7-6 (3) win from sophomore Phil Wong at third singles.



ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY Point Webster Middle School students ran in the school's sixth annual "Great Race." From the left are the winners for each age group: Ryan Shultz, Maryssa Dwyer, Alex Botali (overall race winner), Allissa Lydon, Jon Akins, David Tran and Kayla Graham (girls division winner).

Point Webster Celebrates Physical Education Week With 'Great Race'

Point Webster Middle School celebrated National Physical Education Week with its sixth annual "Great Race." One hundred and twenty boys and girls participated in this 1-mile race through the streets of Quincy.

The overall winner of the

"Great Race" was Alex Botali and the first-place girl was Kayla Graham. Awards were given out for the first-place finishers in each grade.

Ryan Shultz, Samah Marhamo, David Tran, Maryssa Dwyer, Jon Akins and Allissa Lydon all won in their grade level.

The race began six years ago with 40 runners and has grown into a tradition at Point Webster. Scott King and Clare Murphy, Physical Education teachers at Point Webster, conducted the race with the help of the Quincy Police Department.

10th Annual Jimmy Kennedy Memorial Race For ALS June 9

The 10th annual Jimmy Kennedy Memorial Race for ALS, also known as the Squirrel Run, will be held on Sat., June 9 at Pageant Field, Merrymount Parkway in Quincy.

Runners and walkers of all ages and abilities are welcome to attend the 5-mile run and 2.5-mile walk which will benefit The Angel Fund, a non-profit organization dedicated to funding ALS research at the Cecil B. Day Laboratory for Neuromuscular Research at Massachusetts General Hospital. Jimmy Kennedy lost his battle with ALS, better known as Lou Gehrig's Disease, in 1997 at the age of 31.

The week leading up to the Jimmy Kennedy Memorial Race for ALS has been declared "ALS Awareness Week" in Quincy. This year, Olympic champion Billy Mills will be at the Squirrel Run, as will

co-chairs Bill Rodgers and Michael Dukakis. Mills, a gold medal winner in the 10,000-meters at the 1964 Olympics, was an unranked unknown entrant when he became the first, and only, American ever to win a gold medal in the event.

Registration begins at 8 a.m., with the 2.5-mile walk starting at 9 a.m. The 5-mile run begins at 10 a.m. along a course that is officially sanctioned by the USA Track and Field, New England Association. The cost to pre-register is \$15; \$20 on the day of the event. The first 500 to register will receive a race T-shirt.

This is the 10th year for the race, according to Rich Kennedy, Jimmy's brother and president of The Angel Fund. In addition to the race and walk, the day will be filled with entertainment for children and awards for competitive runners in 15 age

divisions for men and women. There will be trophies, gift certificates and other awards.

Associates sponsorship opportunities are available at a cost of \$5,000. Sponsors will receive exhibit space and prominent signage, the company's name and logo on the event banner, and public announcements during the event.

To pre-register, send a completed registration, with a check made payable to The Jimmy Kennedy Memorial Run for ALS, to 5 Norman Todd Lane, Cohasset, MA 02025, by May 27.

For registration information, or for further information on sponsorship opportunities, call Rich Kennedy at (781) 383-6008, or email him at rtaylin@aol.com, or Marty Levenson at (800) 999-5950 x 1127, or at mlevenson@adl.com.

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Presidents Golf Results

The following are the results from this past weekend's Men's Senior Club Par-70 Championship at Presidents Golf Course.

In the 50-59 age bracket, Jack Cohen took 1st Net with a round of 68, Joe Moran finished in 2nd Net with a score of 71 and Dennis Ryan finished in 3rd Net with a round of 73.

Mike O'Neill (round of 75) and Pat Bergin (round of 79) took 1st Gross and 2nd Gross respectively.

In the 60-69 age bracket, Eamon Hanley's round of 60 won him 1st Net and the distinction of overall champion. Colin Richardson took 2nd Net with his round of 69 and Al Kincaid finished in 3rd Net with a round of 70.

Dave Pomarico finished in 1st Gross with a score of 69 and Bob Meehan took 2nd

Gross with a score of 71.

In the 70 & up age bracket, Ed Welch took top honors at 1st Net with his round of 70 while Jim McAuliffe finished in 2nd Net with a round of 72.

Tom Murphy finished in 1st Gross with a round of 87.

The following are the results from this past weekend's Women's Senior Club Par-70 Championship at Presidents Golf Course.

In the 50-59 age group, Mo Savage took 1st Net with a round of 66, Kathy Larson finished in 2nd Net with a score of 70 and Marcie Arnold took 3rd Net with her round of 75.

Marian Conroy (round of 82) and Sue Martinelli (round of 85) finished in 1st and 2nd Gross respectively.

In the 60 & up age bracket, Carol Cahill finished in 1st Net with a round of 69, Jean

Kennedy took 2nd Net honors with her round of 73 and Paula Murphy finished in 3rd Net with a round of 47.

Sandra Jordan's round of 88 was good enough to earn her 1st Gross.

The following are the results of the Senior Team Par-70 Championship which was held this past Sunday at Presidents Golf Course.

On the men's side, the team of Pat Bergin and Ollie Murray took 1st Net honors with a combined score of 62. The team of Eamon Hanley and Drew Reilly shot a round of 63 to take 2nd Net, Jim Curtin and Bill Dooley finished in 3rd Net with a round of 65 and Dick Cahill and Bob Lyons took 4th Net honors with a round of 67.

Dave Pomarico and Rich Churchill finished in 1st Gross with a round of 68, Jerry VonFreymann and Colin Robertson took 2nd Gross with a round of 75 and Bob Meehan and Dennis Ryan took 3rd Gross with a score of 75.

On the women's side, the team of Doty Fraser and Carol Maglio won at 1st Net with a round of 60. Three teams finished tied for 2nd Net with team scores of 62.

These teams included Kerri McGlynn and Janice Neavitt, Mo Savage and Nancy Sullivan and Gail Keefe and Marie Keddy.

Connolly Paces Presidents

Last Wednesday, on a perfect night for baseball, the Quincy Presidents and the North Quincy Red Raiders faced-off for the second time in the last two weeks at Adams Field. Quincy prevailed 6-3 behind the starting pitching of senior captain Steve Connolly. Connolly allowed eight hits, all singles, to earn his second win in as many tries against the Red Raiders. Quincy defeated North Quincy 9-2 in the championship game of the Quincy/North Quincy Baseball Tournament, which was held over the April school vacation week.

With the win, the Presidents ran their overall record to 5-4 overall and 2-3 in the Atlantic Coast League.

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The Presidents scored four times in the top of the fifth inning to break open a close game. Senior Matt Boyle's single with the bases loaded drove in one run, and senior Wendall Cosgrove's fielder's choice groundout scored the Presidents' second run of the inning. Senior Mike Leone capped off the four-run scoring barrage with a two-run double.

North Quincy's Matt Edgerly and Mike Horgan each had two hits in the game.

Quincy played against Dennis-Yarmouth High School last Friday and lost 20-10.

Junior Ricky Salvucci

went 2-for-3 at the plate with four RBI and junior Mike LeBel added two hits and two RBI.

With the loss, Quincy's record dropped to 5-5 overall, 2-4 in the ACL.

Quincy played against Nauset High School on Monday and against Plymouth North last night. The team will travel down to Sandwich on Friday, before returning home to play Brighton High School on Saturday at Adams Field. First pitch is scheduled for 11 a.m.

North Quincy played against Whitman-Hanson on Monday and against Marshfield last night. The Red Raiders are scheduled to play on the road on Friday against Plymouth South.

Quincy-North Participate In Freshman/Sophomore Meet

This past weekend the North Quincy/Quincy freshman/sophomore track team participated in the Freshman/Sophomore meet at Greater New Bedford High School.

In the 110 hurdles, sophomore Jeff Pereira finished in third position with a running time of 16 seconds flat.

The 4 x 100-relay team of Pereira, Terrence and Terrell Staley and Adams Jean-Baptiste finished in third with a time of 47.3 seconds.

Chris Bergeron took third in the shot put event with a throw of 43 feet and 11 1/2 inches. Bergeron qualified for the states with this throw and Mario Dashi took second place in the javelin event with a throw of 139-41 feet.

QHS Boys' Volleyball Wins

The Quincy High School boys' volleyball team defeated Greater New Bedford Votech, 3-1, last week, to earn a spot in the South Sectional tournament for the first time in three years. The team also defeated Barnstable High School last Friday night 3-0.

Quincy (10-2 overall, 8-0 in the South Alliance) was led to victory against Greater New Bedford by captains Andrew Paine (18 kills) and

Mike Mottola (nine kills). The Presidents knocked off the reigning South Alliance League champions 25-9, 25-16, 22-25 and 25-12.

Sophomore Ken Tan's 38 assists helped Quincy gain the post-season berth with eight games still remaining on their spring schedule.

Others playing well for Quincy were captains Anthony Acito and Brendan Paine, along with junior Andy Boucicaut and seniors

Shin Nagpal and Ted Agolli.

Playing against Barnstable in another South Alliance matchup, Quincy rolled to a victory 25-19, 25-18 and 25-23.

Senior T.J. Agolli tallied four kills and two blocks, sophomore Ken Tan added 25 assists and junior Brendan Paine finished with eight digs.

Ed Smith coaches the Quincy Presidents.

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GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You might feel conflicted between what you want to do and what you should do. Best advice: Honor your obligations first. Then go ahead and enjoy your well-earned rewards.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) That financial matter still needs to be sorted out before you can consider any major monetary moves. Pressures ease midweek, with news about a potential career change.

LEO (July 23 to August 22)
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VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) An opportunity opens up but could quickly close down if you allow pessimism to override enthusiasm. A trusted friend can

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SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Forget about who's to blame and, instead, make the first move toward patching up a misunderstanding before it creates a rift that you'll never be able to cross.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Good news for the travel-loving Sagittarian who enjoys galloping off to new places: That trip you put off will soon be back on your schedule.

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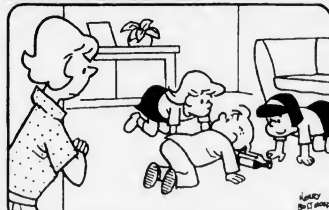
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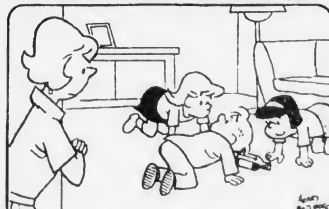
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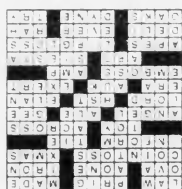
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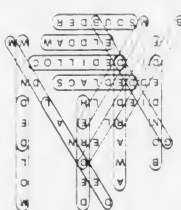
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OBITUARIES

Pauline F. Treacy, 89 Bookkeeper, Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Pauline F. (McKie) Treacy, 89, a retired bookkeeper and homemaker, was celebrated May 4 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Treacy died May 1 at Quincy Medical Center.

She was a bookkeeper for 15 years at Roger W. Kent Co. in Quincy.

Born in Lynn, she had lived in Quincy for 59 years.

She enjoyed sewing and made clothes for her children when they were young.

Mrs. Treacy enjoyed continuing education classes at Quincy High School.

She never owned a car. Instead, she enjoyed walking and using public transportation. She also loved the outdoors, especially the ocean.

Wife of the late Thomas J.



PAULINE F. TREACY

Treacy, she is survived by three daughters, Dorothy Wilk of Quincy, Susan Treacy of Winchester and Judith Treacy of Canton; a son, Thomas Treacy of Coronado, Calif.; three granddaughters; two grandsons, and nine great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Rubin Sugarman, 80

Worked In Family's Scrap Metal Business

Funeral services for Rubin Sugarman, 80, of Lake Worth, Fla., formerly of Newton and Quincy, were held Sunday at Temple Israel, Sharon.

Mr. Sugarman died May 3.

He worked in his family's business, M. Sugarman Scrap Metal in Quincy.

Born in Quincy, Mr. Sugarman graduated from Quincy High School and served in the Army Air Corps during World War II.

He was a member of the Jewish Community Center and Health Club in Newton

and Rural Lodge of Masons.

He is survived by his wife, Estelle A. (Cooper) Sugarman; a son, Jay Sugarman of Newton; two daughters, Debra Sugarman of Needham and Ellen Sugarman of Brookline; two sisters, Adeline Sherman of Randolph and Arlene Harrison of Quincy; a brother, David Sugarman of Quincy; and two grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Breznick-Rodman Funeral Directors, Newton.

Raymond W. Lorandeanu, 83

Retired Clerk

A funeral Mass for Raymond W. Lorandeanu, 83, of Quincy, a retired clerk, was celebrated May 5 at St. Mary Church, 115 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Lorandeanu died May 1 at Cintas Carney Hospital in Dorchester.

He worked in the operations support and nuclear division of General Dynamics in Quincy, retiring in 1965.

After his retirement, he was a security guard for the Foxboro Raceway.

Born in Pennsylvania and raised in Quincy, he was a 1941 graduate of Sacred Heart High School in Weymouth.

Mr. Lorandeanu served in the Army Air Forces and was stationed in China, Burma and India. He also served with the British 8th Army.

He lived in Norwood for a few years before moving to Quincy where he lived for the last 40 years.

He was a former member of the Fore River shipyard



RAYMOND W. LORANDEANU

Longservice Club.

He is survived by his wife, Mary G. Flaherty; three nephews, Thomas Flaherty of Bridgewater, Mark Flaherty of Rockland and David Flaherty of Chelmsford; and several grandnieces and grandnephews.

Burial was in St. Mary Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., Quincy, MA 02169.

John G. DiCroce

Retired Sea Trial Troubleshooter

A funeral Mass for John G. DiCroce of Quincy, a retired sea trial troubleshooter, was celebrated May 3 at St. John's Church, Quincy.

Mr. DiCroce died April 27 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked at the Boston Naval Shipyard for 21 years, making sure Navy ships were seaworthy. He retired in the 1980s and started his own real estate business, which he operated for several years.

Born in Delaware, he lived in Quincy for 90 years.

Mr. DiCroce enjoyed

hunting and was a member of the National Rifle Association. He also enjoyed mechanical projects and reading.

Husband of the late Helen L. (Zuccola) DiCroce, he is survived by a daughter, Donna DiCroce of Quincy, and two sisters, Louise Foster of North Quincy and Jean Boyce of Quincy.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mary Leith Jones, 77

Former Legal Secretary

A funeral service for Mary (Baldwin) Leith Jones, 77, of Abington, a former legal secretary for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, was held April 25 at Quely & Son Funeral Home, 116 Adams St., Abington.

Mrs. Jones died April 21 at Good Samaritan Hospital, Brockton.

She was a member of the Port Norfolk Yacht Club in Dorchester.

Born and educated in Boston, she lived in Quincy before moving to Abington.

Wife of the late James F. Leith and the late Warren Jones, she is survived by four children, Carol Hannon and Michael Leith of Quincy, Jay Leith of Marshfield and Jamie Leith of Abington; a brother, Leo Baldwin of Hingham; eight grandchildren; and a great-granddaughter.

Nelford J. Platner Jr., 98

Owned Quincy Insurance Agency

Nelford J. Platner Jr., 98, of Sanibel, Fla., and Kingfield, Maine, former owner of a Quincy insurance agency, died April 15 at home.

Mr. Platner and former Quincy Mayor Thomas Burgin founded Burgin, Platner and Co. in 1930. The firm merged with the Hurley Agency in 1966.

Mr. Platner was born in Wyomissing, Penn. He grew up in Quincy and was a graduate of Quincy High School.

After retiring, he divided his time between Maine and Florida. In Kingfield, he worked on his land, Fox Hill Farm, tended the pond and kept the hummingbirds well fed.

In Sanibel, he took daily walks on the beach and enjoyed biking and playing tennis.



NELFORD J. PLATNER JR.

Mr. Platner is survived by a daughter, Nancy Platner of Stoughton; two sons, Jack Platner of Hood River, Ore., and Ned Platner of Scituate; and four grandchildren.

He was the husband of the late Ruth (Weeks) Platner and the late Juanita "Neet" (Stubbs) Platner.

Funeral arrangements were made by Horizon Funeral Home, Fort Myers, Fla.

Mary J. Fraser, 64

Social Worker

A funeral Mass for Mary J. (Flaherty) Fraser, 64, of Braintree, a social worker, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Fraser died May 5 at home.

Born in Boston, she had lived in Quincy before moving to Braintree seven years ago.

She worked as a social worker (LICSW) for Neponset Health Care for five years. She retired a few years ago for health reasons.

She was an avid reader and a lifelong learner. She earned her master's degree from Cambridge College about 10 years ago.

She also enjoyed trips to

Cape Cod.

She loved spending time with her grandchildren.

Mrs. Fraser is survived by three daughters, Mary Ellen Iacomini of Fort Myers, Fla.; Julie Mulvaney of Abington and Jean (Fraser) Tisdale of Lexington; a son, Thomas Fraser of Braintree; two brothers, John Flaherty of Hyannis and Paul Flaherty of Quincy; and eight grandchildren.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to MSPCA, 350 S. Huntington Ave., Jamaica Plain, MA 02130.

Francis L. Trainor, 91

Retired Business Manager

A funeral Mass for Francis L. Trainor, 91, of Quincy, retired business manager of F.L. Trainor Trucking, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Trainor died May 4 at the Braintree Landing Nursing & Rehabilitation Center after a brief illness.

He enjoyed taking daily walks through the Wollaston section of Quincy.

Mr. Trainor was born in

Boston, raised in Dorchester and spent summers on Great Hill in Houghs Neck.

He is survived by two sisters, Anna Marie Trainor and Lillian Livorsi of Holbrook; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Old Calvary Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were made by Lydon Funeral Chapel, 644 Hancock St., Wollaston.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

NOBODY KNOWS BUT MOTHER
 Nobody knows of the work it makes to keep the home together;
 Nobody knows of the steps it takes;
 Nobody knows - but mother.
 Nobody listens to childish woes;
 Which kisses only smother;
 Nobody's painted by naughty blows;
 Nobody - only mother.

Nobody knows of the anxious fears
 Lost darlings may not weather
 The storm of life in after years;
 Nobody knows - but mother.

Nobody knows of the sleepless care
 Bestowed on baby brother;
 Nobody knows of the tender prayer
 Nobody - only mother.

Nobody knows of the lessons taught
 Of loving one another;
 Nobody knows of the patience sought
 Nobody - only mother.

Nobody kneels at the throne above
 To thank the Heavenly Father
 For the sweetest gift - a mother's love;
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Dolores B. Elsmore, 60

Homemaker, Youth Baseball Coach

Memorial visiting hours for Dolores B. (Macedo) Elsmore, 60, of Quincy, a homemaker, will be held Saturday, May 12 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy Center.

Mrs. Elsmore died May 4 at the Tippet Hospice House in Needham after a long illness.

Born in Quincy, she was raised in the city and educated in Quincy schools. She was a lifelong Quincy resident and a graduate of Quincy High School.

She was a homemaker and loved the ocean.

Mrs. Elsmore enjoyed baseball and was a coach for 13 years with the Quincy Little League. She was also an avid supporter of the American Legion.

She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Houghs Neck American Legion Post 380 in Quincy.

She is survived by her husband of 30 years, Wayne L. Elsmore; two sons, Michael F. Hennessey of Florida and Patrick J. Hennessey of Nashua, N.H.; two daughters, Debra L. Miglorino of Ashburnham and Kellie A. Hennessey of



DOLORES B. ELSMORE

Quincy; six stepchildren, Pamela Taylor of Abington, Wayne Elsmore of Syracuse, N.Y.; Paul Elsmore of Randolph, David Elsmore of Virginia Beach, VA; Donna Miglorino of Plymouth and Thomas Elsmore of Randolph; 26 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Elsmore was the youngest of 16 siblings and is survived by Stella Iaovelli of Weymouth, Leona Walker, Lorraine Wilcox, Gloria Norling and Joseph Macedo, all of Quincy.

Interment services will be private.

Memorial donations may be made to the VNA Care Network and Hospice, 120 Thomas St., Worcester, MA 01608.

John E. Kasianowicz, 82

Retired Postal Worker

A funeral Mass for John E. Kasianowicz, 82, of Quincy, a retired postal worker and a Navy veteran of World War II, was celebrated Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. at St. John's Church, 44 School St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Kasianowicz died May 5 at his daughter's home in Stoughton.

He worked for the Postal Service in South Boston for 23 years. He retired in 1990.

He served as a machinist in the Navy during World War II.

Mr. Kasianowicz enjoyed boating, fishing, the Red Sox and reading about history.

He also enjoyed his vegetable and flower gardens.

Husband of the late Antoinette (Cardella) Kasianowicz, he is survived by two daughters, Donna Jellison of Quincy and Joanne Winkler of Stoughton; a son, John Kasianowicz of Darnestown, MD; a sister, Ellie Ward of South Boston;



JOHN E. KASIANOWICZ

a brother, Fred Kasianowicz of Pembroke; six grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of Greater Brockton, 500 Belmont St., Suite 215, Brockton, MA 02301, or Homes for Our Troops, 37 Main St., Taunton, MA 02780.

Ada T. Cardinale, 94

Assembler, Payroll Supervisor

Private funeral services for Ada T. (Ruscitto) Cardinale, 94, of Portland, Maine, formerly of Boca Raton, Fla. and Braintree, were held May 3 at Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mrs. Cardinale died April 29 at Mercy Hospital in Portland after a brief illness.

Born in Quincy, she was raised in the city and educated in Quincy schools. She was a graduate of Quincy High School.

She lived in Boca Raton for more than 35 years and in Braintree for many years before moving to Maine four years ago.

Mrs. Cardinale was employed as an assembler and payroll supervisor for the former Raytheon Company in Quincy. She retired many years ago.

As a young woman, she had worked as a bookkeeper at her late father's stone cut-



ADA T. CARDINALE

ting and polishing company in Quincy, the former A. Ruscitto & Sons.

She enjoyed traveling, especially to Las Vegas for the shows.

Wife of the late John Cardinale, she is survived by a son, Gary F. Caruso of Quincy; a daughter, Susan Cardinale Budesheim of Cumberland Center, Maine; a brother, Roy Ruscitto of Braintree; eight grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Jeffrey T. Bishop, 56

Shipping Manager, Musician

A funeral Mass for Jeffrey T. Bishop, 56, of Quincy, a shipping manager, was celebrated Tuesday at Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy Center.

Mr. Bishop died May 2 at the South Shore Hospital after a brief illness.

Born in Philadelphia, Penn., he was raised and educated in Philadelphia. He lived in Rhode Island for 20 years before moving to Quincy 15 years ago.

Mr. Bishop was a shipping manager for the Sky Publishing & Telescope/Newtrack Media Company of Cambridge. He was employed 11 years and retired April 27.

Mr. Bishop was also a professional musician and played the guitar with various bands in Rhode Island. He also had played with the band "Coast Line" for several years.

He enjoyed fishing. He is survived by wife,



JEFFREY T. BISHOP

Jean E. (Goss) Bishop, five children, Amber E. Bishop, Cole J. Bishop, Troy J. Bishop, Victoria J. Bishop, all of Quincy, and Lynn Bishop of Virginia; five brothers and sisters, Shirley Pinckney of Pennsylvania, Allen Myers of Texas, Dennis Bishop of California, and Albert Jordan and Alice Pinchback, both of Pennsylvania.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Arrangements were by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Brockton.

Elaine C. Dean, 56

Retired Case Analyst

A funeral service for Elaine C. (Cormier) Dean, 56, of Quincy, a retired case analyst, was held May 4 at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Dean died April 27 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked for John Hancock Life Insurance for 10 years and retired in 2001.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Braintree and Quincy. A Quincy resident for 47 years, she was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Mrs. Dean enjoyed cooking, gardening and Yankee candles.

She also loved the beach, animals and traveling to Aruba and Nantucket.

Former wife of the late Stephen Dean, she is survived by a daughter, Nicole Dean of Quincy; her longtime companion, David Mulch of Quincy; her father, Raymond



ELAINE C. DEAN

Cormier Sr. of Quincy; her mother, Jean Cormier of Lexington; two brothers, Raymond Cormier Jr. of Bolton and Michael Cormier of Hanover; two sisters, Nancy Cormier of Weymouth and Barbara Flaherty of Danville, N.H.; two grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial donations may be made to the MSPCA, 350 S. Huntington Ave., Jamaica Plain, MA 02130.

Lindsay J. 'Ike' Eisan Sr, 74

MBTA Carpenter With Local 51

A funeral service for Lindsay J. "Ike" Eisan Sr., 74, of East Taunton, formerly of Brockton, a carpenter, was conducted Monday at First Baptist Church in Dorchester.

Mr. Eisan died May 2 at the Morton Hospital and Medical Center in Taunton.

Born in Long Island, N.Y., he was raised in Boston and educated in Boston schools. He was a graduate of Boston Technical High School.

Mr. Eisan had lived in Quincy for 20 years and Brockton for five years before moving to Taunton a year ago.

He was employed for the MBTA as a carpenter with Local 51. He had over 20 years of service. He retired many years ago.

Mr. Eisan served in Germany with the United States Army during the Korean War. He received the Army of Occupation Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.

He was a longtime member and three-time past commander of the American Legion Post No. 95. He currently served as a member of the executive board.

Husband of the late Patricia R. (Hill) Eisan, he is survived by three daughters, Maureen Jacques of Stoughton, Donna Nimeskern of East Taunton and Sharon Tavares of Hanson; four sons, Lindsay J. "Jack" Eisan Jr. of East Bridgewater, Douglas Eisan of Plymouth, Michael Eisan of North Attleboro and Brian Eisan; a triplet brother, Harry Eisan of Brockton; a sister, Laurie Eisan of Dorchester; and 17 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial with military honors was at Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy Center.

Memorial donations may be made to the First Baptist Church of Dorchester, 401 Ashmont St., Dorchester, MA 02124.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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He befriended everyone he met during his daily walks on Sanibel's beach, a routine "Ted" kept up until he died peacefully at home on Sunday, April 15, 2007.

One of seven children, Nelford was born in Womissing, Pennsylvania. He spent his youth in Wollaston, Ma and in later years owned and operated the insurance company now known as Burgin, Platner, Hurler in Quincy, Ma.

With his first wife Ruth, who died in 1959, "Neli" raised 3 children. Upon retirement he and his second wife, Neet, split their time between Kingfield, Maine and Sanibel Florida.

Nelford was a well-loved, iconic character. On Sanibel Island he was tricky on the tennis court, steady on the bike path and a fixture on the beach. When in Kingfield he took great pride in caring Fox Hill Farm where he spent countless hours perched atop the mower, chopping wood, keeping the stoves stocked, tending the pond and keeping the hummingbirds well fed.

His word was his bond.

He will be deeply missed by his three children and four grandchildren.

Donations in Nelford's memory may be sent to S.S. YMCA, 79 Coddington St., Quincy, MA, 02169.



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RELIGION

Bishop To Visit St. Chrysostom's May 20

The Right Rev. Gayle Elizabeth Harris, Suffragan Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, is scheduled to visit St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Sunday, May 20.

Bishop Harris, who has

oversight of most of the urban parishes in the Diocese, will celebrate and preach at the 10 a.m. service. She will also have luncheon with parishioners and conduct a meeting of the parish vestry.

Bishop Harris will be

honored with a performance by "Andrew and Expressions," and Tracy O'Sullivan, a parishioner and area voice teacher, will be the soprano soloist.

The public is welcome to this celebration of the ministry of the parish.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The adult bible study class begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek Glidden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Liz Buccella. Ushers will be Brian and Nancy White.

The coffee hour hosts are Mary Emsheimer, Peg McCulley and Linda Nogueira.

Upcoming events include a "Pirates Party" Saturday, May 12 at 1 p.m. and a yard sale on Saturday, May 19.

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information. All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy sponsor a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group on the third Tuesday of every month.

The next meeting is May 15 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St.

Joseph's Rectory conference room.

The evening provides an opportunity to deepen one's relationship with Christ and be supported by the presence

of other faith-filled women.

For more information, contact Sister Pat Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's), or Dorothy Ruggiero at 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the ser-

vice and preach a sermon entitled "Our Fortress."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service there will be follow-

ship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

First Church Of Squantum

There will be a special 10 a.m. worship service for Mother's Day Sunday at the First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue St., Squantum.

The public is invited to attend.

The title of the sermon is "Be Kind to Your Web

Footed Friends, as a Duck May be Somebody's Mother."

Rev. Dr. Emmy Robertson will lead the service and a special tribute will be given to all mothers.

Special music will be provided by the accordionist,

Susan Clearman.

A Men's Breakfast will meet Saturday, May 12 at 8 a.m.

There will be a community pot luck dinner in Fellowship Hall at 6 p.m. on Saturday, May 12.

All are welcome to attend.

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Collegium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

Law For Elders Program May 22

The Council on Aging and the Massachusetts Bar Association will present the 2007 Elder Law Education Program Tuesday, May 22, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the Richard Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

Attorney Thomas Mullen will be the presenter.

Some of the topics to be covered include: How to protect your home and assets? Power of attorney and health

care proxies: Reverse mortgages, Medicare/Medicaid.

For a reservation, call the COA at 617-376-1506.

Candle Lighting Service May 16

VistaCare Hospice of Westwood will offer a candle lighting remembrance service Wednesday, May 16,

from 6 to 8 p.m. at First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church, 53 Canton Ave., Milton.

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Quincy Environmental Network Wellness Expo May 19

The new Wellness Subcommittee of the Quincy Environmental Network (QEN) will host its first event, a Wellness Expo, Saturday, May 19 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Wollaston Congregational Church, 48 Winthrop Ave., Quincy.

Organizations from all over Quincy that encourage and contribute to a healthy lifestyle will be on hand to pass out information on their various programs and services. There will be representatives from area health food markets, restaurants, yoga studios, fitness centers, organic landscaping companies, and many more.

Admission to the event is free.

Door prizes will be awarded every half hour and free refreshments and chair massages will be available.

Running alongside the Wellness Expo will be the



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Wollaston Garden Club's annual plant sale.

"We believe that healing our planet does indeed start with healing ourselves," said Courtney Perdios of the QEN. "Eating healthier organic foods means less toxins in our environment, and staying active allows us to more fully enjoy being out in nature."

"The QEN Wellness Subcommittee has plans for future activities such as a yoga series, healthy living talks, a run club, classes on making cosmetics, and many more," Perdios added.

For more information on the QEN Wellness Expo or Subcommittee, call Perdios

at 617-770-4127.

LEGAL NOTICE

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT
NORFOLK DIVISION**

**Docket No. 07P0374EP
SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

To all persons interested in the estate of ELINORE P. RYAN late of QUINCY in said County, deceased testate.

A petition has been presented to said court for license to sell at private sale certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said court at Canton before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 7TH day of JUNE 2007, the return day of this citation.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this day 27TH of APRIL 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register

5/10/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court Department
NORFOLK Division**

**Docket No. 07D0470-DV1
DIVORCE/SEPARATE
SUPPORT SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION**

**YU LING LIAO, Plaintiff(s)
V.
SIEW KONG WONG, Defendant(s)**

To the above named Defendant(s):
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff(s), YU LING LIAO, seeking DIVORCE.

An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of any party. Please refer to Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 for more information.
You are required to serve upon CARYN MITCHELL-MUNEVAR, ATTORNEY FOR YU LING LIAO, whose address is 46 CHURCH STREET, BOSTON, MA 02118, your answer on or before 7/05/07. If you fail to do so, the Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at CANTON.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at CANTON, this 9TH day of APRIL, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

4/26, 5/3, 5/10/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-022
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Patrick J. Barry for a Variance to enclose the front and side porches and extend the front stairs for the new landing in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 11 OAK GROVE TERRACE, QUINCY.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-021
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Kathryn Hobin for a Variance to construct a small front porch in violation of the front setback in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.070 (yards) on the premises numbered 136 BABCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-020
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169,** on the application of One Spaulding Street, LLC, Christopher Harrington, Member, for a dimensional variance to allow for construction of a new single family home on a 10,574 square foot lot in the Residence A district in violation of 17.20.040.

The parcel of land is located at the end of Spaulding Street at Apex Street and is shown on Assessors' plan no. 2087A. 5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-018
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Ruth Bauzo & Ruth Rodriguez for a Variance Finding to legalize and allow an existing two-family structure to continue its use in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.24.020 (non-conforming buildings) and Chapter 17.16.10 (district uses) on the premises numbered 22 REARDON STREET QUINCY.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-013
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169** on the application of Media Vision, Inc. for a variance to allow an off-premises sign and dimensional relief for the setback of the proposed sign in violation of 17.32.1 sign's.

The property is located at 315 Willard Street. Quincy and is shown as Plot 16 on Assessors' plan 4111. 5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-019
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, MAY 22, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Harold & Helen Crispo for a Variance to demolish the existing structure and construct a new single family home in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 216 RHODA STREET, QUINCY.

5/3, 5/10/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The Trial Court

Probate and Family Court

Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0936AD

In the Estate of

THOMAS BARRITT

Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

January 26, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION

FOR APPOINTMENT

OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in

the above captioned estate,

a petition has been presented

praying that JULIA

MULVEY of JAMAICA PLAIN in the County of SUFFOLK

and MARY MULVEY JACOBSON of JAMAICA PLAIN in the County of SUFFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 6, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 24, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT

Register of Probate

5/10/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

The Trial Court

Probate and Family Court

Department

NORFOLK Division

Docket No. 07P0672EP

In the Estate of

FRANCIS S. HOLT JR.

Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

March 27, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION

FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in

the above captioned estate,

a petition has been presented

praying that a document

purporting to be the last will of said decedent be

proved and allowed; and that CARL J. YOUNG of CAMBRIDGE in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed executor named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 13, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit or objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, March 21, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT

Register of Probate

5/10/07

Youth Soccer Results

The following are results from Quincy Youth soccer games from the last two weeks.

In Under-10 girls' action, Harbor Point defeated Quincy Granite 4-1. Rachel Lunny scored two goals for Harbor Point, and Kayla McGaughey and Emily Hatfield each scored one goal. Anna Kiley, Laina Frazier and Shauna O'Donovan each had an assist.

Shayla Eaton, Hannah Fleming and Rachel Dunphy all played well for Harbor Point.

Megan Bouzan scored the lone goal for Quincy Granite and Rachel Gillespie got the assist.

In Under-12 coed action, the Wildcats played against the Coyotes. Playing well for the Cats were Eric Mah, Carina Silveria and Lauren McLaughlin. Playing well for the Coyotes were Alana DeBello, Delia Devane, JoAnn Hallesey, Brendan McAdams and Thomas Madden.

In Under-8 girls' North soccer action the following kids played well. For Colonial Federal Savings, Jamie McCleary, Taylor Routhier and Allison Russell played well. For Creeds Crossing, Fiona Duggan, Deirdre Kelly and Julia Brady had good games, and for Quincy Credit Union, Grace Austin, Kaleigh Davies and Bridget Flynn all played well.

LG Henley's Kerin Coleman, Carly McMorro and Grace Scuzzarella all played well in their game.

In Under-8 girls' South action, Kate McGahey, Emilia Guarente and Margaret Guarente all played well for Spillane Law. Playing well for Quincy Lodge of Elks were Julia Nelson, Samantha Arrgal and Kristen Thorton.

The Raymond Club's Brielle O'Maley, Ciara Carlyle and Amber Troilhad good games and Reggie Orl's Maeve Hernon, Lianna Cunningham and Riley McLaughlin all played well.

Dr. Allan Yacubian Roast To Celebrate 50 Years Of The 'Yakoo' June 10

On Sunday, June 10, there will be a celebration of "fifty years" for North Quincy High School's Yakoo and a great benefactor to sports in general for the Quincy school's, Dr. Allan Yacubian.

This celebration, a "roast" of Dr. Yacubian will be held at the Sons of Italy Social Hall on Quarry St. at 1 p.m. Tickets for the event will be

\$10. A cash bar and snack food will be available.

It would be appreciated if you could contact any alumni of your class year to come and help us show our appreciation for all the good Dr. Yacubian has done for our schools over the years.

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Marjorie (Stewart) Menz
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The Rabbi Maimi Asad honors an individual who has performed outstanding work in the community.

Bellotti recalled that the community was in a state of confusion and fear.

As Bellotti's experiences became more and more, he first understood social injustice as a 23-year-old Navy lieutenant returning home on an Army troop ship after World War II.

Bellotti recalled that white soldiers roamed freely on upper decks while black soldiers were transported in the "hole," which was dark and unsanitary and smelled putrid, as there were no windows.

"That's where they put the black soldiers," Bellotti said, adding that was "the beginning of my understanding of social injustice."

Bellotti believes the law can remedy social injustice and protect the social order. "We can survive political leaders who make mistakes because we have that system of justice."

Court personnel rolled out a frosted layer cake with one candle to honor Bellotti whose 84th birthday coincided with the day of the award ceremony this year.

Four Quincy police officers, and Quincy residents were among 18 persons cited last week for their outstanding service to the community through careers in law or police work.

Tobin presented The James McIntyre Humanitarian Award to retired Quincy police officer Guido "Budgie" Pettinnelli who was honored for his 37 years of service to Quincy residents and others.

Tobin described Pettinnelli's work with youth, sports teams and even more recently with FEMA, the federal disaster relief agency.

"He gave his all. He was one tough guy," said Tobin of the police officer known



QUINCY LAW DAY's key note speaker for 2007 was Attorney General Martha Coakley shown standing with former Attorney General Frank Bellotti who received the Rabbi Jacob Mann Social Justice Award.

as "Budgie." "I don't know who you were talking about," Pettinnelli said on receiving the plaque but added, "I will forever cherish this day of recognition."

Quincy High School's Wuxi He and Dedham's Peter Molina wrote winning essays for the Dennis F. Ryan Award presented by Attorney Christopher Ryan.

District Attorney William Keating presented the Robert P. Dana Distinguished Service Award for Law Enforcement to ten police officers.

Three Quincy police officers, Lt. Charles Santoro, and Officers Michael Sullivan and John Leuchte were honored for their rescue of an elderly man after a car crash.

Also honored were three Cohasset police officers: Officer Edward Bagley, a Quincy resident, and

Detective Sgt. Gregory Lennon and Detective Garrett Hunt, and four Weymouth police officers: Sgt. Edward Barry, Sgt. John Burke and Officers Timothy Browning and Sean Murray.

Marion Feldman Needel and Tobin presented the Jason Feldman Outstanding Citizen Award which honors her late husband to William P. Mignosa, owner of the Fruit Basket on Granite Street.

Tobin recalled Mignosa's outstanding response when the Montillio's Bakery on Adams Street was totally gutted by a fire. Not only was the bakery destroyed, but also 12 local employees were unemployed.

"Good business is good for Quincy," said Tobin who noted that, thanks to Mignosa, Montillio's Bakery re-opened in 5 1/2 days. Mignosa made room for his friend at his own business.



NORFOLK COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY William Keating presents the Timothy J. Spillane Award to Assistant DA Megan Kennedy.



ATTORNEY WILLIAM SULLIVAN is presented the Alfred Malaney Award by Attorney Phyllis J. Field, president of the Quincy Bar Association.

For the Timothy Spillane Outstanding District Court Prosecutor Award, Keating named Megan Kennedy. Kennedy is the Assistant District Attorney (A.D.A.) and supervisor of A.D.A.'s at Quincy District Court.

State Trooper George Demos was awarded the Mark Charbonnier Award by

Trooper Kenneth Halloran and Tobin.

Field presented the Alfred Malaney Award to Attorney William F. Sullivan.

Rev. Raymond Kiley of Quincy's St. John the Baptist Church offered the invocation and Rabbi Shmuel Bronstein of Hingham-Quincy Chabad the benediction.

Judge Paul Dawley, Regional Administrative Judge for Region 2 joined Judges Coven and Connolly on the bench for the ceremonies.

Also present were Valerie Donald, Branch Supervisor of South Shore Cooperative Bank on Franklin Street, and Karen Salhaney, Marketing Director for South Shore Cooperative Bank. Both banks sponsor awards. The bank presents a bond to the student winners of the Ryan Essay contest.

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A FIREFIGHTER ATOP an aerial ladder pours water on a fire in the Broad Meadows marshes Saturday near Broad Meadows School and the Quincy Youth Arena. The blaze caused a traffic tie-up on Route 3-A. Quincy Sun photos/Noreen O'Shea



THE BLAZE SENT clouds of black smoke over the Broad Meadows marshes and to areas beyond. The recent dry weather set the stage for the fire.



FIREFIGHTERS WERE AT the scene for most of the day Saturday to contain the fire in the tall growth.

13% Increase Over Four Years City, Police Union Reach Agreement On New Contract

Mayor William Phelan announced Wednesday that the Quincy Police Patrol Officers Union and the City of Quincy have reached an agreement for a four-year contract.

The contract amounts to a 13% raise over the next four years. It also allows for a reduction in the City's percentage of employee benefits to 85% on 7/1/07 to 80% on 7/1/08 and on 7/1/09 all co-pays double.

The patrol officers ratified the agreement by an overwhelming margin Monday.

"I want to thank the bargaining unit of the Patrol Officers Union for their efforts in helping us reach a mutually-satisfactory agreement," said Mayor Phelan. "Throughout the process the patrol officers conducted themselves in a professional and reasonable manner. These men and women are a large part of the reason why Quincy is the second safest city in Massachusetts and I am happy that we were able to settle our contractual differences and focus on the job of public safety."

The City has now signed

agreements with the Library employees, Superior Officers of the Police Department, and the Police Patrol Officers.

Added Mayor Phelan, "I am pleased that we were able to balance the needs of our taxpayers with the needs of our public safety officers. I think the majority of the patrol officers understand our concerns with the unsustainable costs of employee benefits and cooperated in helping us make better decisions over this important budgetary issue."

With Several Conditions Council Approves \$1M For Pageant Field Track

By LAURA GRIFFIN

The City Council Finance Committee Monday approved the \$1 million funding for the new track at Pageant Field contingent on the receipt of additional information and documents from the mayor's office, bond counsel, the Adams Memorial Society, and environmental agencies.

Prior to the vote, David Murphy, the mayor's Director of Operations outlined the mayor's plan for the track site which he said will not infringe on protected areas.

Murphy, also, presented copies of an agreement signed by Mayor William Phelan and Peter Boylston Adams, copies of the 1885 deed to the property, and also, a letter from the Park

Department Executive Director Mark C. Jaehning.

Earlier this month, Adams had opposed siting the track facility at Pageant Field after voicing concerns that the proposed facility was not in keeping with the Adams family legacy as outlined in the 1885 deed.

However, Phelan and Adams worked out an agreement which Adams signed on May 10 with his handwritten notation "subject to ratification by the AMS." Those initials stand for Adams Memorial Society.

Councillors questioned whether Adams' notation required formal approval from the Adams Memorial Society and included that requirement in their motion approving the track.

The Phelan-Adams agreement contains 10 stipulations, including

- the use of natural colors on the track;
- the re-planting of trees;
- a permanent ban on artificial lighting at all recreational facilities at Pageant Field;
- the use of a wooden guardrail and no chain-link fencing at the track;
- removal of the small diamonds that currently exist;
- no permanent grandstands;
- removal of all the Parks and Recreation trucks and machinery within twelve months;
- that a senior and teen center with two tennis courts and a basketball court be opened for all Quincy citizens

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MEMBERS OF THE Quincy Technology Council Advisory Committee from left to right are Jerry O'Dwyer, committee vice-chairman from Bay Computer Techs; Joe Giggey, committee chairman from Gig It Consulting; Adam Marquis from Ahern Communications; Dean Rizzo, Quincy 2000 Collaborative; and Jerry Forde from Computer Troubleshooters. Missing from photo are Advisory Committee members Jonathon Hill from Consulting Internet Education and George Zygonas from Olympia Technologies Inc.

City Still Seeks Volunteers For Medical Reserve Corps

The Quincy Health Department is continuing to recruit volunteers for the Quincy Medical Reserve Corps, a cadre of trained medical and non-medical professionals prepared to assist officials during an emergency.

Training on Behavioral Health Disaster Response-Psychological First Aid and Home Preparedness 101: Simple Steps for Individu-

als and Families has already been held for members in Quincy.

The city signed up 163 volunteers at two recruitment seminars last December.

"Getting volunteers trained is a key component in preparing Quincy to be able to respond to any type of emergency," said Mayor William Phelan.

A training session will be held Tuesday, May 22, at 6

p.m. in the second floor conference room at Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock St.

While nurses initially were recruited, anyone interested in joining the Medical Reserve Corps is invited to attend.

To RSVP or for more information, contact Alison Minkoff at 617-665-3871 or aminkoff@challiance.org.

Quincy 2000 Collaborative Announces Creation Of Quincy Technology Council

Quincy 2000 Collaborative, a public/private economic development partnership, announces the creation of the Quincy Technology Council.

Organized to assist businesses and other system network engineers improve productivity and reduce costs through the use of technology, the Quincy Technology Council (QTC) consists of information technology (IT) professionals with the proven skills to provide efficient solutions to technology issues.

"As a long-time resident of Quincy, I felt the one thing missing was a technical resource that could assist businesses in understanding true cost, as well as their options regarding technology," said Joe Giggey, from Gig It consulting and chairman of the QTC Advisory Committee.

"Whether it is a small business trying to determine what type of computer system to purchase or a fellow IT practitioner looking to expand his/her industry knowledge, we are excited to offer this new resource to the Quincy business commu-

nity."

Under the economic umbrella of Quincy 2000, the QTC offers workshops, seminars, information bulletins and free one-on-one counseling.

"The Quincy Technology Council is a great resource within the City that will strengthen the local economy by giving Quincy businesses the competitive edge in an ever changing world of technology trends and products," Mayor William Phelan said.

An Advisory Committee consisting of Quincy 2000 members oversees the various programs and resources, as well as the management of the QTC's new website www.Quincytechcouncil.com.

"The strength of Quincy 2000 is a direct result of the commitment of so many of our members to give back to the community. The volunteer hours and technical resources provided by the QTC Advisory Committee is just one of many fine examples of this," said Peter Racicot, chairman and president of Quincy 2000 and senior vice president of Business Devel-

opment at Fallon Ambulance.

The next scheduled workshop will be held Tuesday, May 22 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Presidents Place, 1250 Hancock St., Quincy Center, in the lower level conference room.

Topic will be an overview of Microsoft Office System 2007, designed to streamline workspaces and provide a wide array of innovative features to help improve personal productivity, communications and collaboration and ultimately enhance business results.

The workshop will be presented by Microsoft Office Corporation's Peter Duffey, IW-Partner Technical Specialist, New England SMS&P.

To RSVP for this free workshop or find out additional information on the programs and services provided by the Quincy Technology Council visit their website at www.Quincytechcouncil.com, or contact Quincy 2000 Collaborative (617) 847-1454 or by visiting their website at www.Quincy2000.org.

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Dairy Alternatives Subject Of Food For Life Program

The non-profit Cancer Project will sponsor "Food for Life 2: Discovering Dairy Alternatives & Planning Healthy Meals" Sunday,

May 20, at 2 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

The program is a follow-up to the March Food for Life program which focused on low-fat foods and dietary fiber, which also was designed by Cancer Project's physicians, nutritionists and dietitians.

Participants will learn more about the health reasons to avoid dairy products, what dairy alternatives are available, how to get calcium from plant foods and taste

some creamy, low-fat, dairy-free dishes.

They will also learn how to plan and prepare well-balanced meals from the "New Four Food Groups," which include whole grains, legumes, vegetables and fruit.

The program also is sponsored by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

For more information or to register for the program, call 617-376-1316 or visit quref@ocln.org or stop by the reference desk in the Main Library.

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Letter Carrier Drive Collects 13 1/2 Tons Of Food For Needy

Mayor William Phelan announces this past weekend's food drive to benefit Quincy's local food pantries was the most successful drive held in recent memory.

Phelan praised the work of the United States Postal Service letter carriers who collected the food items and Quincy residents who donated generously.

"I am humbled by how generous and caring the residents of our great city can be," said Phelan. "I am tremendously proud to be the Mayor of a city that cares so much about those less fortunate. The generosity of our residents and the hard work of our letter carriers resulted

in a most successful day."

The letter carrier food drive resulted in more than 26,940 pounds or 13 1/2 tons of food being collected for various social service agencies in Quincy. More than 594 food boxes were filled and delivered to local food pantries by the end of Saturday.

Phelan also praised Kathi Garrison of the Sanger Center for Compassion, USPS coordinator Tammy Quinlan, and Health Commissioner Drew Scheele for their work in organizing the event.

Letter carriers collected non-perishable food items left by residents at their doorsteps on Saturday. The food

items were brought back to the post offices, then picked up by volunteers, sorted at the Park and Recreation Complex, and distributed to food pantries.

Phelan co-hosts a similar drive in the fall, prior to the holiday seasons.

"Every time our residents are asked to help, they have stepped up to the plate and helped, no matter the circumstances: food drives, hurricane relief, Cleaner, Greener Quincy, and countless charitable causes," Phelan said. "We are a great city because we have great people. I am proud to be the Mayor of such a generous and compassionate city."

Public Hearing On DIF Program May 24

A public hearing has been scheduled for Thursday, May 24 at 7 p.m. on the proposed Quincy Center District Improvement Financing (DIF) Program Development Program.

The hearing will be held in the Council Chambers, second floor, Old City Hall, for the purpose of consider DIF financing.

The City of Quincy has

proposed Quincy Center as a DIF area, which allows the city to use "new tax growth" to fund infrastructure improvements, streetscape upgrades, and other general public improvements as well as the completion of a concourse linking downtown transportation corridors.

Written comments may be provided to the Quincy

Department of Planning and will be accepted for inclusion in the hearing report until 4:30 p.m. Friday, May 25. Comments at the meeting will be reviewed and included in the Public Hearing record.

Copies of the text of the DIF application may be reviewed at the Department of Planning at Quincy City Hall or the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

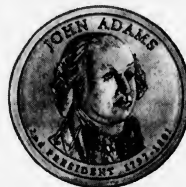
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Adams Coin Will Debut Tuesday At City Hall Plaza



The John Adams \$1 coin will be officially issued Tuesday at 9 a.m. on City Hall Plaza in honor of the Quincy born second president.

US Mint Director Edmund C. Moy will address the audience and, then, spend the first Adams dollar in Quincy Square. The public is welcome.

Moy is supervising the production and dispersal of the mint's Presidential Coin Series which kicked off in February.

The Mint will issue four Presidential coin dollars each year in a program similar to the release in the 1990's of quarters with symbols honoring each of the country's 50 states.

President George

Washington's image is on the first of the Presidential Series and the Adams dollar coin is the second as he was the second president. This marks the first time that John Adams has been honored on the country's coins or dollars.

Adams was vice-president when the government first established the country's own monetary system.

Next year, a dollar coin honoring President John Quincy Adams will be

minted during the second round of presidential dollars.

After the ceremony, the public will be invited to exchange their cash for the Adams dollar. Only cash will be accepted and there will be a limit of 10 rolls per person at \$25 a roll.

Marianne Peak, superintendent of the Adams National Historical Park, said that Peter Boylston Adams and other members of the Adams family will attend the ceremony. The Adams homestead is located on Adams Street.

Among the sponsors of the event are Quincy 2000 Collaborative, the Quincy Partnership, the National Park Service and The Patriot Ledger.

Coughlin Re-Election Kick-Off May 23

Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin will kick off his campaign for re-election on

Wednesday, May 23, 6 to 8 p.m. at The Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy.

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• On May 14, 1904, the Third Olympiad of the modern era, and the first Olympic Games to be held in the United States, opens in St. Louis, Mo.

• On May 18, 1927, Cecil B. De Mille's "The King of Kings" opens in Hollywood, Calif., the first film shown at the new Grauman's Chinese Theater on Hollywood Boulevard. The theater, named for its Asian-influenced decor, soon became famous for its sidewalk, where more than 180 film stars placed their hand, foot or paw prints in the cement during the next seven decades.

• On May 19, 1935, T.E. Lawrence, known to the world as Lawrence of Arabia, dies as a retired Royal Air Force mechanic living under an assumed name. The legendary war hero, author and archaeological

scholar succumbed to injuries suffered in a motorcycle accident six days earlier.

• On May 15, 1963, Gordon Cooper is launched into space aboard Faith 7 on the longest American space mission to that date. Cooper completed 22 orbits of the Earth and spent 34 hours in space. He was the first American astronaut to spend more than a day in space.

• On May 17, 1970, Norwegian ethnologist Thor Heyerdahl and a multinational crew sets out from Morocco across the Atlantic Ocean in Ra II, a papyrus sailing craft modeled after ancient Egyptian sailing vessels. The Ra II crossed the 4,000 miles of ocean to Barbados in 57 days.

• On May 16, 1983, five months after the release of his phenomenally successful second album, "Thriller," Michael Jackson performs the "moonwalk" — a dance move in which he appeared to be slowly moving forward as he actually moved backward — on the Motown 25th Anniversary Television Special.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

The Yakoo At Half-Century Mark

The Yakoo is alive and well. He's been shot at a few times down through the years, but he's been a survivor.

This is a milestone year for the North Quincy High School mascot symbol beloved by five decades of students.

His 50th birthday is coming up Nov. 29. And the celebration is starting early.

The Yakoo was born Nov. 29, 1957. That was the day when two classmates, Allan Yacubian and Peter Fredericksen introduced the Yakoo to the student body at NQHS seeking their acceptance of him as their mascot symbol. He was accepted enthusiastically.

Yacubian was the model for the Yakoo and for whom he is named. Fredericksen drew Yacubian's profile for the Yakoo's face.

Yacubian, who is of Armenian descent, is now a well-known dentist with offices in Wollaston. Fredericksen, who lives in Randolph, is a retired Milton teacher.

He was so talented at drawing; he received an offer from Walt Disney to join the Walt Disney Studio staff. But that would have meant moving to Hollywood and Fredericksen turned to a teaching career here instead.

The two now going on 67 have known each other since the second grade at the Mass Fields School and have remained friends since.

Yacubian is getting the birthday celebration started with 3000 Devil Dogs and 3000 Hoodies-1500 of each for North and Quincy High students.

They will be delivered to NQHS Wednesday, May 23 and to QHS Thursday, May 24.

The Devil Dogs are from Yacubian and the Hoodies were donated by the Hood Company.

"It's just a little way of saying thank-you to the two schools for their support," says Yacubian.

Quincy High School alumni and students, joined forces with North Quincy High School grads and students to save the Yakoo when critics tried to have him banished.

The two schools, once sports archenemies are still rivals but have bonded together with students and athletes of both schools becoming friends with each other.

The Yakoo is part of the reason. And the North Quincy Boosters Club and the Quincy High School 1950s Football Alumni are another, working together on various events and tributes to coaches and players such as the Quincy-North Football Hall of Fame.

The Yakoo depicts a caricature of a stern Native American with a feathered headband, carrying a stone hammer and a North Quincy pennant.

Critics back in 1991 claimed he was a racial stereotype offensive to Native Americans.

They said the hammer is a tomahawk and saw the Yakoo projecting a fighting stance. Yacubian sees it quite differently. His response:

"The hammer denotes hard work. His (Yakoo's)



THE YAKOO TEAM — Peter Fredericksen (left) the creator and Dr. Allan Yacubian the model for The Yakoo when they were North Quincy High School classmates in 1957. The Yakoo turns 50 in November.

look is that of determination and perseverance. Critics have miscalculated the whole thing."

In 1995 the U.S. Department of Education said the mascot image did not violate the U.S. Civil Rights Act.

Back in 1991 when the Yakoo was targeted by opponents, the North students went through a Democratic process to determine the Yakoo's fate.

They invited representatives of both sides to speak to them on the issue. Among them, Native Americans.

Jeff Hanley, of North Dakota Chippewa Indian descent and director of Harvard University's Native American Program, opposed the Yakoo.

"A group of people," he said, "have been reduced to a mascot. It perpetuates racial stereotype."

But Louell Falls, of Sioux Indian descent originally from South Dakota, came on from New Mexico to speak in favor.

"The students (NQHS) have so much pride behind the mascot that I can't understand the controversy," she said. "I don't find anything derogatory about it."

After listening to both sides, the kids took the issue to the ballot box.

More than 57 percent of the 1,163 students took part in the referendum. Results: 88 percent favored keeping the Yakoo as he is, 7.8 percent favored keeping him with some change. Only 25 students voted to ban him.

Yacubian has remained close to North Quincy High School and has been a generous benefactor. He also supports Quincy High School. And he even buys a copy of the QHS yearbook each year and keeps it in his office for patients to look at.

Critics seem to overlook the high esteem in which the Yakoo has been held by NQHS students for almost a half-century. He's the symbol of the strong school spirit and pride North has long been known for.

And, as for that fighting stance they object to — well as we have said before American Indians have been known to take such a stance when the occasion arises. Like Custer found out at Little Bighorn.

The Yakoo may be a target again in the future. We hope not. The kids cherish him.

"The kids," says Yacubian, "have kept him alive."

May he long live — in peace.

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The Atherton Hough School PTA announces applications are available for three scholarships.

They are:

Edward Baccari Scholarship (\$100), James "Red" Riley Scholarship (\$200) and the William Nugent Scholarship (\$100).

The scholarships are open

to graduating seniors from Quincy High School, The Center for Technical Education, North Quincy High School and college students seeking further support. Applicants must have attended Atherton Hough for a minimum of three years.

Applicants are asked to send their name, address,

telephone number, years attended Atherton Hough School and intended college or institution of higher learning to the Quincy Education Association, Inc., 590 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02170 no later than May 16.

Names will be drawn by lottery at the QEA annual meeting to be held on

Wednesday, May 23.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled seniors to get around.

If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1915 postcard view of Atlantic Beach looking north from near the end of Atlantic Street. Moswetuset Hummock is in the distance on the left and Squantum is on the right. Out of view on the immediate right was Moswetuset Landing, a pier that extended over the mudflats at low tide. At the end of the pier were floats where locals kept their small boats. Before

the Boulevard was built Quincy's coastline from here to Black's Creek was mostly coastal marshland. Only this beach and a few other spots along the shore were available for public use. Wollaston Beach as we know it today was man made. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

What Is A Fair Solution To City Teacher Benefits?

Recently the Mayor of Quincy has written a letter to *The Patriot Ledger* and mailed copies to the residents of Quincy regarding employee benefits.

As a life long resident of the city of Quincy, a graduate of the Quincy public schools system and a current teacher at Quincy High School, I am appalled by the lack of respect expressed and the political jargon employed by the current mayor in his letter.

In his article, Mayor William Phelan discusses the need for a *fair solution* to rising health care costs. What is a *fair solution*? While the salaries of Quincy teachers rank relatively low in Massachusetts, we are presently blessed with excellent health care benefits. Thus, a marked increase in health care costs, despite any increase in salaries, will essentially result in a *pay cut* for those of us who educate Quincy's kids. Is it fair to ask the members of the Quincy Education Association

to accept a *pay cut* to help pay for health care benefits?

I doubt anyone in the public or private sector would consider the mayor's proposal as fair or respectful of the city's workforce. The mayor's plan is clearly not a *fair solution*.

The Quincy public school system has hired many young, excellent teachers over the last ten years. These teachers not only make less money than other teachers from communities, which surround Quincy, but they also carry an enormous amount of debt from college school loans.

Also, these teachers are mandated by the Department of Education to earn a master's degree in their particular field to retain their professional status. This burden of enormous college debt, borrowing more money to receive a master's degree, coupled with the lack of adequate pay increases and in addition to the newly pro-

posed rise in health care payments will force a mass exodus of young teachers from the city and new "quality" teachers won't be rushing to Quincy to replace those who escape to better pastures.

What is a fair solution?

Educators in the City of Quincy extend themselves above and beyond daily teaching duties. As educators, we volunteer our time and efforts to the community and to extracurricular non-paying activities.

Teachers volunteer countless hours for student dances, proms, plays, clubs, tutoring, and mentoring. Without these volunteers, these activities could not take place. Also, because of budget shortages, teachers often use out of pocket money to buy teaching supplies.

The teachers of the City of Quincy are asking for a fair contract. We have been working without a contract for 254 days. The mayor is comparing city employees

with private sector workers. This comparison holds no legitimacy. Private sector workers are compensated fairly, receive yearly profit sharing, 401-K plans, yearly bonuses and adequate health care packages. The city employees on the other hand, receive one excellent benefit health care plan; one the mayor wants to curtail dramatically.

The mayor of Quincy has said time and time again that this city is fiscally sound. In fact, the city possesses millions of dollars in surplus. The mayor states the city can no longer pay for city employee health care benefits, but according to an article in the *Patriot Ledger* last year, this alleged *fiscal conservative* mayor gave pay increases of 15 percent to himself and pay raises to 50 non-university city employees. His top aide received a 27 percent increase.

James Schatzl
Tinson Road

Quincy Public School Teachers Want A Fair Contract

Eight years ago, I arrived at the front steps of Quincy High School as a first-year teacher, confident in the knowledge that I had made the right decision to leave the corporate world. The pay was mediocre, at best-sadly, that is a given for a first-year teacher. But the benefits were excellent, especially the health care. In fact, my benefits package has made me the envy of many of my non-teacher friends and family members. (Though, I'm not sure this envy would hold through an examination of my pay stub.)

Obviously, nobody be-

comes an educator to become rich. Though, as I look around me each day, I see people with the sort of academic pedigrees, talents, and intelligence that would certainly command a handsome salary in the private sector. Personally, I am fine with that. But not expecting riches does not mean that I would do my job for free.

How do I feel about my job teaching psychology at Quincy High School? I love it. I absolutely love what I do. But I love my wife and my two-year old son a lot more. If there is a person in my position who doesn't

agree with that, then they can't be much of a spouse or parent.

My immediate family depends on me for my benefits, plain and simple. And it is this dedication to my own family that has gotten me out on so many occasions this year to support my union brothers and sisters. We are not asking for the moon, not even close.

However, the teachers of Quincy are being asked—commanded, actually, by a School Committee that has refused to bargain—to take and accept a contract that reduces their pay. A 100% in-

crease in health care contributions without a commensurate salary increase is a pay cut, by definition. This is preposterous. We deserve better than that.

Teachers want a fair contract, with the benefits package that is so highly touted in job interviews preserved. If not, I shudder to think about what the Quincy Public Schools will look like in the near future, as current teachers and future job candidates look elsewhere for a system that respects both them and the teaching position.

William P. Doyle
Hingham

Quincy's Yesterdays

Dispute Over Fire Truck Purchase

By FRANK McCAULEY

Differences of opinion between Fire Chief Thomas F. Gorman and the Quincy Taxpayers Association, over the purchase of a pumping engine for the Fire Department will be referred to the City Council by City Manager Edward T. Lewis.

Chief Gorman has advised the manager to purchase a Seagrave which came in with a high bid of \$24,603 for a triple combination Class A pumper.

The Taxpayers Association sent a letter to the manager by George Yarrington, executive director, urging that the contract be awarded to the Mack Company, which submitted the lowest bid at \$23,800.

In recommending the purchase of the Seagrave, Chief Gorman noted that, "The product of this company has had an excellent record of service in the Fire Department."

AIR FORCE BAND WELCOMED ON VISIT

With a flurry of fanfare and ceremony, the City of Quincy turned out to greet the United States Air Force Band, which was in Quincy to give two performances in the Quincy High School Auditorium under the sponsorship of Taleb Grotto of Quincy.

Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa, who proclaimed yesterday "Air Force Band Day" and William C. Edwards, city historian, welcomed the 55-member group in front of City Hall at noon.

A certificate of honorary citizenship and a bound volume of "Historic Quincy" were presented to Co. George S. Howard, conductor, by the mayor.

Also speaking at the ceremonies were Lt. Col. William A. Somenly, USAF, Commander from the US Army Base, Clarence P. Hobson, Monarch of Taleb Grotto and O. Wendall Rogers, master of ceremonies and general chairman.

QUINCY-ISMS

Judge Paul Reardon, Chief Justice of the State Superior Court, received the distinguished service award from the Quincy Jewish Community. Joseph Grossman, former Governors' Councillor, made the presentation. The Wollaston Women's Club Juniors received first prize for the club's "press book" and publicity for the past year. The awards were made at the Mass. State Federation of Women's Clubs' annual meeting at the New Ocean House in Swampscott. The July 4th Committee of the Houghs Neck Community Council met at the home of James McDonough, chairman, to plan for the annual 4th of July celebration. Capitol SuperMarket, 1506 Hancock St., advertised "Smoked Shoulders Sugar cured for \$.29 a lb." Miss Diane L. Bates, 176 Davis St., Wollaston, has been chosen one of the top national prize winners in the annual essay contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Her essay was titled "Why is a Government of Laws Better Than a Government of Men?" Miss Bates, a senior at the Woodward School for Girls is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Bates. Duggan Bros. North Quincy Garage at 131 Hancock St., North Quincy, noted that "We Haven't The Most But We Have The Best Used Cars." Mary Weinstein, a former Quincy High three-sport star, is a catcher on the Williams College baseball squad. The Lincoln Theater, Washington St., Quincy Point, was featuring Dan Dailey and Ginger Rogers in "Oh Men, Oh Women" along with Tony Perkins and Karl Malden in "Fear Strikes Out." The Great Hill PTA held its first meeting of the season. Parent-teacher conferences were held and Edward Meade presided at a business meeting. A speaker from the Children's Medical Center in Boston was presented by Mrs. Joseph Nichol, program chairman. Twenty-one boys and girls received their first holy communion from the Very Rev. Arthur J. Riley, P.H.D., pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Merrymount. U.S. Army Col. Fredrick Streicher made Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa an Honorary Recruiter and presented an award, certificate of appreciation to the Quincy City Council for its cooperation with the Quincy recruiting station. Elliot W. Taylor and Randolph Haslett headed a committee planning the 25th reunion of the Quincy High School Class of 1932. George W. Dewey, 104 Sea Ave., the incoming president of the Atherton Hough PTA, will have one of his children in every grade in the school except the fifth grade. His children include John, kindergarten, Kathleen, 1st grade, Joan, second grade, Mary Lou, third grade, Thomas, fourth grade and William, sixth grade. Six Quincy men were on the committee planning the 50th anniversary dinner of the Holy Cross Club of Boston. They are Thomas F. MacDonald, John M. Casey, James T. Larkin, William F. Marcellino, Gerald A. Halpin and James F. Duggan. Elm Farm, 18 Chestnut St., Quincy, was advertising "Special Purchase, Ace-High Coffee for \$.59 a lb. Limit 3 lbs. to a Customer."

Keeping Up With The Red Sox: The Boston Red Sox were in fourth place in the eight team American League, with a 13-12 record, three games behind the Chicago White Sox.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Marie's Kitchen

BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Angel Lush Cake - Quick Rice Pudding

Here are two delicious easy recipes for dessert that are great for the coming summer months. The first one is made with a store bought angel food cake from my friend Sally. The second one is for rice pudding that I recently found. Both only take minutes to prepare.

Angel Lush with Pineapple

1 10 ounce angel food cake
1 -20 ounce can crushed pineapple with juice (undrained)

1 package vanilla instant pudding
1 cup cool whip (whipped topping)
any favorite berries

Mix the pineapple with juice and dry pudding mix. Gently stir in whipped topping and let stand five minutes.

Cut cake into three layers. Place bottom

cake layer, cut side up on serving platter.

Spread 1 1/3 cups of the pudding mixture onto cake layer, then cover with middle cake layer. Spread one cup of pudding mixture onto middle cake layer. Top with remaining cake layer. Now spread the remaining pudding mixture.

Refrigerate at least one hour or until ready to serve. Garnish with your favorite seasonal berries.

Quick Rice Pudding

2 cups instant rice (such as Minute Rice)
1/2 cup vanilla ice cream
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

Prepare the rice according to package directions. Add the ice cream and cinnamon. Place in individual bowls. Sprinkle extra cinnamon on top.

Morris Dancing Festival Comes To Quincy Saturday

The Red Herring Morris Dancers will hold their annual morris "Ale," or dance festival, Saturday, May 12, in a number of locations around Quincy.

Nine Morris Dance teams from as far away as New York, Vermont and Canada will display their talents at the Dorothy Quincy Homestead, Caddy Park, Marina Bay and the Thomas Crane Public Library.

The Quincy Homestead at the corner of Hancock Street and Butler Road will be open

for tours on May 12 so tourists will be able to watch the 17th century-style dancing on the lawn of a 17th century mansion.

For those who are unfamiliar with morris dancing — meaning most of us — it's an old English custom in which the dancers often danced for church "ales," or festivals where the church sold ale to parishioners.

Dancers wear distinctive costumes or "kits," with pads on their shins consisting of small bells that announce the

dancers' presence.

During the performance, dancers use wooden sticks that they strike together or wave handkerchiefs to embellish their steps and movements. Some teams incorporate wooden or metal "swords" in their dances.

Red Herring Morris, the host team, has held its annual ale in several different cities and towns in the Boston area since 1994. This will be their first visit to the South Shore.

Don Kent, Paul Benzaquin In Broadcasters Hall Of Fame

Two former Quincy radio and television personalities have been inducted into the Massachusetts Broadcasters Hall of Fame.

Don Kent and Paul Benzaquin, both of whom grew up in Quincy, were among other broadcasters formally inducted Wednesday at a luncheon at Lombardo's in Randolph.

Kent began his weather forecasting career on radio station WJDA in September 1947 a few days after the new station went on the air.

His first broadcast was tracking a hurricane off the Florida Coast, but his on-air name was Don Dixon.

The Kent family owned the Kent rug outlet on Quincy Shore Drive. But one of the newscast sponsors was Sheridan's store in downtown Quincy which happened to sell rugs. So Kent's name was quickly changed to Don Dixon not to offend a sponsor.

Kent remained with WJDA until 1951 when he moved to WBZ radio, but still couldn't use his own name. Until 1955 he was known as "Weatherbee, the BZ Weatherman."

Finally, when he moved over to WBZ-TV, he got to be Don Kent and became one of the most personable TV personalities in New En-



DON KENT



PAUL BENZAQUIN

gland.

Kent retired from WBZ-TV in 1983 but continued to do weather spots on WBZ radio from his North Weymouth home until his retirement in 1985. He now lives in Sanbarton, N.H.

In 1996, Gov. William Weld dedicated "Don Kent Park" at Wollaston Beach where the Kent rug outlet was located and from where he made his first weather broadcast for WJDA. The station went off the air last year after 59 years.

Benzaquin was a radio and television talk show host for more than 35 years, following publication of his book "Holocaust: Fire In Boston's Coconut Grove."

Before that he was a reporter and feature writer for the Boston Globe and later a columnist for the Boston Herald.

He first went on the air in 1960 on WEEL, then owned by CBS, on a program called "LISTEN" and remaining there until 1969.

He went to Chicago for a year as host of a late-night TV show for ABC. He then returned to Boston to host a television show on Ch. 7 and resumed his afternoon radio talk show on WEEL. He later hosted talk radio shows for WBZ, WHDH and WRKO.

He retired from radio in 1994 and now lives in Duxbury.

Also inducted into the Massachusetts Broadcasters Hall of Fame are:

Bob Elliott, Ray Goulding (posthumously), Frank Avruch, Tom Bergeron, Jess Cain, Fred B. Cole, Joyce Kulhawik, Harold Segal, Rex Trailer, Liz Walker and Bob Wilson.

Ward 2 Bean Supper Saturday

The Ward 2 Civic Association is gearing up for its annual Bean Supper which will be held on Sat., May 19 at 5 p.m. in the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd.

A main course of hotdogs and beans followed by various desert selections will be served. There will also be a

cake/pastry sale and numerous raffle prizes.

In accordance with Ward 2 tradition, tickets still remain a modest \$.99 and can be purchased at the door.

Any business looking to participate in the event please make checks payable to: Ward 2 Civic Association.

786 Southern Artery, Quincy 02169.

Gift certificates for raffle prizes are also welcome.

If you are a resident and would like to volunteer in the kitchen or require any further information, contact Brad Croall, president, at 617-930-0106.

Senior Bridge Club To Meet

The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy

Shore Drive, corner of Channing Street.

All level players are welcome. For further information, call 617-376-1506.

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SOCIAL

Sacred Heart School 'Queen For A Night' Fundraiser May 19

Sacred Heart PTO's third annual "Queen for a Night" fundraising event will be held on Sat., May 19 from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m., 370 Hancock St., North Quincy.

This event dedicated to and in celebration of women, will be an evening filled with fun and relaxation. "Queen for a Night: Tickled Pink!" will feature a fashion show by Caryn's Corner, wine tasting, complimentary spa treatments, food sampling, specialty vendors, a silent auction, raffles, hors d'oeuvres, a cash bar and much more.

Local businesses and service providers have generously donated their time and expertise to help to provide an evening of pampering where guests may sample a variety of massage techniques and healing modalities, enjoy facial treatments, or try out a new hair style. Jewelers, interior designers, florists and event planners will share their secrets of the trade.

Co-chairwoman Abby Kelliher explains, "We timed the event this year to coin-

cide with Mother's Day gift-giving, so that mothers, grandmothers, and daughters could enjoy a fantastic evening of pampering especially for them."

Among the items up for bid in the silent auction include unique clothing from "Liv'n Out Loud!" Clothes for the Soul, original art and pottery, free event/function hall rental, handyman services, one hundred dollars in lottery tickets as well as the opportunity to be a guest at the 2008 St. Patrick's Day Breakfast hosted by Senator Jack Hart.

This highly anticipated event drew over 225 women last year; that number is expected to swell to over 300 this year.

"We have fine-tuned this event over the past three years and expect this year to be our biggest and best event yet," declared co-chairwoman Nancy Figueiredo.

Tickets are selling fast and can be obtained by calling (617) 328-3830. The cost of a ticket is \$30 and all proceeds from the event will benefit Sacred Heart School.

16 Quincy Students On Fontbonne Honor Roll

Fontbonne Academy in Milton lists 16 students from Quincy on its third quarter honor roll.

They are:

Principal's List

Grade 11: Maura Gavaghan.

First Honors

Grade 11: Jennifer Grimmel, Phoebe Nelson, Hannah Whitehead.

Grade 10: Allison Foley, Katelyn O'Brien.

Second Honors

Grade 10: Kayla McGonagle, Catherine Abbott.

Grade 9: Bridget Mazza.

Honorable Mention

Grade 11: Kimberly

Krezwick

Grade 10: Fiona Leung, Victoria Neville, Therese Sullivan, Jennah Valcourt.

Grade 9: Kathryn Ahern, Emily Boyd.

Two Quincy students were recently inducted into the National Honor Society: Maura Gavaghan and Jennifer Grimmel, both 11th graders.

Six Quincy students were also inducted into the Spanish Honor Society.

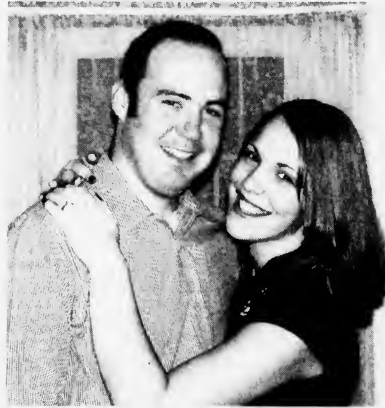
They are:

Jennifer Grimmel, grade 11; Phoebe Nelson, grade 11; Hannah Whitehead, grade 11; and 10th graders Allison Foley, Katelyn O'Brien and Therese Sullivan

Julie Ann Bodkin On Dean's List

Julie Anne Bodkin was named to the Dean's List at Ursinus College in Pennsylvania for the fall semester.

Bodkin, a Quincy resident, is a member of the Class of 2008 and is majoring in Biology and Spanish.



STEPHEN DONAHUE and MARGARET GOODWIN

Margaret Goodwin Engaged To Stephen Donahue

Mrs. Beth Goodwin of Quincy, announces the engagement of her daughter Margaret Ellen to Stephen Donahue of New Rochelle, NY.

She is the daughter of the late Norman Goodwin, Jr. He is the son of Harold and Margaret Donahue of Scranton, PA.

Miss Goodwin is a graduate of North Quincy High

School and the University of Connecticut, Storrs. She is an emergency medical technician with the NYC Fire Department.

Mr. Donahue is a derivative trader for Interactive Brokers Group in Greenwich, CT.

A June wedding is planned in White Plains, NY. Their wedding trip is planned for St. Lucia.

Dorothy Laing Memorial Flower Sale Saturday

The Houghs Neck Community Council will hold its annual Dorothy Laing Memorial Spring Flower Sale Saturday.

It will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Church parking

lot, Sea and Rockland Streets.

For more information, call Eileen Timcoe at 617-479-4107.

'Flowering Rock Gardens' Tour At Faith Lutheran

The Park Department's Environmental Treasures program will offer a free tour of the 'Flowering Rock Gardens of Faith Lutheran Church' Saturday at 10 a.m.

The tour will be led by Anneli Johnson and will explore the gardens at the peak of their spring color.

Also included will be a visit to the interior of the church built from materials found on site: one of the most important characteristics of a

"green" building.

An optional side trip will include a tour of the grounds of the nearby Lincoln Hancock School, designed with raised beds for children to plant, a wetland to study and open space for play.

Those taking the tour will meet at the parking lot of Faith Lutheran Church on the hill at 201 Granite St.

For more information, call 617-472-0799.

Wollaston Garden Club Spring Plant Sale Saturday

The Wollaston Garden Club will hold its annual Spring Plant Sale Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon on the lawn of Wollaston Congregational Church, Lincoln and Winthrop Avenues.

Members of the club have been potting hardy perennials from their own gardens.

There will be a large selection of hardy perennials suitable for both shade and

sunny gardens. A variety of herb plants will also be available.

Cynthia Lewis, master gardener, will advise on growing conditions and plant needs.

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QUINCY MEDICAL CENTER Auxiliary recently donated 13 wheelchairs to Quincy Medical Center. From left to right: Ilda DiMascio, Arlene Cassidy, Anne Donovan, Mary Sullivan (center) and Clarus McKeon (at right) present three of the 13 wheelchairs to Dr. Chris Wenger, medical director of Quincy Medical Center's Outpatient Pain Management Clinic (center), Dr. Gary Gibbons, president and CEO (third from right) and Marilyn McAllister, volunteer coordinator (second from right).

128 On Sterling Middle School Third Quarter Honor Roll

Sterling Middle School lists 128 students on its third quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 8: Courtney Hyman, Kathleen Lesslie, Linda Li, Erica Santiago, Janine Shaughnessy, Alexandria Shuman, Eddie Tsai and Vinny Wang.

Grade 7: Aris Bega, Felicia Bertoldi, Juliette Callahan, Marquis Chase, David Coletti, Loan Do, Lisa Marie Flora, Ilirjana Glozheni, Jesse Huang, Theresa Hughes, Kameron Kaplan, Emily Kelley, Jeffrey Law, Caitlyn Lowry, Shannon Moriarty, Akshat Nagpal, Emily Nguyen, Nicole Parry, Erin Richardson, Hoi Man Helen Szeto, Tommy To, Olivia Toldness and Fanny Zhou.

Grade 6: Madison Barnwell, Jonathan Calla, Jackson Li, Phu My Amy Luong, Christina Noble, Joan Palo, Alicia Shuman, Sarah Spargo, Allan Tran, Emily Xie and Ya Fen Zhen.

Honors

Grade 8: Nneoma

Aguguo, Winifred Akoury, Julia Bettiol, Katelyn Breen, Emily Chapman, Jun Chen, Julie Chernicki, Eryk Diorio, Brian Ewell, Elizabeth Feenan, Eddie Huang, John Hughes, Sydney Huynh, Kimberly Jordan, Adam Lenar, Ori Maci, Kaitlyn Mahn, Tina McQueen, Michael Meng, Giulia Murphy, Nicole Ngoon, Light Snow Nguyen, Frederick Nichols, Joseph Nichols, Jennifer Palmer, Jong Bum Park, Anjelica Parker, Elizabeth Pyle, Nelida Rodriguez, Jerry Yalmokas and Lindsey Zaborowski.

Grade 7: Hillary Baker, Victoria Brill, Michael Caruso, Erin Chiochio, Sean Clark, Patrick Conroy, Elizabeth Folan, Alexander Ha, Kevin Huang, Kathleen Parker, Elizabeth Kelley, Brianna King, Jitong Liu, Devin McDonough, Anni Nguyen, Phi Nguyen, Sandy Nguyen, Claire O'Neill, Wantip Phet-Iam, Sarah Sacchetti, Ryan Timcoe, Don Tran, Malia Tuce, Jose Vasquez, Zorah Walker and

Michael Yuen.

Grade 6: Sean Armand, Cole Barrett, Abdulrahman Basabrain, Sean Bleiler, Nicholas Boczkowski, Shu Chen, Kadajah Dansby, Dillon Darcy, Laura Donahue, Alysha Dunbar, Thomas Hardy, Daniel Keeley, Kelvin Lee, Melissa Linskey, Robert Lydon, Luke Mackin, Christopher Marshall, Jr., Joseph Moriarty, Alexandria Neuman, Emily Picot, Brendan Reardon, Kayla Reilly, Stephen Rodeck, Robert Routhier, Jarret Smith, Patrick Sullivan, Alex Sweeney, Mai Trinh Tang and Jacqueline Zaccchine.

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St.

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Point Webster Middle School Lists 174 Students On Honor Roll

Point Webster Middle School lists 174 students on its third quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 8: Lisa Chan, Martin Conroy, Brendan Dodd, Melissa Falcone, Chia An Lee, Ossama Senhaj, Maria Vazquez, Marvin Wong and Samson Yu.

Grade 7: Neil Adrian Banoe, Jason Barbosa, Jessica Bowe, Molly Brennan, Henry Chen, Molly Cunha, Keenan Daniels, Emily Gaffney, Blair Hajjar, Hoda Hindiye, Amber Jones, Farheen Khatri, John Kozlowski, Benjamin Li, Peter Lieu, Samah Marhamo, Joanna McGroarty, Justin Riley, Ravj Varma Sagiraju, Timothy Saunders, Heather Spago, Hope Spargo, Andi Trebicka and Emily Troy.

Grade 6: Hilary Chen, Kathleen Conroy, Ashley Faiella, Kelly Kung, Megan Lieu, Jay Newman, Veralis Parrilla, Saipriya Sagiraju, Nam Thai, Thien-Thanh Tonnu, Lawrence Tran and Hanh Vo.

Grade 5: Steven Bowe, Aaheli Chattopadhyay, Sharon Chia, Kristen Condon, Alana Debello, Ashley Desire, Michael Guarino, Yongjia, Shamus Hill-Torres, Matthew

Kozlowski, Michelle Kung, Micaela Maloff, Kathryn McGroarty, Christiana Micinoti, Rohan Pahwa, Steven Simons, Joanne Tsang, Jessica Wong and Michelle Zeng.

Honors

Grade 8: Stacey Almario, Ashley Brooks, Xiuying Chen, Nicholas Daniels, Nicholas Dellamano, Christina Elisio, Wynnona Nicole Enano, Maggie He, Robert Kozlowski, John Luong, Mahmud Marhamo, Anthony Mormino, Kellie Newman, Carol Onyekokoro, Josue Ordenez, Matthew Peterson, Arman Sezer, A Vay Su, Michelle Tran, Steven Tran, Milagros Vazquez and Andy Xie.

Grade 7: Tiara Abbott, Joshua Alberti, Ghizlane Bandariya, Kristina Berfield, Julie Broadbent, Dylan Brodeur, Zachary Campbell, Saira Chaudhry, Caitlyn Conneen, Havisia Gadepalli, Chelsea Gallagher, Christopher Ham, Jessica Hurd, Keila Knapp, Stephanie La, Daniel Limik, Danilo Lopes, Annie Maloney, Kayla Melanson, Indah Ngum-Wie, Andrew Pugsley, Burak Sezer, Mikele Thano, John Tran, Kiana Truong, Phillip Truong, Quoc Andy Vuong-Lam, Hason Wong, Jada

Yesufu and Onur Zorteymur.

Grade 6: James Brown, Kaitlyn Butterfield, Felisa Chau, Ashley Daniels, Stacy Duggan, Alexandria Duplantis, Maryssa Dwyer, Kyle Franz Louise Enano, Kevin Farrell, Christopher Honrado-Foster, Jesse Kennedy, Zara Khan, Vivian Lee, Joanna Micinoti, Abigail Monterroso, Rachael Murphy, Paul Nigro, Nina Plabutong, Marianne Reardon, Matthew Roach, Ngaakudwe Shoko, Tristen Sleeper, Rachel Smith, Raunak Srivastava, Vicki To, Anthony Jr Tortomasi, Megan Welliver, Mykiel Williams and Amanda Wong.

Grade 5: Antonio Agcaoli, Claudia Barzola, Micayla Bresnahan, Katelyn Burns, Andrea Cedrone, Brett Cullen, Steven Curran, Jingwan Gu, Thomas Hanrahan, Tony He, Briana Herron, Guang Huang, Lindsey Lo, Huan Luong, Alyssa Lydon, Brendan Maloney, Kelly McDonald, Tyler Morani, Hodan Musse, Cindy Nguyen, Rachel Papile, Jacqueline Pottillo, Steven Quinn, Mersadyse Rodrigues, Igrah Tauhid, Jason Thi, Kevin Truong, Collin Wilson and Kaitlyn Wray.

Italian American Heroes Book Author At Library May 22

Italian Americans are the heroes of author Stephen Puleo's new book, *The Boston Italians: A Story of Pride, Perseverance and Paesani*.

Puleo will outline the background of his new book at Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington Street on Tuesday, May 22 at 7 p.m. During his presentation, Puleo will relate the story of how Italian Americans transformed themselves from poor immigrants to influential American citizens.

Previously, Puleo

authored the book, *Dark Tide: The Great Molasses Flood of 1919*, an account of an early tragedy when a molasses flood rolled through Boston's streets drowning people in its wake.

At the library lecture, Puleo will trace the history of Italian Americans from

their arrival in Boston to the Depression and through World War II. Copies of *The Boston Italians* will be available for sale at the lecture. For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit the library website at thomascranerlibrary.org.

Lisa Zizza On Dean's List At Franklin Pierce College

Quincy's Lisa Zizza was named to the Dean's Honor List for the Fall semester at Franklin Pierce College, Rindge, N.H.

Zizza is a graphics communication major. A term average of 3.65 is required to earn a place on the Honor List.

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Through Mayor's \$32.8M Energy Initiative

Energy Improvements For 40 City Buildings

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Forty of the city's municipal buildings will soon undergo major energy improvements through Mayor William Phelan's \$32.8 million energy initiative.

The funding will become available after Phelan signs off on the \$32.8 million loan agreement at 4.24% interest with Honeywell Global Finance, LLC. He is expected to sign the documents on May 18.

Once the paperwork is finalized, Phelan said that the work should begin in June and be completed in 18 months.

The City Council unanimously approved the 20-year \$32.8 million energy project agreement on May 7 on the recommendation of the Council's Finance Committee and Energy Committee.

The loan will finance energy improvements at 22 school buildings and 18 other city facilities, such as libraries, fire stations, the police station and City Hall.

Such improvements are expected to more than pay for the cost of the loan over the next 20 years, according to a team from Honeywell Building Solutions, the city's energy management contractor.

Under the plan guaranteed by Honeywell, the city's electricity usage will be reduced by 25%, fuel usage by 27% and water usage by 35% with energy savings of

\$1,078,700 a year and water revenue gains of \$1,253,000 a year.

The scheduled improvements include new boilers in ten buildings, new roofs in seven buildings, new windows in six buildings as well as a change in 18,000 lighting fixtures and the upgrading of 1300 steam traps.

According to the plans, the city will, also, have a centralized energy management system capable of tracking energy costs on completion.

"Over the term of 20 years, the savings generated will pay for the \$32.8 million investment, reduce emissions and the results are guaranteed," according to Honeywell studies presented recently to the City Council by Kris Sticinski, Honeywell's Boston General Manager, and Doreen Hamilton, Sales Account Manager.

"They're guaranteeing \$1 million a year in energy savings," Assistant City Solicitor Robert Quinn said in describing the project last week. He added that such savings could go as high as \$2 million in future years.

Honeywell Building Solutions was chosen to assess and manage the city's energy program after a review of the five firms which responded to Quincy's Request for Qualifications (RFQ) on energy solutions last fall.

"We did go through that

process," Quinn said of the RFQ, adding that Honeywell guaranteed the energy savings. "They will pay us."

As a result, Honeywell Building Solutions will act as the city's contractor and select sub-contractors privately for the work.

The energy loan is allowed under recent state legislation exempting certain energy savings projects from the state's bidding mandates and allowing municipalities to negotiate tax-exempt loans to finance energy savings projects.

Honeywell Business Solutions will act as the contractor and oversee the entire project, selecting sub-contractors as needed.

According to Quinn, Honeywell will not be subject to the state's public bidding laws in choosing contractors. However, he said that the contract will require all companies to adhere to prevailing wage standards as well as Quincy's Responsible Employee Ordinance.

Quinn noted that the contract does not require that the loan be originated through the company's finance arm, Honeywell Global Finance, LLC.

"The rate that Honeywell is giving us is as good or better (than other banks or firms)," Quinn said.

Honeywell's Sticinski also stated this week. "The city has a choice to use any lender they chose."

The city will pay \$700,000 in interest only for the first two payments due December 1, 2007 and June 1, 2008. By December, 2008, the city's first full payment of \$2,780,000 will be due. That will be the highest payment of the 20 year loan.

"We start making a profit in the ninth year," Quinn said. In that year, the energy savings total begins outstripping the payment totals.

Mayor Phelan was able to set the May 18 date because the City Council approved the \$32.8 million loan on May 7. The vote was unanimous.

The Finance Committee began a review of the proposal in March. After the March meeting, City Council President Douglas Gutro appointed a 12-member Energy Committee which recommended passage by the City Council.

Prior to the council's vote, Energy Committee Chairman John Keenan outlined his committee's recommendations which

suggest that a "point" person, such as a clerk of the works, be appointed to oversee the \$32.8 million outlay.

Among other recommendations, the Energy Committee members asked that detailed specifications of all purchases be provided prior to purchase and installation.

Last week, Quinn said the energy loan payments are not in the mayor's 2008 budget because the City Council passed the \$32.8 million energy measure on May 7, the same night as the mayor's budget presentation.

City Kicks Off Beautification Program

Mayor William Phelan, DPW Commissioner Steve O'Donnell, and Park Director Mark Jaehnig have kicked off the spring beautification efforts with members of Local 1139.

Crews will be bust throughout the city sweeping streets, planting flowers, cutting grass, and removing litter and an effort to keep Quincy looking clean and attractive.

"Quincy is a clean and safe city because of the hard work of our employees," said Phelan. "Our crews take great pride in keeping our city looking great and it shows. I also want to thank those who participate in our

Adopt-an-Island program for helping us make Quincy a cleaner and greener place to live."

Street sweepers have been throughout Quincy neighborhoods over the past month. They will continue their schedule until every street in every neighborhood is swept. Sweepers also do regular cleaning of main roadways throughout Quincy on a weekly basis.

The Park Department is undertaking the flower planting efforts with direction from Frank McLaughlin. McLaughlin was the long-time Tree Warden for the city who now helps the city select and plant flowers to

plant throughout the city.

Cutting, mowing, and cleaning crews will be working six and seven days a week to keep Quincy clean and beautiful throughout the upcoming year.

"When compared to other communities, and especially with other urban centers, I believe that Quincy does an outstanding job in keeping our city beautiful," said Phelan. "It's something that our citizens and workers take pride in and we will continue our efforts to improve our great city."

Crews from the Cemetery Department are preparing the municipal cemeteries for Memorial Day.

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Blaze Threatened 11 Lives

Council Honors Cab Driver For Heroic Actions At Fire

By LAURA GRIFFIN

The City Council recently honored Quincy cabdriver Charlie Hattenburg for his "heroic act and quick-thinking" when a fire threatened the lives of 11 people on April 13.

In the pre-dawn hours that Friday, Hattenburg spotted black smoke billowing out of the top of the three-family house at 4 Merrymount Avenue.

Hattenburg immediately called 911, entered the building and roused the occupants. He then calmed two residents who were about to jump off the roof of the building and he tried, unsuccessfully, to find a ladder.

Within minutes, Quincy firefighters from Group 3 arrived at the scene in response to Hattenburg's 911 call. Lt. Ronnie Shannon and firefighters Paul Kearns, Mark Paolucci and Jack Cadigan rescued the victims from the roof and the unit

extinguished the fire.

After the firefighters arrived, Hattenburg left the fire scene and drove off in his cab. But the 58-year-old cabby wasn't anonymous for long.

"The Quincy police tracked me down," Hattenburg said last week. "I used my cell phone and they traced it."

Once he was identified, media reunited him with the Merrymount Avenue families and his story hit newspapers, local television and CNN news reports and calls swamped Yellow Cab headquarters in Quincy.

At the City Council meeting on May 7, Ward 3 Councilor Kevin Coughlin presented Hattenburg with a citation for "Outstanding Service to the Community," which reads in part, "We wish to honor you today and express how proud we are to have you as a member of our community."



WAYNE MCCULLEY, MANAGER of Yellow Cab of Quincy stands by hero cab driver Charlie Hattenburg at the company's headquarters.

Councillors stood and applauded Hattenburg as did his wife Denise, three of his five children, and 10 of his 23 grandchildren, several co-workers and Yellow Cab General Manager Wayne McCulley.

McCulley then commended his driver and said that officials at Granite Links Golf Course, also, wanted to salute Hattenburg so they sent a certificate for a free round of golf for four, along with a golf cart for the foursome's use.

"He's an avid golfer,"

McCulley said and added, "It's so nice to hear a positive story today."

Contacted after the meeting, Hattenburg was asked to relate his experience. He insisted that, in the same circumstances, anybody would react as he did.

"It was still dark," Hattenburg said, but he saw smoke funnels rising only from the top of the building. The clouds got thicker as he approached. He used his cell phone to report the fire, then went up on the porch and into the building.

"There was no smoke or smell of fire (on the lower levels)," Hattenburg said, adding that the building's

"smoke detectors never went off. The people on the first floor didn't believe me."

"I'm not kidding you," Hattenburg told them, "your house is on fire." He finally convinced them to flee and they left as did the second floor occupants when he woke them.

By that time, two third floor residents could not escape through the stairs and they fled to the roof.

It's not the first time that Hattenburg and his cab have been at a bad scene at the right time. He's driven taxis for 17 years. During that time, he has seen a lot. Nearly a decade ago, Hattenburg pulled the driver from a car that had plunged over an embankment near Hanover.

Now, the City Council citation will be hung on a special wall in his Brook Road home by his wife. "She's already planning a collage (of the news stories and pictures)."

After the story hit the news wires, Yellow Cab dispatcher Larry Cavanaugh was deluged with calls from news outlet, Hattenburg's friends, and his regular fares. Now, Cavanaugh teases Hattenburg, telling him that

he is his press agent.

And now, while he's on his 12-hour shifts for Yellow Cab, he's recognized as Quincy's famous cabbie.

After the recent City Council ceremony, his riders told him, "I saw you on Community Access." Others, he said will look at him and say, "I know who you are. You saved all those people."

"It helps with the tips," laughed Hattenburg as he insisted again, "Anybody would do the same thing."

Actually, McCulley said that all the drivers of his 55 car fleet do keep alert 24-hours a day and try to report any incidents that require police or fire department response. In the past, they participated in Neighborhood Watch.

"This is our community," McCulley said, noting that his taxi drivers are in all parts of the city all through the night and day.

Quincy Fire Department's Group 3 was on duty during the May 7 City Council meeting and their commendation was postponed. City Council President Douglas Gutfreid has scheduled a ceremony for the firefighters on May 21.

Senior Fair At River Bay Club June 7

The 16th annual Senior Fair will be held at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St. Thursday, June 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Subjects will include spinal screening, blood pressure, osteoporosis, hearing,

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Council Approves \$1M For New Track At Pageant Field

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at Pageant Field

• improvements to the Ryan Boathouse area

Park Board members approved the Pageant Field site May 8 with restrictions on fencing and new structures as well as the requirement that all concerns raised by the Adams family be addressed.

Chairman Bryant Carter and Commissioners Connie Driscoll and Betty DeChristofaro attended Monday's meeting but did not address the council.

Councillors questioned Murphy as to the sources of funding for the removal and relocation of the softball fields, the park department vehicles and the construction of a senior/teen center.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly asked Murphy why the administration had proceeded on the Adams site without contacting the family.

"How could you allow that to happen?" Kelly asked.

Council President Gutro cited the Adams/Phelan agreement that requires tree plantings throughout the area and asked Murphy, "Do we have your assurances the tree money (account) will not be raided for this at the expense of tree (planting) through the city?"

"The goal is to finish this project within the budget provided," Murphy said.

At this time, \$250,000 is already available for the track

project. Of that sum, \$121,000 has already been encumbered to pay the track design firm, according to Councillor Michael McFarland.

Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond proposed the five-part motion voted by seven councillors which conditions the approval on additional information and approvals. The bond issue must now be approved by a formal vote of the City Council.

Raymond's motion requires that the mayor's office provide such new information as a detailed design plan for the track, plans for the relocation of softball fields, financing sources for the construction of a senior-teen center at Pageant Field, and a letter of approval of the plans from the Adams Historical Society and environmental agencies.

Several councillors said that Pageant Field was not their first choice for the new track but all the councillors at the meeting said they wanted the project to move forward as soon as possible.

"It's regrettable that it's taken so long," Gutro said, noting this was his third approval of a track project. "We've already said yes twice before. We're on the third shot."

Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis, also, agreed that he, too, wanted the city to "have that track as soon as possible."

Pageant Field was not the first choice for either Councillor John Keenan or Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin but both supported Raymond's motion.

"My concern is that we don't rush it; we do it right. We don't want to figure it out as we go along," Keenan said after calling the proposed track site "an absolutely spectacular spot."

All nine city councillors are members of the City Council Finance Committee. Seven members approved Raymond's motion. Absent was Councillor Joseph Finn who was unable to attend due to business in Colorado.

Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee called the track "a political football." McNamee was absent for the 7-0 vote which conditionally approved the track funding.

"Bond counsel is required to do this," McNamee said before he voted against an earlier motion which required proof that the school building bond will be reduced by the \$1 million set aside for an athletic track.

That vote was 7-1.

Fr. McCarthy Recovering From Injuries In Falls

Rev. William McCarthy, former pastor of St. John's Church, is recovering from injuries suffered in falls.

Fr. McCarthy, a founder and for whom Father Bill's Place is named, fell twice in his Yarmouth home last Thursday, suffering a fractured hip and head injury.

He underwent surgery at Cape Cod Hospital in Hyannis and was scheduled to be moved to an East Sand-



FR. WILLIAM MCCARTHY
w/ich rehabilitation hospital

Tuesday.

John Yazwinski, executive director of Father Bill's Place, said Fr. McCarthy "came through surgery well and is in good spirits" but is expected to be at the rehabilitation hospital five weeks.

He is at RHCI, Rehabilitation Hospital for Cape Cod and the Islands.

The address is 311 Service Rd., East Sandwich, MA, 02537.

Emergency Response Training Class June 5

Mayor William Phelan announces classes for the New Version of Citizens Emergency Response Team (CERT) will be held Tuesday, June 5 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Richard J. Koch Park and Recreation Complex, 1 Merrymount Parkway.

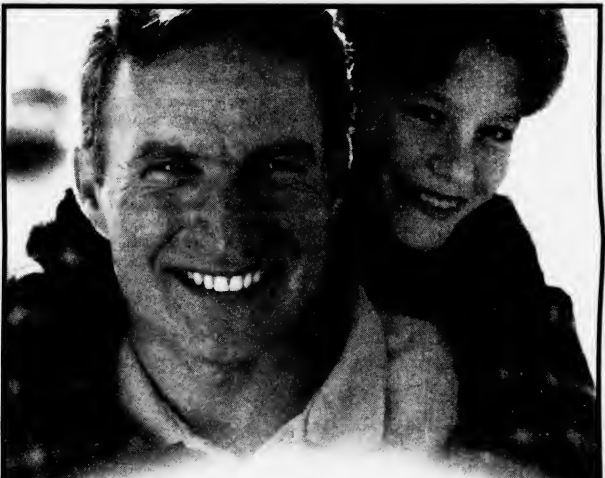
Any person 18 years or

over is welcome to attend, but those interested must call Quincy Emergency Management Agency at 617-376-1105 before May 31 to register.

The CERT members will help the Public Safety Department during storms when needed. Some of the areas that will be covered

during the classes will be instruction on the operation of HAM radios and demonstrations from the Fire and Police Departments.

CERT students will be taught systems for accessing updates from the Health Department on the pandemic flu and the latest procedures in CPR and First Aid.



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Sacred Heart Parish Good Friday Walk For Por Cristo

On Good Friday approximately 50 parishioners of Sacred Heart Parish in North Quincy walked five miles to raise funds for Por Cristo.

Por Cristo is a non-profit, medical volunteer services organization in the field of international health. It was founded by the Catholic Archdiocese of Boston in response to the 1979 visit to Boston of Pope John Paul II, who challenged the people of Boston to share their abundance with those in need, particularly in Latin America. For the past 20 years, Por Cristo has been working to meet that challenge.

Sacred Heart's parishioners gathered on the stairs of Sacred Heart School for a picture and a blessing. Father John O'Brien began the event by asking God to bless those who walked and those who would be helped by the funds raised in this walk.

Dr. Mark Jaehnig led all the walkers and he carried the cross throughout the entire five mile route. Everyone who walked would like to also thank the Quincy Police Officers on the bicycle detail who stopped traffic and insured that everyone crossed the many busy streets safely.

While all the participants



AMONG THOSE PARTICIPATING in the Sacred Heart Good Friday Walk for Por Cristo were (from left) Eileen O'Connor, Fr. John O'Brien, Dr. Mark Jaehnig and Caitlin Bulger.

traveled five miles, not all did so on their feet. There were young boys who "walked" on rollerblades, two young girls who bicycled and two little ones who were pushed in carriages. The smallest "walker" was Stephen Cuniff, who was less than a year old. His mom, Patrice Cuniff pushed him in his stroller the entire five miles and his brother Daniel walked as well. The dean of the walkers was Rosemary Feeny. She is a long time supporter of Por Cristo. She has participated in the walk for over 20 years. She spoke of how important it was to

her to know that 92% of all the money she raised would be used to help people in need. According to Father O'Brien over \$1,500 was raised for Por Cristo.

Students from Sacred Heart School participated in the walk as well. Matthew Licari, Abigail Yotts, Amanda Brandi, Julianne Downey, Caitlin Bulger and Eileen O'Connor were some of the middle school students who walked. Younger students who participated were Michael O'Brien, Matthew Keohane and Matthew Brandi.

It was a brisk and windy day for a walk, however, ev-



SACRED HEART PARISHIONERS before their annual Good Friday Walk for Por Cristo.

Photos by Cindy Brandi

eryone was quite pleased to be out raising money for Por Cristo, an organization that does so much good for so many people.

Por Cristo works with a variety of partners in delivering healthcare services. Here are several examples of their recent activities.

- Tuberculosis is a growing problem for countries like Ecuador where education and medications are often lacking. Por Cristo is helping to train local community health promoters to educate, identify, and help treat TB and other respiratory diseases.

- Many clinics and hospi-

tals in Ecuador are lacking the appropriate medical equipment, supplies and medications to treat patients effectively. Por Cristo has been collaborating with multiple generous partners to face this ongoing challenge and has sent equipment, supplies and medications via air and sea to many clinics outside both Guayaquil and Quito, Ecuador.

- In many impoverished areas of Ecuador, there is a vicious cycle of malnutrition and poverty. Por Cristo is working to develop a self-sustainable micro enterprise for mothers to learn how to bake and then sell nutritional

breads in order to break this vicious cycle and to build self-esteem.

- The Por Cristo Nutrition Team, started in 1994, continues to grow strong with the development of new projects. This team continues to focus on preventive care and education to combat malnutrition on the Isla Trinitaria. In addition to the direct care, educational classes, nutritional supplements, medications, and food are provided.

- Improving burn care for children continues to be a priority for Por Cristo health professionals in Ecuador.



ALSO TAKING PART in the Sacred Heart Parish Good Friday Walk for Por Cristo were (from left) Ryan Martin, Zach Walsh, Danny Cuniff and Daniel O'Brien.



WALKERS (from left) Matthew Keohane, Tim Keohane, Matthew O'Brien and Michael O'Brien enjoy the Sacred Heart Parish Good Friday Walk for Por Cristo.



HAPPY TO BE helping Por Cristo by walking on Good Friday are (from left) Matthew Licari, Amanda Brandi, Julianne Downey, Abigail Yotts and Caitlin Bulger.



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Koch Launches New Phase In Mayoral Campaign

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch announced Tuesday he is opening a new phase of his campaign that includes outdoor coffee hours, meetings with neighborhood groups, and grassroots door-knocking in every neighborhood in the city.

"The energy in our city for positive change is very real," Koch said. "People are ready for leadership that treats people respectfully, listens to their concerns, and has the experience to work together to solve any number of issues facing our city."

Koch, Quincy's Park Commissioner until resigning in January to run for mayor, said he has to date attended more than 50 coffee hours, visited almost every senior building in the city, and knocked on over 500 doors over the last few weeks.

In his visits with residents,

Koch speaks about his experience serving under three mayors and his beliefs that leadership can transform many of the city's problems into opportunities.

"I know we can do better for Quincy, and everyday people who believe in a better Quincy are coming on board," he said. "There's an incredible grassroots energy to this campaign and we're going to be working the next several months to spread the message across the city."

In an effort to meet as many Quincy residents as possible before summer, Koch announced that he will continue to attend coffee hours "as long as people keep scheduling them."

Koch said he enjoys coffee hours because it gives him a chance to discuss his platform with a small group of 10 to 20 people but still

provides a venue for answering questions one-on-one.

"Answering questions directly is a big part of being mayor, and there is no better venue for that give-and-take than coffee hours," Koch said.

As warmer weather takes over, Koch said coffee hours will likely move from kitchens and living rooms to porches and back yards. Koch joked that coffee often is mandatory for the social gatherings.

"I wouldn't mind changing them to Root Beer Float hours for the summer," he mused.

Anyone interested in hosting a coffee hours should contact Koch headquarters at 617-472-1306 or visit online, www.kochforquincy.com.

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Local Business Leaders Attend Breakfast On Healthcare Reform

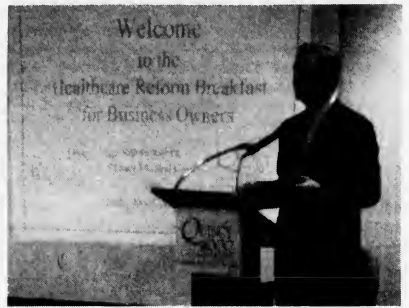
Nearly 100 local business owners and managers recently gathered at the President's Place Conference Center in Quincy Center with one common question in mind - How will the current healthcare reform impact my business?

The business leaders were attendees at a Business Owner's Breakfast on Healthcare Reform, co-sponsored by Quincy Medical Center and Quincy 2000.

The breakfast was designed to help demystify the current healthcare reform legislation for local business owners and to offer practical information about the responsibilities and obligations for local businesses - of all sizes - under the new healthcare reform law.

Topics covered during the breakfast included a review of the state's new Commonwealth Care and Commonwealth Choice insurance products, as well as subsidies available through the Commonwealth Insurance Partnership, a state and federally funded program that helps qualified businesses with uninsured employees and the self-employed to pay for health insurance.

The event included a



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN welcomes nearly 100 local business owners and managers who attended the Business Owner's Breakfast on Healthcare Reform at the President's Place Conference Center in Quincy Center. The event was co-sponsored by Quincy Medical Center and Quincy 2000.

panel discussion featuring such insurance experts as John Cragin, Senior Director of Commonwealth Care at Boston Medical Center HealthNet Plan; Michael Nickey, Manager Connector Programs for Neighborhood Health Plan; Betty Connor, Director of Marketing and Jack Hobson, Regional Manager, from the Insurance Partnership; and Shannon Linde, Managing Partner, and Patricia Rich, VP Sales and Marketing, from the Massachusetts Business Association. In addition, an extended panel discussion en-

abled local business owners to ask direct questions about how specific aspects of the healthcare reform law relate to their businesses.

Additional resources regarding Massachusetts's healthcare reform can be accessed at the following websites:

The Commonwealth Health Insurance Connector www.commonwealthhealthconnector.org
Commonwealth Care www.commonwealthcare.com
Healthcare for All: <http://www.hcfa.org>
The Insurance Partnership www.insurancepartnership.org

Quincy Credit Union Makes John Adams \$1 Coin Available

In conjunction with the United States Mint Launch of the John Adams Presidential \$1 Coin, the Quincy Credit Union will participate by distributing a complimentary John Adams Coin to the first 500 members that visit QCU on Tuesday, May 22, during business hours.

There will be one coin for each of the first 500 members while supplies last. The United States Mint has selected Quincy as the site for the national launch of the new \$1 coin, which will be released to the general public.

This is the first time President John Adams has been honored with a regularly circulated coin or paper note. Research commissioned by the United States Mint indicates that the Presidential \$1 Coin will be widely popular, similar to the 50 State Quarters Program that has attracted 140 million collectors.

Quincy Credit Union will have these historic coins available to members for sale or exchange beginning today (Thursday).

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OPINION

Firefighters Union Head Speaks Out On Health Care Plan

By **ERNEST M. ARIENTI**
President, Local 792
Quincy Fire Fighters
Association

I feel it is time to respond to all the rumors that have been circulating about the Health Care Plan for the employees of the City of Quincy.

First, I would like to explain how the City and the Employees have gotten to the plan we now have. Years ago, the city had numerous plans that you as an employee could pick from to meet your needs. The expense of all these plans were getting too costly and the companies all wanted more members in their plan, so something needed to be done.

The then Mayor of the city met with all the City Unions and a Health Advisory Committee was established. This committee comprised of Union members and management members. This committee took all the plans and dissected them all to put a plan together, a plan that would appeal to all members, and did an excellent job at it.

This plan then went out for a bid and that is why we now have one company for all employees including management in this city,

which has saved the city millions of dollars over the years. This was a combined effort by both management and labor.

Then back in the 1990s, the City again came to the unions during negotiations and stated about the fiscal crisis that the city was in. We realized what was at stake and needed to be done. We again helped out the city and agreed to a zero percent pay raise, and that was during negotiations. Therefore, that goes to show that we are not only there for ourselves but for the citizens also.

Now here we are again. The employees are being made out to be the bad guys, as if we have no concerns for the citizens of Quincy. This is 100 percent wrong. This is about the employees being told to take a pay cut. You are being told that this is only a 10 percent increase, but this actually a 123 percent increase to our members.

Also, over the course of the past three years, because the claims of the members have been lower than expected, we have left approximately \$3 million dollars in the city coffers that we have agreed through our Bargaining Agreement that we would not get refunded for. This leaves the city the ability to

use this money for other than health insurance. Through the city keeping this money, the employees are not paying 10%, but actually already paying 15% on our health care cost.

There has also been discussion about the State Group Insurance Commission (GIC). This is about going into the state health insurance plans and the cost should be less because of the larger pool of employees.

First is the makeup of the commission instead of being made up of a cross section of management and labor, it is mostly management. Labor will have no say in what will happen with our plans and the cost. At any time the state can change the co-payments and deductibles to what ever they want and labor has no recourse. Also, as the old proverb goes, "You get what you pay for." If the employees were to try and get a plan close to what we have now there would be very little if any savings with the state. Therefore, as you can see at this point, it is not a bargain as you have been told.

Now let us put all these rumors to bed and get on with business so that we can keep this great city moving in the right direction.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

•Granted a request of Jervin & Veronica Erasquin, doing business as JNJ Turo Turo, 143 Water St. for a common victualer license. It was formerly a beauty salon.

•Granted a change of DBA from Honey Cafe to South Garden Seafood Restaurant, Kam Man Plaza, Quincy Ave. Matthew Thoi, manager.

•Granted a change of managers at Pat Flanagan's Parkingway, from James Lee to Austin O'Malley. Lee was manager for 20 years, and will still be part of the business. He thanked the board for their support. Police Chief Robert Crowley said

he was always "well appreciated which speaks loudly for Lee."

•Granted a one day permit to Thomas Bolinder for a fund raiser at Pat Flanagan's, 79 Parkingway to benefit the Military Combat Defense Fund.

•Granted Eileen McGrath, manager of The Half Door, 15-14 Hancock St. a Mimosa/brunch license on Sundays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

•Granted a change of Beneficial Ownership of the Marriott Hotel Services Inc. 1000 Marriott Drive, to Sunstone Wharf LLC Operation. Atty. Andrew Upton, counsel.

•Granted a one day alcoholic license to Jeanne

Allard, Quincy Animal Shelter, for the 2nd Annual Wine Tasting Fundraiser at the Masonic Temple, 1170 Hancock St. Sept. 14 from 6 to 9 p.m.

•Granted Stephen Smith of Steve's Auto Sales, 291 Water St. a Motor II, used car and garage repair license and the storage of 12 cars, 10 outside and four inside.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

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Proposed 'Hot Pot' Chinese Restaurant Raises Concerns

By **MARIE D'OLIMPIO**
A Chinese "hot pot" restaurant proposed at 397 Hancock St., North Quincy, has raised concerns by Sacred Heart Church, and others.

A hearing on the license sought by Jimmy Liang, was continued until June 5 by the License Board Tuesday.

Board members had questions over a proposed open patio, location of dumpsters and deliveries at the former massage parlor.

Atty. Paul Hines, counsel for the Sacred Heart Church, said the church had not received proper notification of the proposal. Liang said he sent copies from the news-

paper notice clippings to friends and neighbors around the church. The church said notification should have been sent to them.

Hines said the church was concerned with dumpsters and cars in the middle of Hancock St., and off street parking.

Hines said the proposed restaurant is across the street from the Sacred Heart Chapel and called it "detrimental to religious services, prayer groups and youth chapel."

Chairman Joseph Shea read a letter from Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee who while complimenting Liang on his "gold standard" of doing business in the city,

and supporting his common victualer license, he said he had concerns over serving beer and wine.

Police Chief Robert Crowley said he was concerned over the "noise level near residents" and said he had a problem with closing at 11 p.m.

He said when there are outdoor patios, patrons seem to "gravitate outside".

Jay Duca, director of inspectional services motioned to continue until the issues of deliveries, dumpsters, patio and an egress were discussed.

Liang said his deliveries would be made in the back of the building on the Billings Road side.

Second Public Hearing May 21 On Urban Revitalization Plan

The Quincy City Council will hold a second Public Hearing on proposed revisions to the City's Urban Revitalization District Plan (URDP) Monday May 21 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chamber at City Hall, 1305 Hancock St.

The city's Planning and Community Development Department, acting as the city's Urban Renewal Agency, is proposing the adoption of a URDP or renewal district for a

significant portion of Quincy Center.

Once adopted, the plan will be submitted to the state's Department of Housing and Community Development for final approval.

According to city planners, the city's efforts over the last 36 to revitalize the city's business district have not been successful and will require some public investment. Designation as a

URDP district will allow public investment. The purpose of the URDP is to set forth a series of initiatives intended to stimulate investment in Quincy Center.

Copies of the URDP revised district map and application may be reviewed at the office of City Clerk at City Hall or in the Thomas Crane Public Library at 40 Washington Street or online at <http://www.ci.quincy.ma.us/>.

Wellness Expo At Wollaston Congregational

A Wellness Expo sponsored by Quincy Environmental Network (QEN) will be held this Saturday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Wollaston Congregational Church, 48 Winthrop St.

"Come see all the organizations right here in

Quincy that promote healthy lifestyles and a healthy planet," say QEN officials.

During their visit, persons may purchase plants at the Wollaston Garden Club's Annual Plant Sale.

The Expo is free and will feature organizations in Quincy that promote healthy living and a healthy environment. There will be door prizes, refreshments and chair massages.

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HOUSE SPEAKER Sal DiMasi, fourth from left and his wife, Debbie, beside him, were among those attending the Beechwood Community Life Center dinner-affle recently at the Quincy Neighborhood Club. With them from the left, are Jack and Nancy Murphy and Rep. Steve Tobin.



CHET CURTIS, honorary chairman of the dinner, with Marylou Howard and Denise Renaghan. The event raised more than \$30,000 for Beechwood Community programs.

Beechwood Center 25th Year Dinner Raises Over \$30,000



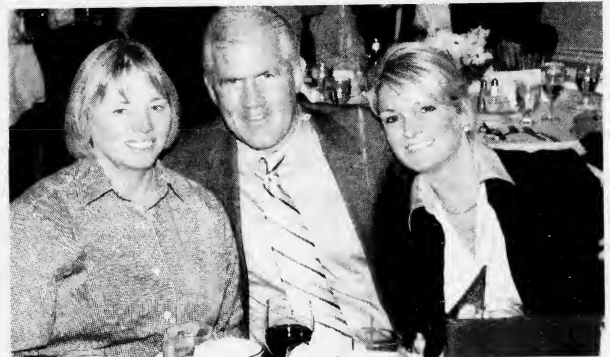
SHARRON BEALS, Beechwood executive director, with some of the action items.



AUCTIONEER-EMCEE Dan Flynn gets an assist from Linda Smith.



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WEEK of: 8/6	WHAT'S COOKING -	Mix! Make! Bake! Explore Cooking: Utensils, Outrageous Pizzas, Baking and More! Edible and Non Edible Treats.
WEEK of: 8/13	MAD SCIENTISTS -	Explore with us with magnify glasses, binoculars, and different experiments - Experiment with a variety of materials. What happens when you mix different colors?
WEEK of: 8/20	AMAZING ADVENTURES -	Pirate Day, Treasure Hunt, Wizard Day, Safari Day, Camping Day, Water Outside Adventures and Archeological Day!
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By Samantha Mazzotta

Damp House? Check Heating System

Q. In your response to the homeowner who was experiencing sticky wood surfaces and sagging floors, you stated that high humidity could be the reason, and that several factors could cause the humidity, such as blocked attic vents. Your piece did mention heating equipment (such as heat/hot water boilers) as a possible source, but not effectively. The humidity situation could also be caused by infiltration of exhaust gases from heating equipment into the living areas. This can cause deadly dangerous conditions, particularly to sleeping persons.

A friend of mine had a similar moisture situation 20 years ago in a house he purchased. The professionals he hired couldn't find the cause. Eventually, he located it himself: Critters nesting in his chimney had blocked the exiting gases, causing them to back up into his home. Additionally, in cold climates, snow can block exhaust vents; building specifications in the Northeast were only recently

changed to prevent this kind of occurrence.

Another danger I believe needs attention is crumbling chimney stacks. In the Northeast, many "oil burners" have been converted to gas. These gas heaters are routinely hooked up to the pre-existing brick chimneys. Gas exhaust is cleaner, but more chemically corrosive and "wetter" than oil exhaust. It also condenses earlier than oil exhaust, leaving chemical deposits on the upper half of the chimney that break down the mortar and bricks much faster.

"Critters" and debris-blocked chimneys are just two among a litany of "quiet" problems that can develop in any home. I hope these are worth considering. — Rich L., Quincy, Mass.

A. They are definitely worth considering! Rich, thank you for bringing this potentially life-saving information to readers.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homegur-2000@hotmail.com, or write This Is a Hammer, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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What's On Tap For The Modern Day Home?

Step into a modern home and take a look around. You'll likely see features such as architectural lighting, security cameras, and whole-house sound and video that until recently could be found only in luxury homes. Networked by structured cabling built into the walls or advanced wireless networks, these once-pricey amenities are now included on the menu for most new homebuyers, and are revolutionizing the way we live our lives.

In 2005, for example, 80% of homebuilders offered monitored security; 74% multi-room audio; and 69% home theaters, according to the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB). Lighting controls, home automation and energy management weren't far

behind.

Lighting Controls

- Let you custom design sophisticated lighting scenes to fit every room and mood.
- Can be operated from a convenient remote control.
- Can turn lights on and off from anywhere in the house.

- Improve security, safety, and efficiency by automatically turning on outdoor lights and lights by doorways, halls, and other locations when people are present, and off again after they leave.
- Conserve energy and save money.

Security Cameras

- Provide high-quality color video output.
- Come in both

outdoor and indoor models that can be discretely hidden.

- Can be monitored from inside the house or anywhere in the world over the Internet.
- Are excellent for security, or for just checking up on the kids.

Energy Management

- Helps conserve energy and saves you money by keeping lights and HVAC low when you are away from the home or sleeping.
- Can entitle you to a tax break.

Intercom System

- Interfaces with the home's telephone, audio, video, and surveillance systems for added convenience and security.
- Doubles as between-room monitors and intercoms.

- Can provide a helpful visible alert by activating lighting when visitors arrive.

Whole-House Audio and Video

- Plays your favorite music (CDs, MP3s, radio), movies (DVDs, DVRs), or cable/satellite feeds in any room in the house.
- Frees you from iPods, laptops, or boom boxes.
- Can be hidden in ceilings and walls, for an uncluttered, wire-free appearance.

Home Theater

- Provides real movie theater atmosphere right in your own home with large flat-screen televisions, surround sound, and even special seating.

Protect Valuable Electronics From Power Surge

Microchips—you'll find them everywhere in the modern household. Even everyday appliances like air conditioners and refrigerators use them.

There's only one problem: microchips are notoriously susceptible to power surges. One good jolt and your new giant flat panel TV or wholesale sound system can be toast—very expensive toast. And, contrary to popular opinion, lightning is not the most common cause of power surges. According to the Leviton Institute, 80% of temporary power surges come from inside the home, when appliances like refrigerators, washing machines or even laser printers cycle on and off.

What You Don't See Can

Hurt You

While less dramatic than a direct lightning strike that takes out everything in its path, everyday household dips and spikes in voltage do their damage over time, insidiously eroding performance of electronic components and especially sensitive gear like computers. Do the words "hard drive crash" strike fear into your heart?

Fortunately, surge protective devices (SPDs) offer outstanding protection from power surges, safeguarding your expensive appliances, electronics, and computers, and the irreplaceable information stored on them.

How They Work

SPDs are the wallflowers

of the electrical world. Most of the time, they sit there, unnoticed. Until you need them, that is; then, in the space of nanoseconds, they spring into action. A metal oxide varistor or gas discharge arrestor in the SPD diverts the potentially destructive surge of voltage to the ground wire, where it is safely channeled away.

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Power Strip SPDs

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Mortgage Topic

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy. A reverse mortgage allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash. For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

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Quincy Credit Union Holds Real Estate Education Seminar

Quincy Credit Union recently presented a Real Estate Education Seminar for consumers to learn about how the mortgage process works, what they need to know and how they can make the mortgage process a simple and easy experience.

QCU presented experts from the real estate and mortgage industry and they were on hand for a panel discussion.

Attorney John Nelson, a senior partner from Nelson and Roach Attorney, spoke of the importance retaining a lawyer to protect your interest during the real estate purchase. He stressed awareness of what you sign, because it's easy to get caught up in the excitement of purchasing your home and not realize the legality of the documents.

Mike Allanach, vice president of Allanach Mortgage explained the large variety of mortgage products available to suit many financial situations. Since the majority of the audience members were First Time Home Buyers, he talked about the

benefits that come with first time homebuyers products.

Three key points during the presentation where the importance were: get pre-qualified, whatever you think your monthly mortgage payment may be, put it in a savings account to see if you can live without it and finally, don't start rate shopping before you get pre-qualified and know what you can afford. The rates will most likely change before you receive a commitment letter.

Aaron Adler, from Appraisals Unlimited, clarified the common misconception about appraisals versus assessed value of homes. Also participating on the panel were a home inspector and a Realtor who each offered in-

sight on their respective specialty. QCU real estate staff contributed to the question and answer section of the seminar providing the audience with valuable information.

A limited supply of free Mortgage packets and gift bags are available at QCU with the information from the seminar including resources from Fannie Mae Foundation. Email marketing@qcu.org or call 617-479-5558 to request a mortgage packet.

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EXPERTS FROM the real estate and mortgage industry address participants at a real estate education seminar recently presented by Quincy Credit Union.

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by Jay

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QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: May 4 - May 11

Total Calls for Service: 1,376

Total Arrests: 37

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 2

FRIDAY, MAY 4

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:44 a.m., 40 Bay State Rd. Gone within the last hour. 2007 Yamaha Motorcycle, color red.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 7:50 a.m., Leo's General Store, 263 Water St. Party was exposing himself in the store 20 minutes ago.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:58 a.m., Copeland Street Auto Body, 65 Copeland St. To motor vehicle in lot. Window damage. **VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:05 a.m., 16 Quarry St.** Tagging. "WKAWOL" painted on the garage.

LARCENY, 11:02 a.m., 62 Shennett St. Jewelry. **LARCENY, 11:31 a.m., Boston Belle Charters, 333 Victory Rd.** By check, \$1,873 check, no goods.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 1:44 p.m., Point Webster Middle School, 60 Lancaster St.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:23 p.m., DZ Motors, 245 Willard St. Motor vehicle damage - 15 car doors super-glued.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:13 p.m., 53 Beach St. Dwelling. iPod, GPS, jewelry, change, 9 Red Sox tickets and medication taken.

SATURDAY, MAY 5

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 12:11 a.m., Bad Abbot's Pub, 1546 Hancock St. Punched in face.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:24 a.m., Quincy International Food, 529 Washington St. Breaking and entering overnight. Kitchen equipment stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:29 a.m., 48 Buckley St. Past. Motor vehicle marked by unknown object.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 11:22 a.m., 433 Furnace Brook Parkway. Dwelling. No entry gained.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 5:04 p.m., Villa Rosa Restaurant, 703 Adams St. Rear window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:12 p.m., 1354 Hancock St. Past.

SUNDAY, MAY 6

BREAKING & ENTERING/PROGRESS, 2:54 a.m., 178 Taffrail Rd. Dwelling. One arrest for B&E nighttime.

LARCENY, 7:13 a.m., 177 Willard St. Pallet. Sole operator of a silver Toyota stole approximately 15 pallets valued at \$15 each from lot.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:24 p.m., South Shore Family Health, 1354 Hancock St. Business. At least a computer known missing.

LARCENY, 4:48 p.m., Citizens Bank, 495 Southern Artery. Checks.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:16 p.m., Charlie Ngs Restaurant, 25 Copeland St. Window. BB shot possible from unknown car.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 11:22 p.m., 138 Willard St. Possible. Heard suspicious noises, saw male party by window. Leather jacket, white sneakers, dark pants and walking towards Darcy's.

MONDAY, MAY 7

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:24 a.m., Granite City Self Storage, 85 Federal Ave. To motor vehicle. Vent window shattered sometime last night.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:05 a.m., Excel Tool Die Co., 69 Sumner St. Smashed window. A 2-foot by 2-foot window smashed with rock over the weekend; also someone was on the roof.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 1:04 p.m., United First Parish Church, 1306 Hancock St. Patron just assaulted in basement. Male suspect left scene in a green sedan. Suspect motor vehicle was stopped at Washington St. and Southern Artery.

LARCENY, 3:01 p.m., 22 Gannett Rd. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:43 p.m., Masonic Temple, 1170 Hancock St. Graffiti in rear of building.

LARCENY, 5:52 p.m., Roxie's Meat Market, 479 Southern Artery. By ATM card. Two charges made on stolen ATM/debit card. One charge made at the CVS on Quincy Shore Drive.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:06 p.m., 63 Dorchester St. Dwelling. Four laptop computers taken. No sign of force. Prada sunglasses also known missing.

LARCENY, 9:17 p.m., 24 North Payne St. Solar lights.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:43 p.m., Montclair Place, 95 West Squantum St. Motorcycle taken sometime on Sunday. 2003 Honda Motorcycle, color yellow.

TUESDAY, MAY 8

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 2:53 a.m., Quincy Rehab Nursing Center, 11 McGrath Highway. Parking lot. Two men fighting in the lot.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:49 a.m., 50 East Squantum St. Overnight. Motor vehicle's passenger side window smashed out, door damaged; unknown if anything missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:48 a.m., 3 Berlin St. Possible arson. Caller's hedges were set on fire; was result of brush fire yesterday.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 129 Copeland St. Dwelling.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 7:08 p.m., 45 Oval Rd. Reports male was on his porch naked doing his business.

LARCENY, 8:15 p.m., 130 Granite St. Past.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 2:37 a.m., Bibb's Service Center, 895 Sea St. Business. Rock to window. Plexi glass - entry cannot be made. Attempt made to gain entrance to the gas attendant shack near the pumps.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:20 a.m., Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. Past.

LARCENY, 10:52 a.m., 73 Bicknell St. Mulch.

LARCENY, 2:01 p.m., 1 Whiton Ave. Jewelry.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 2:29 p.m., 19 Canton Rd. Dwelling. Front door kicked in. Front door was smashed in, believed dog scared suspect(s) off. No entry made, nothing missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:33 p.m., 27 Centre St. Dwelling. Wood around plexiglass window in rear door damaged, then window was pried open. Mini Panasonic stereo and a red & white mountain bicycle (unknown make) were stolen.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 3:43 p.m., 39 Kendall St. Tenant broke into laundry room and stole items. An attempt was made to break into the coin operated laundry machines.

ARMED ROBBERY, 4:07 p.m., Fin Fur Feather, 503 Washington St. Attempted. White male, young in 20's, grey shorts, black hooded sweatshirt, glasses, bandana blue and white; stated he was on drugs and needed his fix. Suspect fled without stealing anything. Attempted armed robbery while masked.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:59 p.m., 223 Liberty St. Right side of motor vehicle keyed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:47 p.m., Dorhan Apartments, 170 Copeland St. T Stop - broken window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:34 p.m., 74 Chubbuck St. Broken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 11:47 p.m., Prime Gas, 571 Hancock St. Open window found upon arrival, appears renovations going on. Break occurred, cigarettes known missing.

THURSDAY, MAY 10

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:24 a.m., 68 Union St. Front right tire slashed on motor vehicle.

LARCENY, 8:31 a.m., 14 Blake St. Via internet. Money taken out on account of line.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:17 a.m., 13 Atherton St. Tires slashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:16 p.m., 182 Common St.

A Job Well Done

On Friday, May 4, at approximately 12:15 a.m., Officers Dan Parisi, Ron McKim and Chuck Landry were dispatched to the area of 10 Copeland St. for a report of a "male and female disorder in the street." As the officers were enroute, dispatch informed them that the female was standing in the middle of the street screaming for help. The officers arrived on scene and separated a male and a female. The female was hysterical and crying.



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Once the Officers were able to calm her, she said that she was headed home on the bus from Ashmont Station when she observed a male get on the bus, making it clear that she did not speak with him at any time. The female/victim said that she got off the bus on Copeland Street and noticed that the man also got off. She said that as she started to walk towards her home, the male suspect followed, attempting to speak with her.

The victim stated that she was concerned for her safety and began to yell for help in the middle of the street, while walking in a different direction from her house. She was able to flag down a motorist who called "911" for help. Officer Parisi interviewed the suspect, who stated that he met the victim in a bar in Ashmont and she invited him back to her place in Quincy. He said she began to "freak out" when they got off the bus.

Officer Parisi did not believe suspect's story. First, the victim had not been drinking, however the suspect had a strong odor of alcoholic beverage emitting from him. The victim was carrying a bag full of school books. The bottom line for the Officers was that the victim was fearful and did not want to be with the suspect, who was 6'1 and 210 pounds! The suspect did not have an extensive record and there were no warrants. Since no crime actually took place, the suspect's information was taken and he was sent on his way. The victim was transported home.

In this case, the victim made smart, rational decisions under stressful conditions. She quickly assessed the situation and realized that she was being followed and harassed in an area where no one was around. Very important; she did not wait for the circumstances to escalate. She took immediate action by yelling for help and then walking in the middle of the street.

This was a good move because it reduced the chances of her being dragged into a yard or hidden area. It put her in the open so that someone who heard yelling would be able to see her. It also forced any traffic to stop, which resulted in the "911" call.

The victim also led the suspect away from her home, so that she wouldn't have to fear retaliation from him. Under the circumstances, the victim took steps to protect herself before something happened.

Suggestions: If you are traveling at this hour or are concerned about your well-being, a cell phone would be handy to call the Police. If you cannot afford a cell phone, consider picking up a disposable cell phone solely for emer-

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 5:09 p.m., Maywood Ave. and Whitwell St. Broken nose. Incident occurred on Whitwell St. near Maywood Ave.

LARCENY, 6:53 p.m., Beale St. and Greenwood Ave. Female was walking when a male grabbed her pocketbook. Happened half hour ago. White male, 18 years old, thin build, last seen wearing white ball cap, white shirt with blue design and blue jeans. Suspect fled down Greenwood Ave. after grabbing a coin purse out of victim's hand; contained about \$30 in cash and an empty Charlie MBTA card. No ID; purse is a Coach, color brown.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:37 p.m., Holyoke St. Running. Dented car now running with five yours. Running toward Newbury Ave. Damaged car jumping on it.

LARCENY, 9:21 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Hancock St. Past.

FRIDAY, MAY 11

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:35 a.m., Hancock St. and Maple St. Punched a car. Male party walking down street. Arrest for malicious damage to a motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:43 a.m., 7 Farnum St. House. Someone threw paint all over house, front of house.

LARCENY, 8:08 a.m., We Care Cleaners, 58 Quincy Ave. Past.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us--Lt. Dan Minton

gency use or ask a friend if they have an old cell phone they no longer use. Although there may be no service to make or receive calls, all cell phones can be used to call "911." Lastly, look for a fire alarm box. This would be considered an emergency and the Police respond with the Fire Department.

QUICK ACTION: On Wednesday, May 2, at approximately 2:30 p.m., Officer Dan Francis was dispatched to a West Quincy address to investigate a missing person report. Officer Francis learned from family members that their 85-year-old mother, who suffers from dementia, walked away from their home and said that she was going to the ocean to kill herself.

As Officer Francis provided a description and obtained a photo of the victim to be dispersed to all Officers, Sgt. Sean Duggan scanned the home with an infrared camera, which detects body heat, to be sure that she was not hiding in the house. Lt. John Steele arrived on scene and created a perimeter of officers and assigned officers to the beach and Black's Creek area in the event that she made it to the water's edge.

All available officers are used when someone goes missing. In this case, the Community Policing Unit and various Detective Units joined patrol Officers in the search. State Police K-9 units were enroute and the State Police Search Team, in training at the Blue Hills, prepared to head to Quincy.

Less than 30 minutes later, Officer Matt Tobin found the lady by the War Memorial near the stadium and she was transported to the Quincy Medical Center for evaluation.

"Nice Work" goes out to all Officers and Communication personnel who assisted in finding this lady, who was clearly heading to the Ocean.

This lady is a great candidate for the H.E.L.P. (Handicapped-Elderly-Lost Person) program. This Quincy Police Department program is free and available to citizens of any age, who may have a tendency to wander from their home, community program or medical facility in Quincy. Possible reasons for wandering are Alzheimer's Disease, Dementia and Autism.

This program is also available to those with other medical issues, as well as the mentally challenged. The purpose of this program is to assist the Police and other emergency personnel in locating and returning these citizens home safely.

The H.E.L.P. program is free and it is simple to register. An officer will set up an appointment with the individual to take a digital photo and then complete the application.

Each individual will receive a gray rubber bracelet with the inscription, "H.E.L.P. 617 479 1212." With this information, the Police Department could locate the missing person quicker by distributing the individual's picture and information to Patrol Officers and emergency personnel.

Ideally, a citizen, who recognizes that an individual is having a problem and is wearing the bracelet, would call the Quincy Police. Officers will be able to cross-reference the information and safely return the individual to their home or medical facility.

To set up an appointment, contact either: Lieutenant Dan Minton at: 617 745 5719
Carol Flynn at: 617 745 5700 (4 - 12 P.M.)



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Total Nutrition Weighing In

By **MINDY HERMANN** (NAPS) — My friends and I used to enjoy comparing our weight to so-called "ideal" weight charts. We spent a lot of time making sure that our height was accurate and trying to figure out whether our frame was small, medium or large. Figuring out your recommended (or ideal) weight is easier today using body mass index (BMI) charts that are available online and in brochures.

Body weight is important because it is linked to good health. People who maintain a "healthy" body weight have less chance of developing long-term illnesses like diabetes, heart disease, high blood pressure and arthritis. A BMI chart can tell you

whether your weight is in the healthy, overweight or obese range.

The BMI chart may not be exactly right for you. For example, if you are muscular, the chart may say that you are overweight because muscle weighs a lot. "BMI charts can only offer a weight goal range based on your height," explains Robyn Flipse, MS, RD, a nutrition consultant and author of "The Wedding Dress Diet" and "Fighting the Freshman Fifteen." "I recommend that people focus instead on choosing a balanced diet and getting regular exercise, at least 30 minutes each day. The weight that they arrive at will be a healthy weight for them."

It is important to take

action if your body weight falls in the overweight or obese range and your diet and activity routines are in need of improvement. Losing even 10 pounds and preventing further weight gain can go a long way toward improving your health.

Eliminate just 50 to 100 calories each day—it's as simple as avoiding seconds at dinner. In addition, regular physical activity can also help keep calories in balance to help you manage your weight.

Choose a diet rich in fiber—diets high in fiber sources like legumes, fruits, vegetables and whole grains are linked to a healthier body weight.

Include foods made from whole grains, like Whole

Grain Total, whole-wheat pasta, oatmeal, and whole grain corn tortillas. Whole grain can help you manage your weight.

Cut out sources of low-nutrient calories, like caloric soft drinks, full-fat salad dressing, butter and sugary foods.

Start the day with a smart breakfast. For example, a serving of Whole Grain Total has 100 calories (before adding milk) to help you lose weight and 100 percent whole grain to help you keep in shape.

Mindy Hermann, MBA, RD, is a nutrition writer for women's health and fitness magazines. She is the co-author of "Change One" and the American Medical Association's "Family Health Cookbook."



by **Andrea Wyatt**
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Toning Arms and Shoulders for Summer

Q. What type of exercises will help me tone and strengthen my arms and shoulders? I work out three days a week and have seen progress in my lower body strength, but seem to be much weaker in my arms and shoulders. Summer is almost here, and I want to be able to wear my short-sleeve shirts. HELP!

A. Strengthening and toning the muscles of the upper body can be a challenge. Although we use our arms and shoulders for everyday tasks such as taking a bag out of the car, lifting a briefcase or pocketbook or even putting a box on a shelf, often our upper bodies are not nearly as conditioned as our lower body.

Most people have a stronger lower body because we use our legs to walk or run, walk up stairs, bend and support our body weight throughout the day. That being said, there still are ways to improve the strength of your arms and shoulders.

Evaluate your current exercise program and identify the exercises that require you to use your arms and shoulders. If you find that the majority of your workout consists of lower body exercises, then a slight change in adding two or three upper-body exercises may help you begin to see results.

Exercises such as the chest press and lat pull-down (back) utilize your arms to help perform the exercise, but they are not exercises that focus on the arms or shoulders. Specific exercises

such as a bicep curl (front part of arm), shoulder press and triceps push-down (back of arms) will help focus on strengthening the arms and shoulders.

After looking at your program, if you find that you are already performing two or three exercises for your arms and shoulders, then you may want to look at the amount of weight (intensity), the number of repetitions performed and your exercise technique. Each of these factors plays a big role in seeing progress.

Also, consider the length of time you have been performing your current exercise routine. If you have been doing the same routine consistently for more than three weeks, it may be time to progress to a more difficult intensity or to add an additional set of the exercise.

The way to identify if you are exercising at the correct intensity is to determine the number of sets and repetitions you would like to complete. Then choose a weight that will begin to fatigue your muscles during the last three. For example, if you choose to complete two sets and 15 repetitions, you should choose a weight that becomes challenging around the 12th or 13th repetition.

Consistency is the key. Be patient and keep working hard.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea@letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Ask Your Pharmacist: Healthy Aging

(NAPS) — Older Americans, more active than ever before, should take preventative measures to keep their bones strong and healthy. According to the National Osteoporosis Foundation, an estimated 10 million Americans currently have osteoporosis, with another 34 million estimated to have low bone mass, which puts them at increased risk for the disease.

Loralie Lacharta, RPh, answers questions about osteoporosis and how older Americans can keep their bones strong to ensure a healthy and active future.

What is osteoporosis,

and what causes it?

Osteoporosis is a disease that affects your bones, making them fragile and causing them to break easily. One in five American women will likely develop osteoporosis. It can occur in men as well, but because men have larger skeletons than women, they don't start to lose bone until later in life. An inactive lifestyle, heavy alcohol use and smoking can all increase risk of developing it if there is a history of the disease in your family or if you have had any fractures after the age of 50.

How do I know if my bones are healthy or

thinning?

Osteoporosis can be difficult to detect because it has no symptoms. It can silently weaken your bones until they eventually break. A bone mineral density (BMD) test is the only way to tell if you have osteoporosis or not. The test is painless and easy to perform. It measures how strong your bones are and can help determine if you're at risk for osteoporosis.

What can I do to make my bones stronger and healthier?

The best way to prevent bone disease is to live a healthy lifestyle through a good diet and exercise. A diet

with lots of calcium and vitamin D is essential. Calcium helps to strengthen your bones, while vitamin D makes the calcium more effective. There are many over-the-counter supplements available if you're not getting enough calcium or vitamin D in your diet. You should ask your doctor or pharmacist to help you pick out one that is right for you.

Where can I get more information if I need it?

Your pharmacy is a great resource. You can go to www.cvs.com to find a CVS/pharmacy nearby or call a CVS.com pharmacist at (888) 607-4287.

Foot Notes

Tips on Protecting Your Feet from the Heat

(NAPS) — "Even if you are just lying still on your back soaking up the rays, your feet are still vulnerable," says American Podiatric Medical Association member Dr. Jane Anderson. "You can seriously sunburn your feet, and no matter how upscale your hotel, athlete's foot can lurk in all public pool areas."

These tips will help you spend more time collecting seashells rather than doctor's bills:

- Limit walking barefoot, as it exposes feet to sunburn as well as plantar warts, athlete's foot, ringworm and other infections, and also increases risk of injury to your feet.
- Wear shoes or flip-flops around the pool, to the beach, in the locker room and even on the carpeting or in the bathroom of your hotel

room to prevent injuries and limit the likelihood of contracting any bacterial infections.

- Remember to apply sunscreen all over your feet, especially the tops and fronts of ankles, and don't forget to reapply after you've been in the water.

- Stay hydrated by drinking plenty of water throughout the day. This will not only help with overall health, but will also minimize any foot swelling caused by the heat.

- Keep blood flowing with periodic ankle flexes, toe wiggles and calf stretches.
- Some activities at the beach, lake or river may require different types of footwear. To be safe, always pack an extra pair of protective water shoes. If your shoes will be getting

wet, they should be dried out completely before your next wear to prevent bacteria or fungus from growing.

- In case of minor foot problems, be prepared with antibiotic cream to treat any skin injury, sunscreen to protect against the scorching sun and aloe vera to relieve sunburns.

- If you injure your foot or ankle on vacation, seek professional medical

attention from a podiatric physician. Many often only contact a doctor when something is broken or sprained, but a podiatrist can begin treating your ailment immediately while you're away from home. You can find an American Podiatric Medical Association podiatrist in your travel area by calling (800) FOOTCARE or by logging on to www.apma.org.

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ARRESTING THE PROGRESSION OF GINGIVITIS

When periodontal (gum) disease progresses to the point where bacteria-laden plaque hardens on the teeth to form calculus ("tartar"), the inflammatory condition known as "gingivitis" appears. Left untreated, the chronic inflammation can spread down to the underlying bone to create the potential for tooth loss. To prevent this outcome, patients with gingivitis are treated with scaling and root planing, to which removes calculus buildup on tooth surfaces above and below the gum line. The, as an adjunct to scaling and root planing, an anti-bacterial powder may be applied to the pockets that surround each treated tooth. This helps to prevent the return of the bacteria that threaten periodontal health, and it is more effective than scaling and root planing alone.

The best way to prevent

the build up of calculus is through twice daily toothbrushing and flossing and cleaning visits based on a schedule recommended by your dental health care provider. Calculus accumulates more easily in some individuals, requiring more frequent brushing and dental visits. We would like to stress the importance of regular dental check-ups. If you would like more information or an appointment, call 617-479-6220. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where we're currently accepting new patients. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

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QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame Induction Ceremony Highlights



THE QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME inducted fifteen former Quincy High School baseball players into its 2007 Hall of Fame class. Gerald Curtis (left), Class of 1946, and Bob Gumpwright (right), Class of 1941, who both played under Coach Bill Sullivan, received their trophies from Hall of Fame chairman Joe Brill. Frankie Pineau, Class of 1949, was also inducted.



THE HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE honored four youth baseball coaches who have given their time to teaching the game to Quincy kids for many years with Youth Coaches Awards. The four include from the left: Dick Lombardi, John Rossi, Bill Draicchio and Bob Constantino, son of the late Tony Constantino.



FOR THE FIRST TIME, the QHSBAA/Hall of Fame inducted two former Quincy Trade School baseball players into the Hall of Fame. Jim Pettiti (left), son of Gino Pettiti, Class of 1939, and Francis "Shorty" Donovan, Class of 1942, pose with their trophies.

QHS Baseball Hall Of Fame: Class Of 2007 Inductees

The Quincy High School Baseball Alumni Association and Hall of Fame Committee inducted fifteen former Quincy High School baseball players, two former Old Quincy Trade School baseball players, two former coaches and four youth coaches into the Hall of Fame at their dinner on May 10.

The 2007 Quincy High School inductees included Gerald Curtis ('46), Bob Gumpwright ('41), Frances "Frannie" Pineau ('49), Dan Raymondi ('65), Ted Meyer ('69), Bob Pettinelli ('69), Bob Lane ('73), Joe Brill ('74), Paul Sutherland ('76), Gary DiNardo ('81), Tom Balzano ('91), Robert "Robbie" Kane ('93), Tom

Malvesti ('94) and the late Steve Barrett ('95).

The two Quincy Trade School inductees were Gino Pettiti ('39) and Francis "Shorty" Donovan ('42).

The 2007 Coach Inductees were Warren Findlay, 1942-1944, and A. Bud Mosher, 1973-1984.

The four youth coaches inducted included Bill Draicchio, Dick Lombardi, John Rossi and Tony Constantino.

George Burke was inducted as only the third Honorary Member into the Hall of Fame, joining former Quincy mayor James Sheets and former Minnesota Twins manager Sam Mele.



BOB PETTINELLI (left), Class of 1969, and Ted Meyer (right), Class of 1969, pose with their former coach, Robert Basiliere, after receiving their Hall of Fame trophies. Inductee Dan Raymondi, Class of 1965, is not pictured.



GARY DINARDO (left), Class of 1981, Paul Sutherland (second from right), Class of 1976 and Joe Brill (right), Class of 1974 pose with their former coach, A. Bud Mosher (second from left) after receiving their Hall of Fame trophies. Not pictured: Bob Lane, Class of 1973.



JULIA RUTH STEVENS (center), daughter of Babe Ruth, takes in the festivities with George Burke (left) and Joe Brill (right) at the Hall of Fame induction dinner at the Quincy Sons of Italy. Stevens was a special guest speaker at the event.



TOM BALZANO (left), Class of 1991, Robbie Kane (second from left), Class of 1993, Tom Malvesti (second from right), Class of 1994 and Chris Barrett (right), father of the late Steve Barrett, Class of 1995, pose with their Hall of Fame trophies with their former coach Bob Sylvia (center).

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Quincy Bounces Back Against Brighton, Still In Playoff Hunt

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy Presidents are not down for the count just yet.

After losing three times last week, at home against Nauset (7-6), at Plymouth North (10-6) and on the road versus Sandwich (6-5 in eight innings), the Presidents rebounded with a huge 10-1 win Saturday over Brighton at Adams Field.

"To come back on Saturday and get that win was huge for our team," said head coach Mike Draicchio. "We played a heart-breaker on Friday night on the road at Sandwich in which we lost on a walk-off homerun in extra innings. It was a big momentum spark for the team and we are still in the running for a spot in the post-season because of that victory."

Quincy (6-8 overall) needs to win four out of their last six regular season games to qualify for the Division II South Sectionals.

"At the moment we are looking at a 6-8 record," Draicchio said. "With that huge win against Brighton, we need to win four out of our last six games. Three of

BASEBALL

the teams we play, we have already beaten. We still have our chance to get into the tournament."

Junior Mike LeBel was the hero against Brighton. LeBel, pitching for the first time this season, gave up one run over seven innings, allowing six hits and three walks while striking out three batters. LeBel went 3-for-4 at the plate with two runs scored and one RBI to help the Presidents score seven runs in the first three innings.

"Mike LeBel, in his first game on the mound for us, gave his team a huge boost," Draicchio added. "He pitched us to a much-needed victory."

Senior captains Steve Connolly (2-for-4, two RBI) and John Alexander (2-for-3, two runs scored, one RBI) stepped up for the Presidents when the team needed them the most. Connolly notched his first RBI in the bottom of the first inning and Alexander was involved in the scoring in both the first and the third innings as Quincy pulled away from previously unbeaten Brighton High

School.

Senior designated hitter Dan O'Connell finished the game 1-for-2 with three RBI.

In their game versus Nauset High School on May 7, the Presidents had the game in their grasp, but fell by a hard-luck score of 7-6.

"It was a good game by both teams," Draicchio said. "We just had too many mistakes in the field and they cost us. This was a team we probably should have beat."

The offensive stars for Quincy were juniors Ricky Salvucci (2-for-4, RBI) and Mike LeBel (1-for-3, triple, 3 RBI) and seniors Steve Connolly (2-for-4, RBI) and Matt Boyle (1-for-4, RBI).

Against Plymouth North, Quincy could not hold off the Atlantic Coast League North Division leaders, and fell in defeat 10-6.

Mike LeBel and Matt Boyle both went 2-for-4 at the plate with one RBI. Senior Mike Leone finished the game 1-for-3 with one run scored and one RBI and junior Teddy Walsh went 0-for-2 with a fielder's choice RBI groundout in the sixth inning.

Starting pitcher Dan

Meyers drove in two runs with a triple in the second inning.

Last Friday versus Sandwich, the Presidents took the hosts to extra innings, but lost 6-5 on a walk-off solo homerun in the bottom of the eighth inning.

Senior John Alexander hit two solo homeruns (in the fourth and sixth innings) for Quincy and senior Mike Leone went 3-for-4 with one RBI. Steve Connolly (1-for-2, two BB, RBI) and junior Joe Reggininni (1-for-4, single) also contributed at the dish and in the field.

"This loss was tough to take," Draicchio said. "To lose in extra innings was tough, but we rebounded well against Brighton. Joe Reggininni caught a great game for us behind the plate and Alexander hit two homeruns. It was just too bad that they were both solo shots."

The Presidents played Whitman-Hanson on Monday at Adams Field and played last night against Marshfield. Their next home game is Monday night at 6:30 p.m. against North Quincy High School at Adams Field.

The Quincy Tennis Club Offers Free Junior Tennis Clinic

The Quincy Tennis Club is offering a free junior tennis clinic for children ages 7-11 on Tuesday, June 19 from 1-3 p.m. at the Quincy Tennis Club, 19 Glendale Rd.

An adult for registration and orientation purposes must accompany all children.

For additional information or inquiries, contact Ken Rickson at (617) 479-6106.

High School Summer Hockey Clinic At Youth Arena

The Quincy Youth Arena will host the South Shore Coaches League this summer. All area high school players are invited to participate. Varsity hockey coaches will coach the teams.

The league will start on June 24 and will consist of 10 games on Sundays

throughout the summer. The cost is \$210 per player and applications can be obtained at the Quincy Youth Arena.

Applications will not be accepted by phone. For more information go to www.qyarena.com or call (781) 871-0547.

Quincy Football Clinic June 19-22

The fourth annual Quincy Football Clinic will be held June 19-22 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Participants will receive instruction from NFL players and past Division I college football players.

For questions or any other inquiries, contact Jim Connor, varsity head football coach at North Quincy High School,

at (617) 838-9720.

Quincy Soccer Clinic

The third annual Quincy Soccer Clinic for players in grades 1-8 will be held June 19-22 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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JACQUELYN (left) AND ALISON (right) Eeley stand next to the statue of Andrew Carnegie in front of the clubhouse at Carnegie Abbey Golf Course in Portsmouth, RI. Alison finished in third-place in the 18-hole division of the 22nd Annual Pippy O'Connor Independent Schools Girls Golf Classic, while Jacquelyn took home first-place honors in the 9-hole division.

Alison, Jacquelyn Eeley: Young Golf Phenoms

If you are a fan of the game of golf, here are two local names that you should remember in the coming years: Alison and Jacquelyn Eeley.

Alison, a seventh grader at Thayer Academy in Braintree, and Jacquelyn, a sixth grader at Meeting House Montessori School in Braintree, recently competed in the 22nd Annual Pippy O'Connor Independent Schools Girls Golf Classic at Carnegie Abbey in Portsmouth, Rhode Island.

Alison played in the 61-player, 18-hole division and finished in a tie for third place with a round of 81, while Jacquelyn competed in the 37-player, 9-hole division and finished in first-place with a round of 36.

The Pippy O'Connor golf tournament is made up of girls from the entire Independent League schools from all over New England. This year 34 different school schools participated in the tournament.

Alison is the only girl on the co-ed Thayer Academy varsity golf team and plays at the number eight position. She represented Massachusetts in the U.S. Kids World Golf Championship in

Williamsburg, VA when she was 10 and 12 years old.

Jacquelyn was the Women's Golf Association of Massachusetts State Champion in the 10 & under division in 2005 and she will be representing Massachusetts in the U.S. Kids World Golf Championships at Pinehurst at the end of July.

"Both of them are great golfers," said their father Peter Eeley. "Alison is so mentally tough on the course and Jacquelyn is very dangerous in her short game. The two of them, along with their brother Peter, have been playing golf for about five years. Both Alison and Jacquelyn play ice hockey for Quincy Youth Hockey, but golf is probably their best sport."

Alison and Jacquelyn's brother Peter is a ninth grader at Thayer Academy, and he is no slouch when it comes to golf. Peter plays at the number one position for the Thayer Academy golf team and was the Massachusetts Golf Association State Champion in the 13 & under division in 2004.

The Eeleys' practice their golf games at Black Rock Country Club in Hingham.

By SEAN BRENNAN



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For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.



MEMBERS OF THE 2007 POINT WEBSTER championship team receive their trophies from Recreation Department Director Barry J. Welch after their 35-24 victory over Montclair in the Quincy Recreation Department's Middle School Basketball tournament. Front row from the left: Keenan Daniels, Matt Kelly, Ryan Schultz, Lonell Moody and Alex Buttari. Back row from the left: Barry J. Welch, Coach Vincent Pastore, Bobby Kozlowski, Tom Paluzzi, Kevin Phan, Mahmud Marhamo and Coach Jonathan Brillo.



MEMBERS OF THE MONTCLAIR Gym team receive their finalist certificates from Recreation Director Barry J. Welch. Front row from the left: Jeffrey Dao, Dylan O'Neil, Brendan Nealon and Evan Beam. Back row from the left: Eddie Costello, Garrett Kelly, Shannon Nixon, Bobby Page, Daquan Williams, Zerick Fadairo, Mike King, Coach Dean Zoia and Barry J. Welch.

North Quincy Boys Lacrosse Edges Dennis-Yarmouth, 8-7

The North Quincy High School boys lacrosse team defeated Dennis-Yarmouth High School 8-7 last Friday in Atlantic Coast League play.

Senior Adam Tragellis' steal of a Dolphin pass, and his subsequent pass to

teammate Terrence Sibley, resulted in the winning goal by Joe Morris with a minute left in the overtime period.

Sibley finished the game with four goals and three assists. Senior Jimmy Fitzpatrick scored three times and added two assists and

Matt Martin played an all-around solid defensive game for the Red Raiders.

On Saturday, the Red Raiders earned their fourth win of the spring with a 9-5 victory over New Bedford in non-league play.

Jimmy Fitzpatrick scored five goals and sophomore midfielder Matt Furey notched four assists in the win.

North Quincy's record on the season now stands at 4-9 overall.

Point Webster Hoop Champs

The Point Webster School Gym defeated Montclair Gym 35-24 to capture the Quincy Recreation Department's All-City Basketball Middle School Championship.

Point Webster played a well-balanced game and saw seven players get on the score sheet. Mahmud Marhamo led all scorers with 10 points and Ryan Schultz scored nine points. Marhamo did most of his scoring in the second half (8 points), while Schultz scored six of his points in the first half.

Others scoring for Point Webster included Alex Buttari (6 points), Lonell Moody (4 points), Keenan Daniels (3 points), Bobby Kozlowski (2 points) and Thomas Paluzzi. Kevin Phan played stellar defense and Matt Kelly showed off his ball handling skills in the win.

The team was co-coached by veteran recreation supervisor Jonathan Brillo

and first-year recreation leader Vincent Pastore. The coaches alternate games during the single elimination tournament.

Dean Zoia coached Montclair, the youngest of the two teams. Garrett Kelly was the team's leading scorer with 10 points and Dylan O'Neil scored seven points. Also contributing on the scoreboard for Montclair were Brendan Nealon (3 points), Jeff Dao (2 points) and Zerick Fadairo (2 points).

Daquan Williams and Shanon Nixon were outstanding on the boards. Bobby Page played a strong game on offense and Zoia cited Mike King for his playmaking and fine passing. Eddie King finished the game with several steals.

In the semifinals, Montclair defeated Atlantic 36-28 to advance to the finals. Alex Chan (15 pts.), Tiabao Shang (6 pts.), Anthony Chen (4 pts.), Huang Cu (2 pts.)

and Matria Mell (1 pt.) all scored for Atlantic. Paul Griffith coached the team.

In the other semifinal game, Point Webster defeated Snug Harbor 50-34. David Nhan was the only Snug Harbor player to score in double figures. He finished the game with 15 points. Also scoring for Snug Harbor were Brandon Dean (8 pts.), Johnny Lu (3 pts.), Reggie Cesar (3 pts.), Mike Ryan (2 pts.) and Derek Seto (3 pts.). Matt Lavery was the coach.

Also playing well in the earlier tournament rounds was a young entry from Merrymount Gym. Playing well for Merrymount were Jack McDonald (8 pts.), Kiley McDonald (4 pts.), Pat Gould (3 pts.), Chris Keenan, Connor Clifford and Dan Gould (all with 2 points). Coaches Corey Awed and Matt Carson had high praise for Christina Cahill's rebounding skills and Tim Keenan's ball handling skills.

Celebration In Honor Of 'The Yakoo,' Dr. Allan Yacubian June 10

On June 10, 2007 there will be a celebration of "fifty years" for North Quincy High School's Yakoo and a great benefactor to sports in general for the Quincy school's, Dr. Allan Yacubian.

This celebration, sponsored by the Quincy

High School Alumni Benefit Fund and the Classes of the 1950s, of Dr. Yacubian will be held at the Sons of Italy Social Hall on Quarry St. at 1 p.m. Tickets for the event will be \$10. A cash bar and refreshments will be available.

It would be appreciated if

you could contact any alumni of your class year to come and help us show our appreciation for all the good Dr. Yacubian has done for our schools over the years.

To purchase tickets, contact either Ron Ivil at (781) 337-0062 or Joe Minukas at (617) 328-4489.

Quincy, North Boys Volleyball Win

North Quincy (4-10 overall) got 23 digs and three aces from captain Danny Sok in their 3-1 victory over Durfee High School last Friday night in South Alliance boys volleyball action.

Dennis Martin (10 kills,

five blocks) and Matt O'Neil (nine kills, six blocks) both played well around the net.

The game scores were 27-25, 25-19, 24-26 and 25-21.

In other action, Junior Andrew Paine recorded 20 kills to put him over 300 on the season to help lead the

Quincy Presidents (12-3 overall) to a 3-1 victory over Brockton in non-league play.

Paine also contributed with 12 digs and three blocks. Junior Mike Mottola finished the game with nine kills and eight digs.

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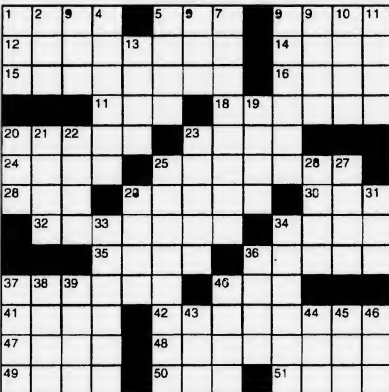
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1. MUSIC: What was the name of the autobiographical movie about rap singer Eminem?
2. POLITICS: Who was known as "Mr. Republican"?
3. ANATOMY: What is another name for the breastbone?
4. ARCHITECTURE: What is a colonnade?
5. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a kookaburra?
6. LITERATURE: In "Lord of the Rings," what is the family relationship between Frodo and Bilbo?
7. HISTORY: What caused the Irish potato famine?
8. ENTERTAINERS: What job did Johnny Depp hold before he became a famous actor?
9. GEOGRAPHY: What is the longest river in China?
10. MEDICINE: What is milk of magnesia used for?

Answers

1. "8 Mile"
2. Ohio Sen. Robert Taft
3. Sternum
4. A series of columns
5. A type of bird in the kingfisher family
6. Cousins
7. A fungus called potato blight
8. Ballpoint pen salesman
9. Yangtze River
10. As an antacid, to calm an upset stomach

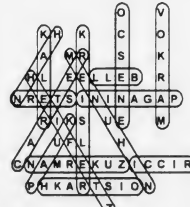
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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It's time for the bold and beautiful Bovine to shake off the dust of the past and shape up with new ideas for the future. This could surprise some folks, but they'll soon adjust.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Those nagging new doubts about an upcoming decision should alert you to step back (at least temporarily) so you can reassess its potential impact from a new perspective.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) That unpleasant situation you hoped would go away by itself needs immediate attention before it affects an upcoming decision. Expect your supporters to rally around your cause.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You're moving up and away from that recent setback. But remain cautious about finances. An exercise in thrift today helps cushion a possible end-of-the-month money squeeze.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You're still dealing with overtones of pessimism that cause you to doubt your ability to make some needed changes. But the negative pressures will ease up by week's end.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) There could be some fallout from the way you handled a recent family problem. But those who know that you were in the right won't hesitate to step in on your behalf.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Financial strains ease by week's end. Meanwhile, focus on cultivating that new relationship if you hope to have it blossom into something more meaningful.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Health matters once again dominate the week. Be careful not to ignore recurrences of an old problem. An almost-forgotten commitment resurfaces.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) The emergence of an unusual selfish streak could dismay those close to you. Defy it -- don't justify it -- so you can become your gracious self again.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Reassess your decision to stay with the status quo. It might seem like the sensible thing to do right now, but changes around you could make that choice a risky one.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Move decisively but cautiously when dealing with a delicate personal matter. The fewer mistakes you make now, the less likely it is that the problem will recur later on.

BORN THIS WEEK: You can find beauty where many cannot. And you enjoy sharing your discovery with others.

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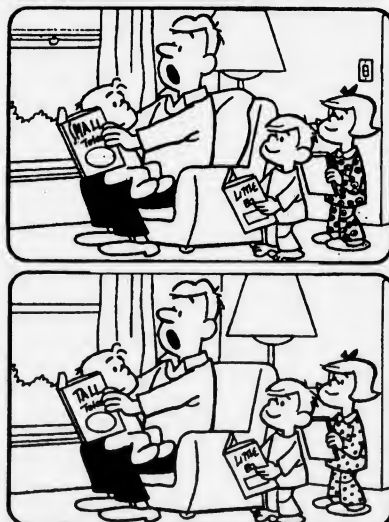
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OBITUARIES

Robert F. Green, 74

Retired MBTA Mechanic

A funeral Mass for Robert F. Green, 74, of Quincy, formerly of Weymouth, a retired MBTA bus mechanic, was celebrated May 12 at St. John's Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Green died May 7 at Queen Anne Nursing Home in Hingham.

He worked 20 years for the T and retired in 1980.

He was a Navy veteran, serving from 1955 to 1957.

Born in Boston, Mr. Green lived in Weymouth before moving to Quincy 18 years ago.

He enjoyed music.

He is survived by two sons, Michael Green and Patrick Green of Plymouth; a daughter, Linda Green; three sisters, Alice Trainor of Prince Edward Island, Canada; Dorothy Fredey of Weymouth and Evelyn MacDonald of Abington; two



ROBERT F. GREEN brothers, Donald Green of Quincy and William Green of Hanson; three grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grand-nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Disabled American Veterans, State House - Room 546, Boston, MA 02133.

Mary Ann Griffin

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Mary Ann "Maunie" Griffin of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated May 11 at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Griffin died May 7 at home.

Born in Boston, she lived in Jamaica Plain before moving to Quincy 15 years ago.

She enjoyed traveling and trips to Walt Disney World.

She is survived by two daughters, Samantha Griffin and Michelle Griffin of Quincy; a sister, Lucy Mikalaukis of Dorchester; a brother, James Griffin of Boston; and two grandchildren.



MARY ANN GRIFFIN Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to The Ovarian Cancer Research Fund, 14 Pennsylvania Plaza, Suite 1400, New York, NY 10122.

Francis B. Sibella, 73

Retired Maintenance Worker

A funeral Mass for Francis B. Sibella, 73, of Quincy, a retired maintenance worker, was celebrated May 11 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mr. Sibella died May 6 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked for Seymour Ice Cream Co. for 30 years, retiring in 1991. He received company honors for his attendance and punctuality.

Born in Boston, Mr. Sibella lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 40 years ago.

He was a member of Sacred Heart Church in Quincy.

Throughout most of his life, he was cared for by his sister, Mary Sibella, who died in November. He then went to live with his sister, Joan O'Connor of Quincy.

His interests included sports, horse racing at Suffolk Downs, bowling, and walking the neighborhood. He was a fan of the Boston



FRANCIS B. SIBELLA

Red Sox.

Mr. Sibella is survived by two other sisters, Angela Becker of Boston and Geraldine Sullivan of Hingham; and a brother, Bernard "Jackie" Sibella of Hull. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Cardinal Cushing Centers, 405 Washington St., Hanover, MA 02339.

Helena M. Berry, 91

Blue Cross Blue Shield Employee

A funeral Mass for Helena M. (Walsh) Berry, 91, of Quincy, was celebrated May 9 at St. Gregory's Church, Dorchester.

Mrs. Berry died May 6 at Massachusetts General Hospital after a long illness.

She worked for Blue Cross Blue Shield for 15 years. In her earlier years, she was a model in the fashion industry.

Mrs. Berry was born and raised in Charlestown and was a graduate of Charlestown High School.

She had lived in Milton before moving to Quincy in 1975.

She served in the signal division of the Women's Air Corps during World War II.

Wife of the late John W. Berry, she is survived by two daughters, Patricia Berry of New York City and Roberta Berry of Quincy, and a niece.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Chapman, Cole and Gleason Funeral Home, Milton.

Edith Chignola, 97

Hospital Volunteer

A funeral service for Edith Chignola, 97, of Quincy, a volunteer at Quincy Hospital for several years, was held May 8 at Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, 116 Franklin St., Quincy.

Miss Chignola died May 5 at Braintree Landing Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

Born in Quincy, she was a lifelong Quincy resident and a 1927 graduate of Quincy High School.

She worked for the former South Shore National Bank in Quincy.

She is survived by two nieces, Marie Marini of Braintree and Norma Twomey of Norwell; a nephew, Joseph DeNicola of Hingham; and many grandchildren, grandnephews, great-grandnieces and great-grand-nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Yvette Shaw, 78

Former Business Owner

A funeral service for Yvette "Ma Shaw" (Cote) Shaw, 78, of Quincy, a former business owner, was held May 11 at Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Mrs. Shaw died May 7 at home.

She operated a pet grooming business at her home for many years.

Born in Lewiston, Maine, she moved to the Houghs Neck section of Quincy in 1939 when she was 10. She lived on Bayview Avenue where she met her husband of 53 years, Richard D. Shaw. They married in 1954 and moved to Homestead Avenue in Houghs Neck.

Mrs. Shaw was a member of Houghs Neck Congregational Church for 53 years.

She loved animals and cared for neighborhood pets and strays. She would give first aid to injured wildlife.

She also enjoyed elephants and was never without some sort of elephant jewelry item.

Mrs. Shaw enjoyed baking, especially wedding cakes, and gardening.



YVETTE SHAW

In addition to her husband, she is survived by three daughters, Yvette Grady and Karen Grillo of Quincy and Dorothy Marrocco of Hanson; two sons, Gary Shaw and Michael Shaw of Quincy; a stepson, Richard Shaw of Covington, VA; three sisters, Jeannette Keeley of Abington, Barbara McDonald of Plymouth and Clara Richardson of Waterville, ME; a brother, Charles Richardson; 15 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was the mother of the late Tracy Shaw.

Burial was private.

Andrea Ritchie, 56

N.E. Telephone Employee

A memorial service for Andrea (McLaughlin) Ritchie, 56, of Quincy, formerly of Jacksonville, Fla., will be held at a later date. Mrs. Ritchie died May 9 at Earl B. Hadlow Center for Caring in Florida after a long battle with cancer.

She worked in upper management at the former New England Telephone Company.

Mrs. Ritchie graduated from Milton High School and from Boston State College.

She is survived by her husband, Donald Ritchie; a

daughter, Tara Pingalore of Jacksonville; her mother, Catherine (Farrell) McLaughlin of Jacksonville; a sister, Jane Gibson of Jacksonville; three brothers, James Ritchie, John Ritchie and Frederick Ritchie, all of Jacksonville; two grandsons; and two aunts and many nieces and nephews.

She was the daughter of the late James F. McLaughlin.

Funeral arrangements were made by Quinn-Shalz Family Funeral Home, Jacksonville Beach, Fla.

Edward J. Melia, 76

Retired Engineer

A funeral Mass for Edward J. Melia, 76, of Quincy, a retired engineer, was celebrated Wednesday in St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mr. Melia died May 12 at home.

He worked in heating, ventilation and air conditioning for the First National

supermarket chain.

He was an Army veteran of the Korean War, serving from 1950 to 1953.

Mr. Melia was born in Chelsea and raised in Revere. He was a graduate of Revere schools and Wentworth Institute of Technology.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy J. (Kelly) Melia; four daughters, Mary LeBlanc of Abington, Kathleen Melia of Quincy, Jane McNulty of Plymouth, N.H., and Susan Clements of Braintree; three sons, Edward Melia Jr. of Boston, Paul Melia of Duxbury and Joseph Melia of Medfield; 13 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were by Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.



SCOTT DEWARE

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Why, Why, why WHY did this have to happen to me? When misfortune, disaster or tragedy occurs, the question is difficult to try to answer. Even if there is a known answer, and most of the time there is none, it is an unacceptable answer.

If one is presumptuous enough to try to answer: if one resorts to the retort of courage being needed, one knows how futile it can be.

Yet, when bewilderment and grief exist a mortal human being can help. In one such instance, there was an unforgettable scene which will always be remembered.

A close friend of a grief stricken family stopped in, unaware that tragedy had struck. Shocked at the bomb shell news, he stumbled around for words. Then in impromptu and certainly in unhearsd manner, he replied, "I can't tell you. No one can. I'm not an overly religious man as you know, but I think it will do us all good. Let's pray. I believe it would help."

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Jeanne Thomas, 58**Administrative Assistant**

A funeral service for Jeanne (Connors) Thomas, 58, of Quincy, an administrative assistant, was held May 12 at Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mrs. Thomas died May 9 at Caritas Good Samaritan Hospital, Brockton.

She worked for Pile Driver's Union Local 56 in Boston for more than 10 years.

Mrs. Thomas was born in Quincy and raised in Bridgewater and Quincy. She was a 1967 graduate of Quincy High School.

She lived most of her life in Quincy.

She enjoyed gardening.

She is survived by her husband, Robert W. Thomas; a daughter, Heather Shannon of Braintree; a son, Kirk Thomas

**JEANNE THOMAS**

mas of Quincy; a brother, John Connors of Middleboro; and two sisters, Lynne Adams of Hadley and Helen Pedrelli of Cumming, GA. Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1115 West Chestnut St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Louis D. Rossini, 80**Former Truck Mechanic**

A funeral Mass for Louis D. Rossini, 80, of West Quincy, a former truck mechanic and park foreman, was celebrated May 10 at St. Mary's Church, 95 Crescent St., West Quincy.

Mr. Rossini died May 6 at home.

He worked for the Metropolitan District Commission for 48 years. He was honored twice by former Gov. Michael Dukakis with the Spirit of Massachusetts Achievement Award in recognition of his work to beautify state lands.

He was an Army veteran of World War II and a member of Disabled American Veterans.

He enjoyed hunting and fishing trips with his family in the Berkshires. He was an avid gardener and landscaper and enjoyed training beagles for hunting.

Mr. Rossini was a communicant of St. Mary's Church in West Quincy and a member of Cyril P. Morrisette Post.

He was born and raised in West Quincy, where he lived all his life.

He is survived by his wife, Constance E. (Bibby) Rossini; three sons, David Rossini of Halifax, and Michael Rossini and Edward Rossini of Randolph; a daughter, Susanne Rossini of Quincy; a sister, Mary Fachetti of Braintree; and seven grandchildren.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Disabled American Veteran Charitable Service Trust, 3725 Alexandria Pike, Cold Spring, Kentucky, 41076.

Judith Klingelhofer, 92**Served In Army Nurse Corps**

A funeral Mass for Judith (Gorman) Klingelhofer, 92, of North Quincy, a World War II veteran who lost her husband in the war, was celebrated Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Klingelhofer died May 4 at Boston Medical Center after a brief illness.

Born in Boston, she had lived in Quincy for 55 years.

She joined the Army Nurse Corps just after the war began. She served in Maine, California and the island of Saipan in the Pacific, where she married a soldier, Walter Klingelhofer. He was killed in a bombing raid shortly after their wedding.

Mrs. Klingelhofer worked at the former Boston City Hospital, now Boston Medical Center, for several years. She was a graduate of Boston City Hospital School of Nursing.

After the war, she attended Massachusetts College of Art.

Mrs. Klingelhofer was a self-employed artist and taught painting in her home and at local schools.

She was a longtime member of the Quincy Art Association.

She is survived by many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Lydon Funeral Chapel, Wollaston.

Blood Pressure Clinics For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Mary R. Henwood, 68**Homemaker**

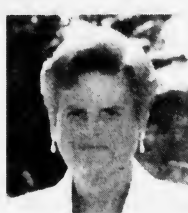
A funeral Mass for Mary R. "Rosie" (Neary) Henwood, 68, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated Monday at Holy Trinity Parish in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Houghs Neck. Mrs. Henwood died May 10 at home.

Born in Boston, she lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy more than 40 years ago.

She was a member of the Marianas.

Mrs. Henwood enjoyed dancing, playing bingo and card games, gardening and Irish music. She also enjoyed traveling to Aruba, the Bahamas and Cape Cod.

She is survived by her husband of 49 years, Charles J. Henwood Sr.; two sons, Charles J. Hendwood Jr. and James Morgan Henwood of Quincy; three daughters, Maryann Brooks and Maureen P. O'Connor of Quincy and Janet Marie

**MARY R. HENWOOD**

Connolly of Rockland; a sister, Arlene Lang of Florida; a brother, Thomas Neary of Lawrence; and seven grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Greater Boston and Brockton, 500 Belmont St., Suite 215, Brockton, MA 02301.

Frederick V. Palmer, 86**Business Owner, World War II Veteran**

A funeral Mass for Frederick V. Palmer, 86, of West Bridgewater, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated May 12 at St. Ann's Church, West Bridgewater.

Mr. Palmer died May 8 at Brockton Hospital after a brief illness.

He owned the P and T Co., Inc. in Brockton for 40 years and T and P Realty in Brockton for five years.

Mr. Palmer was a World War II Army veteran and served with the 534th Amphibious Engineers in the Pacific Theater.

He was a fan of the Boston Red Sox and New England Patriots. He loved his home and pets.

He enjoyed his daily lunch at George's Cafe with his son-in-law.

Mr. Palmer was born and raised in Quincy. He had lived in Brockton for 44 years before moving to West Bridgewater 17 years ago.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Teresa (Spadea) Palmer; a son, Frederick J. Palmer Jr. of West Bridgewater; a daughter, Cheryl Smith of West Bridgewater; a sister, Gladys Bradford of Florida; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

Funeral arrangements were made by Conley Funeral Home, Brockton.

Vets Adviser**At COA Office**

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

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The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

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tered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly. Appointments can be made; walk-ins also are accepted. Call 617-376-1506.

Elbridge H. Edson Jr., 76**Machinist**

A funeral service for Elbridge H. "Roger" Edson Jr., 76, of Allentown, N.H., formerly of Quincy, a machinist, was held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Edson died May 1 at home.

He worked as a machinist in the manufacturing industry for more than 30 years.

Mr. Edson served in the Army National Guard.

Born in Plymouth, he was raised in Concord, N.H. He had lived in Milton, Quincy and Hingham before moving to Allentown in 1988.

He was a member of St. Chrysostom's Church, Quincy.

He is survived by his wife, Mary E. (Kelly) Edson; a son,



ELBRIDGE H. EDSON JR. Keith Edson of New Hampshire; two brothers, Gary Edson and Walter Edson of New Hampshire; three sisters, Dotti Edson, Nancy Place and Carol Birch of New Hampshire; two grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was the father of the late William Edson, Robert Edson and Susan Edson.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Anna Marie Flaherty, 84**Former Telephone Operator**

A graveside service for Anna Marie (Peletsky) Flaherty, 84, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a former telephone operator, was held Monday at Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Mrs. Flaherty died May 9 at Kindred Northeast Speciality Hospital in Braintree.

She was also a teletype operator for New England Telephone, and later worked in banking.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Dorchester. She lived in Quincy before moving to South Yarmouth in 1988. She moved to Weymouth in 2004 and was a resident of Union Towers

One. Mrs. Flaherty was a former parishioner of Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy.

She enjoyed playing bingo at local churches.

Wife of the late Edward Francis Flaherty, she is survived by two sons, Dennis J. Flaherty of Quincy and Edward P. Flaherty of Sagamore; three grandchildren and a great-granddaughter; and nieces and nephews.

She was the mother of the late Thomas K. Flaherty.

Funeral arrangements were made by Mortimer N. Peck-Russell Peck Funeral Home, East Weymouth.

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Bishop To Visit St. Chrysostom's Sunday

The Right Rev. Gayle Elizabeth Harris, Suffragan Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, is scheduled to visit St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Sunday, May 20.

Bishop Harris, who has

oversight of most of the urban parishes in the Diocese, will celebrate and preach at the 10 a.m. service. She will also have luncheon with parishioners and conduct a meeting of the parish vestry.

Bishop Harris will be

honored with a performance by "Andrew and Expressions," and Tracy O'Sullivan, a parishioner and area voice teacher, will be the soprano soloist.

The public is welcome to this celebration of the ministry of the parish.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The adult bible study class begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Kelly Cobble. Ushers will be Paul and Linda DeGregio.

The coffee hour hosts are Ginny Hawes, Jeanne Coullard and Dottie Hall.

Upcoming events include

the annual yard sale on Saturday, May 19 and Family Movie Night Saturday, May 26 at 6 p.m. Featured film is "Over the Hedge."

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information. All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

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Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Collegium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Morrisette Legion Post Memorial Day Ceremony May 28

The Morrisette American Legion Post will hold its annual Memorial Day ceremony Monday, May 28 at 8:45 a.m. at St. Mary's Church parking lot, Crescent St., West Quincy.

After formation the color guard and all in attendance

will parade over to Hall Cemetery.

Master of ceremonies will be Lawrence Norton.

Guest speaker this year is state Sen. Michael Morrissey. Invocation will be by the Rev. Keijo Aheo and benediction will be said by the

Legion Chaplain Harold DiMatteo.

Post Commander Steve Dunlea will place the wreaths at the graves of the deceased members.

The ceremony is open to the public.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have Sunday Worship and Baptism and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the ser-

vice and preach a sermon entitled "When Trouble Comes."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship

service there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

First Church Of Squantum

The First Church of Squantum Men's Breakfast will meet Saturday, May 19 at 8 a.m. in the church hall, 164 Bellevue Rd.

The Fiber Arts Group will meet Tuesday, May 22 at 9:30 a.m. on the first floor of the church building. Anyone interested in hand crafts is in-

vited to attend.

On-going lessons in knitting and traditional rug hooking are available to whom-ever wishes instruction.

Law For Elders Program May 22

The Council on Aging and the Massachusetts Bar Association will present the 2007 Elder Law Education Program Tuesday, May 22, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the Richard Koch Park & Recreation Complex, One Merrymount Parkway.

Attorney Thomas Mullen will be the presenter.

Some of the topics to be covered include: How to protect your home and assets? Power of attorney and health

care proxies; Reverse mortgages, Medicare/Medicaid. For a reservation, call the COA at 617-376-1506.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Assemblies of God

Glad Tidings
158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797
Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor

Sunday, Worship, 8:30, 11 a.m. Christian Ed. 10 a.m.
Senior H. Youth "P.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study
Royal Ranger Missions. Friday Junior H. Youth "P.m.

Youth & Children's Ministry
•Contemporary Worship
•Marriage & Family Group
•International Fellowship
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Catholic

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Masses
Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30
& 11:30am, Weekdays 9am
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Unitarian

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Worship Service & Church School
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Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister
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Congregational

First Church of Squantum
164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649
Pastor: St. Michael S. Robertson
Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
All Are Welcome

QUINCY POINT
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424
Worship and Church School 10 am
Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor
visit us at www.QPCC.org

First Spiritualist Church of Quincy
40 West St., Quincy • (617) 770-2246
Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM
Coffee and Conversation following service.
(Services 8 PM Wednesdays June, July, August)
Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Catholic	Congregational	Congregational
Sacred Heart Church "A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service" 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy) 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am Handicapped Accessible Confessions Sat. 3:30-4pm in Saint Joseph Oratory	HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org Sunday, May 20 Worship Service 9:30 am Ascension Sunday 'There He Goes! Acts 1: 1-11 Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Castricum 617-479-8778	WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432 Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford 10 a.m. Worship Service SUNDAY, May 20 Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching Sermon Title "That They May All Be One"
St. Joseph's Church 550 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-472-6321 SUNDAY MASSES: 4 p.m. (On Saturday) 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. Weekday Masses 9am CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm Handicapped accessible & Handicapped parking, side entrance air conditioned	BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Spear & Coddington Streets, Quincy Center, 617-479-7300 10 a.m. SUNDAY WORSHIP Baptism and Sunday School Sermon By Rev. William Harding "When Trouble Comes" ALL ARE WELCOME Child Care Available Fellowship Time in Allen Parlor Following Worship Service Wheelchair Accessible	UNION CHURCH Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston (617) 479-6661 Sunday Worship Service 10 AM Rev. John Swanson, Pastor
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST 44 School St., Quincy 617-773-1021 Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy) Weekday Masses Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Handicapped Accessible Saint Ann's Church 757 Hancock St., Wollaston • 617-479-5400 Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM Daily Masses: 9:00 AM Handicapped Chariot Available	Christian Science First Church of Christ, Scientist 10:30 AM Sunday Service & Sunday School 7:30 PM Wednesday Evening Meeting 20 Greenleaf Street Quincy off Hancock St. 617-472-0055	Covenant COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Whitwell & Granite St. Sunday Worship 10:00 AM Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor 9 a.m. - Christian Education for all ages Child Care Available - All Are Welcome Children's Pantry Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon (617) 479-5728
	Nazarene Wollaston Church of the Nazarene 37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston (617) 472-5669 On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College Pastor: Rev. Fred. Fullerton Sunday Services 8:30 am - Holy Communion 9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School 11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service Come Worship with Us!	Evangelical EVANGELICAL CHURCH OF ATLANTIC 65 Newbury Ave. North Quincy (617) 847-4444 • Pastor Bill Donahue 10:30 Sunday Worship 6PM Prayer Meeting 7PM Brazilian A/G Service 7PM Thursday Bible Study
		Episcopal St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy (617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Hefling Sunday School 9 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m. Nursery Care During Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME THRIFT SHOP HRS. W. TH. FR. 10am-4pm
		Methodist QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Gridden, Pastor
		THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 Sunday SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

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7PM Thursday Bible Study

Squantum Christian Fellowship
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Children's Class 10 a.m.
Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m.
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email: info@squantumcfl.org

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225 Fenn St., Wollaston
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Bible Study Wednesdays at 7 pm
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OBITUARY

Arthur E. Ford, 100 Retired Building Superintendent

A funeral Mass for Arthur E. Ford, 100, of Quincy, a retired building superintendent, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Clare's Church, Braintree.

Mr. Ford died May 11. He worked at A.W. Perry Inc. in Boston and at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy during World War II.

Born in Easthampton, he was raised in East Boston.

Mr. Ford moved to Quincy after he married his wife, the late Mildred L. (Dewhurst) Ford. They were longtime communicants of St. Joseph's Church, Quincy Point.

He enjoyed music and played the piano in movie houses when he was young.

Mr. Ford lived at Harbor House Nursing Home in Hingham for 12 years.

He is survived by two sons, Gerald Ford of Holbrook and Edward Ford of East Weymouth; a sister, Ruth Nolan of Winthrop; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, East Weymouth.

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT NORFOLK DIVISION Docket No. 93P2507GI3 MORTGAGE OF REAL ESTATE

To all persons interested in the estate of PAUL A. DRISCOLL of QUINCY in said County, a person under guardianship.

A petition has been presented to said Court for authority to mortgage certain real estate of said PAUL A. DRISCOLL. If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said court at Canton before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 11TH day of JUNE 2007, the return day of this citation.

Witness, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this day 1ST of MAY 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register

5/17/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS MASSACHUSETTS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

A Design Public Hearing will be held by MassHighway to discuss the proposed Quincy Center Concourse roadway construction project in the City of Quincy.

WHERE: Thomas Crane Public Library
Large Meeting Room, First floor
40 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169

WHEN: Wednesday, May 30, 2007 at 7:00 P.M.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this hearing is to provide the public with the opportunity to become fully acquainted with the proposed Quincy Center Concourse project. All views and comments made at the hearing will be reviewed and considered to the maximum extent possible.

PROPOSAL: The proposed project consists of roadway and sidewalk reconstruction with new traffic signals along the new alignment from the end of the MassHighway Phase I project to the project limit west of the Washington Street intersection for a distance of 1900 feet. A 600 ft section of Quincy Avenue/Hancock Street is proposed for reconstruction including the intersection with Elm Street/School Street. The project continues along Elm Street improving the roadway layout and corner geometries. The project continues along Mechanic Street from 500 feet until the intersection with Revere Road.

A secure right-of-way is necessary for this project. Acquisitions in fee and permanent or temporary easements may be required. The City of Quincy is responsible for acquiring all needed rights in private or public lands. MassHighway's policy concerning land acquisitions will be discussed at this hearing.

Written views received by MassHighway subsequent to the date of this notice and up to five (5) days prior to the date of the hearing shall be displayed for public inspection and copying at the time and date listed above. Plans will be on display one-half hour before the hearing begins, with an engineer in attendance to answer questions regarding this project. A project handout is available on the MassHighway website listed below.

Written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing regarding the proposed undertaking are to be submitted to David Anderson, P.E., Acting Chief Engineer, Massachusetts Highway Department, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116. Such submissions will also be accepted at the hearing. The final date of receipt of these statements and exhibits for inclusion in the public hearing transcript will be ten (10) days after this Public Hearing.

The community has declared that this facility is accessible to all in compliance with the ADA/Title II. However, persons in need of ADA/Title II accommodations should contact Angela Rudikoff by phone at (617) 973-7005 or e-mail angela.rudikoff@eot.state.ma.us. Requests must be made at least 10 days prior to the date of the public hearing.

In case of inclement weather, hearing cancellation announcements will be posted on the MassHighway website <http://www.mass.gov/mhd>.

LUISA PAIEWONSKY
COMMISSIONER
Boston, Massachusetts
5/17, 5/24/07

LEGAL NOTICE Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07C0146CA1 In the Matter of WILLIAM BAKUMONA LUFULUABO of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR CHANGE OF NAME**
To all persons interested in a petition described:

A petition has been presented by WILLIAM BAKUMONA LUFULUABO praying that WILLIAM BAKUMONA LUFULUABO of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK be allowed to change his name as follows:
WILLIAM BAKUMONA LUFULUABO TO ABADDON ENIGMA ONYX.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 20, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/17/07

LEGAL NOTICE Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division Docket No. 07C0134CA1 In the Matter of THUY T. VUONG of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR CHANGE OF NAME**
To all persons interested in a petition described:

A petition has been presented by THUY T. VUONG praying that THUY T. VUONG of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK be allowed to change her name as follows:
THUY T. VUONG to SABRINA WONG.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 6, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 3, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/17/07

LEGAL NOTICE Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department Norfolk Division Docket No. 02P2133GI Notice of Fiduciary's Account

To the persons interested in the estate of Diana Newman late of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st - 4th and final account(s) of Family Service Association as guardian (the fiduciary) of said property of said Diana Newman has been presented to said Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the 14th day of June, 2007 the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 1st day of May, 2007.

**GUARDIAN AD LITEM
REQUIRED.**

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/17/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

City of Quincy Inspectional Services Department

Case No. 2007-01

Pursuant to the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 143, Section 100, a public hearing will be held by the Building Board of Appeals on May 30, 2007 at 2:00 p.m. in the conference room at the Department of Inspectional Services, 55 Sea Street, Quincy, MA on the application of property owner, Kathryn Hobin, for relief from 780 CMR (State Building Code), Section 3603.3 for fire resistance rating of exterior walls of the single family home known as 136 BABCOCK STREET.

Building Board of Appeal
Russell Erikson, Chairman ProTem
Frederick Smith
Kenneth Trillcott
Roger Wallin

5/17/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-027

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Frank A. Greco for relief from the provisions of the paving ordinance to allow for construction of a driveway with sufficient area for off-street parking for the residents of the existing three family house. Petitioner requests a dimensional Variance to construct a driveway in violation of 17.28.030.G.

The property is located at 12 Malvesti Way, Quincy and is shown as Lot 74 on Assessors Plan no. 4102.

5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-023

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Terence Welch for a Special Permit/Flood Plan to renovate the existing structure and add an addition in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.40.030, Section B, Footnote 5, (exceeds 25% of original footprint) on the premises numbered 358 ROCK ISLAND ROAD, QUINCY.

5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-024

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of William Lanergan for a Variance to construct an addition 3.5 off the property line in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 58 CLIFF STREET, QUINCY.

5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-025

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Lux Dental for a Special permit to erect one double sided lightbox sign at existing pylon sign pole in addition to existing sign in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.32.070.6.B (ground signs) on the premises numbered 501 WASHINGTON STREET, QUINCY.

5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-026

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Daniel Hurley for a Variance to replace a non-conforming farmers porch that was demolished a few years ago in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional) on the premises numbered 38 BELL STREET, QUINCY.

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Martin Aikens, Chairman

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Quincy Community Action Programs Annual Meeting, Awards Ceremony May 23

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. (QCAP) Board of Directors will induct new board members and officers at its annual meeting and awards ceremony Wednesday, May 23 at 5:30 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, Quincy.

The meeting is open to the public.

Retiring Board President, Charles J. Phelan, Jr. will be recognized at the event for his long time service to QCAP's Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors will also present their annual Extra Mile Community Awards to community members who go the extra mile on behalf of the agency, clients and our mission without the expectation of recognition.

This year's award recipients include

- Patrick Corcoran for his commitment to revitalizing the Brewer's Corner Neighborhood in Southwest

Quincy and supporting QCAP's Southwest Community Center;

- QCAP's 2007 Volunteer Tax Counselors - Mike Berry, Marcell Bittle, Sharon Bradshaw, Cindy Cheng, Peter Donohoe, John Freeman, Mike Iacovello, Fay Leong, Linda MacDonald, Christopher Neligon, Jason Pesaturo, Marguerite Paul, Margaret Sweeney, Shi Xia (Amy) Wu, a group of dedicated people who donated a tremendous amount of time and talent providing free tax preparation services to low-income taxpayers within our community; and

- Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc., a dedicated corporate partner, and their Blue Crew, a team of employee volunteers donating their labor to build a community garden at QCAP's Emergency Food Center, clean-up grounds at QCAP's Eldridge School Head Start Center, and for donations of equipment, fur-

niture and funds to QCAP's Emergency Food Center and Adult Education Programs.

In addition, Tracy Donahue, QCAP's Director of Planning and Development, will be presented the Lois Craig Memorial Employee Award, for her dedication, commitment and extraordinary contributions to developing and expanding QCAP's programs.

In addition, QCAP employees, Susan Fitzpatrick, Secretary and Deborah Griffin, Head Start Teacher, will be honored for 20 years of dedicated service to QCAP's clients.

"This event is a wonderful opportunity for QCAP to honor the contributions and achievements of our community's unsung heroes, our Board President and our staff. These people make a difference every day and provide essential support to QCAP that helps us achieve our mission," said Executive Director Beth Ann Strollo.



NORFOLK COUNTY SHERIFF Michael G. Bellotti recently received the Sons of Italy Social Justice Award. With him are (from left) his father, Francis X. Bellotti, his wife, Gayle Bellotti and his mother mother, Margarita Bellotti.

Sheriff Bellotti Receives Social Justice Award From Sons Of Italy Grand Lodge

Norfolk County Sheriff Michael G. Bellotti recently received the Sons of Italy Social Justice Award given to Italian-Americans who are positive role models and have performed outstanding services in the community.

"I am greatly honored and humbled to receive this award," Bellotti said. "To receive the same award my father (former Attorney General Francis X. Bellotti) did 21 years ago makes it very special to me."

Bellotti and fellow honorees, Middlesex District Attorney Gerard Leone and State Representative Robert DeLeo, received the award at the 24th Annual Massachusetts Grand Lodge Law and Justice Day Breakfast at the Newton Marriott.

Bellotti was recognized

for his willingness and ability to reach outside prison walls and touch the lives of people in the community, including senior citizens, juveniles at-risk and victims of crime.

Since being elected in November 1998, the sheriff has established strong partnerships with local police, fire departments, schools and councils on aging to develop and operate important public safety and crime prevention programs such as the Are You O.K.? Program for the elderly, the search and rescue program Project Lifesaver, the Victim Services Unit and the Youth Leadership Academy.

Middlesex County Sheriff James DiPaola (also a past recipient) introduced Sheriff Bellotti to a standing-room-

only crowd of 400 guests and presented him with the award.

The Social Justice Award is given by the Sons of Italy Commission for Social Justice, an anti-defamation group founded in 1979 that fights racism, prejudice and stereotyping of all races, religions and cultures, including stereotyping of Italian-Americans by the entertainment, advertising and news industries.

Bellotti was nominated for the award by the Weymouth Sons of Italy.

In addition to Sheriff Bellotti's father and Sheriff DiPaola, past recipients include Mayor Thomas Menino, former Governor Paul Cellucci, House Speaker Salvatore DiMasi and former Senate President Robert Travaglini.



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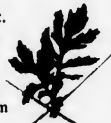
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Council Approves Downtown Renewal Plan



U.S. MINT DIRECTOR Edmund Moy hands out the new John Adams \$1 coin to youngsters at a ceremony outside City Hall Tuesday morning.
Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

Second President Praised

John Adams \$1 Coin Hailed At Issuance Here

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

U.S. Mint Director Edmund C. Moy formally issued the new John Adams \$1 coin Tuesday, and praised him for his "significant accomplishments in a critical part

of our nation's history."

He added he hoped America will re-acquaint themselves with John Adams for his role.

Moy told the large gathering at City Hall Plaza, that he was "hon-

ored to make the John Adams Coin "depicting the first time he was on a coin." He said "if not for all of you in Quincy, this would never have happened."

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MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN (left), Peter Boylston Adams and US Mint Director Edmund C. Moy (right) at City Hall Plaza at the issuance of the \$1 John Adams coin.
Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

By LAURA GRIFFIN

It may never be Shopperstown USA again but supporters believe a new vision for Quincy Center will even better suit the city in the 21st century.

The City Council approved that renewal plan for Quincy Center Monday and will consider a proposed \$30 million District Improvement Financing (DIF) investment in the project on May 29.

By a 7-0 vote, the City Council adopted the Quincy Center Urban Revitalization District Plan (URDP) which envisions a makeover of 55 acres of the 113-acre Quincy Center.

Planning Director Dennis Harrington presented the proposal to the public hearing prior to the City Council meeting. Mayor William Phelan initiated the project in January 2003. Since then, steps have been taken to obtain community input, design plans, and the required zoning changes.

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly chaired the hearing held jointly by

the Downtown Committee and the Finance Committee. Before the formal council vote, Kelly described his support of the project and said, "We just can't go on and on and watch our downtown and watch it go down the drain."

"The downtown needs significant improvement," Harrington said as he outlined the goals of the renewal project which include a mixed-use center, shopping district, housing services and commerce built around Hancock Street as Quincy's "Main Street."

Harrington also said that, at this time, the City plan "does not call for eminent domain... Quite possibly, they could be in the future."

However, he said all property owners in the targeted area have been informed that there is a possibility of future land-takings and, "They are in an impact zone."

The URDP specifically targets the five-acre Hancock Parking Lot

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Three Unions Agree To Larger Share In Health Care Costs

Mayor William Phelan announced that the three contracts agreed upon to date between the City of Quincy and various collective bargaining units have included the employees assuming a larger share of the costs of employee benefits.

The Library employees, Police Patrol Officers, and Police Superior Officer unions have all agreed to a roll-back of 85% in Fiscal Year

2008 and 80% in Fiscal Year 2009.

"I appreciate the understanding of our employees that the current rate of employee benefits is unsustainable," said Phelan. "It is in the future interest of our City's financial health that we begin to take steps to address this unsustainable situation."

"Though not a popular position

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Early Deadline For Next Week's Sun

Because of the Memorial Day holiday Monday, there will be an early news and advertising deadline for next week's Quincy Sun.

News, church, organizations and youth sports releases, retail and classified advertising and

legal notices should be in The Sun office, 1372 Hancock St., by noon tomorrow (Friday) to assure publication in the May 31 issue.

For more information, call The Sun office, 617-471-3100.



Rev. John Swanson, Navy Chaplain, Speaker

Memorial Day Parade, Ceremonies Monday

Rev. John Carl Swanson, a veteran Navy chaplain and pastor of the Union Congregational Church of Wollaston, will be the guest speaker at Quincy's Memorial Day ceremonies Monday at Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Rev. Swanson also serves as a substance abuse counselor at Quincy's Bay State Community Service and as an adjunct professor of Bible, Philosophy and Government at Eastern Nazarene College.

A native of Quincy, he was commissioned a Naval officer in October, 1983, while a student at Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, Va., and graduated from the Navy Chaplain School in Newport, R.I.

He served in the Navy for 10 years in billets that included service in the field with the Marines and Seabees and aboard ship with the Navy and Coast Guard, most notably on the submarine Pargo and the Cutter Spencer.

Marching units in the parade will assemble no later than 10 a.m. Monday on School Street and march down School Street, Hancock, Cod-

dington and Sea Streets to the cemetery where all units will remain in formation during the ceremonies.

The parade will rest in Quincy Square while wreaths are placed on the tombs of Presidents John and John Quincy Adams in the crypt of United First Parish Church.

Parade Marshal Lorraine Ahern, commander of the Quincy Veterans Council (QVC), and guests will review the parade from a stand on Sea Street across from the cemetery entrance.

The parade is expected to begin at 10:30 a.m.

In case of inclement weather, the exercises will be held in the Center for Technical Education gym on Codding Street at 11 a.m.

After the services, the parade will disband and the veterans will retire to their respective posts.

John Racke, chaplain of the QVC, will open the ceremonies with the invocation followed by the introduction of the invited guests by Lawrence Norton, the master of ceremonies.

Commander Ahern, Mayor William Phelan, Council President Douglas Gutro and Henry Bradley,



REV. JOHN SWANSON director of Veterans Services, will deliver greetings and remarks.

Daniel Tinney, junior vice commander of the QVC, will read General Logan's order creating the first Memorial Day, and Stephen Dunlea, senior vice commander of the QVC, will read Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

The Rev. Swanson will deliver the main address.

Thomas Stansbury of the Quincy Veterans Services Department, will extend greetings and remarks, an adjutant will call the roll of deceased comrades and the Memorial Day poem, "In Flanders Field," will be read by Robert Noble.

Commander Ahern will place a wreath and others follow with wreaths of all

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TWO ST. MARY'S School students Cara Ciardelli (left) and Ricky Long place flags for Memorial Day at the grave of Cyril P. Morrisette in St. Mary's Cemetery. Morrisette was the first Quincy resident killed in World War I and for whom the Morrisette Legion Post is named.



CHRISTINE HYSLIP and her daughters, Angela (left) and Amanda, both St. Mary's School students teamed to place flags at graves in St. Mary's Cemetery.



ST. MARY'S SCHOOL students placed flags at veterans' graves in St. Mary's Cemetery in observance of Memorial Day. Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble

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32-Page Complaint Filed

Teachers Union Charges City With Unfair Labor Practices

The Quincy Education Association (QEA) has filed an unfair labor practice charge against both the City of Quincy and the Quincy School Committee, according to QEA President Paul Phillips.

The 32-page complaint filed with the Massachusetts Labor Relations Commission charges that the city and the school committee are not bargaining in good faith which is a violation of state law.

Phillips noted that his members have been working without a contract since the end of August and have engaged in 23 bargaining sessions.

The crux of the charge, Phillips said, is that the teachers have been subjected to a "bait and switch" approach to bargaining.

"The Quincy public school teachers give their best to the children of this city," Phillips said. "Now it is time for the city and the school committee to afford the teachers the respect they earn every day in the classroom."

On the key issue of health insurance, Phillips charges that the city placed an offer on the table at one meeting and declared it "illegal" when the same proposal was offered by the union at a later

date.

"I have been involved in teacher negotiations for over two decades and have worked with every mayor and school committee during that period."

"While we have had differences of opinion, we always worked them out through the give and take of bargaining," Phillips said, adding, "In all my years of education, I have never had to deal with a city leader who doesn't seem to care about the opinions of workers. This is the challenge that we are now facing."

"The longer this struggle continues, the more likely it is that the district is going to lose really good teachers to other school systems," Phillips said. "Our request is simple. We would like to settle this contract so we can focus all our attention on educating the children of the city of Quincy."

QEA members are distributing more than 20,000 fliers to Quincy homes to call attention to their contract struggle. In addition, supporters of the QEA have raised some 1200 red and white signs on lawns across the city, which read, "We Support Quincy Teachers."

In the single page flier, the QEA writes, "we are disturbed by the mayor's tactics." The teachers' union

claims that Mayor William Phelan has "...used the press and his ability to mail costly letters to every resident to tell part of a story."

Among the facts cited on the QEA sheet are claims that experienced teachers "are paid less than teachers in many other communities."

Quincy teachers with an advanced degree now earn from \$9,564 to \$12,207 less than teachers in such places as Brookline, Braintree, Newton and Boston.

In addition, the QEA claims that the union offered to increase their co-pay by 100% in response to a similar proposal by the Quincy School Committee. When they offered to proposal, it was turned down.

"The School Committee rejected that offer by saying that it was against the law to bargain co-pays. Confused? So are the teachers!"

The statement continues, "Our proposal could have saved the city more than \$2 million."



ATHERTON HOUGH SCHOOL fifth graders of Kenny Reichel's class with assistance from kindergartners prepare the Houghs Neck World War II Memorial for Memorial Day observance. Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

\$16,000 Diamond Stolen But Quickly Recovered

It may have been the briefest jewelry heist of all time: the \$16,000 diamond was missing for 10 minutes, 15 at the outside.

"I was showing the man the diamond under the microscope," said Mark Bertman, owner of Rogers Jewelry store in downtown Quincy.

"He asked me to show him a certificate of authenticity. I turned to get it and he scooped the diamond out of the tweezers and ran with it."

Luckily, Jim Edwards, the architect next door, was in the store at the time and he gave chase, catching up with the man as he was getting into his car.

Edwards, who is also president of the Quincy Historical Society, got the number of the car and alerted authorities.

The car was spotted by Officer Dan Francis, who was on a paid detail at the corner of Robertson and

Quarry Streets in West Quincy.

With an assist from Officer E. J. Hartnett, Francis pulled the car over and the would-be jewel thief was in custody where it was discovered he had 16 warrants outstanding against him.

And the diamond, valued at \$16,000, was back in Bertman's custody after what may have been history's briefest jewel robbery.

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Moments in time THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On **May 21, 1881**, in Washington, D.C., humanitarians Clara Barton and Adolphus Solomons found the American National Red Cross, an organization established to provide humanitarian aid to victims of wars and natural disasters.

• On **May 24, 1899**, the first public parking garage in the United States is established in Boston by W.T. McCullough as the Back Bay Cycle and Motor Company. McCullough advertised the garage's opening as a "stable for renting, sale, storage and repair of motor vehicles."

• On **May 26, 1924**, President Calvin Coolidge signs into law the Comprehensive Immigration Act. Under the new law, immigration remained open to those with a college education and/or special skills, but entry was denied to Mexicans, Eastern and Southern Europeans and Japanese.

• On **May 27, 1941**, President Franklin D. Roosevelt announces a state of unlimited national emergency in response to Nazi Germany's threats of "world domination," as he tried to rally iso-

lationists to his philosophy that aid to Europe was purely in America's self-interest. Seven months later, the United States entered World War II after Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor.

• On **May 22, 1955**, Jack Benny's popular radio program, which debuted in 1932, goes off the air after more than two decades. Benny launched a TV show in 1952, which ran until 1965.

• On **May 23, 1960**, Israeli Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion announces that Nazi war criminal Adolf Eichmann has been captured and will stand trial in Israel. Eichmann, the Nazi SS officer who organized Adolf Hitler's "final solution of the Jewish question," was found guilty on 15 charges in 1961 and was hanged in Tel Aviv in 1962.

• On **May 25, 1977**, the space fantasy "Star Wars" opens. The film became one of the most popular movies of all time, breaking box office records. It won seven Oscars for technical achievements and its musical score, written by John Williams.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Remembering Tommy

Many of us were fortunate to have had Tommy Burke in our lives.

He was someone special.

A City Hall legend, a political pioneer and - a profile in courage.

With a keen sense of humor and an impish grin to go with it that sometimes made you wonder if he had a bit of Leprechaun in him.

Tommy, who served 31 years as assistant city clerk before his retirement in 1991, died May 15 at age 83.

Those weren't 83 easy years.

He spent most of them on crutches after having been stricken with polio at age 3. But he never complained. And it never slowed him down or stopped him in his career or personal life.

One of the great moments in Tommy's life was the day President Franklin D. Roosevelt, a fellow polio victim, came to town.

FDR was here in October, 1936 on a re-election campaign stop. His car drew up in front of First Parish Church across from City Hall.

Tommy, then 12, was in the crowd that was there to welcome the President. He was happy just to have the chance to see FDR in person, never dreaming he was about to actually meet him.

Former City Clerk John Gillis, Tommy's close friend for over 70 years, recalls:

"Suddenly Frank Foy, Quincy businessman and Roosevelt's New England campaign coordinator, picked Tommy up and put him on the President's lap."

Tommy was thrilled and never forgot that moment. FDR became his inspiration and political hero. And no doubt the reason he became a staunch young Democrat.

Tommy later would meet two other Presidents - Harry Truman and John F. Kennedy.

Tommy and Gillis, now a Norfolk County commissioner, were political pioneers and allies, and friends who were as close as brothers.

They used to head up each other's campaigns when they were young Democrats in the early 1950s in Republican-dominated Quincy.

Tommy ran three times for state representative with Gillis his campaign manager. Gillis ran twice for the city council with Tommy as his campaign manager.

Tommy owned an old Oldsmobile back then and had it painted white. When he ran, they painted "Burke State Representative" in bright red all over the car.

When Gillis ran, the red was whitened out and "Gillis for City Council" was painted in green.

"They were low budget campaigns," Tommy once recalled. "A couple hundred bucks was all we spent - and all we had to spend."

They didn't win any of those elections, though



TOMMY



FDR



GILLIS

Tommy lost by only 136 votes in 1952.

Victory was finally their's in 1992 when Gillis, who had retired as city clerk, won a Norfolk County Commission seat with Tommy as his campaign manager. They did it without the old Oldsmobile.

But back in the 1930s, 1940s and early 1950s, young Democrats didn't have much of a chance in a city and county GOP stronghold.

"There were so few Democrats around," Gillis often muses, "they used to joke that Democrats could hold a rally in a telephone booth."

But another young Democrat came back from World War II and ran for Congress. And things changed. His name: John F. Kennedy.

He launched Democratic registration drives that numerically turned the tables for Democrats in the state, Norfolk County and Quincy.

When Tommy retired in 1991, a "Who's Who" in Quincy politics turned out to honor him at a dinner.

Jim Sheets, who was mayor at the time, and former Mayors Walter Hannon, Frank McCauley and Arthur Tobin issued a joint "Executive Declaration" making him "Honorary Mayor of Quincy."

The declaration had a humorous note:

"Whereas, he surprised everyone by convincing a lovely girl named Connie, to marry him (he said he wanted someone to cut the grass) and they have a wonderful child named Marilyn who luckily looks like her mother. ..."

And, a serious one:

"Whereas, Tom has won the affection and acclaim of everyone who knows him, Tom's work with the Young Democrats and as Assistant City Clerk for 31 years, his involvement with the Bocce Club, the Knights of Columbus and the Quincy City Club has made Quincy a better place to live and City Hall a better place to work."

The four mayors presented him with a blue jacket with his name, the city seal and "Honorary Mayor" imprinted on it.

There were serious words with a sprinkling of humor at Tommy's funeral Mass Saturday at St. John's Church.

Fr. Richard Cannon, pastor and celebrant, noted that Tommy was active in many ways in Quincy, but "His life was centered in his family, his wife, Connie, and his daughter, Marilyn."

Gillis, who gave the remembrance, told Tommy's wife and daughter: "Connie, you made his life. Marilyn, you were the apple of his life."

Gillis said Tommy never let his disability get him down.

"He had guts. He always fought for the little guy," And, he added, "He could also drink more beer than I could."

The funeral Mass program had a formal photo of Tommy on the front. And on the back, a snapshot of him, with baseball cap on, relaxing in a patio chair and hoisting a can of his favorite Budweiser as in a fond farewell.

Tommy would have liked that.

Senior Fair June 7 At River Bay Club

River Bay Club, an independent and assisted living community, will hold their 16th Annual Senior Fair on Thursday, June 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Club is located at 99 Brackett Street.

"Each year, River Bay Club holds this interactive Senior Fair with many

vendors conducting screenings as well as offering valuable information," according to Suzanne Davis, spokesperson for the Club. Davis expects even more vendors and raffles at the fair this year.

The Fair will feature health screenings, raffles,

prizes and free coffee and pastries throughout the day. Visitors will have access to booths sponsored by local hospitals, nursing homes, visiting nurse groups, homecare agencies, chiropractors, and financial planners.

A special treat this year is

a cooking demonstration.

Guests will be able to participate in numerous medical checkups, such as spinal screenings, blood pressure screenings, and hearing and cataract examinations, as well as balance and posture screenings.

Scenes From Yesterday

Quincy's Yesterdays

City Rubbish Contract Extended Six Months

By FRANK McCAULEY

The city of Quincy has decided to exercise its option to extend the present rubbish contract with Marinucci Bros. for six months after the expiration date of May 31.

Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa authorized Public Works Commissioner Charles R. Herbert to notify the Marinucci firm.

Under the contract executed three years ago the city retained that privilege. The rates for the next six months will be the same as those in effect for the past three years.

The city needs added time to re-advertise for new bids, since the mayor has rejected the two proposals opened several months ago when John M. Cashman of Quincy underbid Marinucci Bros. by \$20,000 a year.

FOUR MORE ON LIST FOR PAY RAISES

The names of four municipal officials have been added to the list of approximately 100 city employees recommended for salary adjustments by the salary schedule appeal committee, Mayor Della Chiesa revealed.

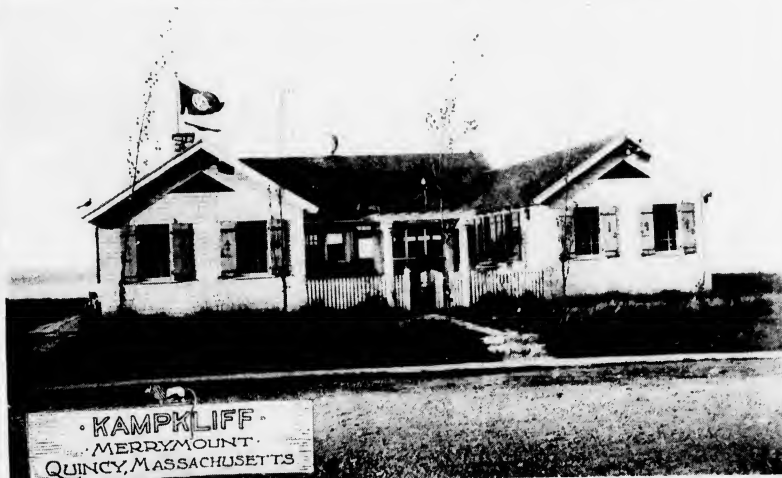
The mayor said that the names of City Solicitor Douglas Randall, assistant Solicitor Stephen T. Keete, Jr., Librarian Gertrude Callahan and Anthony Venna, Director of Welfare, will be included on the list. The total cost for the four officials added to the list amounts to \$15,869.

QUINCY-ISM

Miss Joanne Vissa of West Quincy was crowned Miss Quincy of 1962 by Miss Joanne Fenneck. Miss Quincy of 1961... Atty. Elliot R. Richardson, candidate for the Republican nomination as the state's attorney general, was the guest speaker at the Quincy Council of Churches Breakfast held at the Quincy Armory. School Committee Member Charles T. Sweeney was ticket chairman... Shop and Save, Independence Avenue, South Quincy, was offering "Boiled Ham Sliced or By the Piece, & 79 lb..." The Outing Committee of the Quincy South Shore Chamber of Commerce was making plans for the 37th annual outing to be held July 11 at the Weymouth Fair Grounds, South Weymouth. Lou Cassani was the Committee Chairman... The North Quincy Cooperative Bank, 440 Hancock St., North Quincy, was advertising 4% on all types of savings accounts. John J. Shea, president of the Quincy and South Shore Board of Realtors, announced that the National Realtor Week would be celebrated May 20 through May 26... Mrs. Michael Walsh of 93 Freeman St., Wollaston, a volunteer at Carney Hospital, was presented with a 1000 hour Carney Hospital Volunteer Award... Russell G. Edwards, Jr. of 32 Robertson St., West Quincy, received a master's degree in Business Administration and Alfred D. Houston, Jr. of 61 Summit Ave., Wollaston, a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics. The degrees were awarded by the University of Pennsylvania... Paul R. Damore, 108 Franklin St., South Quincy, was undergoing basic training at Fort Dix, New Jersey... The Houghs Neck Legion Post Auxiliary held its annual Gold Star Mothers supper at the Post Home on Sea St. Committee members included Mrs. Hugo Swenson, chairman, Mrs. Alice Sylvario, Mrs. Lois Phillips, Mrs. Margaret Carroll and Mrs. Dorothy McLeod. The South Shore Tufts Club held its annual dinner meeting at Hugo's Lighthouse in Cohasset. Committee members included Dr. James Will, 36 Adams St., Quincy, and Atty. Melvin Thorne, 76 Presidents Lane, Quincy. The Rev. Edward F. Dowd, pastor of the Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Houghs Neck, announced that scholarships have been awarded to Miss Rhonda Provost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Provost, 9 Ratchford Circle and Miss Ann Marie Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Anderson, 324 Maner Ave.... Four juniors at Quincy High School have been nominated for the annual achievement awards of the National Council of Teachers of English. Entering the national competition are Patricia Allen, Paul Jacobs, Leslie Quinlan and Kenneth Sturzenacker.

KEEPING UP WITH THE RED SOX

The Boston Red Sox were in 9th place in the 10 team American League with a record of 13 wins and 20 losses. The Sox were 7 games behind the first place New York Yankees.



THIS 1935 POSTCARD is a view of Quincy banker Decevalere King's famous seaside resort Kampkliff. When it was built in 1920 it was the first and only building on Pasonageset Knoll, now Shore Avenue in Adams Shore. King built this to be used as a bachelor's playhouse. Note the flat with the K on the chimney at left. During the first two years he invited thousands of guests to "Come play at my house." He hosted his friends, children and hospital groups and even the whole city when he placed an ad on the front page of The Patriot Ledger for an open house on July 4, 1922. Kampkliff has a pro-

tective Quincy granite seawall. There were 15 bath-houses along the shore with searchlights for nighttime swimming on an offshore float. The house was near the end of Narragansett and Chickatabot Roads. After he married, King added living quarters and Kampkliff became his family home until his father Theophilus died in 1935. He then moved to the old King family homestead at 270 Adams St. He sold Kampkliff in 1938. It has since been replaced with other houses. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

We Had Fun Helping Friends

This May, for the first time in over 50 years, there will be no opening night for Koch Club Baseball in Quincy.

As part of the "on-field operations" staff since the passing of Mr. Richard J. Koch, we would like to thank the Koch family, the parents/coaches, and most of all the kids, for all of the enjoyment you have brought to us. A special note of thanks goes out of David Barnes (now

Father Barnes), who at age 17 stepped up and ran the program in 1988.

At one point in the 1960s, there were over 1,000 boys and girls participating, at five different locals city-wide. Many folks may be disappointed, and we will miss it as much as any eager 5-year-old. Nowadays, there are many fine programs for young people, and we are

most grateful and proud of what the City and so many dedicated groups have to offer.

We should all remember that the most valuable "training" for young boys and girls might be for parents to bring a bunch of neighborhood kids down to the nearest playground with a ball to bat or throw (or kick!), keep the rules to a minimum, and just

let hem run around.

The Koch Club emblem, with the words Recreational, Charitable, Social printed on the jerseys and hats, might have been a mouthful for little kids, so let us try to rephrase a bit: we had Fun Helping Friends.

Fr. David Barnes
Brian Glennon, Sean
Glennon, Kevin Glennon,
Christopher & Deirdre Hall
Richard Joyce

Ken Burns and World War II

On May 2, five Quincy combat veterans and I were invited by patriot Jennifer Logue from Channel 2 and also from Quincy, to attend a showing at the Coolidge Corner theater to see a one-hour clip of Ken Burns' new WW II film and afterwards a question and answer session.

Needless to say, the theater was packed since there was no charge.

The various segments from WW II, including those from the concentration camps left the audience gasping. I, as an American soldier, was in four of them. Those sights never leave you.

With me were the following combat veterans:

John Laukkanen, Marine Corps, who fought on Okinawa; Anthony Pagnano, Army 101st Airborne Division, who landed at 0230 behind Omaha Beach to kill the enemy; Earl Kuja, Army and a Pearl Harbor survivor,

who also fought in Saipan and Tinian; Robert Carella, Navy, who served on the heavy cruiser, USS Baltimore, and shot down Japanese kamikaze planes; and Peter Gacicia, Navy, who served in the Pacific and also in Europe as a signal man and also as an engineer building portable harbors on Omaha Beach while under fire.

As for me, I, being, a

former member of the Devil's Brigade, Army, in Europe, landed at Omaha Beach on June 6, 1944 and also fought in the Battle of the Bulge and because of our assistance to the 10th Armored Division, the first in the Bulge, was made a honorary member of that unit of which I am proud.

Our unit did not abide by the rules of the Geneva Convention. We took no prisoners

since this war was one of totality.

In my question to Ken Burns, I asked him if he ever met any veteran from my brigade. Surprisingly, Burns said he did, and I asked him what he said, and he stated, "The same as you."

I also thought that the story in *The Patriot Ledger* should have concentrated more on the six veterans.

Leonard F. Morris

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SCYC To Present 'Beauty And The Beast'

The Quantum Community Youth Choir (SCYC) is in production of its third annual spring musical, "Beauty and the Beast," which will be performed June 2 and June 3 at the Cove Auditorium at Eastern Nazarene College, 23 East Elm Ave.

This enchanting story tells the tale of two celestial outcasts who both find themselves deceived by appearances. Belle, an optimistic "bookworm," is a beautiful young girl with a vast imagination. The downtrodden Beast, on the other hand, is an illiterate and hideous creature, with a spell cast upon him and his castle.

Down in the village, when the town "hunk" Gaston proposes to Belle, she turns him down because of his arrogant comments

and immature behavior. Belle dreams of excitement and adventure. And she finds it. Soon after looking for her father (an inventor, who ends up lost in the woods), Belle finds herself locked in the Beast's castle. She wonders if she'll ever see her father again, while the Beast wonders if he will ever find true love before it is too late.

Showtimes are Saturday, June 2 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, June 3 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$5 per person, and children under five-years old will be admitted free. Tickets may be purchased at the door. For more information or to reserve tickets, call (617) 479-4449 or send questions/reservations to SquantumCYC@comcast.net.

The SCYC was established in November 2004,



BELLE & BEAST: Meaghan White (Belle) and Zach Dwyer (Beast).

and is directed by Erin Driscoll. Glennon, Meghan Driscoll, Caitlin Driscoll and Sean Glennon.



GASTON & SILLY GIRLS (clockwise, bottom right): Julianne Carey, Abigail Mayo, Kate Russell and Katie White (center).

Mass Memories Road Show At Crane Library June 2

The Mass Memories Road Show will visit the Thomas Crane Public Library, Washington Street, Quincy Center, Saturday, June 2 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Road Show tells the story of cities and towns throughout the state through family photographs and stories.

Quincy residents are invited to bring photos that illustrate their families' early days here. The photos will be scanned on site and the originals immediately returned to their owners.

Professionals will be present from the New England Archivists to advise contributors on how to care

for and protect precious family photos.

The Mass Memories Road Show is an initiation of the Massachusetts Studies Project at UMass Boston Graduate College of Education.

Photographs can be viewed at www.MassMemories.org.



CASTLE PEOPLE (from left) Valerie O'Driscoll, Sarah Golden, Emily England, Shannon Glynn and Kathleen Calnan. Erin Glennon Photos

Montclair/Wollaston School Band Performs For Neighborhood Association

The Montclair/Wollaston School Band recently performed for the Montclair/Wollaston Neighborhood Association (MWNA) at the Church of the Good Shepherd, North Quincy.

Carolyn Hughes directed the band.

The MWNA Association has received funds from the Quincy Community Development Grant

Program, which allows their partnership with the students' musical instrument program.

Members of the MWNA also participated in Quincy's Cleaner Greener program.

It's Kite Day June 2 At Wollaston Beach

If anyone tells you to "go fly a kite" you will be able to

accommodate them Saturday, June 2, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Wollaston Beach.

The Friends of Wollaston Beach and its owner, the State Department of Conservation and Recreation, have proclaimed it Family Kite Day.

The action will take place at the northern end of the beach between Herbert Road and Billings Street where space will be available for

kite launching.

Participants may bring their own kites or purchase one throughout the day. There will also be a "kite-making activity" for children.

Friends of Wollaston Beach T-shirts will be available for \$8.

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SOCIAL

Three-Year-Old Garden Club Wins Favor In Houghs Neck

The Houghs Neck Garden Club is barely three years old but already it has made its presence felt in the tight-knit peninsular community.

The Houghs Neck Sons of the American Legion has made "a generous donation" to the club in appreciation of its work in beautifying the community, including the Veterans Memorial at Brill Field.

Squadron 380 of the Sons was represented in the presentation by Tom Timcoe.

"This is a wonderful show of support for our club," said President Jo Morris in a message of thanks. "It's great when friends and neighbors and even strangers appreciate the efforts put forth."

The Houghs Neck Garden Club began with 29

members three years ago with the stated purpose to "encourage individual creativity, promote civic involvement through beautification and cultivate the seeds of friendship in the community."

The next event on the club's schedule is the third annual Wildflower Festival Saturday, June 30, at 9:30 a.m. at Nut Island.

The event is open to the public and the \$10 admission includes a brunch, a wildflower slide show, an exhibit of wildlife pictures of marsh life in Quincy by Joe Poggi and a walking tour of Nut Island led by botanist Tom Palmer.

For tickets or for more information, call Norma Jane Langford at 617-328-7279.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY - Larry and Marie Watts of Wollaston recently celebrated 50 years of marriage. The Watts were married May 18, 1957 at Saint Ann's Church in Wollaston. The couple have two children, Brian of Duxbury and Gerard of Halifax. They also have six grandchildren.

Quincy Medical Auxiliary Sponsoring Book Sale June 1

The Quincy Medical Center Auxiliary will sponsor a book sale, "Books are Fun," on Friday, June 1 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Education Center, 114 Whitwell St.

New hardcover books and paperbacks, including **7 Residents Bentley Honor Students**

Seven students from Quincy have been named to the president's list for the fall semester at Bentley College in Waltham.

The students, their classes and majors are:

Richard Doyle, junior, corporate finance and accounting; Kitty Lee, junior, corporate finance and accounting; Jenny Chu, sophomore, accountancy; William Henderson, senior, mgirl econ-entrepreneurship; Joseph Starzyk, sophomore, accountancy; Li Chen, senior, finance; and Jenny Tam, freshman, economics-finance.

children's books and games, will be offered at discount prices.

All proceeds will directly benefit patient care. Interested persons may call 617-376-5368 for more information.

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Harbor Cruise June 21 To Benefit Teen Mothers

The 16th Annual Harbor Boat Cruise benefiting the Quincy Teen Mothers Program will depart Thursday, June 21 at 7 p.m. from Marina Bay, Quincy, and return at 10 p.m.

The event will feature a buffet dinner catered by Outback Steak House with music and dancing by Kathy and Brian McCluskey of "DJ Musical Menu" Other highlights of the evening

include a silent auction and raffle featuring prizes valued at over \$5500.

Tickets may be purchased for \$30 per person from Janice Walsh at 617-984-8704; Steve Moynihan at 617-472-2889 or Kathy McCluskey at 617-471-7695. Make checks payable to Quincy Teen Mothers Program at 18 Spear St., Quincy.

Mr., Mrs. Jeffrey Carson Parents Of Daughter

Kim and Jeffrey Carson of Quincy, are parents of a daughter Averie Elizabeth born March 25 at South Shore Hospital, Weymouth.

Grandparents are Raymond and Judy Young of Corinna, Maine, and Ron and Eileen Carson of Hampden, Maine.

Free Yoga For Teens At Crane Library

Teens can enjoy a free yoga program at Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington Street at 3 p.m. on Friday, May 25 and Friday, June 1.

The program is for both boys and girls and the instructor is Aimee Bates of The Get Fit Solution.

Teen Power Yoga is a "Quincy Families Fit for Life" program and is funded by a grant from the Americans for Libraries Council.

Openings are available and interested teens can call 617-376-1316 to register.

Ruth Harcovitz To Sing At Ward 4 Community Center

Soprano Ruth Harcovitz, sometimes called "Boston's Julie Andrews," will be performing for the Ward 4 Senior Citizens Social Group on Wednesday, May 30 at 2 p.m. at the Ward 4 Community Center, 100 Brooks Ave., South Quincy.

Harcovitz is a graduate of

the New England Conservatory who studied at the Vienna Academy of Music and has sung with the Santa Fe Opera, the Opera Company of Boston, Opera New England and many others.

The program is sponsored by the Quincy Arts Council.

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Broad Meadows Middle School lists 135 students on its third quarter honor roll.

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Grade 7: John Bottary, Christine Callahan, Michael Chan, Peter Guinta, Bryanna Hiller, Xuwen Wendy Huang, Sarah Kussman, Nicholas Lepore, Cai King Li, Rosemary Lo, Crystal Luo, Dayna Madeiros, Carolyn McDonagh, Shu Mei, Dennis Nguyen and Georgia Papaconstadimou.

Grade 6: Aaron Anderson, Ciana Bonfiglioli, Yan Yee Chan, Theresa Lepore, Ying Kiu Loo, Samantha McCordle, Shane Nazzaro, Timothy Nazzaro and Rachel Ring.

Honors

Grade 8: Sarah Anastasio,

Leah Nora Anderson, Steven Chung, Edward Einsidler, Ryan Fahey, Christine Fooks, Julie Fox, Brendan Gibbons, Daniel Gibbons, Maxwell Greenwood, Brendan Haines, Jennifer Healy, Steven Ho, Erin Hockey, Kendra Johnston, John LeClair, Amanda Liu, Sulaimann Malik, Angelica Manipon, Caitlyn Mann, Gerald McCarthy, Melissa McKinnon, John McNulty, Lai Yan Ng, Daniel Nguyen, David Nhan, Anita Patel, Meghan Peterson, Nicole Peterson, Nicole Ryan, Derek Seto, Nicole Wakhweya, Lindsey Wallace, Kevin Williams, Benjamin Yee and Michael Yovino.

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OPINION

Mayor William Phelan:

'The Truth About Teachers' Salaries'

There have been a number of people expressing their support for Quincy teachers in recent months. Well, I'd like to express my support for Quincy's taxpayers and tell you the truth about teacher salaries.

Let me tell you the straight facts: Quincy's teachers are currently the best compensated teachers on the entire South Shore and it is all of us Quincy taxpayers that continue to support our teachers.

A first-year schoolteacher who started the same year I took office (2002) has received a minimum of a 51.11% raise since then. How many taxpayers have seen their income rise by more than fifty-one percent? Allowances for educational incentives would take that figure even higher.

Here is an important fact that both our teachers and our taxpayers should know. Benchmark communities, such as Milton Cohasset, Weymouth, Braintree, Canton, Hingham, Hanover, Duxbury, are behind Quincy when it comes to overall teacher compensation.

Let's look at some samples from across the board to support that fact:

A first-year teacher in Quincy with a Bachelor's Degree starts at \$36,371 in salary and pays 10% of their employee benefits. Only two of the 19 sample South Shore communities would make a higher base salary, Cohasset and Norwell. Yet when benefits are factored in, an important part of any compensation package, the value of the contract in Quincy is more than every other community on the South Shore.

How about teachers with a Masters Degree? Only Norwell pays a higher base salary out of the 19 communities and the Quincy benefits package again makes Quincy's teachers the best compensated on the South Shore. Exactly the same is true for a teacher with a Master's plus 15 credits. A teacher with a Masters Degree plus 30 credits enjoys the bountiful combination of the highest salary package on the South Shore and the most generous benefits

package on the South Shore.

In 2006 alone, Quincy teachers received a raise of between 7.16% to 15.28%. Our last contract with the Quincy Educators Association allowed for 1%, 4%, 5% and 7% raises over four years. Some criticized that agreement as too generous. But the truth is Quincy has not tried hard enough in the past to attract and hold the best teachers, so I fought to correct that by supporting a generous, but fair contract.

Most teachers also receive a step-level raise each year amounting to an additional 5% raise on top of the 1%, 4%, 5%, and 7% raises cited above. Therefore, any teacher with less than ten years in our system—a significant percentage of our workforce—received a 12% raise last year.

Finally, in addition to the double-digit raises, Quincy's schoolteachers only paid 10% of their health insurance costs while Quincy's taxpayers paid the remaining 90%. Compare that to teachers in communities all around Quincy. Braintree requires their teachers to pay 42%; Canton, 49%; Cohasset, 25%; Hanover, 25%; Hingham, 50%; Hottelbrook, 50%; Hull, 50%; Milton, 30%; Norwell, 20% and Weymouth, 30%. No other community's taxpayers pay a more generous percentage of their employee benefit package as Quincy's taxpayers.

Attracting and maintaining good teachers is obviously important, but to me supporting public education is about supporting our children. I believe that Quincy's record of supporting the public schools and our schoolchildren is a proud one that speaks for itself.

Since 2002, Quincy's Education budget has increased each and every year at a pace unmatched by any other department (the exception being Veterans' Services). In fact, since my first budget as Mayor, the Education budget is up more than \$19 million or approximately 24%.

While communities all around Quincy are slashing

school budgets, charging additional fees for after-school programs and considering Proposition 2 1/2 override votes, Quincy is adding early literacy programs, insinuating all-day kindergarten, lowering our class sizes, fixing school infrastructure, giving raises to our educators, hiring new teachers and teacher aides, improving technology, and implementing drop-out prevention programs in our high schools.

Next month, we are slated to break ground on a new comprehensive \$125 million high school. We just announced this week a first-in-the-State \$32 million energy efficiency plan to improve the environs at all our schools and municipal buildings.

In the period from 2003 through 2007, Quincy's overall educational spending has increased more than any other town around us. Quincy's school spending rose \$14 million while Weymouth added \$7.5, Hingham added \$5.7 million and Braintree added \$2.3 million.

As a father of four Quincy public schoolchildren, I have the utmost respect for our teachers, and I wish I could give them everything they wanted. But I can't. I can't ask struggling Quincy taxpayers—already facing their own skyrocketing health care insurance bills—to pay \$500 to \$1000 more in their average property tax bill to pay to continue this extraordinarily generous and unsustainable health care benefit.

Things can get emotional during contract negotiations over issues of salary and benefits, and the facts can get lost. I am assured regularly by our negotiating team that they are working hard to resolve all differences. As Mayor—and as a parent of four Quincy public school children—I sincerely want this matter resolved as quickly and as fairly as possible.

But as Mayor, I also have to stand up for fairness, for Quincy's taxpayers as well as for our teachers.

Mayor William Phelan

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OBITUARY

Thomas R. Burke, 83 Former Assistant City Clerk And Political Pioneer

By TOM HENSHAW

Tommy Burke was three years old, long before the days of the Salk and Sabin vaccines, when he was struck down by the dreaded disease polio while on a family vacation.

For the next 80 years, he lived in heavy leg braces, maneuvering himself around on crutches as he served the city of Quincy as assistant city clerk for 32 years.

"He never complained," said John Gillis, the county commissioner and retired city clerk with whom he worked for so long. "He was so good to so many people."

For two years, Mr. Burke served as executive secretary to Mayor Arthur Tobin, who had similar recollections of the man who was born and raised and lived his whole life in Quincy.

"I never heard him complain, even though he had to wear those heavy braces just to move around," said Tobin, now clerk-magistrate at Quincy District Court.

"He was a remarkable young man."

That remarkable young man, Thomas R. Burke, died May 15 after a brief illness at the Radius Specialty Hospital in Quincy at the age of 83.

A funeral mass was celebrated last Saturday at St. John the Baptist Church in Quincy and burial was in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery.



THOMAS R. BURKE

Pall bearers included longtime friends Tobin, Gillis, former Mayor Walter Hannon and former Assistant State Highway Commissioner Joseph Donovan and nephews William Rogers and Robert Ellis.

"I knew him for about 70 years," said Tobin. "He used to hang out with my brother. I was honored to be asked to be an honorary pall bearer at his funeral."

Mr. Burke was once possibly the best known Democrat in a city that was heavily Republican, a measure of fame that could be attributed to another polio victim.

"When he was about 12," said Gillis, "President Roosevelt came to Quincy and Frank Foy took Tommy down to the Square to meet him. He sat on FDR's lap. That confirmed him as a Democrat."

As a result, he was the founder of the Young Democratic Club of Quincy and treasurer of the Young Democratic Club of Massachusetts.

Mr. Burke was educated in Quincy schools and graduated from Quincy High School.

He was appointed by Mayor Tobin to head a Special Mayor's Committee on the Handicapped and was named by President Kennedy to the Selective Service Commission in the 1960s.

He was a charter member of the Quincy City Club, a member of the South Quincy Bocce Club, a lifelong parishioner of St. John the Baptist Parish and a former member of the Knights of Columbus.

Mr. Burke leaves his wife of 40 years, Constance R. "Connie" (Roberts) Burke; a daughter, Marilyn C. Burke of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, One Independence Ave. The funeral mass was celebrated by the Rev. Richard Cannon, pastor of St. John's Church.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy City Club, c/o 31 Greene St., Quincy MA 02170 or to the charity of choice.

Menz Appointed To Housing Authority Board

John Menz, Deacon of Holy Trinity Parish, has been appointed to the Quincy Housing Authority Board of Directors.

He succeeds Fr. William McCarthy, former pastor of St. John's Church and founder of Father Bill's Place.

Menz will sit on the five-member board with Kevin Cotter, Jean Kennedy, Jim McDonald and Christine Cedrone.

"Deacon Menz's reputa-

tion and commitment to our community made this an easy selection," said Mayor William Phelan. "He has given of himself throughout his life and his service to the residents and employees of the Quincy Housing Authority will likely be no different. His compassionate approach to people will be a fine addition to an already good Board."

Menz has been the chaplain of the Quincy Police Department, Holy Trinity

Parish, comprising of the former Our Lady of Good Counsel, Saint Boniface, and The Most Blessed Sacrament churches.

"John and his wife have been pillars of our community for many years," said Phelan. "I am pleased that he accepted my offer to serve the Housing Authority and our residents in general. I look forward to working with him in the years to come."

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229 Graduate At Quincy College Spring Commencement

Quincy College graduated 229 students at its spring commencement Saturday in the Presidents Ballroom of the Quincy Marriott.

Students, faculty, staff, Quincy College executives and Board of Governors, along with the Quincy Mayor William Phelan made a grand procession into the flag and flower decorated ballroom.

The graduates represented over 60 communities in Massachusetts and 19 countries around the world. The call to order was given by faculty member Susan Cahill, who was given the distinction of Mace Bearer this year. The Mace Bearer is the recipient of the President's Award for Excellence, which is given every year to an esteemed faculty member.

Bobby Gallegos, a Quincy College student, opened the ceremonies with the Star Spangled Banner on his instrument and received a standing ovation.

Quincy College Board of Governors President Vice Chairman Day A.M. Dennis welcomed the students and their families. Mayor Phelan also greeted the crowd.

Sue Harris, president of Quincy College, welcomed the graduates and guests and congratulated them on the special day.

Thomas J. McNamara, President and Chairman of College Courses, Incorporated (also known as CCI) was the distinguished speaker. He recommended

graduates take time to enjoy their achievement of graduation, but not so much time that they lose momentum on their next goal.

McNamara was awarded a perpetual plaque by Quincy College for CCT's 50 years of service and dedication to students.

College Courses Incorporated is a private non-profit organization that has donated between \$20,000 and \$40,000 in scholarships for students each year for many years. The organization has also paid for such projects as the library expansion, the furniture for Temple Hall, the camera security system, and next year they will fund two part time faculty members for the Plymouth campus.

The student speaker, Annmarie Pula, advised her fellow graduates and the crowd that it was the supportive staff at Quincy College that provided her with the confidence she needed to finish her degree.

The Lorenz Adjunct Faculty Award was presented to Paul Kasper, who has been an adjunct instructor since 2001 teaching computer and business courses.

Each student who was awarded an Associate Degree or Certificate Completion was congratulated by President Harris along with the mayor and the Quincy College Board of Governors.

Quincy College is a fully-accredited two-year college offering over 500 courses to over 3,500 students and



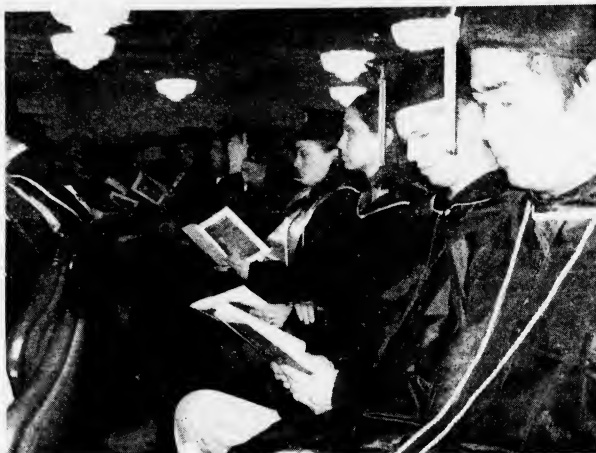
SOME OF THE 184 graduates representing more than 60 communities in Massachusetts and 19 countries around the

world who graduated at Quincy College's commencement Saturday held indoors at the Quincy Marriott.

awarding Associate degrees and certificates of completion in a variety of studies. Quincy College is a public college operating under the auspices of the City of Quincy with campuses in both Quincy and Plymouth, Massachusetts.

The mission statement of the college is "As an open access institution which encourages academic achievement, diversity, economic opportunity and lifelong learning, Quincy College facilitates valuable learning relationships with students whose educational and professional futures might otherwise remain unrealized."

For further information contact Mary E. Morris, Director of Marketing, Quincy College at 617-984-1777 or mmorris@quincycollege.edu



QUINCY COLLEGE GRADUATES gather in the Presidents Ballroom of the Quincy Marriott Saturday to celebrate the spring commencement.

43 Quincy Residents Among Graduates At Quincy College

Forty-three residents of Quincy were among the 229 students who graduated from Quincy College at its spring commencement Saturday.

They are:

QUINCY: Maria Aguilair, Fotini Arochou, Karen Bottary, Jaclyn Brogna, Pamela Cascarano, Jia Chan, Margaret Faretra, Antonuccio, Laura Fratucelli, William Fratucelli, Alaudia Furtado, Mami Furuya, Bret Grant, Jr., Michael Griffith, Michelle Holleman, Bao Yi Hsieh, Juozas Kazlauskas, Frida Khoury, Yoko Kojima, Jennifer Manning, Colleen McKenna,

Bianka Medunic, Mary Elizabeth Miller, Erica Morton, George Ndonga, Danielle Niesner, Naoto Ohashi, Laura Petrucci, Danielle Picarski, Lauren Ritchie, Meghan Sayers, Cynthia Sprague, Kathleen Spring, Dong Su, Katie Sullivan, David Taylor, Lisa Turowski, Hila Yerushalmy, Michelle Young

Also, May Duong, Julia Kukisna, Catherine Morgan, and Zhi Han of North Quincy and Laura Feeney and Chuen Lai of Wollaston

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BELMONT: Shu-ling Hsieh, Gladys Pachas, Bijaya Pandey

BOSTON: Raymond Akim, Wascar Castillo Feliz, Aaron Farber, Murtie Gbeyi, Kunheng Li, Patrick McCarthy, Linda Olsson, Charlene Watson

BOURNE: Leigh-Ann Devasto

BRAINTREE: William Barclay, Kathleen Connolly, Mary Devoy, Ellen Fullam, Kerri Healy, Cynthia Keane, Amanda Lacey, Andrea Mathieu, Joseph Nabstedt, Janene Quintiliani,

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SCITUATE: Holly-Beth Burns, Jennifer Kelley, Marie O'Sullivan-Flynn, Erin Perry

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W E S T BRIDGEWATER: Sharon Tesouro

WEST ROXBURY: Elisa Blando, Polina Bouriev

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WHITMAN: Patricia Brown, Cindy Devlin, Winifred Martin, Sherri Thorp

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Koch Plans Positive Attitude Change In Mayor's Office

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch has unveiled the first part of his vision for Quincy's future, calling for a "dramatic and positive change of tone" in the mayor's office.

"The tone of the mayor's office drives every issue, large and small," Koch said. "You may not be able to assign it a dollar value or pass a bill to legislate it, but there is no question that the tenor set by the mayor's office is the foundation of leadership."

Koch's plan, entitled "Believe in a Better Quincy," was released on the campaign's website www.kochforquincy.com, and is available to anyone who wants a copy by calling (617) 472-1306.

It lays out in detail a series of changes Koch said he will make if elected, highlighted by an open, respectful, and responsive administration. The vision statement will include several more parts, but Koch said that a

policy outlining a positive leadership style is one of the most important elements. He noted that the tone set by the mayor's office is a driving force affecting every major issue facing the city today, including plans to build a new Quincy High School, bitter contract fights with city workers, and attracting the best talent for jobs like traffic engineer.

"If I make one promise in this campaign, it is this: We may not always agree, but no person will ever leave our office feeling intimidated or treated disrespectfully," Koch said. "We're going to repair that critical connection between the public and its government and it will be the first thing we do."

The plan calls for all functions of the current Office of Constituent Services to be moved into the mayor's office from its current location two floors away in City Hall and for the city's website to be completely overhauled to provide more services and

useful information to residents.

"In Quincy, the mayor is the director of constituent services," Koch said. "To have those functions located in a separate office two floors away at City Hall sends the wrong message to the public."

Koch also highlighted a new policy for communicating with residents that will require phone calls to the mayor's office be returned; e-mails answered; and a two-way dialogue be implemented to inform residents about major projects or issues in their neighborhoods.

Koch said the new tone means that mayor's office will "always keep its door open and look for ways to work together, not against each other."

"If we use this kind of common sense approach, we can avoid confrontation that doesn't help anyone and most of time ends up hurting everyone-including taxpayers," Koch said.



QUINCY SCOUT Allen Barrett was recently recognized for earning his Eagle Scout Award at the Boy Scout Troop 2's 96th Annual Eagle Awards Dinner held in Weymouth. Allen's project was refurbishing a parlor at Wollaston Congregational Church and he is shown above with Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, pastor of Wollaston Congregational. Allen is the son of James and Deborah Barrett of Wollaston

Merrymount Association To Hold Annual Flea Market June 2

The Merrymount Association, a nonprofit civic group, is holding its annual fleamarket on Saturday, June

2 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Merrymount Beach. Tables are available for \$25. Participants must

provide their own tables. Contact Theresa Lynch at 617-786-9045 or Linda Fitzgerald at 617-773-3531.

7 Quincy Students On Choir School Honor Roll

Seven Quincy students at the Boston Archdiocesan Choir School in Cambridge have been named to the honor roll for the second term.

They are:

Seventh grader Sean Patrick Hannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Hannon, received honorable mention.

Fifth grader Steven Huynh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Huynh, received first honors with distinction.

Sixth grader Peter Jensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Jensen, received first honors.

Sixth grader Timothy Keenan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Keenan, received honorable mention.

Sixth grader Brendan Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Murray, received honorable mention.

Eighth grader Brian Tam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Tam, received first honors with distinction.

Sixth grader Evan Yao, son of Min and Jun Yao, received second honors.

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Janice Walsh Honored As Ward 5 Association 'Citizen Of The Year'

The Ward 5 Community Association at its recent 10th annual meeting and social recently named Janice Walsh Citizen of the Year for her work with teen mothers and pregnant girls.

For the past 23 years, Walsh has been the program coordinator of the Quincy Teen Mother Program (QTMP).

The QTMP offers an alternative education program for pregnant girls and young mothers who want to complete their high school education. At this time, there are 20 students enrolled and seven of those students will graduate in May.

Next year, the QTMP will celebrate 30 years of service. At the ceremony, Walsh was commended for her hard work during her more than two decades with the program.

Takay Chan, an assistant attorney general in the Division of Energy and Telecommunications, presented the citations from Senator Michael Morrissey and Representative Bruce Ayers.

Brad Fredericks, owner of *Fajitas and 'Ritas* received the Ward 5 "High Five



"HIGH 5" Award winner Brad Fredericks, left, owner of *Fajitas and 'Ritas*, with Nick Puleo, president of the Ward 5 Association.

Award" as well as citations from Morrissey and Ayers. Fredericks is the first vice president of the Quincy Business Association.

The Ward 5 Community Association also presented scholarships to Katherine E. Shea, Senior Class president of Quincy High School; Robert McAloon, Captain of North Quincy High School golf team and Christopher Baker, Captain of the NQHS lacrosse team.

Shea will attend Providence College, McAloon, Manhattanville College and Baker, the University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth.

The elected officers of the Ward 5 Association are Nancy Barron, president; Neil McCole, vice president; Richard Gormley, treasurer; Sandra Arabian, secretary; Cherie Dewar, event coordinator and Margaret Hall, public relations officer.



JANICE WALSH (far left) was recently honored as the Ward 5 Community Association Citizen of the Year. Walsh is the program coordinator of the Quincy Teen Mother Program. With her (second from left): Richard Gormley, association treasurer; Nancy Barron, association president; and Brad Fredericks, owner of *Fajitas and 'Ritas*, winner of the Ward 5 "High Five" award.



GUESTS ATTENDING the Ward 5 Community Association's recent annual meeting and social are, from left: Carmen Mariano, assistant superintendent, Quincy Public Schools; Janet Powell, director of Student Support Services; Jackie Maier, secretary; Janice Walsh, Citizen of the Year and program coordinator of the Quincy Teen Mother Program; Marjorie Engle, guidance counselor; and Isabel Ventre, coordinator of homeless.



WARD 5 COMMUNITY Association recently presented scholarships to three local students. From left are: Robert McAloon, North Quincy High School; Katherine Shea, Quincy High School; Christopher Baker, North Quincy High School. With the recipients is Callie Baker.



NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS of the Ward 5 Community Association. From left: Cherie Dewar, event coordinator; Margaret Hall, public relations; Nancy Barron, president; Richard Gormley, treasurer; and Neil McCole, vice president. Missing from photo is Sandra Arabian, secretary.

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Council Approves Downtown Renewal Plan

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and the 5.3 acre Ross Garage on Parkway and surrounding areas, such as the A.J. Wright building, as the foundation for the plan.

The proposal identifies these two city-owned parking parcels "that the City will dispose of to stimulate private redevelopment."

"This plan will also give the City the ability to negotiate directly with potential developers for the redevelopment of these parcels, and will also provide a mechanism for acquiring select parcels necessary to accomplish redevelopment objectives."

Harrington said that 400 persons were notified of the Public Hearing which drew 30 persons, including a former Mayor and a former City Council president to City Council Chambers.

Former Mayor Walter Hannon who serves on the Citizen Advisory Committee, told the audience, "This is an opportunity we can not let go."

Hannon then described decades and decades of efforts to revitalize Quincy Center going back 32 years and noted, "32 years goes by pretty quickly. I won't be around in the next 32."

Former City Council President Michael Cheney also warned of the lost time on renewal projects, "Every mayor that I recall has had a downtown redevelopment plan."

However, Cheney said he was pleased that the URDP offers "a more formalized plan of action." In addition, he noted that the re-zoning has been completed.

As for the benefits,

Cheney said the plan may need tweaking but, "If we ever had a chance, this is it."

As an example, Cheney said that, if a building, such as 400 Crown Colony, were placed along Hancock Street today, there could be some 5000 additional full time jobs added to the city's base and "increased tax revenues by 20 fold."

Instead, speakers like Patrick Joyce of Pontiac Road described city areas where "For Lease" signs outnumber the number of retailers.

"We need tax relief and businesses to come into the city," Joyce said, adding that five percent of the city's business taxes have evaporated in five years.

Jerry Forde of Computer Troubleshooters said he just opened his business in Quincy Square and he tried to attract friends with similar companies, but the city needs change.

"This is the time to do it," said Dean Rizzo of Quincy 2000, suggesting that the council "keep the momentum going." Maralin Manning of the Quincy Business Association also supported the proposal.

However, Jennifer Logue, a candidate for City Council, said she had "grave concerns" regarding the renewal project.

Logue said, "This plan has been kicking around for quite some time." She also warned that the people who will suffer most will be the local businesses who have been so loyal during the city's downturn.

"It's going to knock out anywhere from 10 to 20 businesses. Where is that anticipated tax growth coming from?" Logue also referred to the proposed

"Concourse" as a "four-lane highway" planned across the city.

Another speaker, Robert Boulos said he's currently renovating the former Kelly's Restaurant and has invested all his funds there. Now, he learns that the building may come down.

"Where do I go?" Boulos asked.

Harrington said that Boulos was told in November that he was about to invest in an "impact zone."

Boulos responded, "Impact zone? What does that mean?"

Prior to voting for the plan, City Councillor John Keenan said the city could either accept the "status quo" or move forward. "It's time to make a change in the downtown."

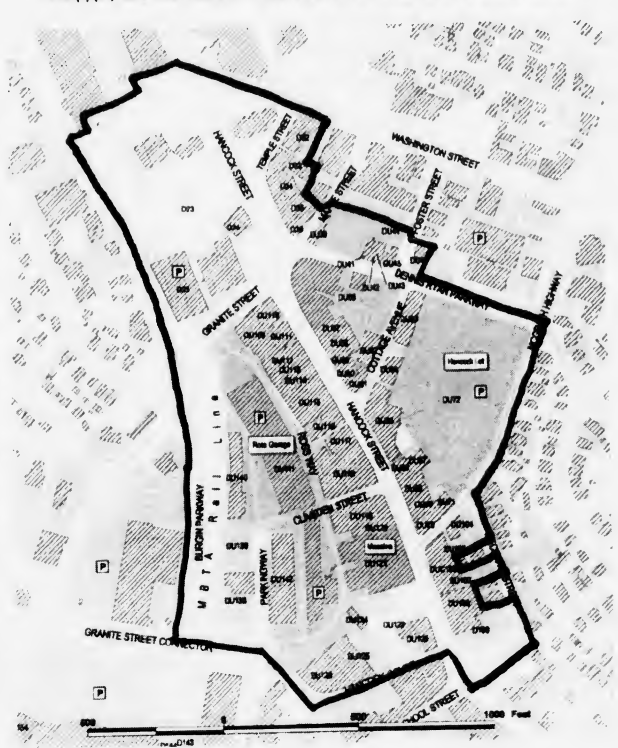
"This is a final opportunity to bring a renaissance to our downtown." Council President Douglas Gutro said, but did note that, sadly, "Some people will be caught in the crossfire (with the changes)."

"We're never going to go back to Shopperstown," said Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee who added that the plan gives the city an opportunity to "reclaim some of our former luster."

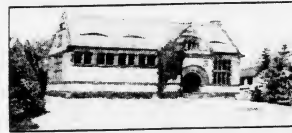
Councillors Michael McFarland, Joseph Finn and Kevin Coughlin of Ward 3 noted that the URDP gives city officials the tools needed as far as funding potential and zoning.

Prior to the Public Hearing, Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymondi and Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis left council chambers and did not return until after the vote. Both have financial interests in the area.

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Homeless Man Charged In Octogenarian's Rape

Brandon Patrick Wells, 42, homeless, was released from jail in Boston May 3 after serving a 30-day stretch for trespassing on private property.

Four days later, he was back in the slammer after leading Braintree police on a chase through a swamp on suspicion of breaking and entering a home.

In between, police say, he broke into a School Street apartment in Quincy Center where he raped and robbed

the 78-year-old woman occupant.

Quincy Police Lt. Patrick Glynn said finger prints found on a sliding glass door in the School Street apartment pointed authorities to Wells.

A sample of DNA taken from the scene was found on the state database to match that of Wells, who is identified as an unregistered Level 3 sex offender, the worst kind.

Glynn listed the charges against him in Quincy as:

Aggravated assault with a weapon, burglary, rape, assault and battery on an elderly person, kidnapping, unarmed robbery on a victim over 60 and threats to commit a crime.

"Right now he's being held in the Dedham House of Correction on \$2,000 bail for attempted breaking and entering in Braintree," said Glynn.

"He'll be arraigned in Quincy District Court on our charges in a day or two (Wednesday or Thursday)."

City Council Votes To Join Shade Tree Trust

The City Council Monday voted 7-1 to join the Massachusetts Public Shade Tree Trust in an effort to obtain reimbursement from the gas company for dead trees lost through gas leaks.

Prior to the vote, David Murphy, Mayor William Phelan's Director of Operations, said, "The Mayor does support the Shade Tree Trust."

The Council acted on a motion by Ward 3 Councilor Kevin Coughlin who proposed joining the trust on April 23.

"We are supposed to look at trees as a major asset," Coughlin said, citing federal accounting standards for cities and towns. "If there are gas leaks, we should be up front in pursuing just compensation."

As for planting trees while other trees are dying, Coughlin said, "We're squandering taxpayers' money."

Under the plan, the Trust will provide a study of the city's public ways and a report on all gas leaks located during their work. They also report all leaks to the gas company.

The Trust will then identify the number of trees

they claim have been damaged by gas leaks reducing oxygen in the soil and seek payment from the gas company.

Ward 6 Councilor Brian McNamee warned that the Trust's actions will only result in higher utility bills for the taxpayer and voted against the motion. Ward 4 Councilor Jay Davis was absent for the vote.

"We have no sense of the breadth (of the problem of gas leaks)," said Councilor Joseph Finn who noted that some gas service lines in his area date to 1911 and 1913.

Finn voted for the Trust as did Ward 2 Councilor Daniel Raymond who cited an incident in the past on Southern Artery.

All along the street, Raymond said "mature, developed trees" just died and "the gas company agreed to replace the trees."

Also supporting the project was Council president Douglas Gutro who commended Coughlin for

bringing the "innovative approach" to the Council and noted the program "doesn't cost the taxpayer a dime."

At the previous meeting on the Trust project, Coughlin introduced attorney Jan Schlietmann, who is one of the major directors of the Trust operation and Bob Ackley of Gas Safety Inc.

Schlietmann told councilors that the Trust will provide the city, first, with an inventory of gas leaks and, then, a list of trees they believe have been damaged by gas leaks draining oxygen from the soil.

In the final step, the Trust will seek damages from the gas company for the damaged trees and split the proceeds with the City. The Trust will retain 40% of the payment funds and the City 60%.

McNamee also opposed the Trust contingency agreement, suggesting the 40/60 split was not favorable to the city.

Councilors John Keenan, Michael McFarland and Ward 1 Councilor Leo Kelly all supported the Trust motion.

Jennifer Logue Fundraiser June 6

The Committee to Elect Jennifer McCauley Logue will hold a fundraiser reception Wednesday, June 6, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Neighborhood Club, 27 Glendale Rd., Quincy Center.

The event, featuring hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar, will

offer voters a chance to discuss the issues facing Quincy with Logue, who is running for city councillor at-large.

Logue, the former executive director of Discover Quincy and daughter of former Mayor Francis X

McCauley, is making her first run for public office.

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ATHLETE'S FOOT

What people often mistake for simply dry, cracking skin on their feet can actually be athlete's foot. Athlete's foot is a fungal infection that commonly occurs between the toes or on the sides and soles of the feet. It can also spread from the toes to the toenails. When it is acute, it will itch and show up as blisters that sometimes weep. A prescription cream from the podiatrist is the best frontline defense against athlete's foot. Athlete's foot comes from common areas that are moist (such as locker room showers), where a person walks barefoot. To prevent athlete's foot, keep your feet clean and dry at all times. Wash them daily, and use a foot powder as well.

Self-diagnosis and treatment for problems such as

athlete's foot many not always be in your best interest. Whatever problems your feet encounter, give them professional attention while the problems are still in their minor stages. It's much better, easier, and less costly to deal with problems early on than to face major treatment at a later date. Remember, foot problems usually don't just disappear on their own. Remember, too, that we are here at QUINCY MEDICAL CENTER to help when your feet hurt. Call us for an appointment at 781-986-3668. Office hours are also available at 999 North Main St., in the Randolph Medical Building and Milton Medical Building in Suite 221.

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Pavement Management Plan Continues City-Wide

DPW Commissioner Steve O'Donnell and Mayor William Phelan are asking residents to cooperate during a busy 2007 paving season.

In the past three and a half years, the city has paved more than 66 streets under the Pavement Management Plan, they said.

"I appreciate the patience of residents as we systematically repair infrastructure and repair our roads," said Phelan. "We have invested in properly repairing our streets and we will continue to do so. We have made great strides but there is more to be done."

The city is preparing the bid specifications for the next round of paving to be done this summer and fall.

Crews are currently out

paving Atlantic Street, Billings Street, Hovey Road, Wadsworth Road and at the intersection of Rawson Road and Hamden Circle. The work is being completed as part of the second phase of the sewer rehabilitation project along Quincy Shore Drive.

Contractors are also in the process of finishing up a major drainage correction on Carlisle Street in North Quincy. A new pump station was installed and new pavement was laid to help alleviate chronic problems in the areas.

Work crews from D & R Construction continue to install new sidewalks along Chickatabot Road, Wampatuck Road, Algonquin Road, and

Hobomack Road. New paving will be installed soon after the sidewalks are completed.

D & R will then move onto Agawam Road where they will pave the street around the early-school dismissal schedule for Tuesday afternoons.

Water main work continues throughout Wollaston with Standish Avenue, Carruth Street, and Gilmore Street currently under construction. Once the aging infrastructure is repaired, new pavement will be overlaid on all three streets.

"This is a busy year and we encourage residents to cooperate whenever possible," said O'Donnell. "The more help we get, the more streets we can get to this year."

Haley Replaces McCauley On Retirement Board

Mayor William Phelan has named Robert Haley of Quincy to replace former Mayor Frank McCauley as his representative to the Quincy Retirement Board.

Haley serves as the Town Treasurer of Hanover and is a former officer in the Quincy Taxpayer's Association.

Haley will sit on the five-member Board that includes City Auditor Rick Fitzpatrick, Richard Crespi, George McRay, and Roger Perletti.

The Board oversees the management of more than \$300 million in assets. They are responsible for reviewing applications for credible services, benefits, refunds, and transfers.

It meets on a monthly basis.

"Few people can combine Bob's knowledge of municipal finance and passion for the City of Quincy," said Phelan. "I am pleased that he has answered the call to service as my appointment to

the Retirement Board. I know he will always represent our citizens and taxpayers in every decision made."

Phelan also praised former Mayor Frank McCauley for his service to the Board.

"Frank was a near ideal

fit for the Board and he will be missed. I appreciate the service that he continues to provide our great city even after his terms of elected office are complete. Frank is truly one of the finest public servants this city has ever known."



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Jermaine Silveira Graduates Basic Combat Training

Army Pvt. Jermaine J. Silveira recently graduated from Basic Combat Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, MO.

Silveira is the son of Stephanie Leung of Quincy and Joaquim Silveira of Boston.

He is a 2001 graduate of Dorchester High School.

During the nine weeks of

training, the soldier received instruction in drill and ceremony, weapons, rifle marksmanship qualification, bayonet combat, chemical warfare, field training and

tactical exercises, marches, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid and Army history, traditions, and core values.

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Some people think they should vote on whether Peter's moms should be married.

State legislators are deciding whether or not to put a Constitutional amendment on the 2008 ballot that would take the right to marry away from same-sex couples - and with it, all the important protections for them and their children.

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U.S. MINT DIRECTOR Edmund C. Moy presenting a John Adams \$1 coin to the ninth generation of the Adams family, Gabriella Ames, at City Hall Plaza on Tuesday.



PETER BOYLSTON ADAMS, a seventh generation Adams family member, speaking at City Hall Plaza Tuesday on the issuance of the new \$1 John Adams coin.

John Adams \$1 Coin Hailed At Issuance Here

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The George Washington coin was released in February, and the Adams coin will be followed by Thomas Jefferson and James Madison.

The John Quincy Adams coin is due out next year.

The coin is inscribed on one side: John Adams, 2nd President 1797-1801. On the other side is the Statue of Liberty. "In God We Trust" is on the edge of the coin.

It was a scene at City Hall Plaza that John Adams would have been so proud-

with his seventh, eighth and ninth generations attending the introduction to the new coin.

Crowds, balloons, vendors, and John Adams interpreter Sam Goodyear of Cooperstown, N.Y. greeted guests and interacted with local school children.

Goodyear said he has played the part of John Adams since 1995, and said of all the characters he has portrayed, he found John Adams the most interesting.

In describing the coin, Goodyear, holding the coin in the palm of his hand, said "John Adams is truly in the

hands of the American people."

Moy said there are \$500 million coins now in circulation, and said he hoped the American people will use this coin as a part of a collection, educational programs and in everyday commerce."

Peter Boylston Adams, seventh great grandson of John Adams said bequests left in Quincy from John Adams have been honored and kept in good faith. He called the City of Quincy, a flower slowly opening," and added, "with that trust, I salute you."

Brooks Ames, the eighth generation (Peter Boylston Adams is his great uncle.), introduced his daughter four year old Gabriella Ames, ninth generation of John Adams.

Peter Boylston Adams introduced to the audience, the designer of the coin, Joel Iskowitz. Iskowitz said it took him six weeks to come up with the design for the coin. He researched for four weeks before designing the coin.

When asked what inspired him for the design, he

answered "everything about John Adams inspired me." He complimented Charles Vickers, U.S. Mint, as the sculptor of the coin.

In addressing Mayor William Phelan, Moy cited Quincy as a "city of warmth" and that "John Adams would have been proud to see what Quincy has become."

Phelan said no other community has gained more publicity and reminded everyone that Quincy is the only community that produced two presidents.

He said that "John Adams

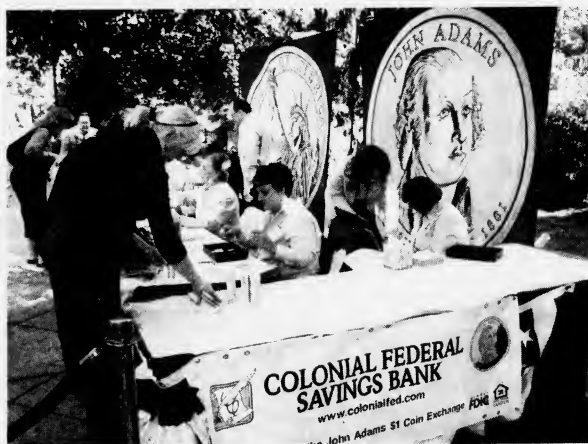
remains the most valuable part of our community."

Later each child from Central Junior High, the Atherton Hough Elementary School where the children adorned white wigs, and the Frances W. Parker School, were given two coins each, "one to spend and one to save."

Moy had indicated he would spend a John Adams coin Tuesday. When asked by a Sun reporter where he would spend it he replied "I've got my eye on a cannoli out there."



SAM GOODYEAR, portraying John Adams, interacting with students from Atherton Hough Elementary School, all wearing white wigs.



A GUEST AT CITY HALL PLAZA purchases a John Adams \$1 coin from Colonial Federal Savings Bank at Tuesday's issuance of the first coin at City Hall Plaza.

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Phelan Proposes Multi-Family Development Design Guidelines

Mayor William Phelan, working with the City's Smart Zoning Committee, has proposed the creation of design guidelines to direct developers regarding the construction of multi-unit residential properties.

Phelan included \$15,000 in the proposed Fiscal Year 2008 budget to develop the guidelines that would create aesthetic benchmarks for developers when considering multi-family properties.

"We have put the brakes on regarding the over-development of our neighborhoods, but we need to give our boards and commission the tools they need to properly balance the protection of our neighborhoods with property rights," said Phelan.

"By creating design guidelines for multi-family properties, we can ensure that our neighborhoods are not negatively impacted by new development yet monies are still reinvested in our housing stock to upgrade existing, older homes. We need to strike that balance to be a successful."

If the allocation is approved, the Planning Department will hire an independent firm to work with the

Smart Zoning Committee in an effort to develop the design guidelines. Currently, design guidelines exist for new projects in the downtown district but no such direction exists for projects outside of the downtown district.

"We must steer development to where it can be sustained, into our downtown,

Crown Colony, the shipyard, and other areas," Phelan said. "A city must continue to grow and improve, yet we strive to hold onto the character of our neighborhoods. I believe we can accomplish that through the creation of design guidelines as a primary, but necessarily penultimate, step."

Council On Aging Trip To Foxwood Casino June 7

Quincy Council on Aging is sponsoring a trip to Foxwood Casino on Thursday, June 7.

The bus will leave Marina Bay parking lot at 8 a.m. Cost

of the trip is \$25 per person. Reservations are necessary.

Interested persons may make reservations or obtain further information by calling Dot Dow at 617-376-1508.

Three Unions Agree To Larger Share In Health Care Costs

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with my fellow City workers, the cost-sharing component for employee benefits is very important to our taxpayers. It may not be a popular position to take, but it's the right one for our taxpayers."

Both the Superior Officers and the Police Patrol units have agreed to a provision that would support the City joining the State's Group Insurance Commission (G.I.C.) Plan if the provision is passed by the State

Legislature. Participation in the State's G.I.C. Plan would save the City of Quincy millions of dollars.

"The true long-term solution for both our taxpayers and our employees may be the G.I.C. Plan," Phelan said. "We cannot continue on our current track."

The cost of employee health care was an \$18 million line-item in the Fiscal Year 2008 budget. This year, the City has allocated \$42 million to cover the costs of

employee benefits. Health care costs are rising at a pace double the inflation rate and far outpacing employee income increases, Phelan said. Nationally, the cost of family health insurance has risen 87% since 2000.

Quincy's rate of 90% coverage for employees is the highest in the State. In addition, Quincy's current plan allows for \$5 co-payments for employees, another provision that is being restructured.

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By Samantha Mazzotta

Energy-Saving Light Bulbs Are Safe

Q. I've heard on the news that the energy-saving twisty lights can cause fire. I have a lot of them — my place can be dark, and I leave them on a lot, and I like them. Should I get rid of all of them, or is it not that serious? They haven't been taken off the market yet. — *Grace from Canada*

A. A check of the U.S. Consumer Products Safety Commission Web site (www.cpsc.gov) showed that while two brands of energy-saving, compact fluorescent lights (CFLs) were recalled in 2004, no recalls have been issued recently, and there have been no warnings of such bulbs posing a fire hazard.

An article in "The Green Guide" (www.greenguide.com) discusses the burn marks and melted plastic that some bulb owners have noticed when a CFL burns out. The burns and melting indicate that the burnout took place properly. The way it works is a bit complicated, involving several components of the bulb — including the ballast (the plastic base) and a built-in resistor that operates like

a fuse in a home's circuit box. The resistor burns out when the ballast overheats, cutting the electrical circuit and thereby preventing a fire.

However, one should always use common sense around any light source. Use proper lampshades, and keep flammable materials away from the bulbs. When changing a burned-out bulb, turn off the power switch. Also, when installing CFLs, handle them carefully so that the seal between the ballast and glass tubes doesn't crack — an issue that can shorten the life of the bulb and cause minor smoking on burnout.

Remember that, like most things in life, you get what you pay for. Cheaper bulbs are likely to burn out much sooner than more expensive types, meaning you won't save the money the package claims you will save. Make certain when purchasing a CFL that the product is Underwriter's Laboratory (UL) certified — the UL marking should be on the plastic base.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homequincy2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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New Mortgage Simulator Empowers Loan Applicants

(NAPS) — If you're ever searching to unlock the mystery of how mortgage lenders view you when you apply for a home loan, look to your computer.

An online tool at truecredit.com/mortgage offers a "Mortgage Simulator" that delivers a report customized for you based not only on debt, income and target home information, but also on your most up-to-date credit information.

It then delivers a listing of mortgage rates for which you should qualify, based on a nationwide survey of rates from the Heitman Group. Rates are continuously updated so you can also check back to see if your rates have



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changed. The site also has a "What If" tool that helps illustrate how changing various factors—such as a current credit score or debt-to-income ratio—can improve your borrowing power. Sliding the toolbar in a category quickly illustrates how that potential change can impact what you'll pay for years to come. For most people, this should be a real motivator toward taking steps in the right direction.

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• There's a wealth of free credit education information available online that can help you better understand the topic of credit and how you can learn to manage your own financial health.

• For more information, visit truecredit.com/mortgage.

Norfolk Registry Of Deeds Computer Seminar Tonight

Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell will host an informational seminar on computer-assisted land records research at the Registry of Deeds in Dedham tonight (Thursday) from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

The seminar is intended for both real estate professionals and public. The program will include a brief presentation, written reference materials, and hands-on exercises. There will be opportunities for both basic and advanced questions and answers.

Computer-assisted land records research is available at both the Registry and on the Internet at

www.norfolkdeeds.org.

"These services have proven valuable tools for our customers," O'Donnell said. "We hope this seminar will be helpful and informative."

There is no charge to attend the seminar. Persons planning to attend should register by phone, 781-461-6116. Include names, address and a day-time phone number.

The Registry of Deeds, located at 649 High St., Dedham, is the principal office for real property in Norfolk County. The registry receives and records hundreds of thousands of documents each year and is a basic resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate and accessible land record information.

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Reverse

Mortgage Topic

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Reverse mortgage is a program offered by the federal government that allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax-free cash.

For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

Neighborhood Housing Services Homebuyer Workshop Starts June 4

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore, in conjunction with Randolph Banking Collaborative, will host a First-Time Homebuyer Workshop on Monday, June 4, 11 and 18 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The workshop will be held at Randolph Savings Bank, 10 Cabot Pl., Stoughton.

The workshop is open to citizens of Massachusetts, regardless of income.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. At the workshop,

participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Targeting Those "Problem" Areas

Q. I have been working out and eating well for the past several months, and I am seeing good results and feel great. I can tell my body is changing by how my clothes look and by how I feel. However, I'm still not seeing a significant change in my "problem areas." Is there anything I can do about this?

A. You're not alone, as many people share this same concern. Although you are seeing results throughout your whole body, there are still a few places that seem to be cooperating. There are a few factors to consider when wanting to see body composition changes.

Workout progressions, nutritional and lifestyle habits, in addition to medical conditions and genetics, play a large part in how your body responds to exercise and nutrition. Developing a plan that takes into consideration all of these factors can guide you toward reaching your goals.

Unfortunately, we have to rule out the option of spot training. Being able to focus your exercise routine on one particular muscle group in hopes of seeing results in that area alone is not possible. A total body exercise routine that consists of resistance and cardiovascular training will help you gain lean muscle mass and lose fat throughout your whole body.

Monitor your exercise program, and be sure to keep progressing. If you're performing the same work-

out routine for long periods of time, your body will become efficient at performing the exercises and not have to exert as much effort. This is your cue to change or modify your program to create a challenge.

Nutrition and lifestyle habits are other factors to evaluate. Practicing balanced eating habits and keeping a stress-free lifestyle are necessary for your body to fully have the opportunity to change. As with exercise, you want to monitor your eating and lifestyle habits to be sure they are complementing each other.

It is important to recognize the role that certain medical conditions and genetics play in regards to your body composition. Speak with your physician about any medical conditions and medications that may have an effect on your body. Be sure to be honest about your activity level and nutritional habits.

Genetics play a big role in determining how your body will respond to exercise and where it decides to place body fat. Looking at an immediate family member can sometimes give you an idea of places such as hips or thighs that you may find if you are not happy about what you see. Keep working hard and stay consistent to see the results you desire.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kws@heartsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Understanding Medicine

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(NAPS) - If you have Medicare, three important steps can help put you on the road to better health.

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• Step 2: Talk to your doctor about the Medicare preventive services that are right for you.

• Step 3: Register for My Medicare.gov on any computer.

These three easy steps can take you toward a healthier life.

Being physically active, eating a healthy diet, staying at a healthy weight and not smoking all work to keep you healthy and help you live longer. But there is more you

can do to protect your health and prevent disease.

Don't overlook routine preventive services such as cancer screenings (mammogram, colorectal, prostate) and cardiovascular screenings and simple things such as getting a flu shot. These tests and services are critical to your overall health and can help you prevent diseases or detect them early, when treatment works best.

If you need help remembering the services you received and the tests you need each year, you can use the MyMedicare.gov Web tool to help you (1) track the preventive services you used and (2) remind yourself

about other covered services that are right for you. You can visit the MyMedicare.gov Web site from any computer with Internet access to take advantage of these benefits. If you don't have a computer with Internet access, ask family members of loved ones if they do. Or visit your local library, where there are usually public computers with Internet access.

Start taking your three steps to prevention today. Know your health history, talk to your doctor about the screenings and services that are best for you and register for MyMedicare.gov. Set an example for your family and

friends. Taking these steps can lead to better health and quality of life for you and those you love.

Look for a "Healthier US Starts Here" event in your area to learn more about Medicare preventive services. Or visit www.medicare.gov on the Web or call (800) MEDICARE (800-633-4227) to get a free copy of "Staying Healthy: Medicare's Preventive Services." On the Web, select "Find a Medicare Publication" under "Search Tools."

This information prepared by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Foot Facts: Pointers on Pedicures

(NAPS) - When it comes to putting your best foot forward, few things can compare to treating your toes to a pedicure. Fortunately, with a few professional tips and tools, you can indulge yourself anytime you need a relaxing treat.

Step 1: Start by removing old polish with acetone polish remover, then soak feet in a warm bath. To really refresh feet, try an aromatherapy foot soak. You can also add an effervescent whitening soak to remove stains and whiten nails. OrigiNails Bubble White works wonders on

nails stained from dark polishes.

Step 2: Use a foot file or a pumice stone to smooth softened calluses. A sloughing lotion or polishing scrub can make this easier. Apply a cuticle remover to the cuticles. In general, try not to cut your cuticles, as it can actually promote hangnails or infect the area. While the cuticle remover is doing its job, trim toenails and shape the nails with a fine-grit cushioned file.

Step 3: Use a birchwood stick wrapped in cotton to push back the cuticle, then

gently buff the nails with a buffer block.

Step 4: Massage feet and legs with moisturizing lotion, paying special attention to heels; then clean the surface of the nails with acetone-moistened cotton so the polish adheres better.

Step 5: Use toe separators or cotton balls to spread toes and help prevent any polish smudges. Apply base coat, then two coats of polish and finish with a protective topcoat. A topcoat with UV protection will also keep your polish from yellowing. That can be a problem for light-

colored polishes.

If your toes get a lot of exposure to sand and surf, prevent your polish from chipping by reapplying a topcoat every two to three days. Feet can also get overheated and less than pleasant during long, hot days. Just a spritz of Heel to Toe Refreshing Foot Spray can cool feet and eliminate any odor.

Keep feet moisturized by applying a balm or body butter just before bed and sleep with socks on to seal that moisture in.

Jimmy Fund Scooper Bowl At Central Middle School June 5-7

The 25th annual Jimmy Fund Scooper Bowl will visit the Central Middle School in Quincy on June 5-7.

Central Middle School will pay tribute to the late Patrick White, a former student who lost his battle with rhabdomyosarcoma, a soft tissue cancer. Patrick's twin sisters now attend Central and are in the sixth grade.

On Friday, May 25, students will have an opportunity to buy a ticket and enjoy an ice cream sundae with their teacher and classmates.

According to the organizer of this effort, Joanne Minton, teachers, staff and members of the White family will help serve

the ice cream.

This year marks the 25th annual Jimmy Fund Scooper Bowl. Schools, youth groups, and other student organizations can plan and run an ice cream fundraiser to benefit cancer research and care at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute.

Groups can host an ice cream social, set up an ice cream booth in the school cafeteria, or dish up an ice cream eating contest. The goal is for students to be creative, build self-confidence, and most importantly, understand the significance of giving back to the community.

The Jimmy Fund will support participating schools or groups with ice cream cups

and banners for the fundraisers. A special Jimmy Fund Scooper Schools Plaque will be given to the top fundraising organization.

The nation's largest all-you-can-eat ice cream festival is open from 11:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, June 5, and Thursday, June 7. Hours are extended to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6. Schools that raise more than \$1,000 will earn free admission to the Jimmy Fund Scooper Bowl for 120 students. Students who raise \$500 or more will earn free admission for 70 children.

Patient Appreciation Day To Support Jeannie Cleary Fund

Dr. Steven M. Windwer president of Milton Chiropractic & Rehabilitation, Inc. will host the 17th annual Patient Appreciation Day on Thursday June 7, at his place of business, 111 Willard St., Suite 2A, Quincy, MA.

The hours will be 8:30 a.m. to noon and 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. All proceeds will be donated to the Jeannie Cleary Fund.

Jeannie is a 39-year old

and \$250 or more earns free admission for 30 students.

To become a Scooper School contact Sarah Neukom at (617) 632-5008.

Scooper Bowl admission is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children ages 3-9, and free for children younger than 3.

There is a Scooper Pass for \$15, which allows ticket holders to skip the line and enter the Scooper Bowl up to three times. The Scooper Pass is on sale until June 4.

For advance ticket sales and more information, visit www.scooperbowl.org.

woman battling cancer for six months. She grew up in Braintree and now resides in Weymouth. All proceeds will go directly to Jeannie's medical expenses.

Those unable to attend but wish to contribute may send donations to the Jeannie Cleary Fund c/o Milton Chiropractic, 111 Willard St., Suite 2A, Quincy, MA 02169. You may also contact Milton Chiropractic at (617) 471-4491.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

MOTHER'S GUM DISEASE MAY POSE RISK TO UNBORN

Women should be particularly diligent about scheduling regular professional dental cleanings and exams before, during, and after their pregnancies. One particularly good reason for doing so is that a recent study shows that pregnant women with periodontal (gum) disease are at increased risk for delivering their babies prematurely. Aside from delivering early, women with pregnancy gingivitis may also give birth to smaller babies, whether they are born prematurely or at term. The potential threat posed to infants by gum disease in their mothers may be explained by the fact that the bacteria in plaque can enter the bloodstream. The body then responds to resultant infections by producing chemicals known as prostaglandins, which can signal labor to begin.

Are you pregnant or thinking of becoming pregnant?

When was the last time you had your teeth examined by your dentist? If you need answers to your questions about dental health concerns, don't hesitate to contact us. We feel that dental visits should be positive experiences. Keeping teeth and gums healthy with contribute to overall health and enjoyment of life. We're located at 44 Greenleaf Street, where teaching you how to preserve your natural teeth for a lifetime is our primary goal. Please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

P.S. Pregnant women with gingivitis may also develop growths on their gums called "pregnancy tumors" (pyogenic granulomas), which are non-cancerous growths caused by plaque-induced inflammation.



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SPORTS

Quincy Clinches League Crown Presidents Rule The Court

By SEAN BRENNAN
The Quincy High School boys' volleyball team is quickly becoming "the greatest show on court."

The Presidents enter the final week of the spring season with a 15-3 overall record. On top of that, Quincy has already clinched the South Alliance League championship with its perfect 10-0 league record.

The Presidents played on Monday night against Weymouth High School in their final 2007 regular season game, but regardless of the outcome of that game, Quincy will be playing in the South Sectional tournament for the first time in three years starting next week. The team is already guaranteed a first-round home game and should be seeded among the top 2-3 teams in the post-season field.

"I am lucky to have a true team this spring," said head coach Ed Smith, a former Quincy President volleyball player himself (1994-1998) and a science teacher at the high school. "We have a team full of kids who are working together. We started the season with a home loss to Weymouth, but we have also rolled over the weaker teams that we should have beat."

The Presidents won three out of their first five games (with their second loss coming at New Bedford), before stringing together a 12-1 record over their next

VOLLEYBALL

thirteen games. Included in this 12-1 stretch were two victories over defending South Alliance League champions Greater New Bedford Vocational High School and two wins over cross-city rival and league runner-up last year, North Quincy High School.

"This year's team is different from any team I have had in the past," said Smith. "Our advantage was that we have a group of players who have dedicated themselves to volleyball as their sole sport. The roster is made up of two seniors, eight juniors, one sophomore and one freshman. These guys—and especially my juniors—made a pact their freshman year that they would dedicate themselves to volleyball and to each other and the program."

Juniors Andrew and Brendan Paine, Mike Motiola and sophomore Ken (Honghui) Tan lead Quincy's balanced attack.

Junior Andrew Paine (middle hitter), considered by the experts to be a top-10 player in Massachusetts, is a member of the national team and one of the brightest stars in high school volleyball. Paine has 373 kills, only 89 errors, a hitting percentage of .364 and an average of

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CENTRAL MIDDLE SCHOOL recently participated in the Walk for Hunger. This year's total donation of \$2,080 was the largest donation in the school's three-year history of participation. Jim Phelan, a Central Middle School eighth grade social studies teacher, spearheaded the project. The students who participated are pictured from the left: Garret Patterson, Timothy Tran, Meredith Flaherty, Wendy Wong, Samantha Albanese, Andrew Minton, Tim Marks, Mr. Jim

Phelan, Jauliana Levchenko, Linda Duong, Lauren Campo, David Lawlor, Michaela Whitley, Samantha Enbar-Salo, Amanda Lee, Elizabeth Austin, Sruti Parvatanel, Anna Canavan, Madeline McDonough, Tess McGough and Amy Goa. Students who participated but not shown include Yumei Li, Ryann McKinnon, Cameron Scott, Iris Lin, Alexis Kaulbliesch, Kaylin Stungis, Krista Ferent and Jonathan Quach.

Fourth Annual 100 Innings Charity Event At Adams Field This Weekend

Local sports marketing firm, Charity Hop, will be hosting the 4th annual 100 Innings of Baseball Spectacular this weekend, May 26-27, at Adams Field.

The first pitch of the game will be thrown at 9 a.m. on Saturday. The contest will then continue on, with no breaks in the action, until 100 complete innings are in the books on Sunday evening. This will be the fourth straight year that this marathon game will be attempted. Upwards of 100 local players are expected to suit up and raise funds over the course of the event—and more are welcomed and encouraged to sign up at the field or by visiting www.100innings.com.

The 100 Innings of Baseball Spectacular is far

more significant than just 91 extra innings. The game will aim to bring awareness and raise funds to help eliminate Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS), more commonly known as Lou Gehrig's disease. Proceeds will go directly to benefit the ALS Association MA Chapter and its Curt's Pitch for ALS program—the initiative started by Red Sox pitcher Curt Schilling and his

wife Shonda.

Michael Lembo, co-founder of Charity Hop and coordinator of the event, has been thrilled with the success that the 100 Innings contest has brought in its three year run.

"We are so proud that this event has raised over \$300,000 in just three years, and we are excited for the prospects this weekend may bring."

Sponsors for the 2007 event include the City of Quincy, CVS/pharmacy, Vitamin Water, WEEI Radio, Authentic Awards, Reebok, Longball Vineyards and the MA Baseball Umpire Association.

To sign up to play, make a donation, become a sponsor, or for more information visit www.100innings.com or come down to Adams Field in person.

St. John's Baseball Highlights

The St. John's Baseball League started off their 2007 season, at both their first little league and first farm league game, with a dedication to Anthony Constantino, Constantino, the founder of the St. John's Baseball League, recently passed away.

His son, Bob, threw out the first ball at the little league game, and shouted out his father's famous words, "Play ball."

St. John's Baseball League began its 49th year this spring.

Little League results Pirates 10, Giants 5

It was a tough start for the defending champions, the Giants. They gave up five runs in the first inning, but then Brian "the wild thing" Fisher came on in relief and did a nice job.

Second baseman Billy Escobar stood out on defense for the Giants.

Giants 8, Athletics 3 Chris Lamont pitched

three shutout innings for the Giants. Shawn Thomas came in to pitch in the fourth inning and did a nice job.

Robbie Cameron knocked in two runs for the Giants.

Yankees 12, Athletics 8

Dillon Darcy, Adam Cook and Richie Turpin all played well for the Yankees.

Pirates 8, Yankees 0

Outstanding players for the Yankees included Franklin Pany, Christian Fuller and Charlie Montes.

Farm League results

Tigers 4, Red Sox 0

Outstanding players for the Tigers included Mike Kostka (1-for-1), Tristan

McCormick, Kimberly Dunn and Julie Silverman.

Orioles 2, Tigers 1

Outstanding player for the Red Sox was Dan Wenerwiez who had eight strikeouts in three innings.

Red Sox 11, Angles 3

Shyam Shukla had a RBI in the third inning for the Red Sox.

Orioles 4, Angles 2

Outstanding players of the game for the Orioles were Josh Campbell and Mark Haajar.

Orioles 2, Tigers 1

Chris Wallace and Kyle Masone played well for the Orioles.

Quincy Youth Soccer

FALL 2007 REGISTRATION

A second registration for the Fall '07 season will be held:

Wednesday, May 30th

7:00 - 8:30pm

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Presidents Rule The Court

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20.7 kills per match this season. Paine has played a major role in all 18 matches this season.

"Andrew plays the game at such a high level," said Smith. "He is a member of the national team and he plays volleyball all year-round. His ability is what makes him one of the top player in the state."

Junior Brendan Paine is the team's defensive specialist, and junior Mike Mottola (middle hitter) has 129 kills, only 48 errors and a 7.2 kills per match average. Mottola plays club volleyball in the off-season.

Tan, only a sophomore plays at the setter position. He has 596 assists (with a high of 55 versus Weymouth in the season-opener) and 62 digs on the spring.

The rest of Quincy's South Alliance League championship team include seniors Kshitij Nagpal (defensive specialist) and Ted Agolli (outside hitter), juniors Mort Najem (defensive specialist), Fan Li (outside hitter), John Rodrigues (outside hitter), Durim Hyseni (middle hitter), Andy Boucicaut (opposite) and Anthony Acito (outside hitter), sophomore Shawn Dowling (setter) and freshmen Kenny Nguyen (setter) and Robert Dion (middle hitter). The team's two alternates are

freshmen Vasil Palo (defensive specialist) and Joe Spargo (outside hitter).

In the Presidents clinching league title match, Quincy knocked off North Quincy three games to one. The final scores for the games were 25-13, 25-21, 23-25 and 25-17.

Andrew Paine finished the match with 25 kills and Brendan Paine added 13 digs for the Presidents.

On the season, Quincy defeated Taunton (twice), Wareham (twice), Barnstable (twice), Duxbury (twice), Brockton (twice), NQ (twice), Greater New Bedford Vocational (twice) and Newton South (once). They lost to Weymouth and New Bedford (twice).

"We lost to New Bedford, but they are a super-power every year in volleyball," said Smith. "Every other team we knocked off. We have earned the high seed which we will be getting when the seeding come out. We are about to earn the first home tournament game in team history."

The Quincy Presidents are the South Alliance League champions, and they are one of a small number of teams that will be vying for a South Sectional tournament title.

Go check them out. The "greatest show on court" will be performing at Quincy High School's East Gym next week.

Lady Presidents Travel Basketball

The Lady Presidents Travel Basketball teams recently completed a phenomenal season by having a great showing in the Old Colony League playoffs.

Two of the four teams won their divisional league championship; one team was the runner-up and another lost in double overtime in the league semifinals.

Fifth Grade (16-0 overall record) League Champions

The Quincy Lady Presidents 5th grade travel team capped off their 16-0 season by defeating Scituate, Braintree and Pembroke to capture the Old Colony League championship. All of the team members showed great sportsmanship throughout the season, making all involved with this program proud.

The members of this year's championship team included Julie Bloomer, Taylor Parry, Rachel Papile, Emma Papile, Alyssa Lydon, Dominique Lucier, Kayla McArdle, Cassidy Toldness, Kyra Hockey, Kelsey Tucker, Alycia Spargo, Lauren Gambon and Elena McDonough.

Sixth Grade (13-2 overall record) League Semifinalists

The sixth grade team had a fantastic year. Their defensive traps were key in

the games and helped led them to a 13-2 overall record. The team lost their division in a hard-fought double-overtime semifinal.

The members of this year's semifinalist team included Caitlin Bulger, Callie Cabral, Kathleen Conroy, Ashley Daniels, Julianne Downey, Maryssa Dwyer, Christine Kelliher, Liz Kelly, Sam McArdle, Lisa McCarthy, Devin McMahon, Jackie Merchant, Emma Murphy and Abigale Yotts.

Seventh Grade (15-1 overall record) League Champions

The seventh grade team began their championship playoff run with a 37-12 victory over Weymouth in the conference quarterfinals. Quincy was led by Lizzie Kelley's eight points and Therese Triglia's four points along with the fine defensive efforts by Shannon Moriarty, Erin Chiochio and Donna Niosi.

Quincy defeated Rockland 35-25 in the conference semifinals behind Emily Nguyen and Olivia Toldness' four points along with the full court defensive pressure applied by Julia Murphy, Julia Toomer and Jacki Hughes.

In the conference finals, Quincy defeated Whitman by a score of 34-21. Kylie

McDonald lead all scorers with 11 points, Nicole Parry scored 10 points and Nicole Lamie scored six points for the Lady Presidents.

In the league championship game, Quincy played East Bridgewater, the only team that defeated the seventh grade team during the regular season. The Lady Presidents jumped out to an early 14-2 lead and never looked back.

Offensively Kylie McDonald's 8 points, Nicole Lamie's five points and Lizzie Kelley's five points paced the team. Defensively the team was lead by Caitlyn Lowry, Janelle Leone and Nicole Parry.

Eighth Grade (12-4 overall record) League Finalists

The eighth grade team was made up of 11 dedicated basketball players. The team started the playoffs by beating Weymouth 38-28. Katie Curran, Talia Hampton and Uyen Vu all played well.

In the conference semifinals, Quincy knocked

off Scituate 34-28. The team never trailed and had seven players score. Julia White played an outstanding game along with Brittany Brennan who dominated in the post.

In the conference finals, Quincy earned some revenge over Whitman (they had defeated Quincy 25-22 in the regular season) with a 42-35 victory. Kori Sorensen scored a season-high 25 points and Kaleigh McKeon scored 11 points. Also playing well were Shelby Oliver, Christina Cahill and Courtney Peters.

In the league championship game, Quincy lost a hard-fought game to East Bridgewater 45-35.

The Lady Presidents were down 23-12 at halftime, but their valiant comeback in the final minutes (down by 5 points with two minutes to play) fell just short. Erin Hockey, who was injured throughout the playoffs, contributed with great team spirit throughout the post season.

Third Annual Quincy Soccer Clinic June 19-22

The third annual Quincy Soccer Clinic for players in grades 1-8 will be held June 19-22 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30

p.m.

For questions or any other inquiries, contact Coach Grier at (617) 699-9277.

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Personal Or Commercial Car Insurance?

(NAPS) - If, like many Americans, your family car is also used for purposes that could be considered commercial use, you may want to steer yourself into a chair and look over your insurance policy.

You'll need to consider buying a commercial policy or making sure that your existing personal auto policy covers the vehicle for business use. Whether or not you need a commercial policy depends on how you use your

vehicle and what company you have it insured with. Every company has different guidelines and may surcharge for business-use coverage on a personal auto policy.

If you're not sure whether business use is covered on your personal policy, it's important to call your insurance company or agent. The Progressive Group of Insurance Companies has put together these four questions you may want to ask:

• How do companies

determine "commercial use"? One definition could include "engaging in transporting goods for compensation or a fee," which includes pizza or newspaper delivery, catering, door-to-door consulting services, landscaping or snowplowing services, logging business, day care/church van services or farm-to-market delivery. People who do these kinds of work should consider purchasing a commercial vehicle policy.

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liability coverage than a personal auto policy provides? Generally, a commercial auto policy offers higher limits of liability, but less or no coverage in areas that are typically not associated with commercial auto risks.

• Do you need special coverage for situations encountered while conducting business? Commercial auto policies usually offer these coverages, and they're normally not available with personal auto policies. These include hired and nonowned auto coverage and coverage for towing a trailer for business use.

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FRIDAY, MAY 4

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:35 a.m., Hancock St. and Maple St. Punched a car. Male party walking down street. Arrest for malicious damage to a motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:43 a.m., 7 Farnum St. House. Someone threw paint all over house, front of house.

LARCENY, 8:08 a.m., We Care Cleaners, 58 Quincy Ave. Past.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:13 a.m., Ayers Brothers, Inc., 440 East Squantum St. BCI for prints.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:01 p.m., Ross Parking Area, 96 Parkway. Past. 1994 Saturn SLS, color yellow.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:45 p.m., 107 East Elm Ave. To vehicle. Vehicle keyed several times.

LARCENY, 2:35 p.m., 60 Broadway. Package taken from caller's front door by a female who left in a black Kia Sephia.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:50 p.m., 34 Randlett St. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 9:44 p.m., 21 Sextant Cir. Dwelling. Someone just kicked in door and fled in a dark colored station wagon.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:46 p.m., Furnace Brook Parkway. Four youths inside hit his car. He then went around rotary and they struck his motor vehicle again. He claims they had aluminum baseball bats also. Happened 5-10 minutes ago Furnace Brook rotary.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:32 p.m., Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. 2000 Dodge Caravan, color gray.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:41 p.m., Granite Links Club House, 100 Quarry Hills Dr. Car egged. No permanent damage.

SATURDAY, MAY 12

LARCENY, 1:52 a.m., Cottage Ave. Fare trouble. Situation rectified.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:11 a.m., Marriott Hotel, 1000 Marriott Dr. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:40 p.m., 325 Newport Ave. Rear windshield smashed out, no entry gained. Vehicle parked in the rear of building on Arlington St. Appears to be random act.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:36 p.m., Wollaston Manor, 91 Clay St. 2007 Ford Focus, color brown.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:47 p.m., 25 Sixth Ave. Caller states keys were left in the car. 2004 Kia Optima, color gray.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 8:53 p.m., 53 Copeland St. Attempted. Two black males, two white males fled on foot towards Hattuck. 15-25 years old, one while male wearing black and yellow jacket. Hit caller in head with something, he is unsure what it was.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:58 p.m., 257 Granite St. Just happened within last 15 minutes. 1998 Chevy GMT400, color blue.

SUNDAY, MAY 13

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 12:28 a.m., 78 Brook Rd. Large group. Black males 4-6 tried to mug him. Five juveniles to be sent home or picked up by parents.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:01 a.m., Marriott Hotel, 1000 Marriott Dr. To motor vehicle. Threatening note left on windshield.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 1:44 p.m., 165 School St. Basement door has been kicked in. Possible B&E.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:04 p.m., 35 Ardell St. Dwelling.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 11:49 p.m., 230 Washington St. Blue hat, white sweatshirt, poss. gun. Party located at Elm and Washington. One arrest for attempted armed robbery, attempted robbery and threats. No weapon found.

MONDAY, MAY 14

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:12 a.m., 76 Scotch Pond Pl. Spray paint. A very small area of front wall has been spray painted with the word love and a peace sign.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:18 a.m., Vane Street Parking Area, 19 Vane St. Vehicle keyed all over the body - happened May 13.

LARCENY, 11:50 a.m., Bridge West Squantum St., 21 West Squantum St. Caller states that approximately 45 minutes ago an unknown white male smashed his car window and stole a bag of money.

LARCENY, 11:54 a.m., Panera Bread Company, 200 Hancock St. Laptop.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:02 p.m., 255 Arlington St. Just taken. Caller reports a party stole his truck - 2004 GMC Sierra, color black - and fled. Caller reports he is following the vehicle onto Steadman St., now going over bridge over highway. One in custody at 25 Mullen Ave. Suspect chaired OUI, operating to endanger, failing to stay in marked lanes, outstanding warrant, operating after suspension, driving to endanger, speeding, stop sign, larceny of motor vehicle.

LARCENY, 1:59 p.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Numerous items. Nokia cellphone and other various electronics.

LARCENY, 4:18 p.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Past wallet.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:20 p.m., 30 Bigelow St. 1990 Buick LeSabre, color red. Using without authority situation.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:57 p.m., First Church of Christ Scientist, 20 Greenleaf St. Just happened. Two youths, one black male, one white male on bikes, just broke a window at the above. Headed towards Hancock St.

TUESDAY, MAY 15

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:04 a.m., 67 Rock Island Rd. Car window/door. Driver's door and window smashed by a cinderblock overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:45 a.m., 120 Fenno St. To fence. Pickets have been kicked out of his fence.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:42 a.m., 45 Rodman St. Motor vehicle damage. Front windshield smashed sometime overnight.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:45 a.m., Brook St. and Fayette St. Motor vehicle damage. Two tires slashed on two separate occasions.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 2:17 p.m., 159 Willard St. Bleeding. Two males just fighting, both are bleeding. One took off up Willard towards Furnace Brook in a black pickup. The other just went behind above. Male in pickup dropped wallet in street. One to Quincy Medical.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6 p.m., 77 Presidential Dr. Already found. 2004 Infiniti G35, color black. Vehicle taken today.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:20 p.m., Sameway Cleaners Laundry, 238 Billings Rd. Spray paint marks on wall. Possible gang related.

LARCENY, 6:36 p.m., 24 Alrick Rd. Money.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16

LARCENY, 2:09 a.m., Fr. Bill's Place, 38 Broad St. Client says his Percoset is missing from a lockbox.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 5:26 a.m., 40 Nelson St. Dwelling. Caller saw a black man heading upstairs with another undescribed person, then heard door being kicked in. Can hear tussling now. Unable to locate suspects involved, only description is two black males.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:08 a.m., Bank of America ATM, 100 Newport Ave. Ext. Bullet holes. Appears bullet holes shot through glass windows at ATM site. Outer pane shout with BB/NO evidence/documents.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:23 a.m., 27 Farrington St. Dwelling. Unknown party sleeping in basement. Complaint for B&E with intent commit misdemeanor to witness, trespassing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:15 p.m., 307 Victory Rd. To motor vehicle. Happened Sunday night while caller was in restaurant. Whole car dented and scratched.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 1:52 p.m., Illusions Hair Salon, 14 Revere Rd. Open & gross. A white male, 40, 5'9", short dark hair, light blue shirt, tan pants. Long sleeve blue button down shirt.

A Job Well Done

On Sunday, May 6, at approximately 9:10 p.m., Officers Steven Elmes and Robert Curtis responded to Newbury Avenue on a report of a disorder.

Officer Curtis arrived on scene first. Officer Curtis stated when he approached the door, he could hear yelling and then a female voice state, "I'll f--- & @& kill you." He then heard a male scream, "Stop it, get away from me - now."

Officer Curtis then heard banging as if there was a scuffle. The officer banged on the door loudly and announced that it was the Quincy Police at the door and radioed for Officer Elmes to speed up his response. Officer Curtis banged on the door again and when no one came to the door, he tried to open the door but it was locked. He again yelled it was the Quincy Police and as he readied to force the door, a male with blood on his head, face and clothing opened it. As soon as the male saw the officer, he said "Please help me - stop her - she stabbed me. She's in the kitchen."

As Officer Curtis stepped toward the kitchen, the female came into the living room and yelled, "Get him out of here. He don't live here." She had blood on her as well as fresh bruises on her face. The officer also noted the female appeared unsteady on her feet. Officer Curtis told the female to sit on the couch numerous times as he tried to separate them.

As Officer Curtis called for an ambulance and waited assistance, the male and female increased their hostilities towards each other. After numerous warnings to cease, Officer Curtis handcuffed the male for his own protection. The female continued to scream at the male. Officer Curtis examined her wounds and at the same time determined that she was drunk. The female said the fight was over her boyfriend's refusal to go to church with her earlier that day.

Officers Elmes and Lane Watkins arrived and the investigation continued. Officer Elmes interviewed the male, who had several scrapes and marks on his face. He confirmed they lived together and were boyfriend-girlfriend. He said he came home and sat down to eat when she attacked him at the table, punching him in the face. He said she was acting like a lunatic and blurted out that she stabbed him!

When asked where he was stabbed in his body, the male said he was unsure where, but was positive he was stabbed, describing the knife as a brown, gold and folding. Officer Elmes attempted to question the female about the incident, but she was now incoherent and rambling loudly. She said her boyfriend came home and began yelling and pushing her around. She stated he broke a glass over her head. The officer asked her to show him the broken glass. She led him to the kitchen but there was no broken glass.

She then said he did not break glass on her head. The female then changed her story many times and spoke incoherently as she ranted and raved.

Officer Elmes looked around the kitchen. He noted there was a plate and food on the table, supporting the male's account of the incident. Officer Elmes received permission from the male and female to search the apartment and minutes later he found the folding knife, which had blood on it. Officer Elmes then placed the 50-year-old female under arrest for assault and battery and assault and battery with a dangerous weapon.

Fallon Ambulance technicians attempted to examine her prior to being transported to the station, but she fused medical assistance. With Fallon Ambulance there, Officer Elmes told

black belt, tan khaki pants, and black dress shoes.

LARCENY, 2:13 p.m., 83 Conant St. Baby carriage. Last Munday a Peregé stroller valued at \$300 was stolen from yard.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:33 p.m., 15 Pray St. Spray paint to house. JG spray painted twice on the side of the house.

LARCENY, 8:58 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery, Waller.

THURSDAY, MAY 17

INDECENT/ASSAULT & BATTERY, 11:41 a.m., Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St. One of their elderly clients inappropriately touched a female client. Taken to QMC for a psych evaluation.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:48 p.m., 47 Massachusetts Ave. Broken window. Party states someone just threw a rock through his window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:57 p.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Painting.

LARCENY, 7:46 p.m., Point Webster Middle School, 60 Lancaster St. Cellphone stolen from locker; larceny over \$250.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 9:32 p.m., 24 Saville Ave. Robbery. Incident occurred in front of 24 Saville Ave. Black female got out of a black motor vehicle, punched victim and stole her purse.

LARCENY, 9:44 p.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Purse. Female running around the parking lot saying someone stole her purse. No suspect(s) seen.

FRIDAY, MAY 18

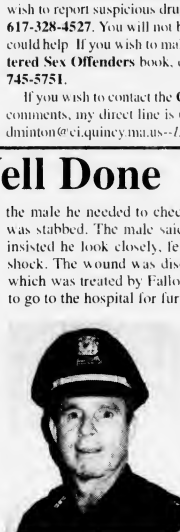
BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:36 a.m., 357 Billings Rd. Overnight. Thinks someone broke in while they slept. Several items missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:11 a.m., 162 Beach St. Dwelling.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton



LT. DAN MINTON

Work!

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MOST RECENT SCAM: A Wollaston mother brought this scam to my attention. Her son is a college student and he received a letter enclosed with a \$300 debit Gift Card with the "MasterCard" emblem on the front of the card. There was also an expiration date of 10/07 on the front of the card.

The letter is from PCFS, but does not identify what the initials stand for. The letter is also very ambiguous, especially if read with the belief that you have already provided your testimony about their "free service." There are red flags in the letter itself. The MasterCard emblem looked faded, there was a note stating the card would have to be activated, which means you must first contact them, and on the back in small letters, it states you must meet certain criteria. "This offer is not guaranteed if you do not meet our requirements."

The first question one must ask after contemplating the old adage of "if it's too good to be true, it probably isn't," is "Did I ever provide testimony to this company?" The first step was to check online by typing in "PCFS," which provided the group's name of Post Collegiate Financial Services, located in Holiday, Fla. There was also numerous links to negative comments about the free \$300 gift card because it comes with obligations.

I then called the number on the letter to make inquiries. The PCFS employee told me the card is not activated until the recipient passes a prescreening which would qualify that person to consolidate their college loans at a different rate. It is only after the recipient qualifies that the testimonial stage kicks in.

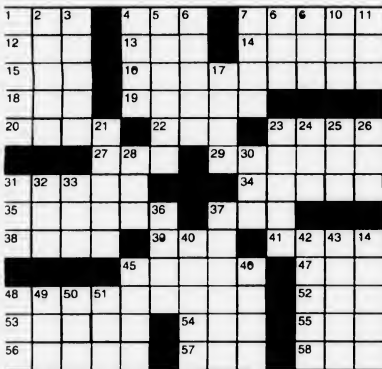
When I inquired about those callers who have passed the prescreening but do not refinance and consolidate their loans with PCFS, how many callers had their gift cards activated, the employee said it is usually when a college student actually switches over to PCFS.

Remember, when activation is required, it involves conversing with the company and it is then that you find out the price for the \$300 gift card. I can bet it will be over \$300!

SUN FUN PAGE

King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Foundation
4 PC program
7 Unrefined
12 Inseparable
13 "No seats"
14 Charlie Brown, typically
15 Rd.
16 Star of the show
18 Scepter
19 Poppy derivative
20 Antenna type
22 USN newbie
23 Grit
27 Under the weather
29 Tom Cruise movie
31 Reflection
34 Flora and fauna
35 Astaire/Rogers film
37 Half a sawbuck
38 Witnesses
39 -- CIO
41 Grand-scale tale
45 Skedaddles
47 Swelled head
- DOWN**
- 1 Enplane
2 Summarizing stanza
3 Gary Cooper role
4 Regarding
5 Drive
6 Visit briefly
7 Untalkative one
8 Jockey
9 Turcotte
10 "Born in the --"
11 Lair
12 History chapter
17 Sculpture of a sort
21 Peak periods
23 Bookbinding
- 148 Hush-hush
52 Jungfrau, e.g.
53 Rigel's constellation
54 Nipper's old co.
55 Country singer David Allan --
56 Pollster's finding
57 Urge
58 Scuttle
- 24 Past
25 Enthusiast
26 Genetics letters
28 Meadow closer
30 Kimono
31 "Monty Python" opener
32 Larry's pal
33 Gorilla
36 Soft mineral
37 Swindle
40 Staten Island carrier
42 Cobbler ingredient
43 Nome dome home
44 Got by somehow
45 Ward (off)
46 Ollie's partner
48 Youngster
49 Bobby of hockey
50 Slapstick missile
51 Trinity member



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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

The Garden Bug

Beneficial bug

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Lacewing larva
Adult lacewing

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

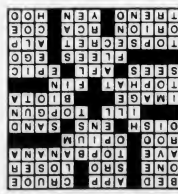
1. BOOKS: Who wrote the best-seller "Unsafe at Any Speed" in the mid 1960s?
2. GEMS: What color is lapis lazuli?
3. GEOGRAPHY: The Falkland Islands lie off the coast of which continent?
4. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What does a spelunker do?
5. U.S. STATES: What is the official slogan of the state of Illinois?
6. LANGUAGE: What does the Latin term "semper fidelis" mean?
7. ART: What is chiaroscuro?
8. CARTOONS: What is the name of Porky Pig's girlfriend?
9. SCIENCE: What kind of gases are neon and helium?
10. MOVIES: Which three comedians starred in the movie "Three Amigos"?

Answers

1. Ralph Nader
2. Blue
3. South America
4. Explore caves
5. Land of Lincoln
6. Always faithful
7. Use of light and shadow in painting
8. Putnam
9. Noble gases
10. Steve Martin, Chevy Chase and Martin Short

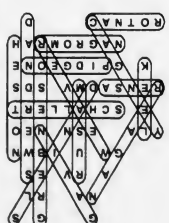
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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A stubborn refusal to go ahead on a project mystifies colleagues who expected more flexibility. But once you explain your position, they'll understand and even applaud you.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A relationship seems to be stuck in the same place. Now it's up to you, dear Bovine, to decide how far you want it to go and how intense you want it to be. Choose well and choose soon.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A relationship progresses more slowly than you would prefer. Best advice: Insist on a frank and open discussion. What is learned could change minds and, maybe, hearts.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) It's all right to be grateful to a workplace colleague who has done you a good turn. But gratitude shouldn't be a life-long obligation. The time to break this cycle is now.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) It's going to be especially nice to be the King of the Zodiac at this time. A recent money squeeze eases. Plans start to work out, and new friends enter Your Majesty's domain.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Before you make a commitment on any level (personal, professional, legal), get all the facts. There might be hidden problems that could cause trouble later on.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Personal relationships improve. Professional prospects also brighten. A job offer could come through by month's end. An old friend seeks to make contact.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your senses detect that something is not quite right about a matter involving a workplace colleague. Best advice: Follow your keen instincts and don't get involved.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A prospect offers rewards, but it also demands that you assume a great deal of responsibility. Knowing you, you're up to the challenge, so go for it, and good luck.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A favor you did a long time ago is repaid, as a trusted colleague steps in to help you with a suddenly expanded workload. A family member has important news.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A new job offer could require moving across the country. But before you let your doubts determine your decision, learn more about the potentials involved.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your sense of fair play doesn't allow you to rush to judgment about a friend who might have betrayed you. Good! Because all the facts are not yet in.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a romantic nature that allows you to find the best in people. You would excel at poetry and drama.

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Wishing Well®

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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RELIGION

44 Receive First Eucharist At St. John The Baptist Church

Forty-four students recently received their First Eucharist at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

They are:

Adam Briffett, Cassandra Brown, Lucia Buzzell, Domenic Coleman, Cameron Comolletti, Holly Coughlan, Hannah Cuniff, Matthew Donahue, Ryan Donahue,

Aaron Etienne, Kevin Fitzgerald, Sarah Foley, Peter Gagne, Mattie-Ann Greenwood, Sinead Harley, Brendan Hansbury, Paige Houle, Casey Kelliher, Aurelie LaFontant, Nicholas Lai, Brian Leach, Caitlin Leach, Vanessa Lorusso, Maura MacDonald, Tristan McCormick, Meaghan Merlino, Alicia Murphy,

Rhayann Murray, Helena Norton,

Peter Orseno, Raymond Parker, Danielle Parry, William Phelan, Jack Quinn, Daniel Richardson, Kelsey Rose, Oliver Santorelli, Rebecca Scott, Liam Sheedy, Catherine Spillane, Gianna Thomas, Anthony Walsh, Jenna Wermers and Victoria Zaccarne.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The adult bible study class begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Ardy Peterson. Ushers will be Gary Smith and Doreen Dennehy.

The coffee hour hosts are Liz Buccella, Nancy Ahonen and Ann Pierce.

Upcoming events include

Family Movie Night Saturday, May 26 at 6 p.m. Featured film is "Over the Hedge."

Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information. All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Collegium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

Morrisette Legion Post Memorial Day Ceremony May 28

The Morrisette American Legion Post will hold its annual Memorial Day ceremony Monday, May 28 at 8:45 a.m. at St. Mary's Church parking lot, Crescent St., West Quincy.

After formation the color guard and all in attendance

will parade over to Hall Cemetery.

Master of ceremonies will be Lawrence Norton.

Guest speaker this year is state Sen. Michael Morrissey.

Invocation will be by the Rev. Keijo Aheo and benediction will be said by the

Legion Chaplain Harold DiMatteo.

Post Commander Steve Dunlea will place the wreaths at the graves of the deceased members.

The ceremony is open to the public.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have Sunday Worship and Confirmation and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the ser-

vice and preach a sermon entitled "Filled with the Holy Spirit."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service there will be fellow-

ship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

First Church Of Squantum

The Fiber Arts Group meets every Tuesday on the first floor of First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., at 9:30 a.m.

Anyone with an interest in the needle arts is invited to

attend.

Instruction is available in knitting and in rug hooking as well as some rug hooking supplies.

A Men's Breakfast meets Saturday, May 26 at 8 a.m. in

fellowship hall at the church.

The church is located at the corner of Huckins Ave. and Bellevue Rd. in Squantum.

For more information, call the church at 617-328-6649.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accept-

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled

ing applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

seniors to get around. If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

Assemblies of God		Quincy Religion Directory		Episcopal			
Glad Tidings 158 Washington St., Quincy phone: 773-9797 Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor Sunday Worship 9:30-11 a.m. Christian Ed. 10 a.m. Senior H. Youth 7 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study Royal Ranger Missionettes Friday Junior H. Youth 7 p.m.		Catholic Sacred Heart Church "A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service" 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy) 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am Handicapped Accessible Confessions Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory		Congregational HOUGHES NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org Sunday, May 27 Worship Service 9:30 am Family Sunday - Pentecost Theme: 'The Holy Spirit Helps People' Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Castricum 617-479-8778		St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy (617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Heffling Sunday School 9 a.m. Adult Forum 9:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite 10 a.m. Nursery Care During Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME LITURGY: 10:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:00 PM	
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OBITUARIES

Margaret M. Burke, 84

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Margaret M. (McFadden) Burke, 84, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated May 18 at St. Ann Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Burke died May 13 at the Inova Mount Vernon Hospital in Alexandria, VA.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Brookline and graduated from St. Mary of the Assumption High School. She enjoyed composing poems.

Wife of the late Patrick P. Burke, she is survived by two daughters, Suzanne Burke of Wollaston and Diane Burke of Alexandria, VA, and many nieces, nephews, grandchildren and grandnephews.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.



MARGARET M. BURKE

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Sister of St. Joseph, 637 Cambridge St., Brighton, MA 02135 for the support of elderly and infirmed sisters.

Kevin F. Coleman

Retired Computer Consultant

A funeral Mass for Kevin F. Coleman of Quincy, a retired computer consultant, was celebrated May 19 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mr. Coleman died May 16 after a brief illness.

He worked at John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Boston for more than 40 years. He retired in 2000.

Mr. Coleman enjoyed reading, traveling, computers and, in his earlier years, sailing.

Born in Medford, he was raised in Somerville. He moved to Quincy 42 years ago.

He is survived by his wife

of 42 years, Helen M. (Mahoney) Coleman; two daughters, Tracy Coleman of Melrose and Kristen Coleman-Moore of Whitman; a sister, Ann "Nancy" Sicard of Palm Harbor, Fla., and Nashua, N.H.; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Quincy YMCA Partnership Program, Persons with Disabilities, 79 Coddington St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Charles J. 'Charlie' Ayers, 77

Owned Ayers Brothers Collision Center

A funeral Mass for Charles J. "Charlie" Ayers, 77, of Quincy, former owner and operator of Ayers Brothers Collision Center, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at Saint Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Ayers died Sunday at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston.

Born in Hartford, Conn., he was a lifelong resident of Quincy. He was a graduate of North Quincy High School.

Mr. Ayers worked for Duggan Brothers Chevrolet in Quincy for more than 25 years before opening Ayers Brothers Collision Center and Handicap Conversion Center with his sons in Quincy. He retired from the family business in 1990 but enjoyed helping his sons out at work whenever he could.

Mr. Ayers enjoyed spending the winters with his wife, Beverly, in St. Petersburg, Fla., where they had many friends.

He was a member of the North Quincy Knights of Columbus, the Benevolent Quincy Lodge of Elks and an avid boater at the Squantum Yacht Club.

He was a member of St. Ann's Church in Quincy where he was an usher for many years.

Mr. Ayers helped organize the Fourth of July Parade in Squantum for many



CHARLES J. AYERS

years.

He was an avid Boston Red Sox fan and enjoyed boating, cars, and old-time local city politics.

He also loved to cook and entertain for his family and friends especially for the holidays.

He is survived by his wife, Beverly L. (Joy) Ayers of Quincy; two sons, Charles W. Ayers of Quincy and state Rep. Bruce J. Ayers of North Quincy; a sister, Ramona Shea of Squantum; one granddaughter and two grandsons.

He was the brother of the late Norman Ayers.

Burial will be in Saint Mary's Cemetery, Quincy.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the North Quincy High School Football Program, 316 Hancock St., Quincy, MA 02171.

Steven P. Lundin, 65

A memorial service for Steven Philip Lundin, 65, of Newnan, Ga., formerly of Quincy, will be held Monday, May 28 at 11 a.m. at the Bethany Congregational Church Chapel, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center.

Mr. Lundin died May 12. Born in Quincy, he moved to Morrow, GA, in 1976.

He enlisted in the United States Air Force after high school.

Mr. Lundin was assigned to the Strategic Air Command in the specialized mobile, Det 8, 12 Radar Bomb Scoring Squadron, which operated on special trains and remote sites.

After leaving the service, he joined his father's construction company and eventually

took over the company when his father retired.

Mr. Lundin enjoyed building and servicing computers for businesses and friends. He was also very proficient in carving wood and golf ball figures.

He was a member of the Stenkil Lodge #92, Independent Order of Vikings in Braintree.

Mr. Lundin is survived by his mother, Dorothea K. Lundin of Quincy; a brother, Lars Norman Lundin of Newnan, Ga.; two daughters, Cheryl Ann Clarkin of Saunderson, R.I. and Lisa May Lundin of Weymouth; and three grandchildren.

He was the son of the late Lars Oke Lundin.

Charles G. White, 66

Retired Special Police Officer

A funeral Mass for Charles G. White, 66, of Quincy, a retired special police officer, was celebrated May 19 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mr. White died May 15 at home.

He worked for the Boston Police Department for 20 years. He retired in 2003.

In his earlier years, Mr. White was a manager at Curtis Farms and a former treasurer of American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations Local 370.

Born in Quincy, he had lived in Quincy 25 years.

He was a 1959 graduate of Weymouth High School and attended Northeastern University in Boston.

Mr. White was a member and former club manager of Robert Nickerson American Legion Post in Squantum.

He was a sports fan and enjoyed the Red Sox, Patriots and NASCAR racing.

He enjoyed working on Midget class racing cars, as well as traveling and playing cards with the Quincy Senior Citizens Group.

He also enjoyed tinkering with electronics. He loved to dance and enjoyed rock 'n'



CHARLES G. WHITE

roll music.

Husband of the late Claire (Ritchie) White, he is survived by his mother, Mary Martell White of Quincy; and a sister, Jean Carney of North Andover.

He was the son of the late Charles G. White.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Old Colony Hospice, 1 Credit Union Way, Randolph, MA 02368; or Dr. Panagiotis Fidas Trust - Thoracic Cancer Center, MA General Hospital - Yawkey Bldg., 7B, 55 Fruit St., Boston, MA 02114.

Agnes G. Stewart, 83

Jordan Marsh Employee

A funeral Mass for Agnes G. (Pitts) Stewart, 83, of Braintree and Fort Myers, Fla., formerly of Quincy, was celebrated May 18 in St. Francis of Assisi Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Stewart died May 14 at South Shore Hospital.

She worked for Jordan Marsh for more than 20 years and organized several local groups, including the Sunshine Club, Happiness is Helping Others and the 456 Bowling League.

Born and raised in Quincy, she was a graduate of North Quincy High School.

After her retirement, Mrs. Stewart enjoyed traveling with her husband of 59 years, Bernard C. Stewart, to New Zealand, Japan, Mexico, Canada and through the United States.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by three sons,

Bernard Stewart Jr. of Pocasset, and James Stewart and Alan Stewart of Braintree; six daughters, Mary Anne Boelckevy of Needham, Maureen Spillane of Quincy, Marilyn Talley of Littleton, Marla Woods of Canton, Marie Poulos of Colchester, Conn., and Marissa White of Portsmouth, R.I.; two sisters, Mary Concilio and Connie Thorley; and 22 grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Donald Stewart.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Cartwright-Venuti Funeral Home, Braintree.

Memorial donations may be made to the Joslin Diabetes Center, 1 Joslin Pl., Boston, MA 02215.

DON MCCARTHY
Managing Director

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Memorial Day is an occasion of inspiration and sorrow. We are inspired by the valor of those who placed our nation's safety above personal survival; saddened by the loss of bright and honorable lives.

Whether the weather is sombre and stormy, or sunny and springlike, traditional parades, speeches, bugler sounded taps and neighborhood wreath-laying observances are seen every where on Memorial Day. American flags fly nearly everywhere in the work in memory of all our heroic dead who served their country in the time of need.

Americanism at its finest is in the scene of homage on this holiday. In the solemn tribute to our military dead, in recognition of their lives, dreams and hopes cut short, let us hope our prayers are heard for the deliverance from the horrors of future wars. With God's help, each living generation must avoid situations of our young men and women ever again being put in harm's way...

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Richard J. Joyce, 64

Retired Sheet Metal Worker

A funeral Mass for Richard J. Joyce, 64, of Naples, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a retired sheet metal worker, was celebrated May 18 at Holy Trinity Parish in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 227 Sea St., Merrymount.

Mr. Joyce died May 16 at his daughter's house in Quincy.

He worked for the Sheet Metal Workers Union Local 17 in Dorchester for 30 years. He retired in 1990.

Mr. Joyce grew up in Holbrook and graduated from Holbrook High School.

He and his wife, Geraldine Joyce, lived in Naples during the winter and in New Hampshire during the summer.

Mr. Joyce enjoyed football and boating.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Jonathan Joyce of Arlington and David Dudutis of Texas;



RICHARD J. JOYCE

two daughters, Christine Dean and Mary Dudutis of Quincy; a brother, Stephen Joyce of Florida; three sisters, Barbara Joyce-Moulton of Boston, Carol Zemaitis-Bastis of Florida and Susan Joyce of Brockton; four grandchildren; an aunt; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Haj John R. Omar, 82

Former Business Owner

An Islamic service for Haj John R. Omar, 82, of Quincy, a former business owner, was held Monday at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Omar died May 17 at Hancock Park Rehabilitation & Nursing Center.

He was the founder of Omar's Auto Body on Water Street in Quincy, which he operated for more than 55 years. He retired in 1989.

Born in Detroit, he grew up in Quincy and was a graduate of Quincy Trade School.

He served in the Army Air Forces during World War II. He was a gunner with the 491st Bombardment Group, a B-24 Liberator group in the 8th Air Force.

Mr. Omar was a member of the Islamic Center of New

England in Quincy.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Mary A. (Awad) Omar; four daughters, Sheila Malasi of Weymouth, Mary Omar and Sharon Aldopoulos of Quincy and Susan Kenny of Falmouth; four sons, Michael Omar of Derby, VT., David Omar of Kingston, John Omar of Brockton and Richard Omar of Harwichport; two sisters, Mary Hassan of Boxboro and Eva Claus of Arizona; two brothers, Richard Omar and David Omar of Braintree; 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472-2782.

Ronald F. Goldman, 61

Cook

A funeral service for Ronald F. Goldman, 61, of Quincy, formerly of Randolph, a cook for Caesar's Restaurant in Weymouth, was held Monday at the Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Goldman died May 17 at home.

He worked at Mr. Kelly's in Quincy and for DAKA Food Services.

Born and raised in Boston, he had lived in Randolph before moving to Quincy 20

years ago.

Husband of the late Donna Ruth (Kerr) Goldman, he is survived by three sons, Charles Goldman of Whitman, Steve Goldman of Manchester, N.H., and Dwayne Goldman of Middleboro; a brother, Robert Goldman of DelRay Beach Fla.; two sisters, Shirley Carboneau of Quincy and Nancy Wallace of Braintree; nine grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was buried in Quincy.

Mrs. Kidd is survived by her husband of 53 years, Landon Kidd; three sons, John Kidd of Carver, Michael Kidd of Quincy and Harry Kidd of Weymouth; a daughter, Helen English of Palm Bay; a brother, John Minihan of Weymouth; and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by Palm Bay Funeral Home.

Francis G. Carroll Sr., 77

Former Union Painter

A funeral Mass for Francis Gerard "Frank" Carroll Sr., 77, of Quincy, a former union painter, was celebrated Monday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mr. Carroll died May 18 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked for Painters Union Local No. 35 for 35 years.

He served in the Army during the Korean War.

Born and raised in South Boston, he graduated from Gate of Heaven School in 1948. He later moved to West Roxbury and then to Quincy 40 years ago.

Mr. Carroll enjoyed reading, collecting old books and following politics.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Claire (Walsh) Carroll of Quincy; four sons, Francis G. Carroll Jr. of Weymouth, David J. Carroll of Quincy, James W. Carroll of East Sandwich and Patrick W. Carroll of Kingston; two daughters, Paula J. Bettel and Pamela M. Cronin of Kingston; two brothers, Ed-



FRANCIS G. CARROLL SR.

ward Carroll of Georgia and Eugene Carroll of Abington; three sisters, Mary Fay of Dedham, Cookie Westhaven of South Boston and Patricia Creighton of Braintree; and 10 grandchildren.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Children's Hospital, Development 300 Longwood Ave., Boston, MA 02115.

Leslie Darcy, 50

Nutritionist

A graveside service for Leslie (Delorey) Darcy, of Quincy, a nutritionist, was held Tuesday in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Mrs. Darcy died May 18 at home after a lengthy illness.

She was Nutrition Project director for the Meals on Wheels program at Kit Clark Senior Services in Dorchester, where she had worked for 20 years.

Prior to joining Kit Clark, she worked for DAKA Food Services in the Boston area.

Mrs. Darcy was born in Quincy and raised in Weymouth. She was a graduate of North Weymouth High School.

She graduated from

Catherine Laboure School of Nursing at Carney Hospital in Dorchester with a degree in nutrition.

She was an avid Boston Red Sox fan and enjoyed shopping for bargains and going to the beach.

Mrs. Darcy is survived by her husband, Bernard F. Darcy; two sons, Connor J. Darcy and Dillon F. Darcy of Quincy; her mother, Viola (Salvucci) Delorey of Weymouth; a brother, Mark L. Delorey of Weymouth; a sister, Marcia Garcea of Boulder, Colo.; and 13 grandchildren. She was the daughter of the late James H. Delorey.

Funeral arrangements were made by McDonald Funeral Home, Weymouth.

John F. Harney, 93

Owned Englewood Diner

A Mass for Christian Burial for John F. "Jack" Harney, 93, of Milton, formerly of Quincy, owner of the former Englewood Diner, was celebrated Wednesday in St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mr. Harney died May 19 at home.

Born in Brighton, he was raised in Chelsea. He and his wife, Stella, lived in Quincy until moving to Milton in 1954.

Mr. Harney was a Navy veteran of World War II. He was assigned to the Squantum Naval Air Station in Quincy.

He was a manager for a four-restaurant chain and purchased the Englewood Diner in Peabody Square, Dorchester, when his em-

ployer wanted to retire. He operated the diner until his retirement in 1980.

Mr. Harney was an avid traveler. He and his wife traveled all over the world. He also enjoyed bowling.

He is survived by his wife, Stella P. (Kazlauskas) Harney; a daughter, Diane Benson of Waldoboro, Maine; a son, David Harney of Milton; seven brothers and sisters; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dolan Funeral Home, 460 Granite Ave., Milton.

Mary A. Cerasoli, 93

Self-Employed Hairdresser

A funeral Mass for Mary A. (Pasquale) Cerasoli, 93, of Quincy, a hairdresser for more than 50 years, was celebrated Wednesday at St. Joseph's Church, 550 Washington St., Quincy Point.

Mrs. Cerasoli died May 19 at home.

She was the mother of former state Rep. and Inspector General Robert A. Cerasoli of Quincy.

She owned Cera's Salon in North Quincy for many years.

Mrs. Cerasoli was a former member of the Silver Haired Legislature and a member for more than 30 years of the Ward 2 Democratic Committee in Quincy.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Milton and Quincy. She was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Wife of the late Angelo Bernardino Cerasoli, she is survived by a son, Robert A. Cerasoli of Quincy; a daughter, Dolores McCray of Quincy; a sister, Philomena Mancini of Quincy; three



MARY A. CERASOLI

brothers, Louis Pasquale of Braintree and Edward Pasquale and Rudolph Pasquale of Quincy; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Children's Hospital, 1 Autumn St., #731, Boston, MA 02215.

Ann J. Mickiewicz

Bookkeeper

A funeral Mass for Ann J. Mickiewicz of Quincy, a bookkeeper, was celebrated Wednesday at Our Lady of Czestochowa in South Boston.

Miss Mickiewicz died May 19 at home.

She worked as a bookkeeper for 50 years. She began her work after graduating from Cardinal Cushing High School, at Millhender Distributing Company in South Boston where she worked for 25 years.

For the last 25 years she worked at Marr Scaffolding in South Boston.

Miss Mickiewicz was a lifelong parishioner of Our Lady of Czestochowa Church in South Boston.

She enjoyed spending time with her family, bingo,

trips to Foxwoods, photography, reading, watching musicals, and shopping.

She recently became a member of the 1000 Southern Artistry Senior Group in Quincy.

She is survived by a sister, Eleonore M. Mullin of Quincy; and several nieces and nephews.

She was the daughter of the late Walter Mickiewicz and the late Stella (Kaminski) Mickiewicz.

Burial was in New Calvary Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
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Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 94P1138AD**

In the Estate of
KENNETH H. JACKSON
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 22, 1998

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that SANDRA AMES of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 13, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 3, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/24/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1068AD**

In the Estate of
HAROLD F. JACKSON
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 8, 1990

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that SANDRA AMES of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 20, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 9, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/24/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07C0101CA1**

In the Matter of
MARC MATTHEW BOLES
of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

To all persons interested in a petition described:

A petition has been presented by MARC MATTHEW BOLES praying that MARC MATTHEW BOLES of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK be allowed to change his name as follows:
MARC MATTHEW BOLES TO MARC MATTHEW HENNESSEY.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 28, 2007.**

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 21, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/24/07

Joseph C. Pagnano, 65
Quincy Housing Authority Employee



JOSEPH C. PAGNANO

worked 15 years as a hoisting engineer, working in heavy equipment, for Local 4.

He served two years in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam Era and was stationed in Korea.

He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Kathleen A.

(Caron) Pagnano; three sons, Joseph C. Pagnano Jr. of Quincy, Earl W. Eaton of Brockton and Keith A. Eaton of West Bridgewater; two sisters, Phyllis E. Baylis and Barbara A. Blaney, both of Quincy; four grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Interment with military honors will be in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Visiting hours are today (Thursday) from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1115 West Chestnut St., Brockton, MA 02301.

Grace E. Costa, 86

Purchasing Agent



GRACE E. COSTA

A funeral Mass for Grace Elizabeth (Sanborn) Costea, 86, of Beacon Hill, formerly of Quincy, a purchasing agent, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 11:30 a.m. in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. Costa died Sunday at the New England Baptist Hospital after a brief illness.

Born in Quincy, she had

lived in Beacon Hill for 40 years.

She was a purchasing agent in the banking industry for 25 years. She retired from the Suffolk Franklin Savings Bank in 1992.

Mrs. Costa remained active after retirement. She was a volunteer at the Beacon Hill Thrift Shop and also at the New England Baptist Hospital Gift Shop.

She enjoyed traveling.

She is survived by a daughter, Marsha A. Halloran of Weymouth; a son, Joseph S. Costa of Quincy; three sisters, Mary Casper of Braintree, Rita Martinson of Abington and Irene Young of Holbrook; a son, Thomas Sanborn of Braintree; and four grandchildren and four great-granddaughters.

Burial will be private. Visiting hours were omitted.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Cardinal Cushing School & Training Center, 405 Washington St., Hanover, MA 02339.

**Vets Adviser
At COA Office**

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

**Seek Medical
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The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats.

Call the Council at 617-376-1506.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1030EP**

In the Estate of
ELIZABETH A. MAHAN
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
March 2, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JEANNE M. MAHAN of WORCESTER in the County of WORCESTER or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 13, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 2, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1133EP**

In the Estate of
BEATRICE A. CLAFF
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 22, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that WILLIAM J. CLAFF of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 20, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 9, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1039EP**

In the Estate of
GERALD W. O'CONNELL
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 11, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that KEVIN G. O'CONNELL of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 20, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 9, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1046EP**

In the Estate of
CHARLES B. NORD
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
March 20, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JEFFREY S. NORD of TOPSHAM in the State of MAINE or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 20, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 11, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1023EP**

In the Estate of
LUCIA DEBRECZENI
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 6, 2007

**NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JAMES R. O'CONNELL of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON **JUNE 13, 2007.**

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 2, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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5/24/07

Jimmy Fund Golf Classic At Granite Links June 25

The 10th annual Chip In for Cancer Golf Classic, benefiting the Jimmy Fund, will be held Monday, June 25 at Granite Links Golf Course in Quincy.

Entry fee is \$225 per person. The tournament will begin at 7:30 a.m.

Each year Jimmy Fund Golf, the nation's oldest and largest grassroots golf program for charity, brings together hundreds of volunteers and thousands of golfers who are united in their love for the game of golf and their desire to fund cancer research.

All tournament proceeds support cancer research and treatment at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute in Boston. For more information, call

(866) 521-GOLF.

For more information on Jimmy Fund Golf, visit www.jimmyfund.org/golf.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Terence Welch for a Special Permit/Flood Plain to renovate the existing structure and add an addition in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.40.030, Section B, Footnote 5, (exceeds 25% of original footprint) on the premises numbered 358 ROCK ISLAND ROAD, QUINCY. 5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of William Lanergan for a Variance to construct an addition 3.5 off the property line in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 58 CLIFF STREET, QUINCY. 5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
Norfolk Division
Docket No. 06P1316AD
Notice of
Fiduciary's Account**

To the persons interested in the estate of Michael J. Ferry late of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st and final account(s) of Paul R. Barry as administrator (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the **18th day of June, 2007** the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 7th day of May, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

5/24/07

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Lux Dental for a Special permit to erect one double sided lightbox sign at existing pylon sign pole in addition to existing sign in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.32.070.6.B (ground signs) on the premises numbered 501 WASHINGTON STREET, QUINCY. 5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Daniel Hurley for a Variance to replace a non-conforming farmers porch that was demolished a few years ago in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional) on the premises numbered 38 BELL STREET, QUINCY. 5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
MASSACHUSETTS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT**

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

A Design Public Hearing will be held by MassHighway to discuss the proposed Quincy Center Concourse roadway construction project in the City of Quincy.

WHERE: Thomas Crane Public Library
Large Meeting Room, First floor
40 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169

WHEN: Wednesday, May 30, 2007 at 7:00 P.M.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this hearing is to provide the public with the opportunity to become fully acquainted with the proposed Quincy Center Concourse project. All views and comments made at the hearing will be reviewed and considered to the maximum extent possible.

PROPOSAL: The proposed project consists of roadway and sidewalk reconstruction with new traffic signals along the new alignment from the end of the MassHighway Phase I project to the project limit west of the Washington Street intersection for a distance of 1900 feet. A 600 ft section of Quincy Avenue/Hancock Street is proposed for reconstruction including the intersection with Elm Street/School Street. The project continues along Elm Street improving the roadway layout and corner geometries. The project continues along Mechanic Street from 500 feet until the intersection with Revere Road.

A secure right-of-way is necessary for this project. Acquisitions in fee and permanent or temporary easements may be required. The City of Quincy is responsible for acquiring all needed rights in private or public lands. MassHighway's policy concerning land acquisitions will be discussed at this hearing.

Written views received by MassHighway subsequent to the date of this notice and up to five (5) days prior to the date of the hearing shall be displayed for public inspection and copying at the time and date listed above. Plans will be on display one-half hour before the hearing begins, with an engineer in attendance to answer questions regarding this project. A project handout is available on the MassHighway website listed below.

Written statements and other exhibits in place of, or in addition to, oral statements made at the Public Hearing regarding the proposed undertaking are to be submitted to David Anderson, P.E., Acting Chief Engineer, Massachusetts Highway Department, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116. Such submissions will also be accepted at the hearing. The final date of receipt of these statements and exhibits for inclusion in the public hearing transcript will be ten (10) days after this Public Hearing.

The community has declared that this facility is accessible to all in compliance with the ADA/Title II. However, persons in need of ADA/Title II accommodations should contact Angela Rudikoff by phone at (617) 973-7005 or e-mail angela.rudikoff@eot.state.ma.us. Requests must be made at least 10 days prior to the date of the public hearing.

In case of inclement weather, hearing cancellation announcements will be posted on the MassHighway website <http://www.mass.gov/mhd>.

LUISA PAIEWONSKY
COMMISSIONER
Boston, Massachusetts
5/17, 5/24/07

DAVID ANDERSON, P.E.
ACTING CHIEF ENGINEER

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1085EP**
In the Estate of
KATHLEEN M. JOLICOEUR
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 13, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that PATRICIA M. LOGAN, ESQUIRE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 20, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 10, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
5/24/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1074EP**
In the Estate of
MARGARET M. MILLER
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
December 30, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that HANNELORE GLASER LYASOFF also known as HANNELORE GLASER of BROOKLINE in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 10, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
5/24/07

LEGAL NOTICE CITY OF QUINCY IN COUNCIL 2006-192

Presently pending in the Ordinance Committee of the Quincy City Council:

Be it ordained that the Quincy Municipal Code is amended as follows:

In Title 5 Business Licenses and Regulations Chapter 5.20 Hawkers and Peddlers add a new section known as 5.20.055 Definition of Hawkers & Peddlers

The term "hawkers" and "peddler" as used in this chapter shall mean and include any person, either principal, employer, supplier or agent, who goes from place to place in the City selling or bartering or carrying for sale or barter or exposing therefore, any goods, wares or merchandise, either on foot, or on or from any animal or vehicle.

"To be acted upon at some future date by the Quincy City Council"

5/24/07

Joseph P. Shea
Clerk of Council

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 5, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Frank A. Greco for relief from the provisions of the paving ordinance to allow for construction of a driveway with sufficient area for off-street parking for the residents of the existing three family house. Petitioner requests a dimensional Variance to construct a driveway in violation of 17.28.030.G.

The property is located at 12 Malvesti Way, Quincy and is shown as Lot 74 on Assessors Plan no. 4102.

5/17, 5/24/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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Memorial Day Parade, Ceremonies Monday

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Wars, Gold Star Mothers will place a basket of flowers on the World War II monument, the Second Marine Division will fire a volley and Donald Murphy will sound Taps on the bugle.

The National Anthem will be played as Robert LaFleur, the officer of the day, raises the colors to full staff, Joseph Brooker, assistant chaplain of the QVC will give the benediction and Officer of the Day LaFleur will dismiss the troops.

The parade formation, which is subject to change depending on which posts, colors and guests report, will be led by Quincy Police and Fire Honor Guards, the Quincy Veterans Council Colors and the Quincy Cavanagh Chapter of the Disabled American Veterans.

Lorraine Ahern, commander of the QVC, Stephen Dunlea, senior vice commander of the QVC; Daniel Timney, junior vice commander of the QVC; Mayor William Phelan and city and state officials will follow.

The guest speaker, the Rev. Swanson, is next followed by his aides and the Quincy and North Quincy High School bands and

ROTC.

FIRST DIVISION
Thomas Stansbury, Quincy Veterans Services and parade chairman, and past commanders of the QVC.

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LORRAINE AHERN, commander of the Quincy Veterans Council, salutes after laying wreath on the World War II Memorial in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery during Quincy's Memorial Day observance. Stephen Fowles, executive committeeman from District 6 of the Massachusetts American Legion, also salutes in the background.
Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble



For Citizenship Education And ESOL Living And Employment Programs

Quincy Asian Resources Receives \$90,000 Grant From Comcast

The Comcast Foundation announces a three-year, \$90,000 grant to support the expansion of English language education at Quincy Asian Resources, Inc. (QARI), a nonprofit organization serving the Asian community in Quincy.

The funds will enable QARI to accommodate additional students and grow its current English language curriculum to include citizenship preparedness.

In addition, the Comcast grant will support QARI's Information and Referral Program (I&R), which helps members of the local Asian community access various human service agencies. Through this program, QARI helps people access services, win referrals to job training programs and translate documents.

More than 900 members of Quincy's Asian community used this service last year.

QARI is also offering a number of seminars through

the Information and Referral Program (I&R) such as a free legal education seminar offered in conjunction with the Asian American Lawyers Association of Massachusetts on June 9.

"Comcast is committed to investing in the communities where our customers and our employees live," said Tom Coughlin, vice president of Comcast's Southeastern Massachusetts Region. "QARI is making a powerful impact in Quincy, and we're excited to renew our partnership with them and the City of Quincy to invest in the future of this community, and we look forward to helping this important program continue to flourish."

With the new ESOL for Citizenship training, QARI will help more students understand the power of citizenship, said Tackey Chan, treasurer of the QARI Board of Directors.

"Our goal here at QARI is to help newcomers to America find their version of

the American Dream," he said. "Thanks to Comcast's support, we now can show our English language students even more of the possibilities that this country holds for them."

"We want them to understand that success here isn't just about getting a job, buying a home and supporting your family. It's about becoming a citizen, voting for the government you want and taking part in the American conversation."

In addition to Comcast's support, the City of Quincy has also partnered with QARI, providing classroom space in City Hall since September 2005.

"I am proud to support QARI and the many valuable programs that it provides to our communities. QARI not only provides valuable services to our Asian citizens, they are a bridge across cultures, bringing all Quincy citizens together," said Mayor, William J. Phelan.

Sen. Michael W.



THE COMCAST FOUNDATION recently presented a \$90,000 grant to Quincy Asian Resources. From left are: Mark Reilly, Comcast; Tackey Chan, QARI Board of Directors; Kelly Chen, QARI student; Mayor William Phelan; Tom Coughlin and Zakee Rashid, Comcast; Kim Arouca, representative from Congressman William Delahunt's office; Christina Liu and John Brothers, QARI.



FRANK POON (left) of South Shore Elder Services and QARI's Board of Directors speaks with several participants at the community meeting room at the Thomas Crane Public Library. During the program, the Comcast Foundation announced a three-year, \$90,000 grant to support Quincy Asian Resources.

Morrissey, also a longtime supporter of QARI, praised the nonprofit agency, Comcast and the City of Quincy for this commitment to English language training.

"QARI's commitment to civic education is unparalleled. Our community is grateful to partnering corporations in our area like Comcast who donate valuable time and resources to our important civic and community organizations," said Senator Morrissey.

According to statistics cited by QARI, the Asian population in Quincy has rapidly increased over the last 15 years, underscoring the importance of enhancing support services as these individuals transition into the

greater Massachusetts community.

Data from the 2000 U.S. Census indicates that Quincy's Asian American population grew by 144 percent since 1990, making it the fastest growing racial group in the City. At that time, Asian Americans made up 15.4 percent of the total Quincy population. In 2006, Asians made up more 28 percent of the students in the Quincy school system.

In 2006, the Comcast Foundation awarded QARI a one-year \$25,000 grant, boosting enrollment in the ESOL for Living and Employment program by 100. The 2006 Comcast Foundation grant allowed QARI to serve more than 240 students

and significantly reduce its waiting list. Funds also supported curriculum development and training, supervision to classroom assistants and tutors, supplemental one-on-one tutoring and computer-based practice sessions.

The Comcast Foundation was founded by Comcast Corporation in June 1999 and is the company's chief source of charitable support to qualified non-profit organizations. Since its inception, The Comcast Foundation has donated more than \$30 million to organizations in the communities where Comcast serves.

More information about The Foundation and its programs is available at www.comcast.com under "In the Community."

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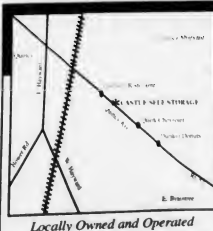
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Firefighters Commended For Courageous Action At Merrymount Road Fire

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Quincy firefighters not only saved two lives during an early morning fire on April 13 but the firefighters very likely saved a Merrymount Road neighborhood from the disastrous fast-moving flames, according to City Council President Douglas Gutro.

Both Gutro and Fire Chief Timothy Pettinelli spoke during a recent City Council ceremony officially commending the 34 members of the Fire Department's Group 3 unit which includes the Ladder 2 team for their courage on April 13.

All 34 names were called out for honor and all received applause during the standing ovation.

"The actions of the Fire Department saved lives and protected neighboring properties," Gutro said, adding that residents there tell him, "They saved this neighborhood."

Both Gutro and Pettinelli described the "dangerous ladder rescue" performed by the Ladder 2 team of Lt. Ronald Shannon and firefighters, John Cadegan, Mark Paolucci and Paul Kearns.

The rescues were only possible because the City provides sufficient manpower for the ladder

company crews, according to Pettinelli.

Quincy "recognizes the manpower needs" of the fire department, said Pettinelli who referred to a tragic fire in nearby Randolph on May 16. Those ladder crews manned with fewer firefighters could not save the lives of two young boys.

"Time and again, firefighters have demonstrated their heroics," said Gutro who also cited the Quincy firefighters' work in containing multiple fires in early May, including "the blazes across Broad Meadows marsh."

In the early morning hours of Friday, April 13, the Quincy firefighters Group 3 responded to a 911 call from cabdriver Charlie Hattenburg who had seen smoke and began rousing the residents.

The firefighters responded within minutes of the call and the ladder crew rescued the two victims, Liem Lam and Yuan Lam, who were fleeing the flames in the three-story building.

According to Pettinelli, one victim was hanging from a second floor gutter and the second precariously balanced on the roof when firefighters arrived.

"Within seconds after the rescue, the third floor was engulfed in flames," said

Gutro

"We want you to know how proud we are to have you as members of the Quincy Fire Department," Gutro said as he commended the unit for a "job well done."

The commendation also states, "Because of your immediate response, two family members were rescued from the roof while others were calmly evacuated without incident."

In addition to Shannon, Cadegan, Paolucci and Kearns, the following members of the department were recognized.

Kenneth Lippens, Daniel Polvere, Stephen Walsh, Robert Gilbody, John Goddard, Daniel Sullivan, Gary Patten, Deputy Chief Joseph Barron, Gerard Ceurvels, Daniel Coletti, John Carroll, Stephen Stanton, William O'Neil, Joseph Jackson, James Connolly, Patrick Bryan, Thomas Bowes, Jr.,

Andrew Smith, Jason Tierney, Michael Slade, Thomas Malvesti, Mark Whouley, Joseph Barron, Eric Wirtz, Michael Kerr, Matthew Kiesel, James Kelley and Gerald McCourt.



FIRE DEPARTMENT HEROES received commendations recently from city councillors for their courageous rescue of two persons from a roof on Merrymount Road. Fire Department Deputy Chief Joseph Barron (left) is shown with the Ladder 2 crew (left to right) Lt. Ronald Shannon and firefighters Mark Paolucci, John Cadegan and Paul Kearns.

(Photos/Quincy Fire Department)



QUINCY FIRE CHIEF Timothy Pettinelli (left) and members of the department's Group 3 unit received commendations recently from city Council President Douglas S. Gutro. Shown are (left to right) Firefighters James Devlin, Mark Whorley, Matt Kiesel, Joseph Barron, James Connolly, Lt. Daniel Coletti, Lt. Gary Patten, Firefighter Eric Wirtz, Lt. Ronald Shannon and Firefighters Michael Slade, John Cadegan, Patrick Bryan, Mark Paolucci, Paul Kearns and Deputy Chief Joseph Barron.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On May 31, 1870, Professor Edward Joseph De Smet of the American Asphalt Pavement Company, New York City, receives two patents for his invention of the first practical version of sheet asphalt. On July 29 of the same year, the first road pavement of sheet asphalt was laid on William Street in Newark, N.J.

• On June 2, 1886, President Grover Cleveland becomes the first sitting president to marry in the White House. His new wife, Frances Folsom, was the daughter of a former law partner and Cleveland's legal ward; Cleveland had literally known her since she was born.

• On May 29, 1914, in one of the worst ship disasters in history, the British liner Empress of Ireland collides with the Norwegian freighter Storstad in the Gulf of Canada's St. Lawrence River. The Storstad penetrated 15 feet into the Empress of Ireland's starboard side, and the vessel sank within 14 minutes, drowning 1,012 of its passengers and crew.

• On May 28, 1937, the Golden Gate Bridge, one of

the world's largest single-span suspension bridges at 6,450 feet, opens to vehicular traffic. More than 80,000 miles of wire went into its construction.

• On June 3, 1940, the German air force bombs Paris, killing 254 people, most of them civilians. The bombing succeeded in provoking just the right amount of terror; France's minister of the interior could only keep government officials from fleeing Paris by threatening them with severe penalties.

• On June 1, 1968, Helen Keller dies in Westport, Conn., at the age of 87. Blind and deaf since infancy, Keller learned to sign via a hand alphabet on the palm, and later learned to read lips by placing a finger on the speaker's lips.

• On May 30, 1971, the U.S. unmanned space probe Mariner 9 is launched on a mission to gather scientific information on Mars. The first spacecraft to orbit a planet other than Earth, Mariner 9 sent back more than 7,000 pictures of the "Red Planet."

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

A Mayoral Preliminary Election?

Question on the political front:
Will there be a mayoral preliminary election this year?

Right now, the answer appears to be in the hands of Charles Dennehy, Jr., 58, of Willard St., West Quincy.

He was one of the first to take out nomination papers when they became available May 2.

If he files his with 50 valid voter signatures before the July 31 deadline, it will force the preliminary.

If he doesn't, there apparently won't be one as no other names are being mentioned as a possible third candidate for mayor. But, of course, that could change.

Both incumbent William Phelan, seeking his fourth term and challenger Tom Koch are quite interested in what Dennehy does.

For them a September preliminary election would mean a lot more campaigning and more money to pay for it.



PHELAN



KOCH

Who would benefit the most?

Phelan has a bigger war chest than Koch. But Koch has been doing pretty well in that department. And if he came close or took the top spot in the preliminary it would be a roaring send-off to November. If Phelan won by a wide margin, it might be all over.

A preliminary election could benefit both Phelan and Koch. It would detect any weaknesses and other problems in their campaigns. And give them time to plug the holes before November.

Dennehy took out nomination papers for mayor two years ago but did not return them. But he ran on stickers instead. Sticker candidates seldom if ever win. Phelan cruised to an easy third term.

Dennehy has until July 31 to keep Phelan and Koch wondering.

THE LAST MAYORAL preliminary was in 2003 with former Ward 6 councillor Joseph Newton and businessman Harvey Kurtzman challenging Phelan.

Newton, a last minute candidate, got the nomination but was no match for Phelan in the final election.

Perhaps the best remembered mayoral preliminary was in 1989 that brought out four strong contenders to succeed Frank McCauley who was stepping down after four terms.

The four: Former Mayor Joseph LaRaia who came within 460 votes of upsetting McCauley in 1987, Councillors Steve McGrath and Jim Sheets and Quincy businessman Peter O'Connell, making his political debut.

Sheets, who had served eight terms (16 years) as Ward 4 councillor and O'Connell won the nominations. Sheets went on to win the November showdown and six terms as mayor before losing the office to Phelan in 2001 by 17 scant votes.

Koch, who resigned as Quincy Park Commissioner to run against Phelan is considered the latter's biggest threat since that upset win over Sheets.



LIANG

JIMMY LIANG is making a third bid for a city council at-large seat.

Liang, a restaurant owner, and Quincy's first Asian American city council candidate, has taken out nomination papers.

He first ran in 2001 and again in 2003, finishing fifth each time with respective votes of 7,173 and 6,654.

He apparently is hoping there's something to that old adage that "the third time never fails."

ALSO WITH NOMINATION papers: Eileen Mullen, who ran two years ago, and Stanley Underwood, both for

school committee. John Rodophele has papers out, too, but didn't say for what.

THOSE JOHN ADAMS \$1 coins are going pretty fast. Some 13,000 of them were scooped up from the Colonial Federal Savings Bank at the issuance ceremony at City Hall Plaza, May 22.

So notes Bob Guarnieri, president of Colonial, which was, designated the official bank for the John Adams coin exchange.

Since then another 7,000 have been picked up at the bank's Beach Street, Wollaston headquarters.

"We have about another 5,000 to 6,000 left," Guarnieri says.

If you want one or more better hurry.

REASON WHY Robert Haley is replacing Frank McCauley on the Quincy Retirement Board:

McCauley resigned to avoid any possible conflict in campaigning and fundraising for his daughter, Jennifer Logue, who is running for a city council at-large seat.

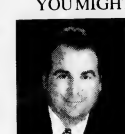
Haley, appointed by Mayor Phelan as his representative on the board, is a Quincy resident, town treasurer of Hanover, and a former officer in the Quincy Taxpayers' Association.

"The mayor made a good choice," says former mayor McCauley. "Bob will do a good job."

YOU MIGHT SAY City Council President Doug Gutro is getting off to a sweet start in his re-election bid to his Ward 5 seat.

Gutro has a "Make Your Own Ice Cream Sundae Campaign Kickoff" set for Tuesday, June 12, 6 to 8 p.m. at the Adams Inn Gazebo, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Suggested donations: \$10 per person, \$25 per family.



GUTRO

TIM RUSSETT's recent interview of Lee Iacocca on his new book "Where Have All The Leaders Gone," brought back memories for former Mayor Joe LaRaia.

Iacocca was president of the Ford Motor Co. when LaRaia was an executive trainee at Ford.

LaRaia attended a conference in Detroit in the early 1960s at which Iacocca was the keynote speaker.

LaRaia, who found him a dynamic speaker, notes that he was also a dynamic leader.

"Under his leadership, the sporty Ford Mustang was introduced in 1964 and drew attention all over the country," LaRaia recalls.

LaRaia was president of the City Council when he left Ford in 1965, preferring to remain close to home, rather than face the prospect of being reassigned outside the area.

LaRaia was at Ford's Natick plant when he made his decision.

And when he left, he left in a new Mustang.

JOE "TEX" FASCI is back in the saddle in Granbury, Texas, after his annual return to his Quincy roots.

Joe came back for the Fore River Shipyard Retired Employees annual dinner and reunion with family and long-time pal, Tom Tehan. The pair had a Quincy based ultrasonic testing firm.

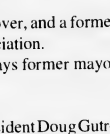
While here, son Joe, Jr., a popular DJ hosted a surprise birthday party for him. Don't say we told you, but it was his 80th.

But Joe is a young 80, very active in veterans and civic causes in Granbury with his daughter, Rev. Kathryn Fasci Veterans Services Officer for Hood County, Texas.

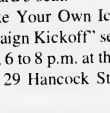
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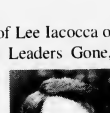
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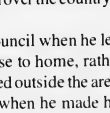
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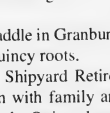
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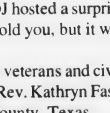
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Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1912 postcard view of Merry Mount Park showing what was then called The Drive. Although the park hasn't changed much since this picture was taken, it is pretty much impossible to determine just where in the park this roadway was located. It was in 1888 that Charles Francis Adams, Jr., the grandson of President John Quincy Adams, donated this 80-acre preservation to the City. He stipulated it was to be used "for the enjoyment of the inhabitants and for no other purpose."

Quincy is fortunate to have this beautiful park as part of over 30 percent of the land within its corporate boundaries that is protected open space. Most of this undeveloped land, totaling more than 3,200 acres, or five square miles, remains as it was when what we now know as Quincy was first settled by white men almost 400 years ago. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Our Children Are Our Future

In a recent flier from the Quincy Education Association, dropped off at houses in my neighborhood, Quincy teachers were asking for our support.

In the first paragraph, the teachers state, "Politicians have a way of turning a phrase. After a year of bargaining, Mayor Phelan used the press and his ability to mail costly letters to every resident to tell part of the story."

In the May 24 Quincy Sun news story about the teachers union charging the city with unfair labor practices, the teachers union has filed a 32-page complaint with the

Mass. Labor Relations Commission charging the city and school committee are not bargaining in good faith.

A few pages later in *The Quincy Sun* the mayor has a long opinion piece talking about "The Truth" about teacher salaries.

Why is the mayor doing an apparent end run around the bargaining table? When I hear someone talk about the truth, I see another pol by the name of Pontius Pilate who once said, "What is truth?"

This is not the first time the mayor has used the media to make his case public. He did it on the editorial page of the *Patriot Ledger* back on

April 16. Also, in between April 16 and May 24, his committee sent out a re-print of the April 16 commentary with a cover letter from the mayor.

Apparently, the strategy seems to be to make teachers the straws knocked down as the mayor pits teachers against taxpayers.

When it comes to services that sustain a community's quality of life, after police and fire fighting services, public education is a necessity a growing community can not do without.

Public schoolteachers are not the enemy. The enemy is scare tactics trying to put

down what teachers actually do in the public classrooms of this city.

Our children are our future and our future taxpayers. Without our young people, Quincy would fold up.

We must find a way to get everyone back to the bargaining table and out of newspaper headlines. The issues are there and must be reckoned with. Hopefully, both sides can come to a fair agreement without City Hall going political on our school kids.

Sal Giarratani
Atlantic Street

Agrees With Column On The Yakoo

Mr. Bosworth,
As a graduate of NQHS in 1959 I can only say your

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well-written article (Sundays, The Yakoo At Half-Century Mark) expressed my sentiments exactly. There is no doubt that the students who attended North during the 1950's had a great high

school experience.

Determination and perseverance as explained in your article reflected most students' attitude in those days. I am proud to have attended North Quincy High School

and even though I have lived in New York for over 55 years I still consider myself from Quincy.

Ron Zoia
Jefferson Ave.
Massapequa Park, NY

Quincy's Yesterdays

Court Action Possible On School Budget

By FRANK McCauley

Several school committee members believe that nothing short of a lawsuit can get their \$28.4 million dollar budget into the City Council Chambers for consideration.

But no one seemed ready to fire the first shot at Mayor Arthur Tobin.

Tobin gained the edge last week in the budget battle when the state Department of Revenue ruled that under Prop 2 1/2 mayors in the state can set the school budget bottom line.

The decision came as a shock to the School Committee which was recently told by its counsel that Tobin's \$26.7 million budget submitted in February was "premature and invalid."

School Committee member Patricia Toland said that she spoke with Paul Gordon, executive secretary of the Mass. Association of School Committees, who, she said, told her the Revenue Department ruling, will stand "unless challenged by a lawsuit."

APPROVAL EXPECTED FOR 'REASONABLE' CONDO LAW

"It may not be the best legislation," said City Councillor Joanne Condon, "but it's a step in the right direction. Without the Rent Grievance Board there is no protection for anyone."

The Condon proposal provides that:

- No residential property can be converted to a condominium unless a notice of intent has been submitted to the Board of Appeals with notices being given to the tenants of the building.

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- The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on the conversion application within 120 days of filing.

- Tenants will have 120 days to decide whether to purchase the unit in which they live.

QUINCY-ISMS

Quincy Atty. And active veteran, **Paul A.M. Hunt**, was the guest speaker at the annual Memorial Day exercises held at Mt. Wollaston Cemetery. Hunt noted, "We have the best generation of young people that ever existed in the world. They think a lot. When they gain wisdom we will have the wisest generation of all..." Quincy native **Ron Kaufman** was appointed to the position of Regional Political Director for the Republican National Committee. Kaufman is a former aide to City Councillor **James A. Sheets**. Plans were being made by the staff, parents and students, to commemorate the closing of the Quincy Elementary School with a "Night to Remember," June 16... The Quincy Citizens Association (Q.C.A.) will celebrate its 14 years of service to the city with a dinner dance, June 19 at the Neighborhood Club. The civic organization was founded in 1967. **Arthur Chandler**, president of the association, will present a Paul Revere bowl to the "Citizen of the Year."... **Claudio Arteaga**, the mayor of Concepcion, Chile, visited the Quincy Public Schools. Mayor Arteaga was hosted by **Mayor Arthur Tobin** and **School Supt. Dr. Lawrence Creedon**. The Beale Street Fish Market, 35 Beale St., Wollaston, was advertising "Fresh Seafood Daily, Eat In or Take Out"... **Kendra Donovan**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Donovan, 134 Barham Ave., Montclair, was named to the dean's list for the fall term and the honor roll for the winter term at Gordon College... **City Councillor and mayoral candidate Daniel G. Raymond** was proposing a city ordinance to ban Sunday dancing in Quincy... The Quincy Citizens Association recorded its opposition to public dancing on Sunday, "to prevent Quincy from being a honky tonk city where no holds are barred"... **James O'Brien**, 19 River St., Quincy Point, announced his candidacy for a seat on the School Committee. O'Brien is a manager of Wendy's Restaurant on Newport Avenue... The North Quincy High girls track team, coached by **Lou Tozzi**, finished the season with a perfect 8-0 record and won another Suburban League championship... **Geoff Hennessey**, coach of the Quincy Track Club, noted that more than 200 boys and girls took part in the second Spring B league meet at Veterans Memorial Stadium.

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Illicit Love, Children At War June Film Fare At Library

An Oscar-nominated R-rated film of forbidden love and a heart-wrenching flick of Finnish children whose lives are disrupted by World War II are the free movies offered in June at the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Judi Dench and Cate Blanchett star in *Notes on a Scandal* Thursday, June 7, at 7 p.m.

It's the story of an iron-

fisted teacher who leads a lonely life outside the classroom until she meets a new art teacher only to discover that she is having an affair with a student. Her jealousy spirals out of control.

Mother of Mine, winner of three Finnish Oscars, will be shown Thursday, June 21, at 7:30 p.m. It's recommended for age 17 and older.

The film is about a 9-

year-old Finnish boy who is evacuated to Sweden to avoid the war and increasingly feels abandoned by his Finnish mother yet not fully attached to his Swedish surrogate mom. When he returns to Finland his confusion intensifies.

For more information, call 617-376-1301 or visit thomascranepubliclibrary.org.

June Reopening Seen For Early Childhood Center

The Early Childhood Education Center at Beechwood on the Bay has been relicensed for an expanded number of 124 children and Sharon Fayette, director of Early Childhood Ed., says she anticipates reopening enrollment in June.

"We are excited with the design to the Outdoor Classroom and an indoor 'Discovery Zone,'" said Executive Director Sharron Beals. "Both new learning centers will add extraordinarily to the children's classroom experiences."

"Teachers of our 3, 4 and 5-year-olds are working with the pre-school director and an educational consultant to finalize planning and pur-

chases for both new centers."

Beals credited the success of the Center's recent annual fundraiser for its ability to conclude expansion planning prior to September.

Enrollment is now underway for Beechwood's Summer Program, consisting of 10 special weeks of "themed" camps for 3, 4 and 5-year-olds. Printed information describing each week is available at the Center.

Beechwood's Infant-Toddler Program has expanded from its historic three-room offering to a five-tier/five classroom program. Enrollment has already begun. Private visits and tours of the Center can be scheduled by calling 617-471-5712.

"Beechwood has provided Early Childhood Education in a unique intergenerational setting for 26 years," said Beals.

"The original mission, drafted in 1981 by Dr. Cecil Paul and others with the city of Quincy continues to be a 'Life-long Learning and Care in an Intergenerational milieu' in partnership with the city of Quincy."

"Our private, non-profit status as an educational and charitable organization permits us to fundraise and write grants, thus enriching our Early Childhood Ed program and offering public services without needing city tax revenues to the senior community."



QUINCY PUBLIC SCHOOLS Assistant Supt. Dr. Carmen Mariano visits the Merrymount School "Animals & Habitats Fair." With him are Merrymount third graders Tyler Sheldone and Mike Fernald.

Merrymount Third Graders Hold 'Animals & Habitats Fair'

Third grade students at Merrymount School recently held an "Animals & Habitats Fair" in the school gymnasium.

This culminating activity was a wonderful opportunity for third grade students to showcase and share their findings with parents, relatives, teachers, and younger students in kindergarten through grade 2.

Each third grader completed a written research report, a project display board, and a shoebox diorama of the animal and its habitat.

Prior to the fair, the students completed an in-depth study of an animal and its habitat. By investigating facts about the animal and where it lives, students acted like scientists, asking questions and seeking answers.

Further, the students learned how to complete research and manage a long-term project, key skills they will need and use throughout their education.

The project was funded in part by a grant through the Quincy School - Community Partnership and the Quincy Foundation for Excellence in Education.



MERRYMOUNT SCHOOL third graders Emily Jones and Alicia Walker in front of their projects on the duck-billed platypus and the orca.



YOUNGER STUDENTS view projects at the Animals & Habitats Fair held recently at Merrymount School.

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Thomas Crane Library To Mark 125 Anniversary

The Friends of Thomas Crane Library will celebrate the 125th anniversary of the Library, Friday, June 8 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Wine tasting will be provided by Wollaston Wines and Spirits, hors d'oeuvres by several local restaurants, music by Mabel Biagini and the opening of the art exhibit "Beautiful Ruins" by Mary Smith.

Montilio's of Quincy will provide a cake for the event depicting the Richardson Building.

A glass bowl with an etching of the Richardson Building, circa 1902, on it will be on display. The bowl was designed and made in recognition of the 125th anniversary by Pairpoint Glass Co. of Sandwich.

A silent auction will be held with the opportunity to bid on Red Sox tickets, a golf foursome at Granite Links Golf Course and pieces of jewelry, among other items. There will be the opportunity to purchase chances on many donated prizes ranging from supermarket and restaurant

gift certificates to dental services.

Tickets are \$50 per person and include complimentary wine and beer. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the Main Library, also, by calling 617-479-7440 or 617-471-8910. They may, also, be purchased at the door on the evening of the event. Credit card services will not be available.

Proceeds from this major fundraising event will be used to continue to bring a variety of programs to the citizens of Quincy. Adult programs include lectures, presentations and musical concerts. Programs for children include puppet shows, science workshops and summer reading incentives. The Friends also fund free and discounted museum passes.

The Friends of the Library are a committee of the Thomas Crane Public Library Foundation, a federally approved 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. All donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by the law.

Three Residents Receive Merrimack College Honors

Merrimack College recently honored three Quincy residents who earned placement on the President's List and the Dean's List for the fall, 2006 semester. Students must achieve a 4.0 grade point average to be named to the President's List

and a 3.25 average for the Dean's List.

Quincy's Khanhhat N. Nguyen earned President's List honors while Stephen A. McGrath and Jennifer L. Powers were both named to the Dean's List.



ELIZABETH DURHAM and JOHN GALVIN

Elizabeth Durham Engaged To John Galvin

Mrs. Francis X. Durham, Jr., of Quincy announces the engagement of her daughter, Elizabeth to John Galvin of Medford.

She is also the daughter of the late Francis X. Durham. Mr. Galvin is the son of Mrs. John Galvin, Jr. of Medford and the late Mr. John Galvin, Jr..

Miss Durham graduated from Archbishop Williams

Line Dancing For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a line dancing class for seniors every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Fore River Clubhouse, 16 Nevada Rd., Quincy Point.

Holy Trinity Parish Summer Bazaar June 23

The Holy Trinity Parish Summer Bazaar will be held Saturday, June 23 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church Hall, 227 Sea St., Merrymount.

Raffles, crafts, children's games, a white elephant table and a yard sale will offer visitors exciting choices

during the day which features great prizes, food and fun.

Admission is free but participants are asked to donate canned food to the church's Food Pantry that day.

Contact Lorraine at 617-773-5421 for more information.

Family Night At Broad Meadows June 7

Broad Meadows Middle School will hold its sixth annual Family Night at the school on Thursday, June 7 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. rain or shine.

The event will feature a cookout provided by Outback Steakhouse of Quincy, with fun for the whole family,

including a DJ, moonwalk, dunk tank, face painting, cookie decorating, games and prizes, and a raffle.

Tickets at \$7 each and may be purchased at the door or at the school.

For additional information, call 617-984-8723.

Jillian MacIsaac On Bryant Dean's List

Quincy resident Jillian MacIsaac was named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at Bryant University

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She is a sophomore majoring in international business.

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A DEER WANDERS nonchalantly on South Shore Chamber of Commerce grounds along Miller Site Road Tuesday morning. Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble

Koch Launches Blog On Campaign Website

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch has launched a new blog on the campaign's Web site to talk about issues, answer questions and share what he called his positive vision for Quincy's future.

"We've been talking a lot about repairing that critical connection between the public and its elected leaders,

and an active, lively blog is a great way to sow the seeds for that new connection," Koch said.

The blog can be found at www.kochforquincy.com.

Koch called the blog the next step in the evolution of the campaign's online presence, which he said continually expand as the

campaign moves forward.

"It's a great testament to the hard work and energy of several volunteers who have worked tirelessly to give us an online presence," Koch said. "It is evolving constantly and it's being done entirely by volunteers. I think it's a great symbol of the grassroots campaign we are mounting."

QEA President:

It's Not Bargaining, It's Bullying

Well, the Mayor and the School Committee have certainly been bargaining in public recently, haven't they? First, it was about health insurance, and the Mayor publicized the specific proposal on the table.

Yes, that violates the ground rules we signed, but so be it. Bargaining in public is also against the letter and spirit of Chapter 150E of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. That law provides for bargaining in Executive Session. In other words, it provides for bargaining at the table and not in public. You may recall that Mayor Phelan swore to uphold those laws.

If you don't believe that this is bargaining in public, then try demanding that Mayor Phelan provide a similar article on (as an example) "The Truth About All Quincy Employee Salaries," or any other public sector employee group. Or, "The Truth About School Committee Compensation." He won't, because his article is not about "truth," it is about positioning in bargaining. Bargaining in the press is counterproductive. I will not engage in it. I will not talk about any specific items on the table, other than the ones the Mayor has gone about publicizing.

As anyone knows who follows Quincy politics, the items that settle contracts are rarely made public. The Mayor, elsewhere in *The Quincy Sun*, says he "appreciates the understanding of our employees" who settled contracts that changed health insurance. His statement makes it sound as if the City did not give anything for the concessions that the three settled unions gave him. He wants you to believe that the salary offer reported in the press got their acceptance. Don't believe that for a sec-

ond. That salary offer barely covers expected costs of living increases. The City bargained with those unions, and those unions "got" something as well as "gave" something. And that is the way it should be. The bargaining should go on at the table, not in the newspaper.

Mayor Phelan claimed, in one of his public bargaining stunts on cable TV, that the teachers who testified at the School Committee claimed "mistreatment of newly hired teachers." He was not listening, obviously. Instead, two things were said repeatedly by 40 testifying teachers: First, benefits have been the difference in attracting the best educators to Quincy. Remove that advantage, and why would anyone come here and stay here? And second, they want the School Committee to bargain. Instead, the Mayor used the next meeting to present highly misleading statistics regarding salaries. Why? It had nothing to do with informing the public. It had everything to do with bargaining in public. The School Committee did not have the courage or sense to stop him. His intimidation tactics extends to them, too. Let's make it clear: even if the Mayor's disputed facts are correct (and we dispute them), should teachers apologize for them? Should we hand over our benefits for nothing?

The School Committee has chosen, so far, to REFUSE to bargain for their demanded changes. Instead they have allowed the Chair of the School Committee, Mayor Phelan, to "go public." The teachers have demanded only one thing all through this bargaining: that the City actually BARGAIN. If the City is truly interested in settling a contract, they should make offers to us. This is called "bargaining."

We have not been shy about letting them know what is important to us. And some of those things are even little or no cost! We will not talk about these proposals in public, because it's wrong to do so. They need to "get real." We have something that is obviously important to them. Do they expect us to hand it over? That's not bargaining. That's bullying, that's intimidation. And that's the current Quincy Method of bargaining.

We have great respect for the School Committee of Quincy; but the Chair's bullying tactics, and flaunting of the letter and spirit of the collective bargaining laws cannot go unchallenged. I will commit to the Citizens of Quincy that the Quincy Education Association will try every avenue, follow every possibility, to get this School Committee and its chair to bargain fairly. We have maintained our voluntary activities all year, in spite of the School Committee's neglect of their duties. A North Quincy High student recently won the state science fair, and seven North students placed highly. I asked science teachers to keep track of voluntary hours in this effort. It came out to 450 free hours. While the science fair was running, every other employee group represented in that building was earning overtime or compensation. Except the teachers. And this was during a bargaining year when we've been stonewalled for over a year.

It takes a great deal to anger teachers. Now, we're angry. There's still time left before June 8th. Citizens should tell the City to get down to bargaining, not phony posturing.

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Kevin Coughlin To Seek City Council Re-election

Citing the importance of transparency in government and a strong partnership between residents and elected officials, Kevin Coughlin announced his intention to run for reelection to a fourth term as City Councillor from Ward 3.

"I believe that those of us in elected office at every level are charged with shining a light and bringing understanding to the process of government," he told supporters at a kickoff reception in the Adams Inn.

"What we do as public servants and how we do it should always be transparent and easily comprehended and ultimately clearly and convincingly for the public good."

"Those of us in elected office should bring clarity out of confusion; we should create calm and reason in those circumstances where there is conflict and uncertainty; we should represent hope that is embodied in concrete actions, not sound bites and bumper-sticker slogans."

"It is, I believe, a fundamental role of city leaders to cultivate a dialogue and benefit from the exchange of ideas of many minds that is the fruit of active public participation in the process of government."

"To harness the energy that is brought about by that citizen participation for our 'one purpose,' to create and recreate a Quincy that is a better place to live for all of us."

Coughlin said the focus of



KEVIN COUGHLIN

his tenure on the City Council has been a prompt response to the needs of his constituents and he cited a litany of accomplishments and initiatives, including:

- Introduction and passage of the city's wireless communications ordinance which protects the neighborhoods against unregulated siting of commercial wireless antennae.

- Introduction of the concept of rezoning to protect neighborhoods against overdevelopment.

- Initiation of the state model for Senior Citizen Safety Zones to protect senior pedestrians.

- Passage of the city's Neighborhood Property Preservation or blight ordinance.

- Introduction of a home rule petition to reduce speed limits in all densely populated neighborhoods from 30 miles per hour to 20 mph.

- Adoption of legislation to provide property tax deferral to active duty citizen soldiers serving in harms way.

Coughlin has also been in

the forefront of many legislative efforts to address environmental concerns including enhanced recycling.

"For the last five-plus years I have had the honor to serve the residents of Quincy as a city councillor," he said.

"I have committed myself to hard work and persistence and to the singular task of always trying to discern that which is in the best interests of those who placed me here to be their voice."

"I not only endeavor to respond to every communication from every source and to resolve the most fundamental concerns, I try to look beyond that role of ombudsman and to be a proactive legislator."

"I have listened and looked to the most basic concerns of our neighborhoods in areas of true quality of life issues such as zoning, property conditions, traffic and parking."

"I have sought to raise the level of dialogue regarding our environment, whether it's in terms of enhanced recycling or renewable energy, or the protection and growth of our urban forest, because it is critical in our role as stewards of our children's future to act decisively now to lessen our carbon footprint."

"I believe that with a partnership of persistence and hard work we can resolve any challenge that we face as a community and that our best days lie ahead."

Quincy Center Career Fair At Presidents Place Today

Mayor William Phelan and several community partners will host the first annual Quincy Career Fair Thursday, May 31, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Atrium of Presidents Place, 1250 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

Over 30 participating companies and agencies will be on-hand to showcase a variety of career opportunities, both full and part-time.

"I am excited about the opportunity to connect our citizens with a variety of businesses, organizations, state agencies and city departments who need their workforce skills in Quincy's growing economy," said Phelan.

In addition to the employment opportunities, attendees will learn how to apply for a state and/or city position, take the Civil Service Exam, or brush up on their interviewing and resume writing skills. Bi-lingual support will be provided in Man-

darin, Cantonese, Vietnamese and Portuguese to help attendees match their skills with the best employment opportunities available. Expert assistance will be available for job seekers with disabilities, including interpreter services for deaf and hard of hearing people, by the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission.

The Quincy Career Fair is sponsored in partnership by Mayor Phelan and the City of Quincy, Quincy 2000 Collaborative, the Quincy Career Center, the Quincy

Housing Authority, the Quincy Human Rights Commission, the Quincy Public Schools and the Quincy Area Office of the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission who is celebrating their 50th anniversary.

For more information or to reserve a table space at the fair contact Quincy 2000 Collaborative at (617) 847-1454 or visit their website at www.quincy2000.org.

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Phelan Spokesperson Criticizes Koch For 'Negative Attack'

A campaign spokesperson for Mayor William Phelan strongly criticized mayor challenger Tom Koch Tuesday for what she called his "negative campaign attack."

Kathy Bowes said Koch "sharply criticizes Phelan for his successful fight to stop construction of a new Quincy High School on a toxic waste dump proposed by former Mayor (James) Sheets for whom Koch served as chief of staff and campaign manager."

She also said: "It also criticizes the Mayor's recent contract settlement with the Police Superior Officer's Union as too generous, although Koch consistently given the appearance of supporting the city unions in this election year, and even participated in their march on City Hall."

"Tom Koch's new campaign attack brochure should be required reading for all Quincy residents. It shows why he should never be Mayor."

"Koch's latest attack show's he still believes he and Mayor Sheets were right

when they fought for years to build the new high school on a toxic waste site where the Fore River Shipyard dumped deadly carcinogens for decades.

"The site, purchased from a Sheets contributor for four times what it had been bought for less than a month before, was full of chemicals ranging from PCBs, lead, etc. Koch and the former Mayor wasted years and millions of dollars on a plan that would have subjected generations of students and teachers to daily exposure to deadly risk."

"The years they stubbornly fought for this dangerous plan-and the years Mayor Phelan had to spend correcting their mistake-are the reason for the cost increase for the school."

"Today, thanks to Bill Phelan and the hundreds of citizens who joined him in standing up for our kids, we are about to build a beautiful state-of-the-art high school, instead of an ugly health hazard. And Tom Koch still doesn't get it."

Bowes also said that while Koch's new attack bro-

chure criticizes Phelan for being too generous with the union, "he has consistently given the appearance of supporting union demands for even more generous contracts."

"Koch refuses to take a clear stand, and tell voters or city employees where he stands," Bowes said. "Either he supports the city employees' demands for no change in their 10% share of their health insurance costs-which will mean a \$500 to \$1000 increase in property taxes for the average homeowner over the next four years-or he stands with Mayor Phelan in asking for a modest increase in the employees share."

"No one knows where Tom Koch stands," Bowes said.

"We need a Mayor with the guts to tell people where he stands. Since his election, Mayor Phelan has stood with teachers and has made them the best paid teachers with the best benefits of any system on the South Shore. But he also stands for fairness, and in fairness to taxpayers, he is asking for concessions."

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Healy Family Fundraiser To Be Held June 15

The life of Tim Healy, a North Quincy native, will be honored at a fundraiser to benefit his four young children on June 15 at the 181-W Hall in Dorchester.

Healy, born in North Quincy and a Houghs Neck resident for many years, succumbed to brain cancer in April after a courageous 15-month battle with the disease.

Shortly after his death, friends and family members created the Healy Family Fund to help his four children, Meghan, 13, Erin, 11,

and twins Brendan and Ryan, 4.

"Tim was a great husband, a great father, and a great friend," said his cousin Kathie Dalton-Keane. "He spent a lifetime helping others and was a true symbol of all the great things about our community. We couldn't think of a better tribute than to come together and help his children when they need it most."

The fundraiser, which begins a 7 p.m., will feature a DJ, a live and silent auction and a raffle that includes

weekend getaways and sports memorabilia.

To donate an item, become a sponsor or to buy tickets to the event, contact Kathy Healy at (617) 872-9841.

The son of Irish immigrants, Healy was an active member of both Sacred Heart and Holy Trinity parishes in Quincy. He was a graduate of Boston College High School and Suffolk University. Healy was the director of Information Technology for the Office of Consumer Affairs.

Montclair School PTO Scholarship Award For Quincy, North Seniors

The Montclair School PTO is offering a \$250 book award scholarship to qualified high school seniors who graduated from the Montclair School and plan to continue their education.

Students must have attended Montclair for three consecutive years, including fifth grade.

Applications will be available at the school office until the end of the school year

and also in September.

Applications must be submitted by Friday, Sept. 14, at the Montclair School, 8 Belmont St., Quincy.

For more information, call 617-984-8708.

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Dependable Cleaners 'Read To Ride' Underway

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Entry forms are available at all 17 Dependable Cleaners locations and participat-

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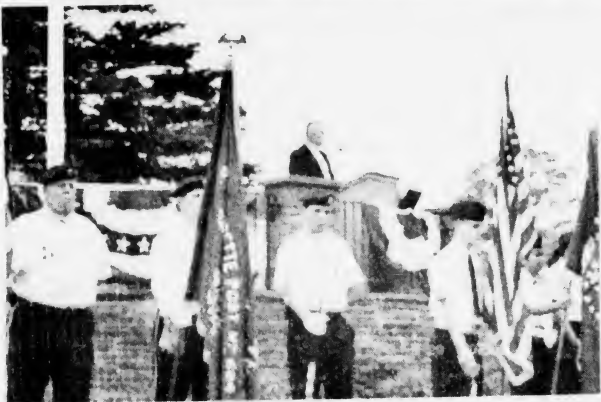
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GUEST SPEAKER, the Rev. John Swanson, pastor of the Union Congregational Church of Wollaston, stands at the Memorial Day podium in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery behind a color guard from the Morrisette Legion Post.

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A SALUTING ROBERT NOBLE, past commander of the American Ex-Prisoners of War of Massachusetts, is surrounded by (left to right) City Councillors Michael McFarland, Joseph Finn and Daniel Raymond and former Mayors James Sheets and Joseph LaRana, after he reads the poem 'In Flanders Field' to Memorial Day observers.

Quincy Sun photo/Lorraine Ahern

'Reckless' Iraq War Comments Draw Criticism

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the world.

Robert Noble, past commander of the American Ex-Prisoners of War of Massachusetts, read the poem 'In Flanders Field' composed by World War I Army Sgt. John McCrae. The poem, which describes the horrors of war, is a tribute to the soldiers who died in the war. Noble's comments drew criticism for his remarks about the Iraq War while commenting on the tragic deaths he witnessed in Belgium town of Ypres during an intense battle between the British and the Germans.

Stephen Dunlea, senior vice commander of the QVC, read Abraham Lincoln's stirring Gettysburg Address, and an adjutant called the roll of comrades who have died in the past year. As each name was called, a veterans intoned "Absent."

The deceased were members of Bryan Post 613 VFW, Wollaston Legion Post 295, Houghs Neck Legion Post 380, Nickerson Legion Post 382, Cavanaugh DAV Chapter 79, Jewish War Veterans Post 193, Caddy Detachment of the Marine Corps League and the 2nd Division Marine Association.

A wreath of yellow flowers in the shape of a star was placed at the monument by the Gold Star Mothers, women who lost sons or daughters in the service of their country.

The 2nd Marine Division fired a volley. Veterans and troops saluted as Taps was played by Donald Murphy and the flag was raised to full staff as the National Anthem rang out and the audience rose to its feet.

Guests at the podium included State Rep. Stephen



ARTHUR DUCHARME, director of the Historic Interpretive Program at United First Parish Church, stands over wreaths that were placed on the graves of Presidents John and John Quincy Adams in the crypt of the church on Memorial Day.

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Tobin, former Mayors Joseph LaRana, Arthur Tobin and James Sheets, At-Large Councillors John Keenan, Joseph Finn and Michael McFarland, Ward Councillors Daniel Raymond, Kevin Coughlin, Jay Davis and Brian McNamee, School Committee Members Anne Mahoney, David McCarthy and Linda Stice.

Many of the event participants stayed around after the ceremony to say a prayer, plant a flower and otherwise tend to the grave of a loved one.

Commander Ahern said she was overwhelmed by the support of the citizenry for the Memorial Day parade and services.

"It was wonderful today coming down the street to see all the children with their parents; how happy they were to see the veterans coming down the street," she said.

"The city of Quincy has

always had a proud tradition of honoring the veterans and the mayor has been very good to the veterans and I think that sets the tone for the citizens."

Ahern noted that sometimes towns and cities are forced to cancel their ceremonies for lack of interest and support, but that last year's Veterans' Day Parade was one of the largest she had seen in Quincy in quite a while.

"If some of the bands can't get sponsors to help with the buses, etc., then the kids can't participate in the parades. So we are grateful for the support we received today."

"This is always a moving ceremony," said Ward 2 Councillor Raymond.

"It's important that Quincy continue to remember the sacrifices of our fallen heroes, not only on Memorial Day but each and every day of the year."

"It's important for people to turn out, and this year, in spite of the weather, there was a tremendous outpouring from the community."

"It makes it all worthwhile."



MORRISSETTE LEGION POST color guard passes through Quincy Square en route to the Memorial Day observance.



COLOR GUARD from the Bryan VFW Post leads the parade down Hancock Street.



SEA CADETS, boys and girls ages 13 to 17 from the Naval Reserve Center, march in Quincy's annual Memorial Day Parade.

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Lincoln-Hancock Students Place Flags At Veterans Graves



EDWARD PAULINO, 11, a fifth grader from the Lincoln-Hancock School, decorates the grave of a veteran in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery in preparation for Memorial Day services.

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MONICA HAMPE, 11, a fifth grader from the Lincoln-Hancock School, places a flag on the grave of a veteran in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery while her classmates seek their graves in the background.



FLAG-WAVING fifth graders from the Lincoln-Hancock School line Sea Street at the Mt. Wollaston Cemetery prior to placing their flags on the graves of veterans for the Memorial Day Ceremonies.



KELSEY PALMER, 11, a fifth grader from the Lincoln-Hancock School, places her flag on the flower-bedecked grave of a veteran in Mt. Wollaston Cemetery.

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Teresa Wisnes Sales Associate At Century 21 Annex Realty

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Prior to joining Century 21 Annex, Wisnes received her real estate license from Annex Real Estate School in Quincy.

"Teresa is a wonderful addition to our team," said Rudnick. "Her knowledge of the area combined with her great people skills are great assets to have in the real estate industry."



TERESA WISNES

Wisnes graduated from Aquinas Junior College with an associate's degree in business.

In her spare time she

Hanover resident enjoys spending time with her husband and three children, ages seven, six and four.

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Dollars and sense

by David Uffington

Spotting Predatory Mortgage Lenders

If you're trying to buy your first home, are elderly, have low income or bad credit, or if you need cash and want to refinance an existing mortgage, you're a prime candidate for predatory lending.

Here are some of the signs that you could become a victim of a predatory lending scam:

- You're approached by a telemarketer or salesman who says that "bad credit is no problem" and guarantees a low-interest loan, but only if you apply immediately.

- You're pressured to lie about your income or anything else to get the loan.

- There are high pre-payment penalties if you pay off the loan early. Predatory loans limit how quickly you can refinance and can charge you as much as six months' interest as a penalty.

- You are being charged high fees with the loan. A fee of 1 percent of the loan is typical. Predatory is when the fees reach or exceed 5 percent of the loan.

- The price of the property is much more than for similar homes in your area.

- The interest rate seems much too high. You might be told that it's because you have bad credit and only qualify for a "sub-prime" loan, and you're pressured to accept that because "No one else will give you a loan." Chances are that the extra interest is really a kickback to the loan broker.

- You go to closing and the terms on the documents are not what you expected. Somehow, the loan (usually the interest rate) has changed overnight.

- The biggie: The loan calls for mandatory arbitration — which essentially strips you of your legal rights in a dispute. By agreeing to this, you're essentially waiving your rights to make a claim in a court of law. Binding mandatory arbitration means you agree to go to an arbitrator outside the court system and that you agree to whatever is decided. You'll be at a disadvantage because these meetings are generally secret, and you'll pay high fees to cover the arbitration costs.

If you're a victim of predatory loan fraud, or if you need assistance in determining if a "deal" is a safe one, call the Department of Housing and Urban Development at 800-569-4287 and ask for a housing counselor in your area. Turn in scammers to your state's Attorney General office and the Federal Trade Commission.

David Uffington regrets that he cannot personally answer reader questions, but will incorporate them into his column whenever possible. Write to him in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475 or send e-mail to letters.kfws@hearstcs.com.

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Hints For Homeowners

Control Moisture, Avoid Mold

(NAPS) — A common misperception among homeowners and builders is that water intrusion is inevitable and therefore mold-resistant products are the answer. While mold-resistant products can play an important role, dry buildings and homes are the result of careful design, construction and maintenance.

Homeowners and builders looking for simple, understandable advice on mold control can turn to the Responsible Solutions to Mold Coalition's (RSMC) top 10 sources of information. The Coalition

is a consortium of building industry associations, academic and governmental bodies and companies, including USG Corporation and National Gypsum Company.

In evaluating the best sources of information on moisture/mold control, RSMC identified some of the most common errors that lead to water intrusion and mold growth:

- Water or waste pipes installed in exterior walls: As temperatures vary, condensation can form on pipes that are normally surrounded by insulation, making drainage impossible.

- Failure to place water-handling appliances such as dishwashers and washing machines in large pans that drain away from the house. These pans are commonly available at home improvement centers.

- Failure to replace washing machine hoses. This is the leading insurance claim for water drainage.

- Failure to replace water heaters every 10 to 12 years. Most homeowners wait until their water heater fails (and usually leaks). Deferred replacement is more costly in the long run.

- Lack of flashing around doors, windows, roofs and chimneys that safely channel water away from the house and allow walls to dry out.

- Wet building materials: Building materials are often improperly stored at the job site. They should not be delivered until it's time to install them, and while they're being stored; they should be off the ground and covered tightly with a tarp.

- Rushed building schedules that do not allow enough time for joint compound, tile grout, paint and sprayed foam insulation to dry adequately.

- Roofs that are designed in a manner that does not provide a clear pathway for water to move off of the roof and into gutters and downspouts.

- Blocked gutters and downspouts that are improperly installed in a manner that directs water toward the house.

- Improper grading around the house that directs water into the basement.

More information on mold prevention and a newly updated brochure are available at www.responsiblesolutions.org.



By Samantha Mazzotta

How to Clean Sticky Furniture

Q. I was reading your reply to Anna V., whose household furniture was developing a sticky feel. The sticky furniture could be due to oil softening the finish. Possible sources are from airborne cooking oil, body oil from hands and oil in furniture polish.

Airborne cooking oil can coat many different surfaces, such as the sticky light chain that Anna described. Nonporous surfaces can be cleaned with household cleaners.

Leaving excess furniture polish on wood surfaces can cause softening or stickiness; always wipe furniture completely dry after using polish to avoid this situation. Oil-softened furniture can be cleaned using 0000 steel wool and mineral spirits thinner. (Note: do this in a very well-ventilated area; ideally, take the furniture outside.) Body oil from hands can also cause this problem; furniture should be cleaned in the same way as above. Once the furniture is cleaned, it will need a new topcoat of varnish as most of it will be removed in the cleaning process.

I have a boat that contains a lot of teak wood trim. The trim is finished with varnish. This boat is always in a humid environment, and when we spend nights out on the water, it gets a heavy coat of dew. I clean it with soap and water, and after eight years, the trim has never gotten sticky or gotten water spots. I don't coat it with oil-based furniture polish. Modern factory-built furniture has a lacquer finish, and if properly maintained will not get water spots or sticky. — Frank C., via e-mail

A. Wow! That's a wealth of information for readers, and I hope they'll consider your maintenance advice. Again, keep in mind that mineral spirits should be used in a well-ventilated area. Wipe away excess with a clean cloth and let the surface dry completely. Additionally, if an affected piece of furniture is an antique, consider hiring a furniture restoration specialist to prevent unintentional damage.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeur-r2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Tips On Choosing A Lawn Mower

(NAPS) — The right lawn mower can save you work, trouble and some serious green in gas and repair costs. Plus, choosing a mower doesn't have to be a daunting task. Try these tips from the experts:

- Know your yard — The key to buying a new lawn mower is knowing the type of machine your yard needs. How big is your yard? Is it flat and smooth, or sloping? Do you need to mow around trees, sweep off your patio or plow your driveway?

If you're working with less than half an acre, a walk-behind mower will probably do the trick. If you have inclines, you might want to check out some self-propelled mowers.

A ride-on mower may be a better choice for those with larger acreage but be sure to consider the mower's maneuverability if you have to turn tightly around obstacles. Today's riding mowers offer different options for traction and turn radius with the added versatility of attachments.

- All grass isn't alike — Grass comes in many different shapes and sizes. Lawns with thicker, tougher

grass will require a mower with higher horsepower and bigger, taller wheels. If you want your mower to last, you'll need to make sure you have enough power to handle the grass in your yard.

- How handy are you? — If you know you'll frequently be putting your mower to good use, make sure you purchase a machine that you can maintain and properly tune. Choose a brand with a reputable maintenance record. A well-kept, clean lawn mower can last for many years.

- Know your budget — Thanks to advancements in technology, even basic models offer nice amenities like cruise control and hydrostatic steering.

- How long will you be living in your home? — Lawn mowers can be difficult to move from home to home, so look at what you can realistically afford for the time needed. Talk with local dealers or retailers. They know their equipment and can help you make the right decisions for the right amount.

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Poolside This Summer:

Six Simple Steps To Maintain Your Pool

(NAPS) – Pool owners often think pool care can be a complicated job. Luckily, experts offer these six simple steps for opening your pool

this season.

1. Drain the water off the cover and away from the swimming pool. Clean cover and store in a clean, dry place

away from sunlight.

2. Ensure the pump, filter and skimmer basket are in good working order. Clean the filter with a chemical

cleaner specifically designed for swimming pool filters.

• For DE filters, make sure the filter grids are in good shape.

• For cartridge filters, make sure there are no holes in the filter media, especially in or on the pleats and at the top and bottom.

• For sand filters, replace your filter sand every three to five years. Make sure only to use the proper grade of material for swimming pool sand filters.

3. Fill the pool to the proper level. Circulate water for 24 to 48 hours.

4. Take a pint of water to your local BioGuard pool store for a computerized analysis and a personalized prescription for pool care.

5. Follow the maintenance program prescribed by your BioGuard authorized pool professional for the most brilliant, algae-free water possible.

6. Test and treat your water regularly.

And don't forget to open your pools now. Pool openings should begin when overnight temperatures remain above freezing and daytime temperatures remain above 60 degrees.

BioGuard dealers also offer pool care products and programs that make opening the pool in the spring and maintaining the pool throughout the season a snap. Consult your pool professional for expert advice all year round. For more information on the effective use of the pool and spa products and to locate the BioGuard dealer nearest you, visit www.bioguard.com or check your local yellow pages.

Stylish Ways To Boost A Home's Value

(NAPS) – In today's real estate market, sellers are doing everything possible to enhance their homes' value and appeal. As a result, "staging" – setting the scene to help make their property an ideal showcase – is now a cottage industry.

Consider the following tips from Hunter Douglas:

• **Less Really Is More** – Streamlining the décor is sure to give your home an expansive appearance. Something as basic as adding window treatments can have an immediate impact and a lasting effect on value, especially since window dressings usually remain in the home as part of the sale. The key is to find practical window fashions with a long shelf life that will add form as well as function. For instance, you can transform the light in a room and block harmful UV rays with products such as Silhouette window shadings from Hunter Douglas.

• **Kitchens and Baths** – "Today, people like an open and airy kitchen with a lot of work space," says Robert Irwin, author of "Home Buyer's Checklist." Additionally, a master bedroom, especially with a spa or whirlpool tub, and a separate shower with steam and/or multiple jets, is considered a big asset.

• **Master Suites** – A sumptuous bedroom is on

many homeowners' wish lists. Make sure it offers ample storage space and a comfortable place to lounge.

• **Natural Materials** – Americans increasingly want a connection between the home and outdoors and the serenity that nature brings. Decorate with materials that offer natural textures to create a spa-like tranquility in your home.

• **Dens and Libraries** – For a handsomely coordinated look, consider custom-crafted wood shutters, such as Heritage hardwood shutters, as doors and closets

and cabinets, as well as on the window for architectural appeal.

• **Improve Curb Appeal** – According to the National Association of Real Estate Appraisers, a good first impression of a home can add as much as 10 percent to its value. Window fashions like Vignette Modern Roman Shades with no rear lift cords and a neutral white backing ensure an attractive and uniform appearance from the outside.

• **Enlarge Your Windows** – Upgrading to bigger windows is always a winning proposition.

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• **Add Insulation** – Window coverings such as the Duette Architella Collection feature a unique, patented construction (honeycomb nestled within a honeycomb) that traps significantly more air than other window fashions and keeps homes comfortable.

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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: May 18 - May 24

Total Calls for Service: 1,319

Total Arrests: 37

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 10

FRIDAY, MAY 4

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:36 a.m., 357 Billings Rd. Overnight. Thinks someone broke in while they slept. Several items missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:11 a.m., 162 Beach St. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 1:10 p.m., 14 Shoreside Rd. Credit card stolen and used.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:44 p.m., U-Haul, 438 Quincy Ave. Rental motor vehicle. 2006 Ford Van, color white. Over due rental.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:11 p.m., 23 Arthur St. Broke window. Rock through window.

LARCENY, 9:05 p.m., Presidents City Inn, 845 Hancock St. Past. Escort stole caller's money.

SATURDAY, MAY 19

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:20 a.m., 100 Newport Ave. ext. Glass. Outside pane of glass appears to have been shot with a pellet. Bank of America notified.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 1:03 p.m., 27 Winthrop St. Motor vehicle reported stolen by manager of VERC who said renter told him vehicle taken by another person but no name at this time. 2006 Toyota Corolla, color gray.

LARCENY, 3:48 p.m., Wash Dry, 236 Washington St. Wallet.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:27 p.m., Bank of America ATM, 100 Newport Ave. Ext. ATM. Security had report of vandalism to ATM. Two windows smashed.

LARCENY, 4:27 p.m., 70 Coddington St. Locker/past. BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:15 p.m., 22 Quarterdeck Rd. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 8:54 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St.

LARCENY, 11:08 p.m., 200 Coveaway, Past. Rock thrown at caller's motor vehicle. Dent to passenger side door, possibly thrown from Mound Street beach area.

LARCENY, 11:22 p.m., Tedeschi Food Shop, 495 Washington St. Past. Male stole a Red Sox tee shirt, fled in a white Jeep Cherokee headed toward Southern Artery.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:41 p.m., 14 Appleton St. Using without authorization. 2004 Jeep Liberty, color black.

SUNDAY, MAY 20

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:17 a.m., Hancock Ct. and School St. Ledger box. Patriot Ledger box was knocked over and damaged.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:06 a.m., 99 Nightingale Ave. From driveway. 2001 Chevy Silverado, color blue.

LARCENY, 6:09 a.m., 100 Quarry Hills Dr. Pro shop. Broke into room where they store clubs. Golf clubs were stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:44 a.m., 12 Willow Ave. Car window smashed.

LARCENY, 1:14 p.m., 198 Whitwell St. Cell phone. G-Zone cell phone stolen off seat of his unlocked car.

MONDAY, MAY 21

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:08 a.m., 338 Copeland St. Rear window smashed out.

LARCENY, 8:48 a.m., Quincy High School East, 107 Woodward Ave. Welding machine.

LARCENY, 9:51 a.m., Kam Man Food, 215 Quincy Ave. Possible break. One of the stores, called Lollipops, entered with a key. \$1200 missing. Money was stolen from the register. Complaint for larceny in a building, larceny over, name added to field.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:48 a.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. Possible threats.

LARCENY, 12:54 p.m., Brooks Pharmacy, 132 Granite St. Purse stolen, recovered by store minus the wallet, \$160 in cash, credit cards, license. Cards being used. Happened May 19.

LARCENY, 2:21 p.m., 50 Harrington St. Past. States numerous items have been taken. Camera, albums, and an LCD monitor missing. Noticed months ago.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:00 p.m., Rosecliff Apartments, 826 Willard St. Motor vehicle. Five windows smashed on vehicle; three males in a blue Toyota, no plate number available, seen leaving.

LARCENY, 4:02 p.m., Rogers Jewelry, 1402 Hancock St. Caller reports an Asian male, early 20s, white shirt, possible jeans fled in motor vehicle. Vehicle stopped at Robertson and Quarry Streets by Officer Hartnett and Officer Francis. Patrolman Simmons transporting victim to ID suspect - one under arrest, motor vehicle charges, also 15 warrants. Subject charged with larceny over, operating after revocation, operating uninsured and revoked registration along with the warrants. Additionally charged with false

name after arrest.

LARCENY, 8 p.m., CVS Pharmacy, 22 Independence Ave. Wallet.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:29 p.m., Presidents Plaza, 215 Quincy Ave. To motor vehicle. Happened today: air was let out of three tires.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:34 p.m., 225 Independence Ave. Vehicle taken from the above. 1999 Toyota Corolla, color black.

TUESDAY, MAY 22

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:52 a.m., 35 Brooks Ave. Rear window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:42 a.m., Wollaston Yacht Club, 692 Quincy Shore Dr. Business. No sign of forced entry. Padlock broken on cooler. 12 wine coolers and two cases of beer stolen.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:28 a.m., 41 Roberts St. Rock/window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:55 a.m., Pizza Hut, 627 Washington St. Business. Back door pried open, happened overnight. About \$20 in cash.

LARCENY, 11:10 a.m., United Federal Mortgage, 1233 Hancock St. Furniture stolen.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:19 p.m., Quirk Mazda Volkswagen, 111 McGrath Highway. Stolen motor vehicle. Female took motor vehicle without finishing paper work. 2003 Kia Sorento, color gray.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:48 p.m., 132 Rhoda St. Spraypaint. Youths spraypainting rocks.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:48 a.m., 74 Safford St. Honey. Honey poured all over the side of the house.

LARCENY, 3:22 a.m., 100 Washington St. Fare evasion. Customer went into the building and never came out. Unable to locate suspect.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:46 a.m., Walgreen Pharmacy, 418 Quincy Ave. 1994 Buick LeSabre, color green, just taken from lot.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:55 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Locker broken into. Items taken from wallet including driver's license and credit cards. Pad lock was broken off to gain entry.

LARCENY, 9:37 p.m., 276 Atlantic St. Gas grill.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 11:25 p.m., 34 Field St. Just happened. Two females.

THURSDAY, MAY 24

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:55 a.m., 83 Suomi Rd. Spray paint.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

Safety/Health Fair June 2 At Star Market

The Quincy Police Department and Star Market are teaming up to present a Safety and Health Fair on Saturday, June 2, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The fair will be held in the Star Market parking lot on Granite Street. Rain date is Sunday, June 3.

Several community agencies will join forces to keep the public informed of many

issues regarding public health and safety on the local, state and national level.

Representatives from the Quincy Police and Fire Departments, the Quincy Health Department, Quincy Medical Center, state and MBTA Police Departments, US Customs Agency, Norfolk County Sheriff's Department, Fallon Ambulance, Homeland Defense Team,

AAA Auto Club and U.S. Marines will participate.

The Quincy Police K-9 Unit will provide a demonstration and the Marine Unit will be exhibiting some of their equipment.

The fair will also feature a visit by Sparkles the Clown and magic by Chris Bolter.

Star Market will also announce on that day the soon-to-open community room at

this location. The meeting room will be available for civic and philanthropic meetings as available and when requested in writing at the store.

There will also be a child seat installation and inspection program but this is by appointment only. For this program or for additional information, call Lt. Dan Minton at 617 745 5719.

A Job Well Done

On Monday, May 21, at approximately 4 p.m., Jeff Bertman of Rogers Jewelry called the Quincy Police Department to report that a man just left the store with one of their expensive diamonds. He said that his father, Mark Bertman and a customer, Jim Edwards, were chasing after the suspect, heading south on Hancock St. As the Dispatcher provided a description to all units.

Edwards, who had chased the suspect all the way to Cottage Avenue returned to the store. He told Jeff Bertman to notify the police that the suspect jumped into a car and drove southbound on Hancock St. Edwards was able to give the direction of flight, the license plate number, a description of the getaway car and the suspect to the police, which was again given to all units.

Communications informed all units that the suspect vehicle was registered in Dorchester and had both revoked registration and insurance. As Officer Tim Simmons was enroute to Roger's Jewelry to gather more information and file a report, he heard over the police radio that Officers Dan Francis and E.J. Hartnett, who were working a road detail at the intersection of Quarry and Robertson Sts., had a suspect stopped.

Officer Simmons interviewed the Bertmans and then telephoned officers at the scene of the stop, who confirmed matching descriptions. Officer Mike Duran placed the suspect in his cruiser while Officer Simmons transported Mark Bertman to identify the suspect. Once at the scene, Officer Simmons opened the door to the cruiser to show Mark Bertman the suspect.

The suspect immediately blurted out, "I'm sorry." Mark Bertman identified the suspect as the man who asked to look at a 1 1/2 carat loose diamond under the microscope and then asked to examine the diamond's certificate. Mark Bertman said that he reached over to get the certificate and looked over his shoulder to see the suspect walking quickly out the store. The diamond was no longer on the microscope's glass.

Officer Francis then brought Mr. Bertman over to the suspect's car and pointed to the inside door handle, displaying one loose diamond! Mr. Bertman said that it was

the same diamond. Officer Simmons transported Mr. Bertman back to the store to establish that the diamond was the same one from the store. Mr. Bertman put the loose diamond under the gem-scope, which showed numerical engravings and the Canadian flag on it. He showed

this to Officer Simmons and then provided corresponding paperwork to show that it was clearly the same diamond recovered in the suspect's car. Photos were taken of the diamond and associated paperwork for court purposes. The suspect, a 47-year-old Weymouth resident, was transported to the station for booking, where he gave a false name and date of birth.

After determining his real identity, the suspect was charged with "Larceny over \$250.00, Operating an Unregistered Motor Vehicle, Operating After License Revocation and False Information to a Police Officer. He also had 15 outstanding warrants for similar offenses! In this case, if it weren't for the diligence of Mr. Bertman and his customer,

Mr. Edwards, who was able to note the vehicle and license plate, it would have been very difficult to find the suspect. To these gentlemen and all Officers involved, Nice Work!

Child Car Seat Installation Inspection Program June 2

The Quincy Police Crime Prevention Unit will be conducting a child car seat program on Saturday, June 2nd to install or inspect prior installations.

The officers will also check to ensure that the seat is not out of date or on a recall list. This program is by appointment only. Call Lieutenant Dan Minton for further information at 617 745 5719.



LT. DAN MINTON

SPORTS

Quincy Streaks Into Playoffs

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy Presidents' baseball team will live to play another (post-season) game.

Quincy, which needed to win its final three regular season games in order to qualify for the Division II South Sectional tournament, did just that last week.

After a tough 8-6 loss to North Quincy High School in nine innings last Monday (May 21), Quincy defeated Falmouth (10-0), Somerville (5-1) and King Philip (6-3) to finish up their regular season with a 10-10 record.

"The loss to North was tough to take, but it is always difficult to beat the same team three times in one season," said head coach Mike Draicchio. "After that loss, the guys knew that they had to bear down and take care of business in the final three games to get back to the post-season for the fourth time in the last five years. They did just that."

In the Falmouth game, senior Steve Connolly was the winning pitcher. He ended the year with a perfect 3-0 record on the mound.

"Steve was outstanding for us against Falmouth," said Draicchio. "We had to travel down the Cape for this game and we came up big as a team. Connolly really shined all year for the team and this game was no different."

Connolly's pitching magic rubbed off on junior Mike LeBel in the Presidents next game against Somerville. LeBel went the distance and struck out fourteen batters in route to the victory.

"Coming back against Somerville the team really played great," said Draicchio. "LeBel was dynamite on the mound and the rest of the team played outstanding defense behind him. All year long our defense has been solid. This year's squad may be my best defensive team in years at Quincy. This win was a complete team effort."

In their final and deciding regular season game against King Philip, the Presidents rode the arm of junior Ricky Salvucci to a 6-3 win.

Salvucci gave up three hits and three runs over six innings, striking out five, to help put Quincy in the post-season. LeBel came on in relief in the seventh inning, and after allowing an infield single and a walk, struck out the next three batters to earn the save.

Connolly went 2-for-4 with two RBI, and senior Anthony Gilbody went 2-for-2 with two walks, a run scored and an RBI. Fellow seniors Mike Leone (1-for-4, RBI)

BASEBALL

and Dan Meyers (solid defense at third base) also played huge parts in the victory.

"Once again the team bore down and got the job done," Draicchio said. "We've had an up and down season. We lost four one-run games and a little luck here and there and we would not have had to win out to qualify, but we did and the kids really stuck together and got it done."

The Presidents, who will have been notified as to where and whom they will be playing in the post-season by the time the Sun goes to press, will most likely be playing in a preliminary round game at the end of the week.

"Seedings come out late Tuesday or early Wednesday," Draicchio added. "We will probably be playing in the preliminaries, but with our hitting, pitching and team defense, we should be ready for anyone."

The Presidents also had four players participating in the Atlantic Coast League All-Star game which was played at Adams Field on Tuesday night. Seniors Steve Connolly (ACL batting title winner with his .507 avg.), Mike Leone (.353 avg., 11 RBI), John Alexander (.313 avg., 3 HR, 18 RBI) and junior Mike LeBel (.420 avg., league leading 27 RBI) all represented Quincy in the game.

Senior Matt Boyle (.300 avg., 17 RBI) and junior Ricky Salvucci (.387 avg., 11 RBI) were both deserving of an all-star nod for their play this spring.

"These six guys really paced the team all year long," Draicchio said. "They were my top six hitters and if they can continue their stellar play, we could do damage in the South Sectionals."

Other members of the post-season roster include seniors Wendall Cosgrove, Steve Kussman, Dan Meyers, Anthony Gilbody, Dan O'Connell, juniors Joe Regginni, Matt Pye and Teddy Walsh, Dave Griffin, Jeff Mitchell, Eric Englehart, John Parry, Sean Gray, Robert Ranalli and Kevin Keith were all added to the post-season roster.

"I would just like to thank coaches Kevin Carey (jayeve), Pat Lane, Josh Ethier (freshman), Dave McMillian (varsity pitching coach) and Tom Malvesti (ass. Varsity coach) for all their hard work for the program," said Draicchio.

Seniors Shine At 25th Games



ROSE LEVY, age 86, excelled in the javelin throw, one of the events in the 25th annual Quincy Senior Olympics.

Bob Noble Photos



GEORGE CORMEY, age 70, competes in the standing broad jump event. Story, other photos on Pages 18 and 19.

North Quincy Seeks First Round Home Game

The North Quincy girls softball team had an up and down ending to their 2007 regular season.

On a bright note, the Red Raiders finished their regular season with an impressive 15-5 overall record, and a 10-3 record in the Atlantic Coast League. With their stellar record, the team is guaranteed a post-season

SOFTBALL

birth for the first time this century, but they did lose out on a chance to capture at least a share of the Atlantic Coast League championship for the first time in the program's history with a tough 6-3 loss to Dennis-Yarmouth High School on May 18.

After losing to D-Y, the Red Raiders responded with a season-ending 8-6 victory over ACL foe Nauset High School last Friday night.

Sophomore second baseman Brittany Folkins went 2-for-3 with two runs scored and two RBI, and sophomore Catherine O'Connell added three hits and an RBI for the Red

Raiders.

North Quincy will find out when and where they will be playing come tournament time when the seedings are released today (Wed.). With their record and second-place finish in the ACL, North Quincy should be awarded an opening round home game.

Presidents Bounced By Norwood

VOLLEYBALL

Paine (25 kills), juniors Brendan Paine, Andy Boucicaut and Mike Mottola and sophomore Ken Tan.

Quincy may have fallen short of their goal to go far in

the post-season, but the team will return the majority of this year's league championship team next year. The Presidents will lose seniors Ted Agolli and Shin Nagpal.

"We've played up and down all season long," Smith

added. "Andrew Paine had 25 kills, and I'd match him up with any player in the state, but this is our first tourney game since 2003, and Norwood has more tourney experience. We'll have to schedule more of these types of games next year."

Coaches League At Quincy Youth Arena

The Quincy Youth Arena will host the South Shore Coaches League this summer.

All area high school players are invited to participate. Varsity hockey

coaches and player teams

are invited to participate in the coaches league. The cost is \$210 per player and applications can be obtained

at the Quincy Youth Arena.

Applications will not be accepted by phone. For more information, call 781-587-0000 or 781-587-0047.

REGISTRATION



Quincy Youth Football League 2007 Season

The Quincy Youth Football League is accepting registration on Sat., May 5 & Sat., June 2 from 9am to 11am

at the following locations:

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| North Quincy Apaches | — Pageant Field |
| West Quincy Elks | — O'Rourke Field |
| Houghs Neck Manets | — Lebreque Field |
| Quincy Point Panthers | — Fore River Field |
| Squantum Storm | — Squantum Community Center (Huckins Ave.) |

Eligibility Players or cheerleaders must be between the ages of 9-14 (4th to 8th grade in Fall 2007).

Ceremony At Beechwood On The Bay Highlights 25th Annual Games

Over 300 Medals Awarded At Quincy Senior Olympics

The 25th Annual Quincy Senior Olympics concluded on May 15 with an awards ceremony at Beechwood On The Bay. More than 300 medals were handed out at the conclusion of the Senior Olympic Games.

"All Olympians are winners, and those who won in the competitions look forward to the recognition," said Sharron Beals, Beechwood's Executive Director and member of the Senior Olympics Planning Committee. "Some competitors are lifelong athletes, others just participate just to stay fit, and some are first-time athletes."

"We have come of age," Beals added. "Twenty-five years ago the 1st Senior Games were held on a Saturday with three events. This year the 10-day event offered 21 competitions at eight sites throughout the city."

Mayor William Phelan, who each year is personally involved in the planning and promotion of the Games, added, "Our Senior Olympic Games are a wonderful example of citywide partnerships. We have a wide range of community support for the Olympic Games each year."

Quincy Medical Center and Boston Medical Center sponsored the 25th Annual Olympic Games. The Quincy Rotary and the River Bay Club also provided financial and service support.

The Games were hosted by O'Lindy's Lanes, Torre Dei Passeri Club, the Quincy Park Department, the Lincoln Hancock Pool and Beechwood On The Bay. Service providers included Fallon Ambulance, the Quincy Police Department, Quincy/North Quincy High Schools and the ROTC Honor Guard.

"We were happy to see an increase in Olympic competitors and spectators this year," said Maryann Mahoney. "At the Beechwood event over 150 preschoolers were cheerleaders for the 'Grampas & Grammas' competitions and many seniors had family members cheer them on."

All seniors are invited to come to Beechwood each Friday (through the summer) for "Friday Fun, Fitness & Fellowship" activities.

The following are the re-



ROMANO DePAOLI, age 76, shown here competing in the javelin event, took home gold in the javelin, shot put and running long jump events during the 25th annual Senior Olympics.



HY LEVY, age 85, won a gold medal in the shot put event.



GOLFERS (from left) Pat McIver, Terri Cataldo and Judy Hurley take a break during their round of golf at Presidents Golf Course.



QUINCY POLICE OFFICERS, along with Beechwood preschoolers and teachers, show their support during the 25th annual Senior Olympic Games.

sults from the 21 Senior Olympic competitions:

Three-Mile Walk (Women)

Gold: Jane Nelson, Judith Hurley, Eileen McCarthy, Dorothy Gavin, Kay Walsh and Rita Flaherty.

Three-Mile Walk (Men)

Gold: Francis McGinty, Ton Huynh, Don Murray, Leo Andronico, Herb Cameron and Joseph Sheehan.

Horseshoes (Women)

Gold: Jane Nelson, Kristen Johnson, Meg Doherty, Amy Hicks, Dorothy Gavin, Mary Foreman, Rita Flaherty and Gertrude Smart.

Silver: Barbara Thomas.

Horseshoes (Men)

Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Gerry McCarthy, Jim McLean, Kenneth Williams,

Lester Cuneo, Bob Newcomb, Hy Levy and Warren Kirkland.

Silver: Edward Kelly.

Bocce (Women)

Gold: Barbara Thomas, Genevieve Bertoni, Lois Burton and Frances Smith.

Silver: Jane Walsh, Pat Chiavaroli, Alice Faiella and Rose Levy.

Bocce (Men)

Gold: Jack Buonopano, Edward Baccari, Romano DePaoli and Gerald LaFlamme.

Silver: Jeffrey Breault, Bob Carlson, Louis Faniella and Warren Kirkland.

Swimming (Women):

50-Yard Breaststroke

Gold: Amy Hicks, Dot Gavin and Ruth Kundsins.

50-Yard Backstroke

Gold: Amy Hicks, Dot Gavin and Ruth Kundsins.

100-Yard Backstroke

Gold: Patricia DelVal and Patricia Sullivan.

100-Yard Breaststroke

Gold: Patricia DelVal and Judith Hurley.

50-Yard Butterfly

Gold: Amy Hicks.

50-Yard Freestyle

Gold: Amy Hicks, Dot Gavin and Ruth Kundsins.

100-Yard Freestyle

Gold: Patricia DelVal and Patricia Sullivan.

500-Yard Freestyle

Gold: Patricia DelVal, Patricia Sullivan, Amy Hicks and Dot Gavin.

Swimming (Men):

100-Yard Freestyle

Gold: Jeffrey Breault and Peter Andrew.

100-Yard Backstroke

Gold: Peter Andrew.

100-Yard Breaststroke

Gold: Jeffrey Breault and Peter Andrew.

500-Yard Freestyle

Gold: Peter Andrew.

Basketball Free Throw (Women)

Gold: Jane Nelson, Barbara Thomas, Amy Hicks,

Dorothy Gavin, Mary Foreman, Rose Levy and Gertrude Smart.

Silver: Meg Doherty.

Basketball Free Throw (Men)

Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Peter Andrew, Jim McLean, Jim Lynch, Robert Carlson, Al DeBrave, Hy Levy and Warren Kirkland.

Silver: Kenneth Williams.

One-Mile Run (Men)

Gold: Don Murray and Herb Cameron.

One-Half Mile Walk (Women)

Gold: Jane Nelson, Judith Hurley, Nancy Cirillo, Kay Walsh and Rose Levy.

Silver: Meg Doherty.

One Mile Walk (Women)

Gold: Ann Johnson, Patricia Delval, Judith Hurley, Elizabeth Mafera, Nancy Cirillo, Kay Walsh, Rita Flaherty and Ruth Kundsins.

One-Mile Walk (Men)

Gold: Jim McLean, Don Murray, Jeffrey Breault, Leo Andronico, Gustav

Diezemann, Joseph Sheehan and Warren Kirkland.

One-Half Mile Walk (Men)

Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Peter Andrew, Tong Huynh, Don Murray, Leo Andronico, Gustav Diezemann, Hy Levy and Warren Kirkland.

Silver: George Mallett.

Darts (Women)

Gold Medal Team: Joan Clark, Alice Faiella, Rose Levy, Eleanor Murphy and Rita Flaherty.

Darts (Men)

Gold Medal Team: Jim McLean, Romano DePaoli, Bob Newcomb, Hy Levy and Forrest Smith.

Billiards (Women)

Gold: Mary Foreman and Rose Levy.

Billiards (Men)

Gold: Eugene Marengi, George Williams, Herb Cameron and Joseph Gwinn.

Silver: Gerry McCarthy, Francis McGinty, Jim McLean, John Mahony, Kenneth Williams, Charles

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All Olympians are Winners

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Senior Olympians



PAT DEL VAL, former principal of the Bernazzani School, won gold medals in the one-mile walk, the 100-yard breaststroke, the 500-yard free-style and the 100-yard free-style.



RUTH KUNDSINS, age 90, won gold medals in all of the swimming competitions during the Senior Olympics.



RITA FLAHERTY, age 89, took a gold medal in the one-mile walk; darts; horseshoes; softball throw and the standing long jump events. Flaherty competed in her 25th Senior Olympics this year.

Over 300 Medals Awarded At Quincy Senior Olympics

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Schuetz, Joe Gilmore, George Kyller, Frank Masciulli, Harold Hutchings, Romano DePaoli, Walter Lord, William Hurley, Gerald LaFlamme, Gerry Chartier, Hy Levy and Forrest Smith.

Softball Throw (Women)
Gold: Jane Nelson, Meg Doherty, Dorothy Gavin and Rita Flaherty.

Silver: Barbara Thomas.
Softball Throw (Men)
Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Peter Andrew, Jim McLean, George Mallett, Romano DePaoli, Bob Newcomb, Hy Levy and Warren Kirkland.

Silver: Joe Cedrone.
Running Long Jump (Women)

Gold: Jane Nelson, Meg Doherty, Dorothy Gavin and Rose Levy.

Running Long Jump (Men)

Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Peter Andrew, Jim McLean, Joe Cedrone, Romano DePaoli, Bob Newcomb and Hy Levy.

Silver: Ed Kelly.
Standing Long Jump (Women)

Gold: Jane Nelson, Meg Doherty, Dorothy Gavin and Rita Flaherty.

Silver: Judy Hurley.
Standing Long Jump (Men)

Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Peter Andrew, Jim McLean, Joe Cedrone, Romano DePaoli, Bob Newcomb and Hy Levy.

Silver: Ed Kelly.
Javelin (Women)
Gold: Jane Nelson, Meg Doherty, Dorothy Gavin and Rose Levy.

Silver: Judith Hurley.
Javelin (Men)
Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Ray Cross, Jim McLean, George Cormey, Romano DePaoli, Bob Newcomb, Hy Levy and Forrest Smith.

Silver: George Mallett.
Shot Put (Women)
Gold: Jane Nelson, Judy Hurley, Dot Gavin and Rose Levy.

Silver: Meg Doherty.
Shot Put (Men)

Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Peter Andrew, Jim McLean, Joe Cedrone, Romano DePaoli, Bob Newcomb and Hy Levy.

Silver: George Mallett.
Bowling Hosted by O'Lindy's (Women)

Gold: Nancy Roman, Sally McCusker, Barbara McConaghy, Mary Foreman, Gertrude Ennis and Gertrude Smart.

Silver: Meg Doherty, Frances Johnson, Frances Andronico, Sally Saluti and Lillian Murphy.

Bowling (Men)
Gold: Jeffrey Breault, Gerry McCarthy, Jim McLean, Edward Kelly, Lester Cuneo, Louis Faiella, Joseph Sheehan and Warren Kirkland.

Silver: Kenneth Williams and Romeo Magnarelli.



SENIOR VOLLEYBALL Captains Jim Lynch and Ed Kelly accept trophy from Mayor William Phelan after Seniors were once more victorious in Mayoral versus Seniors Volleyball playoff game.

Golf at Presidents Golf Course (Women)

Gold: Patricia Melver.

Silver: Patricia Chiavaroli.

Golf at Presidents Golf Course (Men)

Gold: Peter Bertrand, Jim McLean, Joe Gilmore, John DiPietro, Robert Beals and Roy Vickery.

Silver: George Karcher.
Volleyball Game - Celeb-

rities vs. Seniors (Referee Doug MacFarlane)

The Olympians defeated the Celebrities 3-2.

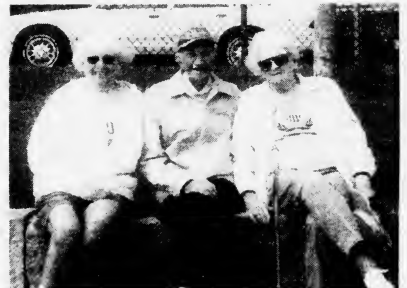
Celebrity Team: Mayor William Phelan, Dave Murphy, Tom Largey, Joe Canavan, Mike Ryan, Mark Jaehnig, Bill Griffin and Lori Connolly.

Olympic Team: Warren Kirkland, Ed Kelly, Joe Hendry, Meg Doherty, Joan



GERT SMART (left), age 90, and **Betty McCarthy** (center), age 90, are congratulated by **Barbara Gilliland**, age 81.

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TWO GENERATIONS OF COMPETITORS take a break during last week's Senior Olympic Games. Left to right: Helen Condon, age 69, with her parents, Forrest Smith, age 92, and Francis Smith, age 89.

Kierman, Robert Kravetz, Don Murray, Tom Moakely, Nell Leary, Barbara Pat Donahue and Barbara McConaghy, Ralph McLeod, Clark.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

To Stretch or Not to Stretch

Q. I have stretched before and after my workouts for years. Recently a friend said that she read an article stating that stretching was not beneficial and could even cause injuries. I have never been injured by stretching, but should I consider stopping or limiting my stretching for risk of injury?

A. To stretch or not to stretch, that is the question! This debate has been floating through the fitness industry for several years. The possibility of stretching causing injuries and not enhancing performance has placed a very important aspect of training in question.

Flexibility training, as with any type of training, should have a reason for why it is included in your routine. Many exercisers have completed a quick five second touch-your-toes stretch before exercise because they believe it is what they are supposed to do. Knowing WHY you are stretching is just as important as the type of stretching you are completing.

The reasons for completing a flexibility program should include increasing range of motion of joints, improving muscle imbalances and lengthening shortened muscles, all of which can affect overall body function. Posture, daily activities, fitness level and lifestyle all contribute to the muscle tightness and shortness, joint range of motion and muscle imbalances. A proper flexibility program can often encourage improvements in these areas.

Current injuries and hyper-

mobile joints should be handled with care, and completing a flexibility routine during those instances is not recommended. Allow for current injuries to be rehabilitated fully before stretching that area. With joints that are extremely mobile, extending them past a normal range of motion to achieve a stretch can place the joint in a position for injury.

If you are exercising for general fitness, use the checklist below to perform a flexibility routine.

- Your body is better able to respond to flexibility training when warm. Ten minutes of cardiovascular exercise before stretching can help prepare your body.

- Focus on the areas that appear tight. Complete several stretches for each muscle group. If you do not feel tightness within that muscle, proceed to the next muscle group.

- Remember that your flexibility routine will be a long-term project. Although you may feel better after stretching one time, it will take a continuance of completing your routine for your body to respond.

- Be cautious not to overstretch joints or muscles. Although certain stretches may seem uncomfortable, try not to be too aggressive, the objective is to improve tightness, not induce pain.

- Flexibility training should be partnered with cardiovascular and strength training to provide a complete workout routine.

- Seek assistance if you are not confident with stretching techniques. Improper techniques CAN lead to injury to your joints and muscles.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program.

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Men's Health

Battling The Bulge Not Just A Female Issue

(NAPS) — Current research shows that about 70 percent of American men are overweight, and about 30 percent of men are obese. Yet, a dramatically low number of men-only about 28 percent—are engaged in weight loss.

While the fundamental principles of weight loss are the same for both men and women—eat less, move more—men gain weight, lose weight, and approach weight loss differently than women. Fortunately, one of the

leading weight-loss programs has developed a plan that's geared toward men, how they eat and how they live.

Weight Watchers has more than 40 years of experience helping both men and women lose weight and has now applied that knowledge in updating its Internet offerings for men. Weight Watchers Online, which provides the interactive resources to follow the plan step-by-step online, and Weight Watchers

eTools, the Internet weight-loss companion to meetings, are now customized for men. Both products are designed to help men overcome the daily challenges of losing weight that are unique to them.

In addition to food lists, weight trackers and more, some of the online features include:

- Meal ideas for foods that men actually want to eat—Beer, pizza and red meat cheat sheets so guys can see how to eat the foods they

love while staying on plan;

- Fitness Section — Made-for-men workouts that target key muscle groups, exercise advice for all fitness levels and more than 60 exercise demo videos;

- Content Features for Men — Cooking and food ideas, gear and gadget reviews, tips from real guys who have been successful and more.

To learn more, visit the Web site at www.weightwatchers.com/betterformen.

Don't Let Pests Bug You Out Of Your Backyard

(NAPS) — Spring and summer bring a renewal of spirit and new-found freedom from the indoors. But as you venture outside to barbecue with friends, lounge lazily poolside or work in your garden, watch out for insects that can spoil your outdoor fun.

Fire ants, the reddish-brown species named for their fiery sting, can ruin almost any outdoor activity. Fiercely protective of their colonies, these tiny pests emit alarm pheromones that signal nest mates to attack and defend their colonies by delivering repeated painful stings to an intruder, causing blisters and pustules.

In the air, bees and wasps may be the most commonly feared foes encountered by outdoor enthusiasts. Their painful stings can cause symptoms ranging from headache, fever and fatigue to vomiting, convulsions and a rapid pulse. These airborne insects can even be deadly to those who are allergic to their venom.

The ruling predatory pests of backyards across America, though, are mosquitoes. There are over 200 species of

mosquitoes identified in North America, some of which have the ability to transmit diseases such as malaria, encephalitis and West Nile virus. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), nearly 24,000 cases of West Nile have been reported in the United States, including more than 950 deaths, since the virus was first identified in New York in 1999. Serious symptoms of West Nile virus can include high fever, headache, neck stiffness, convulsions, vision loss, paralysis and even death.

"Not only are mosquitoes dangerous, but they're also annoying, ranking among the most frequently encountered pests in and around American homes," says Frank Meek, entomologist and Technical Director for Orkin, Inc.

Here are some tips for protecting yourself and your family from mosquitoes:

- When outdoors, apply an EPAA-approved insect repellent on clothing and exposed skin.

- Eliminate mosquito-breeding sites by regularly emptying standing

water from around the home in places such as flowerpots, buckets and birdbaths.

- Avoid making puddles of water around your garden when watering plants.

- Clean out rain gutters routinely. Gutters are ideal breeding sites for mosquitoes.

- Wear long-sleeved shirts and pants while working in your garden to avoid mosquito bites.

When enjoying the weather outside, remember to be aware of your environment and protect yourself against these pervasive pests.

For more information on mosquitoes and Orkin's mosquito service, visit www.orkin.com or call (800) 800-ORKIN. To learn more about mosquito-related diseases, visit www.cdc.gov.

Red Cross CPR, First Aid Courses

The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses June 2-11 at its South Area office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

CPR for the Professional Rescuer Review: June 2 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Cost is \$60. Prerequisite: current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Adult CPR/AED Review: June 4 from 6-8:30 p.m. Cost is \$50. Prerequisite: current certification in Adult CPR/AED.

CPR/AED/For the Professional Rescuer: June 5 and June 12 (two sessions)

Blood Pressure Clinics At COA

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her time and talents to assisting senior citizens in having their blood pressure taken weekly.

Appointments can be made but walk-ins also are accepted. For more information, call 617-376-1506.

from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$80. In addition to skills learned in Adult, Child & Infant CPR, this course teaches two-rescuer CPR, advanced airway procedures and the use of a pocket mask.

Adult CPR/AED: June 6 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaching bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: June 7 and June 14 (two sessions) from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

Adult CPR/AED: June 8 from 1-5:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

CPR for the Professional Rescuer Review: June 11 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$60. Prerequisite: current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Preregistration is required for all courses. Call (617) 770-2600, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

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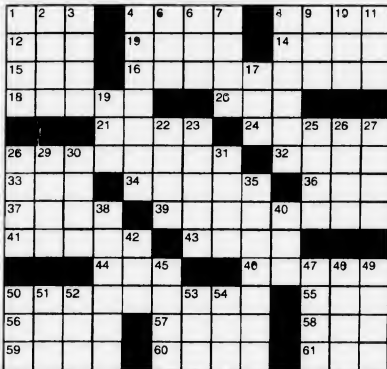


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King Crossword

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Plant is missing. 2. Apron is different. 3. Oven mitt is different. 4. Headband is missing. 5. Picture is different. 6. Girl's shoes are different.



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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What does it mean to be polydactyl?
- TELEVISION:** What TV series spun off another series called "Gomer Pyle, U.S.M.C."?
- U.S. STATES:** Which state has only one syllable in its name?
- MUSIC:** What else did singer Art Garfunkel do for a living early in his career?
- GEOGRAPHY:** What U.S. city is also known as Beantown?
- LITERATURE:** In Greek tragedy, what does the tragic hero need to possess in order for the story to unfold properly?
- GEOLOGY:** What kind of rock can float?
- ENGINEERING:** What is a girder?
- TIME:** How long is a fortnight?
- RELIGION:** Who founded the Church of England?

Answers

- To be born with extra toes or fingers
- "The Andy Griffith Show"
- Maine
- He was a teacher.
- Boston
- Hamartia, or a fatal flaw
- Pumice
- A beam, usually made of steel
- Two weeks
- King Henry VIII

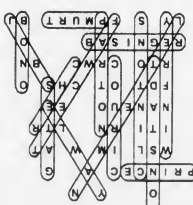
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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You might have to turn your Arian charm up a few degrees if you hope to persuade that persistent pessimist to see the possibilities in your project. Whatever you do, don't give up.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A "tip" about a co-worker's "betrayal" might well raise the Bovine's rage levels. But before charging into a confrontation, let an unbiased colleague do some fact checking.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Although a relationship still seems to be moving too slowly to suit your expectations, it's best not to push it. Let it develop at its own pace. You'll soon get news about a workplace change.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A continually changing personal situation makes you feel as if you're riding an emotional roller coaster. But hold on tight; stability starts to set in early next week.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Believe it or not, someone might dare to say "No!" to the Regal One's suggestion. But instead of being miffed, use this rebuff to recheck the proposition and, perhaps, make some changes.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You might find it difficult to make a decision about a family matter. But delay can only lead to more problems. Seek out trusted counsel and then make that important decision.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) Concentrate your focus on what needs to be done, and avoid frittering away your energies on less-important pursuits. There'll be time later for fun and games.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Although the conflicts seem to be letting up, you still need to be wary of being drawn into workplace intrigues. Plan a special weekend event for family and/or friends.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your quick wit helps you work through an already difficult situation without creating more problems. Creative aspects begin to dominate by the week's end.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Be patient. You'll soon receive news about a project that means so much to you. Meanwhile, you might want to reconsider a suggestion you previously turned down.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) There are still some aspects about that new job offer you need to resolve. In the meantime, another possibility seems promising. Be sure to check that out as well.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Opening up your emotional floodgates could leave you vulnerable to being hurt later on. Watch what you say, in order to avoid having your words come back to haunt you.

BORN THIS WEEK: You're usually the life of the party, which gets you on everyone's invitation list. You also have a flair for politics.

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OBITUARIES

Jean L. Wallace, 73

Retired Assembler

A funeral service for Jean L. (Penney) Wallace, 73, of Quincy, a retired assembler, was held May 25 at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mrs. Wallace died May 22 at Boston Medical Center after a brief illness.

She worked at Pollacks Manufacturing Co. in Dorchester for 25 years and retired several years ago.

Born and raised in Boston, Mrs. Wallace had lived in the Forest Hills section of the city.

She lived in Las Vegas for five years before moving to Quincy five years ago.

Wife of the late James Wallace, she is survived by two sons, Robert Riley of Quincy and Dennis Riley of



JEAN L. WALLACE

Somerville; two daughters, Linda Docanto of New Bedford and Susan Riley of Pennsylvania; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

She was the mother of the late Steven F. Riley.

Burial was private.

Evelyn Kyller, 84

Worked At Colony Welding Supply

A funeral service for Evelyn (Muir) Kyller, 84, of Quincy, was held May 24 at Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Mrs. Kyller died May 21 at home.

She worked for many years at Colony Welding Supply in Quincy and Logan Brothers Books in Hingham.

She was a member of Quincy Point Congregational Church, South Shore Viking Club and Stenkl Lodge 92 of Braintree.

Wife of the late Stanley H. Kyller, she is survived by two daughters, Arlene Littlewood of Quincy and Betty Lindstrom of Rockland.



EVELYN KYLLER

and Marion Greene of Braintree; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Robert Kyller.

Burial was private.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of the South Shore, 100 Bay State Dr., Braintree, MA 02184.

Margaret F. Balkam, 96

Homemaker

A funeral service for Margaret F. Balkam, 96, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, a homemaker, was conducted May 24 at Union Congregational Church, Wollaston, by the Rev. John Swanson, pastor.

Mrs. Balkam died May 21 at John Scott Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

She was an active member for more than 50 years at Union Congregational Church. She was a member of the church's Women Guild and Mardi Club.

She was a Red Cross volunteer.

Born in Wentworth, Nova Scotia, Mrs. Balkam came to the United States in 1936. She lived more than 60 years in Quincy before moving to Braintree.

Wife of the late Charles H. Balkam for 32 years, she is survived by a son, Charles Balkam Sr. of Marshfield; a daughter, Barbara Balkam of



MARGARET F. BALKAM

Middleboro; a sister, Laura Burk of Duxbury; four grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, Hyde Park.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Memorial donations may be made to Union Congregational Church, 136 Rawson Rd., Quincy, MA 02170.

Peter Antonellis, 83

Brick And Stone Mason,
Served In Army During D-Day Invasion

A funeral service for Peter Antonellis, 83, of Quincy, a brick and stone mason and World War II veteran, was held May 26 at Bolea-Buonfiglio Funeral Home, 116 Franklin St., Quincy.

Mr. Antonellis died May 20 at home after a brief illness.

He worked for G. Salvucci Masonry Co. of Brighton for 25 years. He was a member of Bricklayers Local 3 in Boston.

Mr. Antonellis served in the Army and was in the D-Day invasion at Normandy. He returned to Europe every year with other veterans to visit battle sites and military

cemeteries. He was a member of the American Legion Post 294 of Quincy and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He is survived by two sisters, Evelyn Hayes of Holbrook and Doris Henneidy of Maine; two brothers, Gerard Antonellis of Hingham and Carmine Antonellis of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was private. Memorial donations may be made to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, 10 Brookline Place, 6th floor, Brookline, MA 02445 or the Old Colony Hospice, 1 Credit Union Way, Randolph, MA 02368.

William F. Meda, 62

Owned Auto Service

A funeral Mass for William F. Meda, 62, of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, former owner of Meda's Auto Service in Quincy, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mr. Meda died May 23 at home after a long illness.

Born and raised in Quincy, he was educated in Quincy schools and was a 1964 graduate of Quincy High School.

He had lived in Quincy before moving to Braintree 39 years ago.

He was employed for more than 20 years with the O'Connell Brothers Construction Company of Quincy. He had been retired one year.

Previously, Mr. Meda was the owner and operator of his family's business, the former Meda's Auto Service in Quincy for more than 25

years.

He was a motorcycle and boating enthusiast.

He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Sandra A. (Savonen) Meda; three daughters, Christine F. Hennessey of Braintree, Michelle A. Daley of Braintree and Carolyn E. Meda of Braintree; a son, William A. Meda of Sagamore Beach; a sister, Dorothy Savonen of Braintree; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Braintree Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Learning Center for Deaf Children, c/o Nancy Maguire Health, 30 Seton Way, Randolph, MA 02368.

Milton Levine

Funeral services for Milton Levine of Florida, formerly of Quincy, were held May 25 at Temple Beth El, 1001 Hancock St., Quincy.

Mr. Levine died May 23. He is survived by his wife, Leona (Klein) Levine; a

daughter, Brenda Sue Levine of Westford; two brothers, Harold Levine and Elliot Levine, both of Quincy; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were by Schlossberg-Solomon Memorial Chapel.

Anna M. Tenore, 90

Retired Assembly Line Worker

A funeral Mass for Anna M. (Venuti) Tenore, 90, of Quincy, a retired assembly line worker, was celebrated May 26 at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Braintree.

Mrs. Tenore died May 21 at Quincy Medical Center.

She worked for Sigma Instruments in Braintree for 20 years. She retired in 1977.

Born and raised in Braintree, she lived in Quincy for 15 years and in Holbrook for six years before moving to Quincy 51 years ago.

Mrs. Tenore enjoyed cooking and gardening.

Wife of the late Rosario Tenore of Quincy, she is survived by a son, John Tenore of Quincy; a daughter, Josephine McGaughey of Holbrook; 10 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Joseph "Sonny" Tenore.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by McMaster Funeral Home, Braintree.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice.



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Lawrence Ortiz, 80**Retired Machinist, Purple Heart Recipient**

A funeral service for Lawrence Ortiz, 80, of Quincy, a retired machinist and recipient of the Purple Heart, was held May 26 at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Ortiz died May 23 at John Adams Continuing Care Center in Quincy.

He worked 35 years for Boston Gear Works in Quincy.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving two years with the 1st Infantry Division, the "Big Red One Division" in the European Theatre.

Born and raised in Quincy, Mr. Ortiz graduated from Quincy High School in 1943.

He enjoyed golf and played regularly at Braintree Municipal Golf Course. He also enjoyed reading and lis-

**LAWRENCE ORTIZ**

tening to jazz.

He is survived by his wife, Eileen (Kineavy) Ortiz; two brothers, John Ortiz of Weymouth and Henry Ortiz of Quincy; a sister, Amelia Stearns of Rockland; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Burial was private.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice.

John A. 'Jack' Costello, 52**Insurance Collector, Navy Veteran**

A funeral service for John A. "Jack" Costello, 52, of Quincy, an insurance collector and Navy veteran, was held Tuesday at Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Mr. Costello died May 25 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston of cancer.

He worked for One Beacon Insurance in Boston for several years and later for AIG Insurance.

Mr. Costello served in the Navy for four years.

He began his career in the restaurant industry and was a

manager for the Pewter Pot restaurant chain and at Dick's Last Resort in Boston.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Jamaica Plain and Roslindale and attended Roslindale High School. He had lived in Quincy for 30 years.

Husband of the late Lisa M. (Thorburn) Costello, he is survived by his parents, Thomas J. and Florence M. (McLeod) Costello of Quincy and Londonderry, N.H.; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Ruth S. McManus, 70

A graveside service for Ruth S. (Ames) McManus, 70, of Johnson City, Tenn., formerly of Quincy, a homemaker, was held May 26 in Washington County Memory Gardens Cemetery, Johnson City.

Mrs. McManus died May 15 at home.

She was a member of Calvary Fellowship Church in Johnson City and enjoyed reading the Bible.

She also enjoyed crocheting afghans, reading, watching television and playing the piano.

Mrs. McManus liked watching old movies and leading Bible study at the Broadmore Assisted Living facility in Johnson City.

Born in Quincy, she graduated from North Quincy

High School in 1954.

She is survived by her husband of 51 years, Paul E. McManus; four daughters, Sharon Martinez of Richmond, Va., Bonnie Jean McManus of Bradford, Jeanette Toscano of Andover, and Jeannine McManus of Bluff City, Tenn.; two sons, Paul McManus Jr. of Piney Flats, Tenn., and Lawrence McManus of Las Vegas; two sisters, Judith Borgwardt and Elizabeth Franklin of Hortonville, Wis.; a brother, Ralph Ames of Squantum; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were by Tetrick Funeral Services, Johnson City.

Helen G. Monroe, 81

A funeral Mass for Helen G. (Norton) Monroe, 81, of Rockland, a retired secretary, was celebrated May 25 at St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mrs. Monroe died May 20 at Hancock Park Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Quincy.

She worked for New England Telephone for many years.

Born in Boston, she was raised in Quincy. She was a graduate of Quincy High School and Bryant & Stratton Business School in Boston.

She enjoyed reading and traveling.

Wife of the late James J. Monroe, she is survived by a sister, Mary Norton of Milton.

Burial was in Milton Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

John T. Fahey, 84**Carpenter, General Contractor**

A memorial funeral Mass for John T. Fahey, 84, of Jensen Beach, Fla., formerly of Braintree and Quincy, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 9 a.m. in Saint Thomas More Church, corner of Hawthorn Road and Elm Street, Braintree.

Mr. Fahey died April 30 at the Martin Memorial Medical Center South in Stuart, Fla., after a brief illness.

Born in Quincy, he was raised in West Quincy and attended Quincy schools. He had lived in Braintree for more than 55 years before moving to Jensen Beach four years ago.

Mr. Fahey was a longtime carpenter and general contractor. He also worked many years for his longtime friend, Thomas J. Flatley of the Flatley Company of Braintree. He retired several years ago.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He served in the European, African and Middle Eastern Theater.

Mr. Fahey was a devote Catholic and had been a daily communicant at St. Thomas More Church in Braintree for many years. Recently he was a Eucharistic minister and communicant at St. Martin de Porres Catholic Church in

**JOHN T. FAHEY**

Jensen Beach, Fla., and also had many friends at the Saint Andrews Catholic Church in Stuart, Fla.

He was a volunteer at Father Bill's Place in Quincy for many years. He was also an avid motorcycle enthusiast.

Husband of the late Victoria T. (Caobelli) Fahey, he is survived by two daughters, Christine Dakoulas of Squantum and Marilyn Moran of Duxbury; a grandson; and his companion, Julia Saunders of Jensen Beach, Fla.

Burial will be private. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of the South Shore, 100 Bay State Dr., Braintree, MA 02184.

Ruth M. Irvin**Retired Claims Administrator**

A Mass of Christian Burial for Ruth M. Irvin of Quincy, formerly of Falmouth and Milton, a retired claims administrator for the Veterans Administration, was celebrated Tuesday in Saint Elizabeth Church, Milton.

Mrs. Irvin died May 24 at Colonial Nursing Home in Weymouth after a brief illness.

She was raised in Milton and graduated from Milton High School. She also attended Burdett Business School in Boston.

Upon completion of her studies, Mrs. Irvin went to work for the Veterans Administration. She retired from the VA as a claims administrator after 30 years.

She enjoyed playing golf and was a member of the Woods Hole Golf Club on Cape Cod. She also enjoyed knitting.

She is survived by a sister, Marjorie A. Davidson of Weymouth, formerly of Scituate.

She was the daughter of the late Harold H. and

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The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

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Jane R. Mullins, 85**Assistant Buyer**

A funeral Mass for Jane R. Mullins, 85, of Quincy, an assistant buyer, will be celebrated Friday at noon at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy.

Mrs. Mullins died Sunday at Marian Manor Nursing Home in South Boston.

Born in Dundrum, Ireland, she came over from Ireland in the 1950s and settled in the Wollaston section of Quincy. She had lived in Quincy for 40 years.

Mrs. Mullins worked in the retail industry as an assistant buyer, working for R.H. Stearns in Boston for more than 30 years. She also worked for Lord & Taylor.

She was a parishioner of Sacred Heart Church in North Quincy and was associated with the Women's Club and the dances.

She loved to cook and also enjoyed Irish dancing, gardening and traveling. She traveled many times to England and Ireland to visit family members. She also took many summer vacations in

**JANE R. MULLINS**

Maine.

Mrs. Mullins was a member of the Irish American Club in Roxbury.

Wife of the late James Mullins, she was the sister of the late Mary Donovan, Ann Ryan, Sarah Heath, Nora Ryan, Bridget Ryan, Margaret Ryan, Thomas Ryan and John Ryan.

She is survived by many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

Visiting hours were Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Middleboro.

Priscilla A. Dauphinee, 68**Retired Teacher**

A funeral Mass for Priscilla A. Dauphinee, 68, of Quincy, a retired teacher, was celebrated Tuesday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Dauphinee died May 25 at Quincy Medical Center.

She taught seventh grade in the Blackstone-Millville School district and was a class advisor.

Mrs. Dauphinee also taught Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, or CCD, classes and was a ladies guild volunteer at Holy Family Church in Woonsocket, R.I.

Born in Quincy, she lived in Woonsocket for 25 years

and in North Attleboro for five years before moving to Quincy a year ago.

She enjoyed traveling and drove country-country six times.

She is survived by a daughter, Susan Trask of Plainfield, Conn.; a sister, Paul Genson of Wareham; and two grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Jimmy Fund, 1309 Beacon St., Brookline, MA 02446-9918.

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RELIGION

Trinity Breakfast Sunday At Union Congregational Church

The public is invited to attend a Trinity Breakfast Sunday, June 3 at 9 a.m. at Union Congregational Church, 136 Rawson Rd., Wollaston, corner of Beach

St. and Rawson Rd.

The menu will feature French toast, home fries and sausage, and coffee.

The public is also invited to attend the 10 a.m. worship service with Holy Communion

and traditional and contemporary music by guitarist Craig Stanley.

For more information, or to sign up to attend the meal call the church office at 617-479-6661.

Youth Group At United Methodist

A youth group has formed at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

The group, called "Beale Street Buddies," consists of youth from grammar school to early high school.

Under the guidance of co-leaders Brian and Nancy

White, the group meets once a month after worship for crafts and games.

Future events planned include mystery rides, picnics, and trips to Pawtucket Red Sox games.

The groups' first major project will be Feb. 10. The Buddies, under the supervi-

sion of church adults and members of the New Women group, will prepare and serve a pasta dinner. This will be followed by a dj'd dance.

The group welcomes all to join in the fun.

For more information, call the church at 617-773-3319.

Senior Resource Center Establishes 'Reflections' College Scholarships

The Senior Resource Center, Inc., 50 Quincy Avenue, is awarding one \$500 "Reflections" college scholarship to one graduating senior from Archbishop Williams High School, North Quincy High School and Quincy High School.

Each applicant needs to

submit an essay about how a grandparent or other senior has influenced his or her life.

All essays must be submitted by June 30. The scholarships will be distributed in August for the 2007-2008 academic year.

All applicants must include the college they will be

attending, their name, address, phone number and email address with their essay.

Essay may be mailed to Kathy Hussey-O'Brien, Senior Resource Center, Inc., 50 Quincy Ave., Quincy, MA 01269 or by email to kobrien@helpingelders.com.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Communion Sunday Worship, Baptism and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

The Rev. William C.

Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "Tribute."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service there will be fellow-

ship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship and Sunday school beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The adult bible study class begins at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan F.

Jarek-Gridden will conduct the service.

The lector will be Mary Emsheimer. Ushers will be William Morrissey and Dru Madigan.

The coffee hour hosts are Margaret Buckley, Laura Campbell, Susan Little and

Agnes Williams.

Upcoming events include the Beale Street Carnival Saturday, June 16. Contact the church at 617-773-3319 for further information.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Colloquium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accept-

ing applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

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Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

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Recreation Summer Clinics, Workshops Schedule

The Quincy Recreation Department announces that its Summer Sports Clinics and Instructional Workshop Programs will have 27 offerings for the school summer vacation period.

The activities are part of Quincy and Mayor William Phelan's OnTheGo! Initiative to help identify and promote active living and healthy lifestyles for all Quincy residents.

Due to the growing popularity of the clinics and workshops, the Quincy Recreation Department is excited to announce that this year there will be three ways to register: The brochure will have a registration form, which will need to be mailed back to the Recreation Department by June 11. Beginning on June 11 registration will be processed lottery style, and will continue on a daily basis as long as openings exist. Online registration begins on June 12 at www.QuincyRec.com and will continue throughout the summer as long as openings exist.

Instructions on how to register online can be found at www.QuincyRec.com, and walk-in registration for the remaining space begins on June 18 at 9 a.m. and will continue throughout the summer.

For additional information, visit the Web site (www.QuincyRec.com) or call the Recreation office at (617) 376-1394.

Recreation Director Barry J. Welch, in announcing these changes, said that the growth of these low cost programs is a tribute to the directors and staff who provide the finest quality of skill development in an atmosphere of fun.

The schedule, age requirements and program offerings are as follows:

June 18-22: Advanced High School Tennis - 6 to 9 p.m. Cost is \$56. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 10-12. Director: Peter Swanson, head tennis coach QHS.

June 25-29: Girls' Soccer - 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for girls age 9-14. Director: Paul Bregoli, head coach NQHS.

June 25-29: Middle School Tennis #1 - 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 6-9. Director: Susan Creedon, tennis coach QHS.

June 25-29: Boys' Lacrosse - 3 to 7 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys

entering grades 4-9. Director: Mark Nutley, head lacrosse coach NQHS.

July 2, 3, 5 and 6: Girls' Basketball - 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$56. Offered for girls entering grades 4-9. Director: Brian Buckley, high school and college coach.

July 9, 10 and 11: Rock Climbing #1 - 8:30 to 11 a.m. (morning), 11:15 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. (midday) and 2 to 4:30 p.m. (afternoon). Cost is \$80. Offered for boys and girls age 10-14. Director: David McCarthy, Executive Director South Shore Center for Outdoor Activities.

July 9-13: Boys' Basketball - 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys entering grades 4-9. Director: Paul Bregoli, former head basketball coach NQHS.

July 9-13: Elementary Tennis #1 - 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 3-5. Director: Susan Creedon, tennis coach QHS.

July 9-13: Girls' Lacrosse - 3 to 6 p.m. Cost is \$56. Offered for girls entering grade 5-9. Director: Betsy Doherty, BS-HPE.

July 9-13: Baking Basics and Dynamic Decorating - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls age 10-14. Director: Jacqui Niosi, Culinary Arts instructor QHS.

July 9-20: Musical Theatre - 1 to 3 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls age 8-14. Director: Meghan Driscoll, BA in Music Education, Eastern Nazarene College.

July 16-20: Dance - 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls age 7-13. Director: Emily Tucker, BA in Dance and Theatre, Trinity College.

July 16-20: Middle School Tennis #2 - 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 6-9. Director: Susan Creedon, tennis coach QHS.

July 23-27: Arts and Crafts #1 - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$70 (*small material fee). Offered for boys and girls age 8-12. Director: Anne Howie, professional instructor for area agencies.

July 23-27: Golf - 7 to 11 a.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 7-9. Director: Brian Buckley, former Athletic Director NQHS.

July 23-27: Softball - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for girls

entering grades 6-10. Director: Rachel Powers, assistant coach Framingham State College.

July 30-August 3: Cheerleading - 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for residents age 8 through high school. Director: Nicole Ferris, local cheerleading coach.

July 30-August 3: Track, Field and Distance - 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls age 8-15. Director: Geoff Hennessey, head track coach NQHS, Quincy Track Club.

August 6-8: Rock Climbing #2 - 8:30 to 11 a.m. (morning), 11:15 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. (midday) and 2 to 4:30 p.m. (afternoon). Cost is \$80. Offered for boys and girls age 10-14. Director: David McCarthy, Executive Director South Shore Center for Outdoor Activities.

August 6-10: Elementary Tennis #2 - 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 3-5. Director: Susan Creedon, tennis coach QHS.

August 6-10: Boys' Soccer - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys age 9-14. Director: Mark Scanlon, high school coach and collegiate soccer player.

August 6-10: Little League Baseball - 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered to all Little League eligible ages 10-12 as of 7/31/07. Director: Larry Taglieri, former head baseball coach at NQHS.

August 6-10: Television Production - 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$70. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 7-9. Director: Mark Crosby, staff member at Q.A.T.V.

August 13-15: Mountain Bike Program - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$60. Offered for boys and girls entering grades 5-8. Director: Lyall C. Croft, Operator of Boston Bike Tours.

August 13-17: Arts and Crafts #2 - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$70 (*small material fee). Offered for boys and girls age 8-12. Director: Anne Howie, professional instructor for area agencies.

August 20-24: Coed Volleyball - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$70.

Offered for boys and girls age 10-18. Director: Christine Barrett, former head boys' and girls' volleyball coach QHS.

August 20-24: Competitive Swimming - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Cost

is \$70. Offered for boys and girls age 10-high school. Director: Yvonne Boness, Eastern Massachusetts swim official, MIAA Tournament Director. (*Must have Red Cross Level IV or YMCA Fish)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-028
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 19, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Stephen McCormack for a Finding and dimensional and parking Variances to allow for the reconstruction and extension of an existing nonconforming structure and change of use from single family to two family in violation of 17.20.040.A, 17.24.020.B.2 and 17.28.020.A.

The property is located at 10 Harkins Street, Quincy and is shown as Lot A on Assessors' plan no. 2044.
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 19, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Craig Galligan for a Special Permit/Flood Plan to renovate the existing structure and add an addition in accordance with Title 17 as amended Title 17.40.060, on the premises numbered 22 HERON ROAD, QUINCY.
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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CASE NO. 07-030
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, The Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an open public hearing on **Tuesday, June 19th, 2007 at 7:15 pm on the second floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 on the Application of Berlin Sun LLC for a variance to construct 5 residential townhouses in violation of 17.16.020.1.C, 17.20.040.A, 17.28.030.E on the premises numbered 54 Berlin Street, Quincy, MA 02169.
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING City of Quincy ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-031
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 19, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Charles Cote for a Special Permit/Flood Plan and Variance to raze the existing single-family structure and construct a new single-family house in accordance with Title 17 as amended Title 17.40.060 and in violation of Title 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements), on the premises numbered **68 POST ISLAND ROAD, QUINCY**,
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER NO. 2006-269
Be it ordained by the City Council that the Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:
In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.12. Signs, Signals and Markers.
Section 10.12.040 Stop Signs Authorized where.

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October 16, 2006

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1127AD
In the Estate of
JOHN R. KING
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 21, 2000

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that ANNA MAY FAY of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 27, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 17, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
5/31/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0992GC
In the Matter
OF MARY JOSEPHINE BOELLHOFF also known as JOSEPHINE BOELLHOFF
OF QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

To MARY JOSEPHINE BOELLHOFF also known as JOSEPHINE BOELLHOFF of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said MARY JOSEPHINE BOELLHOFF also known as JOSEPHINE BOELLHOFF of QUINCY is in the County of NORFOLK, is physically incapacitated and praying that RICHARD A. DUFFEE of THE VILLAGES in the State of FLORIDA and DENISE DUFFEE of SIMSBURY in the State of CONNECTICUT or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve with corporate surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 7, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 26, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate
5/31/07

Quincy Tennis Club Offers Free Junior Tennis Clinic

The Quincy Tennis Club is offering a free juniortennis clinic for children ages 7-11 on Tuesday, June 19 from 1-3 p.m. at the Quincy Tennis Club, 19 Glendale Rd.

An adult for registration and orientation purposes must accompany all children. For additional information, contact Ken Rickson at (617) 479-6106.

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Stoughton Man Shot Down Outside Marina Bay Clubs

Gunfire punctuated the early morning air at the Marina Bay night club area at closing time Monday as a 28-year-old Stoughton man was gunned down in an apparently deliberate assassination attempt.

The victim, who was not identified, was shot twice in a parking lot away from the bar area and taken to Boston Medical Center where he was

still in serious condition Tuesday.

Police Chief Robert Crowley said he does not think the shooting was a random act of violence since the shooter and the victim were seen together at the Water Works night club earlier.

There may have been two shooters, the chief said.

Police said about 2,000 people were leaving the night

club area at the time of the shooting but no one else was injured.

Five police officers were on paid detail at the Water Works since the Memorial Day weekend is considered to be the unofficial first weekend of the summer season.

Three other officers and two state troopers were in the night club area.

Quincy Police Memorial Observance Sunday

The Quincy Police Mutual Aid Association will hold its annual Police Memorial exercises Sunday, June 3.

Commencing at 8:30 a.m., members of the association, active and retired Quincy police officers, invited guests and dignitaries, will assemble at the Quincy District Court, One Dennis Ryan Parkway.

At 8:45 a.m., they will be led by the Police Department's Honor Guard and escort vehicles to Mount Wollaston Cemetery for the 9 a.m. ceremony.

The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

During the ceremony, the association will remember its departed members and

Quincy Police Crossing Guards. A wreath will be placed at the Police Memorial across from Police Headquarters.

Mayor William Phelan and Police Chief Robert Crowley will speak. This

year's guest speaker will be announced at a later date.

A light collation will follow the ceremony at the Quincy High School Cafeteria. In the event of rain, the memorial will be held in the High School Gymnasium.

Logue Launches Campaign Web Site

Councilor-at-large candidate Jennifer McCauley Logue announces the launch of her campaign website.

The website, www.logueforcouncil.com, will provide information on Logue's professional background and community service activities. The website will also provide campaign news, links to helpful Quincy Websites and information on the Fall 2007 elections, including where to vote.

The site also offers feedback forms for those who wish to volunteer for Logue's campaign or who wish to share their views on important issues facing the city.

"One of the most important aspects of being an elected official is keeping in touch with the citizens you serve and knowing how they feel about taxes, public safety, economic development and other important issues," Logue said.

"While the Internet will never replace meeting people face-to-face, it does provide a valuable tool for residents and voters, who can access important information and offer their feedback 24/7 from the convenience of their home or workplace.

"As I make my way around the city knocking on doors and meeting residents at community events, I'm also looking forward to connecting with voters and residents who choose to share their thoughts and opinions through the Website," Logue continued.

Residents wishing to share their views may contact Logue using the feedback form on the Web site, via e-mail at jennifer@logueforcouncil.com or by phone 617-328-1384.

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DIVE TEAM MEMBERS of the Quincy Police Department's SCUBA Unit confer before submerging during a training session at the Quincy Shipyard. There are 28 police officers who have volunteered to serve in the SCUBA Unit and who had to pass physical agility and water endurance tests.

Quincy Sun photos/Miriam Joseph

Special Protection For Fore River Basin

Police SCUBA Unit New Weapon Against Waterfront Terrorism

By MIRIAM JOSEPH

The Quincy Police Department's Homeland Security Unit has commissioned its first SCUBA Unit to protect Quincy's waterfront from terrorist activities.

Since being placed into service in December, the unit has been inspecting the sub-surface of piers, docks, ships and oil terminals (known as energy transfer facilities) in the Fore River Basin.

Potential terrorist targets located in the Fore river Basin are three transfer facilities-Citgo Brantree, Sprague Oil, and Twin Rivers Technologies; two chemical plants-Twin River and the MWRA Fertilizer Plant; and two electrical power stations-Exelon and the Brantree Power plant.

And in addition to the popular commuter ferry terminal, there is also a natural gas pipeline which



OFFICER JOHN LEUCHTE and Sgt. Garrett Greenwood are members of the dive team. They are two of the 28 members of the Quincy Police SCUBA Unit who volunteered for service with the unit and had to pass physical agility and water endurance tests.

begins in Nova Scotia and ends in the Fore River Basin, where it is used to fire up the power plants in Weymouth.

Because of these facilities and the surrounding dense population, the federal Department of Homeland Security has recognized the threat to the Quincy Point section of Quincy and

provides funds to help QPD patrol that area.

Another division of the city's Homeland Security Unit is QPD's Marine Unit, originally established in the early 1940's, which no patrols and monitors Quincy's maritime infrastructure.

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City Council Passes \$100,000 Appropriation

Neighborhood Projects Get Green Light

Mayor William Phelan says the \$100,000 appropriation passed by the City Council Monday night will pave the way for many neighborhood projects developed by "Neighborhoods First" community groups.

The projects will begin this month, he said.

"I am pleased that working with the community and the City Council, we will be making improvements to all of Quincy's neighborhoods," said Phelan. "This program highlights the importance of

citizen involvement in their local governments. We have created an open, active line of communication between our neighborhoods and their government. I am certain that we have improved the delivery of services through the 'Neighborhoods First' initiative."

The "Neighborhoods First" initiative began last year with a survey enclosed in the City Census mailing forms. More than 9,000 surveys were returned with the public establishing priorities

for local government resources.

Mayor Phelan developed a response plan to the survey input and created a team of personnel to work with neighborhood committees. The neighborhood committees met to establish priorities in each particular neighborhood.

The following is a list of the neighborhood projects planned by the neighborhood committees.

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New Quincy High School Groundbreaking June 11

A groundbreaking ceremony for the long-awaited new Quincy High School will be held Monday, June 11.

Announcement was made jointly Tuesday by Mayor William Phelan, School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro and QHS Principal Frank Santoro.

The 1 p.m. ceremony will take place on Woodward Avenue between the existing

Quincy High School and the Center for Technical Education. The public is invited to attend.

The event will include children from schools throughout the city, elected state and local officials, entertainment and a cookout.

"This day is a result of our community's effort to build the best school for our children and our school staff," said Phelan. "We worked

tirelessly with the understanding that generations of Quincy children will be impacted by our efforts. We fought to build it on the proper site and then we worked with the state to build the best school possible. It is gratifying to finally be putting a shovel to dirt with the knowledge that we are building a school

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New Nights For QHS, Graduations

Graduation ceremonies for both Quincy and North Quincy High Schools have been moved up a day due to inclement weather and the threat of an impending thunderstorm.

The North Quincy

graduation, originally scheduled for Monday night, was postponed due to rain and rescheduled for last night (Wednesday) at 6 p.m. at Adams Field.

Likewise, the Quincy

ceremonies, which were to have been held Tuesday night, were rescheduled due to forecasts of a thunderstorm and rescheduled for tonight (Thursday), also at 6 p.m. at Adams Field.





SINGING OFFICER. Patrolman Don Sautter sings the National Anthem at the close of the Quincy Police Memorial Service in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



QUINCY POLICE are led into Mount Wollaston Cemetery by, left to right, Court Clerk-Magistrate Arthur Tobin, Mayor William Phelan, Police Chief Robert Crowley, the Rev. Jack Menz, chaplain, and Lt. Patrick Glynn.



RIFLE SQUAD of Quincy policemen fire a salute to following the reading of the names of fellow officers who have died in the recent past.



LT. TIM SORGI and colleagues salute after wreath is laid on Police Memorial Monument during services in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

Police Honor Departed Comrades



MARIA COCHRANE, widow of the late Officer James 'Jamie' Cochrane, who died in a motorcycle accident, is the guest speaker at the Memorial Service.

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Teachers Face Thursday Vote: Settlement Or Strike?

By TOM HENSHAW

Talk of a strike by public school teachers tomorrow (Friday), a week before the close of schools for the summer, has thrown the spotlight on stalled contract negotiations between the teachers' union and the School Committee.

"We're talking about it as little as possible," said Paul Phillips, president of the Quincy Education Association, but he conceded that a strike is an option if all-day bargaining talks Wednesday fail to produce a settlement.

"The membership will meet at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday," he said. "They will be presented with a tentative agreement or the last best offer. They will vote on it. One possibility is a work stoppage next Friday."

Members of the QEA, some 900 of them, have been working without a contract since last August. After negotiations that have gone on

for more than a year, how close are the two sides to reaching an agreement?

"That is the \$64 million question," said Phillips. "All the pieces are in place for a settlement. All the pieces are in place for a strike. We are going into negotiations Wednesday open to suggestions."

Strikes by public school teachers are illegal under Massachusetts law and, if Quincy's teachers walk out, it is likely the city will take them to court.

The major sticking point in the negotiations appears to be how much each individual teacher will contribute to his or her health insurance premiums.

Right now, the city pays 90 per cent, the individual 10 per cent. Mayor William Phelan has been campaigning to have the city pay 80 per cent, the employee 20 per cent.

"Health insurance is not

all the problem," said Phillips. "It's the total contract — salary, working conditions and the rest. We are looking for a creative solution."

In preparation for Wednesday's all-day bargaining session, Phillips issued the following statement:

"On the eve of our last bargaining session before the June 7 general membership meeting, it is important to publicly state that the QEA does not have a personal nor political agenda in this dispute.

"This is about issues and the economic well-being of our membership. The QEA is committed to reaching an agreement that is fair, competitive and respectful to teachers.

"Our membership is united and strong and stands behind the bargaining team in our efforts to hammer out an agreement with the Quincy School Committee.

"Our team is completely focused and fully prepared for tomorrow's session and we hope that the members of the Quincy School Committee will be equally prepared and focused."

Kelly Raises Issue

Quincy Residents Rebuffed At Boston's Long Island Gate

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Long Island is the largest island in Boston Harbor but there's no room for Quincy visitors, according to Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly.

Kelly said the welcome mat is out at Long Island's entrance gate for Boston's homeless and Boston's recovering drug and alcohol addicts but the gate clangs shut for Quincy's tourists and history buffs.

"Boston uses it for its delinquents, its street people. That island should be open to the public," Kelly said, asking, "Why can't the people from the City of Quincy go there?"

Owned by the City of Boston, Long Island can only be accessed by water or by driving through the Squantum section of Quincy, over the Moon Island Road and, then, the Long Island Bridge.

There is a gatehouse at the entrance to Moon Island Road where security can and does screen visitors and prevent unauthorized access.

Kelly says that he has not been able to get regular access for Quincy residents who want to visit the famed



LEO KELLY

lighthouse site which Kelly said is the second oldest lighthouse site in the country and located at the tip of the island which provides "magnificent" views.

Boston Mayor Thomas Menino's press secretary Dot Joyce, said Tuesday that Menino is working toward more access to the islands.

"We are looking to enhance public access to all of the harbor islands. We want to make the harbor islands a wonderful place to visit for everyone," Joyce said.

"It's absolutely wrong," Kelly said that local residents are barred from "...those beautiful islands. It's wrong that we just can't get out

there."

Kelly outlined the problem to his City Council colleagues Monday, explaining that he has "long waiting lists of people" seeking access to Long Island.

In fact, Kelly said he had a tour of 25 Quincy residents ready to visit the island last Saturday when they were put off by Boston officials claiming road problems.

And that's not the first time that Boston officials have put the kibosh on Kelly's planned tours, he said, calling the problem "frustrating."

Long Island is the largest of the Boston Harbor islands, according to a researcher at Quincy Public Library. The island has 216 acres and its historic lighthouse was built in 1819 and moved in 1890.

Kelly believes Quincy Mayor William Phelan should arrange a meeting with Boston Mayor Thomas Menino to resolve the issue.

"Our mayor should meet with the mayor of Boston, suggested Kelly.

Phelan would "love to see it opened up," his Director of

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Council Meets Tonight On Highpoint Extension

The City Council will consider extending by four years a Special Permit allowing construction of the Highpoint development on Quarry Street at a meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m.

The council will meet in its capacity as the Special Permit Granting Authority to review the extension request from Dean Stratouly, the owner and president of The Congress Group, the developer of the apartment/condominium complex.

Under the terms of the original Special Permit, developers were required to complete construction of the

1000 unit project within six years of the start date. However, the original Special Permit did allow an extension if market conditions adversely affected the construction schedule.

In his formal request to the City Council, Stratouly asks for a written confirmation of the four year extension.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On June 8, 632 A.D., in Medina, located in present-day Saudi Arabia, Muhammad, one of the most influential religious and political leaders in history, dies. In 610 A.D. he had a vision that commanded him to become the Arab prophet of the "true religion." Thus began a lifetime of religious revelations, which he and others collected as the Quran.

• On June 10, 1714, when a young man makes a crude pass at 14-year-old Anne Brennan on the streets of Charleston, S.C., Brennan beats him so badly that his jaw is broken and he must be hospitalized for months. The quick-tempered girl would later become a notorious pirate who terrorized the Caribbean until being captured in 1720.

• On June 4, 1919, the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, guaranteeing women the right to vote, is passed by Congress and sent to the states for ratification.

• On June 6, 1933, Richard Hollingshead opens the first drive-in movie theater, on Crescent Boulevard in Camden, N.J., after experiment-

ing in his driveway at home with a 1928 Kodak film projector on the hood of his car. In 1932 he received exclusive rights for his idea with U.S. Patent No. 1,909,537.

• On June 9, 1943, the Current Tax Payment Act is enacted. While most wartime initiatives were halted shortly after the declaration of peace in 1945, the Tax Payment Act has had enduring impact as it allowed Americans taxpayers to withhold federal income taxes before getting paid their wages or salaries.

• On June 7, 1955, "The \$64,000 Question" debuts on television. The show started with contestants answering a question worth \$64, with each subsequent question worth double the amount of the previous one.

• On June 5, 1993, singer Conway Twitty dies of an aneurysm at age 59 as he is returning to Nashville after a performance in Branson, Mo. During more than 30 years of performing, Twitty scored 35 No. 1 singles on the country charts, more than any other solo artist.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Still A Man's World

It's still pretty much a man's world.

Politically speaking, that is.

It isn't easy being a woman running for elective office in Quincy. Their best bet has been the School Committee.

But, the City Council and the mayor's office are quite a different story.

Twenty women have won School Committee seats since Quincy became a city in 1889.

The first was Mabel Adams in 1896. And only 19 others in the 111 years since.

But only four women have made it to the City Council. And not one to the mayor's office.

So, a grand total of 24 women have been elected to office in 118 years compared to nearly 500 men.

Four women have tried to reach the mayor's office: Rita Anderson (1971), Grace Saphir 1973 and 1975 and Joanne Condon and Sabina Kavanaugh Stenberg both in 1985.

Saphir was the top vote-getter among the four women.



SAPHIR

She had an impressive 10,416 against incumbent Walter Hannon's 15,492 in 1973.

But two years later, she dipped to 2,710 votes and finished third in a four-candidate preliminary election topped by Walter Hannon (10,403) and Joseph LaRaia, 8,492.

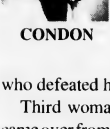
That was the year of the famed recount. Hannon appeared to have turned back LaRaia's challenge by a 134-vot margin in the final election. But a recount gave it to LaRaia by 483 votes.

Quincy's first woman councillor was Edna Austin, an attorney, elected in 1942-54 years after the city's first election. She served as councillor at-large and returned in 1959.



AUSTIN

It was another 18 years before the second woman—Joanne Condon—was elected to the council, winning the Ward 6 seat in 1977.



CONDON

She served until 1985 when she gave up that seat to unsuccessfully challenge Mayor Frank McCauley who defeated her for a third term.

Third woman councillor was Patricia Toland who came over from the School Committee in 1981. For four years, she and Condon were an historic footnote: first time (and only) two women seated in the council at the same time.

Toland, who served 11 years, before becoming assistant city clerk, is the only woman ever elected city council president.



TOLAND

Fourth woman councillor was Alicia Gardner elected in 2003 but stepped down after serving just one term.

The council has been all-male since.

Jennifer McCauley Logue, daughter of the former mayor, hopes to change that this year as a candidate for one of the three at-large seats.



GARDNER

Women have made progress down through the years. You might say inch by inch.

While Quincy was still a town in 1880 selectmen issued a "Qualified Female Voters" list. It contained only nine names.

In those days women could vote for School Committee candidates only.

In 1919 when the 19th amendment to the Constitution was adopted giving nationwide suffrage to women, Quincy—now a city—had 7,707 male registered voters to 429 female.

In 1920, when the 19th amendment actually became effective, women rushed to register. That year, male voters numbered 9,200. But women were gaining fast: 6,236.

Women voters not only caught up to the men a few years ago but passed them. They presently outnumber men by approximately 3,000 according to City Clerk Joseph Shea.

If women voters united behind a woman mayoral candidate that might put her in the third floor office.

But women vote for the candidate—male or female—which is the way it should be.

Quincy's mayors have usually come out of the city council but there have been exceptions.

The latest was William Phelan who ran for mayor as a second-year school committee member in 2001 and stunned the political scene with a 17-vote upset win over incumbent Jim Sheets, one of Quincy's all-time political powers.

But if present school committee members Elaine Dwyer or Anne Mahoney have any mayoral thoughts, they would probably have to stop at the city council first.

Linda Stice took herself out of the ballgame by deciding not to run for re-election this year, focusing on a doctorate instead.

Someday, there will be a woman mayor. But we might have to wait awhile.

She could still be snugly in her crib with her bottle somewhere in Quincy.

Don't know about you, but as I've said in the past, I would like to someday see a Her Honor in that third floor office at City Hall.

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Older Adult Fitness Program At Crane Library June 9-30

A free series of health and fitness seminars especially for older adults will be held on four consecutive Saturdays, June 9-30, at 9:30 a.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St.

Living Healthy 50-Plus for men and women ages 50 and older will be instructed by Eileen and Aimee of The Get Fit Solution. Each hour-long session will combine a brief lecture and discussion with a group exercise.

The first session will be devoted to explaining health issues affecting older adults, participating in a beginner yoga exercise and determining a fitness program to meet the individual needs.

In the second session, participants will take part in a holistic mind/body/spirit workout and discover how exercise can reduce stress and prevent the onset of disease.

Session three will demon-

strate how to keep the heart strong and offer participation in a cardiovascular conditioning workout. The final session will emphasize strength training with a basic weight training workout.

Eileen Bates, founder of The Get Fit Solution of Quincy, is certified through the American College of Sports Medicine as a health fitness instructor and the American Council of Exercise as a personal trainer.

Aimee Bates has taught group fitness classes for a year and a half, including yoga, cardio kickboxing and body sculpting.

To register for Living Healthy 50-Plus, stop by the reference desk on the second floor of the main library or call 617-376-1316 or email to quref@ocln.org.

The program is funded by a grant from the Americans for Libraries Council.

Scenes From Yesterday



ADAMS SCHOOL, QUINCY, MASS.

THIS IS A 1907 real photo postcard view of the old Adams School that was on Phipps Street just off School Street in Quincy Center. This school served the youngsters of Quincy for 70 years. It was one of Quincy's first school buildings, built in 1855 on a half-acre lot just behind the Christ Church Cemetery on the corner. Through the trees on the left can be seen St. John's Church that was built only two years before the school. Originally only six rooms the building was expanded to

10 rooms as shown here in 1879. When a new Adams School on Abigail Avenue replaced this one in 1913, this became home to the Boy's Industrial School. Then after the new senior high school opened on Coddington Street with space specifically for the Trade School, this building was demolished in 1925. Today, the site is a parking lot for St. John's Church. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

You Might Break My Heart But Not My Spirit

As a Quincy teacher for the past 13 years, it is with deep dismay and disbelief that I read yet another editorial by Mr. Phelan insinuating that the Quincy teachers make outrageous salaries compared to the average citizen. "How many taxpayers have seen their income rise by more than 51%?" I would like to meet these teachers who went into education to be wealthy.

A recent trip to the grocery store made me think about the "truths" that the mayor likes to write about. It was about 8:30 one evening after I put my little one to bed when I had to run out for some classroom necessities. I placed my goods on the conveyor belt: tissues, paper towels and popsicles.

Classroom necessities, you ask? Absolutely! Allergy season has hit hard and it's difficult to teach children the "don't use your sleeve rule" without tissues.

There is no money in the budget for classroom paper towels and I can't tell an eight-year-old that he's not allowed to spill anything this year. Popsicles, well, if you were forced to spend your day in a room that reaches ninety degrees than you would understand that these little bodies need to cool down. As I reached into my wallet to pay the cashier, I realized the \$2 sitting there would not cover the bill. I just shook my head, took out my credit card and wondered where all that money that we teachers rake in could be hid-

ing.

I drove home in my nine-year-old car, to my warm, happy, simple home in Weymouth (My husband, also a Quincy teacher, and I looked for houses in Quincy when we married. We could not afford one.) When I arrived home I put away the school supplies I had purchased and sat down to correct papers and create lessons. I can't imagine many citizens would consider this a luxurious lifestyle.

Everyone knows the facts; figures and statistics can be skewed in a multitude of ways. Manipulating numbers to try to prove a point is not what I find disturbing. What breaks my heart is that someone who talks of his respect for teachers chooses to present a picture of me as a

greedy, selfish person. I can only hope that the families I have worked with, those who entrusted me with their children, the parents who have written such kind, heartfelt, supportive letters over the years will know the real "truth." I hope they will see me for the person I am and not the ugly caricature the mayor is trying to paint.

I am ever hopeful for a fair settled contract. Until then, I am sure that I will read more editorials that will break my heart. I am also certain that with every crayon drawing I am handed, every loose toothed little smile flashed my way, with every happy hug I receive from a student, my spirit will be strengthened.

Michelle Perfetuo
Quincy School Teacher

'Downtown Destruction Plan'

The City Council approval of the downtown revitalization plan, which I choose to call the downtown destruction plan, will do nothing good for the people of Quincy, but will certainly fatten the wallets of the developers and realtors most of whom do not even live in our city.

I resided in Boston in the 150-1960 period and lived

through the destruction of the South End and West End in the name of "Urban Renewal." It was the beginning of the end. Boston as we had known it ceased to exist.

Now the same types of profiteers have their clutches on the City of Quincy. Not content to eliminate a small number of businesses by building a highway to no-

where across Hancock Street, they now will work to destroy the very heart of our city. Over 20 years ago the Quincy Citizens Association fought successfully to limit building height in Quincy. When I spoke before the City Council at that time I warned that we "must not allow Quincy to become a 'Mini-Boston'." We won then, but

the developers have won now.

We are becoming a Mini-Boston, with all that I thought I had left behind 30 years ago. Everyone should remember that not all change is progress. This renewal (destruction) plan will prove disastrous.

John H. McDuff, Jr.
South Street

Thanks To Quincy Police, Jim Edwards

"It may have been the briefest jewelry heist of all time," as reported last week in *The Quincy Sun*, but it certainly would not have been as reported if it were not for the fast and determined action of the Quincy Police.

We were most fortunate that Mr. Edwards observed

the car and wrote down the plate number. The moment we reported the number to the police it went out on the air and within ten minutes the car was spotted and stopped by them.

As unbelievable as it seems, the police also recovered the stolen diamond. The

entire incident was handled in a most professional manner and I can not compliment the officers enough for the way they reacted.

Too often we take these folks for granted, but having watched them up close, I realize how well trained and

professional they really are. Thank you for being there.

As far as Mr. Edwards goes, I imagine I will be obligated to him for my remaining years.

Mark Bertman
Rogers Jewelry

Quincy's Yesterdays

Adams Historic Park Visitors Up 25.6%

By FRANK MCCAULEY

The Adams National Historic Park welcomed 25.6% more visitors during the start of this tourist season compared to the same period last year.

Through the end of April, 4,005 individuals had visited the Adams site that includes the Adams Birthplace on Franklin St., the Adams Mansion on Adams St. and the United First Parish Church of the Presidents.

Caroline Keinath of the National Park Service expects that the projected goal of 60,000 visitors could be reached. This would be an increase of 20,000 over last year.

Mayor James A. Sheets noted that the National Park Service Visitors Center will be vital in making "tourism a larger slice of Quincy's economic pie."

Violence Prevention

CANDLELIGHT VIGIL SATURDAY

A violence prevention candlelight vigil will be held Saturday, June 5 between City Hall and the United First Parish Church in Quincy Center.

The event, titled "Peace Begins With Me" is being sponsored by Dist. Atty. William Delahunt's Anti-Violence Committee and more than 75 South Shore community groups and leaders.

The vigil is being held to raise awareness of the negative consequences of violence.

QUINCY-ISMS

Charles R. McIntyre, son of the late Mayor-Senator James R. McIntyre and Mrs. Sheila McIntyre announced his candidacy for councillor at-large. McIntyre is a third-year law student at Suffolk University Law School... Seven employees of the Quincy Housing Authority have retired under newly enacted "Early Retirement Plan." They are: John Cattaneo, Leo Kelly, Si Tutunjian, Henry Pagnano, Butch Inman, Joe Lamantia and Sonny Nicastro... The Quincy Vietnam Veterans color guard participated in the Memorial Day services at the Snug Harbor School. They included Joe Brooker, president, Kevin Gibbons, David Lawson, Larry Norton and William Kaval... Dr. James Will, Quincy dentist and Quincy Lions Club member, was accepting donations of used eyeglasses at his office, 36 Adams St. The glasses are recycled and distributed to the underprivileged of Third World countries... Mary and Thomas Collins of Quantum welcomed their first grandchild, Monica Ashley McBirney. The new arrival weighed in at nine pounds, five ounces... Marilyn Reisberg, a member of the Quincy Art Association, participated in the Copsey Society of Boston's fifth annual Fresh Paint Auction. The event was held at the Dorothy Quincy Suite, John Hancock Hall, Boston... Mayor James Sheets spoke to Quincy Hospital volunteers at an Appreciation Breakfast held during National Volunteer Week. Quincy Hospital volunteers have donated over 40,000 hours of volunteer service in departments of the hospital... Jacqueline J. Bradford, a senior at North Quincy High School, was awarded a \$1,000 Boston Globe Scholarship at the recent Massachusetts State Science Fair... Photo Quick, 1363 Hancock St., Quincy Center, was advertising "Same Side Slides"... Rep. Charles Flaherty, Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, the Commencement speaker at Quincy College, received an honorary degree from the college... David Segardelli, son of Barbara Segardelli, 120 Russell St., North Quincy, received a Bachelor of Science degree in hotel administration from the University of New Hampshire... Dr. Carol Lee Griffin, chairman of the Scholarship Committee of the Quincy Kiwanis Club, announced the awarding of three \$1,000 scholarships to Heather Powell of Quincy High School and Melissa Costales and Tracy O'Sullivan, both of North Quincy High School... Local firms sponsoring ads congratulating Class of 1993 graduates included Flavin and Flavin Real Estate, Colonial Federal Savings Bank, Century 21 Annex Realty, Lydon-Russell Funeral Home, South Shore Buick, Sweeney Bros. Home for Funerals and Rogers Jewelry... 1993 graduates of Xaverian Bros. High School in Westwood included Quincy residents Michael D'Amico, Michael McDonald and Kenneth McGonagle... Robert J. Quinn, a retired Senior Vice-President of South Shore Bank, has been appointed membership director of Quincy 2000... Quincy High School senior athletes Matt Dwyer and Sean McArdle have signed letters of intent to attend college in the fall. Dwyer, a basketball co-captain, will attend Suffolk University, while McArdle, a hockey captain, will attend Nichols College... Linda Butler, daughter of Eleanor Butler, received a Bachelor of Arts degree in English Communications from Emmanuel College.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



CAST OF CHARACTERS who will be performing in the North Quincy Community Theatre's production of *Lie, Cheat, and Genuslect* include, left to right, Gregg Carlo, Sarah Blodgett, Tara-Jean Grabert, Jason Fenton, Jason Polson, Evelyn Moffett and Riley Matthews.

NQ Community Theatre Celebrating Its 20th Year

Twenty years ago, a group of student performers at North Quincy High School, reluctant to let graduation ring down the curtain on their stage ambitions, decided to form North Quincy Alumni Theatre.

In the summer of 1987, they presented their first production, *Lovers and Other Strangers*, by Renee Taylor and Joseph Bologna. It was so well received that they did another and another and another.

Now, its name changed to the North Quincy Community Theatre and its membership open to the general public, the group will celebrate the 20th anniversary of that first production.

It will offer the comedy, *Lie, Cheat, and Genuslect*, directed by Kami Cray, on the weekends of June 8-9 and 14-15-16, at 8 p.m. in the Black Box Theatre within North Quincy High School.

Tickets per show are \$15 for adults and \$12 for students and senior citizens.

One of the missions of the theatre is to provide North Quincy High School students with the annual Gregory P. Toland Memorial Scholarship in memory of one of the theatre's founders.

In the past 20 years, more than \$10,000 has been presented to NQHS seniors.

For more information, contact the box office at 617-769-0232 or visit www.nqct.org.

Air Force 'Big Band Night' At Amphitheatre June 14

Once again, patriotic airs and tunes of the Big Band Era will fill Ruth Gordon Amphitheater as a prelude to Quincy's Flag Day Parade.

The U.S. Air Force Band will offer a free concert for all Quincy citizens Thursday, June 14, at 6:30 p.m. at the amphitheater in Merrymount Park.

The parade will step off Saturday.

The program will include

the sounds of the Glenn Miller Orchestra and other old time swing and jazz bands.

"Quincy will celebrate Flag Day in style with a great patriotic concert," said Mayor William Phelan. "I encourage people of all ages to join us for a great evening of patriotism and fun."

"This concert will kick off a host of summer concerts

and events to include our popular SummerFest and Arts in the Parks concert series.

"These events are what helps make Quincy such a great place to live."

Transportation to the Air Force Band concert will be available for seniors.

For a reservation, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

Library Offering Internet Instruction In Languages

The Thomas Crane Public Library has added Rosetta Stone Online to its online data base collection, giving Quincy library cardholders an opportunity to learn a language at their convenience from anywhere with an Internet connection.

The language menu includes French, German, Greek, Italian and Russian, as well as English as it is spoken in the United Kingdom and in the United States and Spanish as it is spoken

in Spain and in Latin America.

Each language offers some 90 hours of instruction in a carefully constructed sequence of 33 lessons, using the Dynamic Immersion Method that helps develop reading, listening, speaking and writing skills.

Topics include times, dates, weather, numbers, currency, shopping, transportation, social interactions, practical questions and answers.

All that is needed to access the library's Rosetta Stone subscription is a Quincy library card number and a computer with Internet access.

Go to thomascranelibrary.org, click on the Rosetta Stone logo and then create a user account with your library card number.

For more information, call 617-376-1316 or visit thomascranelibrary.org.



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Dorothy Quincy Homestead Open To Public Saturday

The historic Dorothy Quincy Homestead at the corner of Hancock Street and Butler Road will be open to the public Saturday, June 9, between the hours of 1 and 4 p.m.

Guided tours of the childhood home of John Hancock's wife will be offered

at the hour and the half hour beginning at 1 p.m. and ending at 3:30 p.m. The tours are free but a contribution is suggested.

The 321-year-old house, which was recently designated a National Historic Landmark, was a meeting

place for patriots like Hancock, John Adams and John Quincy during the Revolution.

For more information, visit the Homestead's website at www.nscda.org/quincy_homestead.htm.

Catholic Women's Club In Final Meeting June 14

The Catholic Women's Club of North Quincy will close its 2006-07 season with a catered chicken dinner Thursday, June 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the Sacred Heart School hall, 270 Hancock St. Mrs. Kate Shannon,

president, will conduct a business meeting after which a new slate of officers will be installed.

The Monsignor Richard Hawks Scholarship will be awarded to Kelsey McCarthy and Meaghan

Healey, students at the Sacred Heart School.

Chairlady for the evening is Miss Priscilla Langel and committee. The next meeting will start the 2007-08 season on Sept. 13.



QUINCY'S CARLA O'CONNOR (center) receives congratulations from Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail Council CEO Shannon O'Brien (left) and Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail Council President of the Board Mimi Moran. O'Connor was honored with the Girl Scout Gold Award, Girl Scouts' highest achievement.

Carla O'Connor Receives Girl Scouts' Highest Honor

The Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail Council recently honored Quincy resident Carla O'Connor for completing her Girl Scout Gold Award at their annual meeting.

The Girl Scout Gold Award is the highest achievement in Girl Scouting. In order to receive the Gold Award, Girl Scouts between the ages of 14 and 17 must design and implement their own service projects that build on their experience in leadership, community service, career planning and personal development.

O'Connor worked with school professionals to create an after school club for high school students which gave them a forum for discussing issues that are important to them. After surveying her peers, she arranged for the group to have workshops on eating well, time management, stress management, yoga, and a workshop on their personality profiles. Students were empowered to take charge of their lives in a positive manner. The school was so pleased with the club that they will continue it next year.

Girl Scouts, Patriots' Trail Council is one of the largest organizations in greater Boston dedicated to girls. The Council serves 23,000 girls and 10,500 adult volunteers from 65 cities and towns including Boston. Patriots' Trail Council develops girls' courage, confidence and character, and blends tradition with innovation by continually adapting to meet the needs of today's girls.

For more information, go to www.ptgirlscouts.org.

Montclair/Wollaston Neighborhood Association Meeting Tonight

City officials will review neighborhood concerns at a meeting of the Montclair/Wollaston Neighborhood Association beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 7 at the Church of the Good Shepherd at Harvard and West Squantum Street,

Montclair.

Scheduled speakers for this program, part of the "Neighborhood First Initiative," include Thomas Fabrizio, Director of Constituent Services; Kristen Keohane, Park and Forestry Department, and William

Griffin, Department of Public Works. They will focus on issues raised by area residents at an earlier meeting.

On Saturday, June 16, the City of Quincy will hold the 56th Annual Flag Day Parade.

NQHS Class Of 1957 50th Reunion Oct. 6

North Quincy High School, Class of 1957, will hold its 50th reunion on Saturday, Oct. 6 at the Best Western Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy.

The Committee needs updated addresses in order to contact the following classmates: Helen Clancy, Carol Clasy Saccoach, Louise Cronin Downey, Elma Dingwell Legge, Vincent Dunn, Nancy Garland Krauth, Katherine Gartland Kelley, Mary Keefe, Edward Kent, Carol

King, Jeane Laracy, Patricia Lockwood Kybrides, Janice Lowe Hatch, William Lyons, David McLean, Maureen McNally Turner, Gail Murray Joyce, Paul C. Murray, Maryann Nelson, Susan Noble Walker, Robert Nordstrom, Susan

O'Lalor Kendrick, Jane Rankin, Carol Rennie, Genevieve Ryder Connell, Victoria Seaman Hubbard, Helen Shaffer Dreezer, Marie Stoker Ameen, Elizabeth Taylor Smith, David Usher, Helen Wolfe Zwickert and Paul Wright.

Senior Scrabble Every Monday

Elderly devotees of the game "Scrabble" meet every Monday from 12 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dawes House on Quincy Shore Drive at the

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Jeffrey Clifford Awarded Navy, Marine Achievement Medal

Quincy native Jeffrey Clifford was recently awarded the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal during a ceremony at Fort Devens in Ayer.

Clifford's medal with a combat distinguishing device is marked with a "V" for valor for heroic achievement in the superior performance of his duties in Iraq.

As a Marine Corporal stationed in Iraq, Clifford participated in over 300 separate combat patrols in and around Fallujah. On one such patrol last August, his bravery headed off an attack on a key bridge over the Euphrates River.

On that patrol, Clifford stopped an Iraqi vehicle and captured three insurgents who were planning to destroy the bridge. The insurgents were armed with three loaded AK47's, a hand grenade and a loaded rocket propelled grenade launcher, as well as facemasks.

After their arrest, the insurgents opted for a trial. Clifford testified against them in a Baghdad courtroom via video teleconference. As a result, all three defendants were found guilty and



QUINCY NATIVE Jeffrey Clifford is awarded the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal during a recent ceremony at Fort Devens, Ayer.

sentenced to 15 years imprisonment.

Clifford also served in Operation Desert Shield and Operation Desert Storm with the Marine combat infantry.

A graduate of the University of Massachusetts, Clifford earned his law degree and Juris Doctorate at Catholic University School of Law, Washington, D.C. He has worked as an Assistant District Attorney

in both Norfolk and Suffolk County.

Currently, Clifford is Assistant General Council and Manager of the Compliance and Enforcement Unit of the Massachusetts Department of Industrial Accidents.

Both Clifford and his wife Jeannine were raised in Quincy. They now live in Hanson with their three children.

Koch Calls For Public Discussion Of Long Island Camp Plans

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch has called for City Hall to inform Squantum residents about the City of Boston's plans to open a new summer camp for hundreds of children on Long Island.

In an e-mail to Mayor William Phelan, Koch said that the new summer camp has not been discussed publicly in Quincy even though construction has been ongoing for some time. He called on the administration to work with Boston officials to provide Quincy residents with a full explanation of what is planned for the island.

"Communicating with the public should always be the top priority of the mayor's office, and Squantum residents have been wondering for months about potential new uses on Long Island," Koch said. "We've seen want ads for camp counselors, a brief mention about the camp in Sunday's *Boston Globe*, and construction vehicles heading to the island regularly."

Koch added:

"But there has not been any public meeting, written notification, or any other kind of notice to Squantum residents about what is going on. We need to communicate with the public."

Koch said he raised the issue after hearing from many Squantum residents who had questions about the new activities at Long Island, which is owned by the City of Boston but can only be accessed by road through Quincy.

The summer camp, Koch said, amounts to a major intensification of the uses of Long Island, adding that plans should be thoroughly aired publicly. He said the camp could generate serious traffic, another example why the city desperately needs to fill the traffic engineer's job that has been vacant for nearly two years.

"People need to be kept in the loop," Koch said. "This use of Long Island may end up being a great one, but our residents should be informed

when such a major undertaking is happening literally in their backyards."

Koch pointed to a story in Sunday's *Boston Globe Magazine* which stated: "Scheduled to open in July, the camp this summer will offer 600 inner-city kids, ages 11 to 14, everything from ball fields to a beach to lessons in the performing arts."

"It sounds like a wonderful opportunity for Boston's youth, but Squantum residents should have the opportunity to have their legitimate questions and concerns answered," Koch said. "Personally, I'd also like to know if there will be any opportunities for Quincy's young people to utilize those facilities."

Koch noted that communicating frequently and effectively with residents will be among his administration's top priorities. He said residents can visit his Web site, www.kochforquincy.com, for more information.

Six Central Students Cited By Center For Talented Youth

Six eighth grade students from Central Middle School were honored at a statewide awards ceremony organized by the Johns Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth (CTY) at Suffolk University.

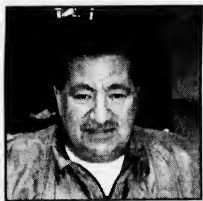
They are Colin Hales, Ping Fung, Francesca Huynh, Alexander Lato, Kevin Liao and Tenley McKee.

The six took the SAT or ACT tests used for college admissions and were among

the highest scoring participants in the Commonwealth, significantly higher than the average college-bound 12th grader.

"In hosting these awards ceremonies, we want these

bright children to have their day in the limelight for their academic talent and to celebrate their abilities, just as we celebrate excellence in athletics or the performing arts," said Dr. Lea Ybarra, CTY executive director.



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Tuesday, June 12

Early release day - no lunch served.

Wednesday, June 13

Pork sloppy joe on a bun, potato puffs, fresh fruit or juice, chocolate pudding cup.

Thursday, June 14

Macaroni and cheese, fajita chicken strips, hot vegetable, fresh fruit or juice, cinnamon toast bites.

Friday, June 15

Last Day of School
Pork sausage links, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, dinner roll, fruit juice.

SECONDARY LUNCH MENU

Monday, June 11

Whole grain double stuff pizza, tossed salad, fresh fruit or fruit juice.

Tuesday, June 12

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Wednesday, June 13

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21 Receive Diplomas At 112th Woodward Graduation

The Woodward School for Girls recently awarded 21 high school diplomas during its 112th graduation exercise held at the United First Parish Church, Church of the Presidents, Quincy Square.

The following is list of the graduates with their awards. NHS beside a name identifies a member of the school's Katherine Bacon Chapter of the National Honor Society.

The graduates are Holly Canale, Quincy, NHS; Alyssa Colby, Quincy, Salutatorian, NHS; The French Prize, The Greek Prize and the Quincy Historical Society Prize for Excellence in History; Alessandra Davin-Sangurima, Quincy, the Spanish Prize; Kelly Davis, Quincy, the Wendy Wilcoxon '86 Award; Casey

Doherty, Quincy, NHS, the Jennifer Cuneo '01 Prize for Excellence in the Performing Arts; Dana Gaymond, Milton, Parents' Award

Mary Harris, Quincy, NHS, Grossman Service Award, Senior Scholar Athlete Award; Jasmin Johansen, Boston, NHS, Excellence Computer Technology, Alumnae Association Award, Senior Scholar Athlete Award; Elizabeth Kenny, Quincy, The Jennifer Cuneo '01 Prize and the Matthew David Tobin Memorial Award.

Sharon Lawler, Valedictorian, NHS, Avon, The Ruth Hurlbert Prize, the Mary Millard Prize, The Science Prize, The Latin Prize; Meaghan McDermott, Randolph NHS, The Grossman Service Award, Headmaster's Award; Rosalyn Medina-Cook,

Boston NHS, The Georgiana Cushing Lane Prize, The Eunice S. Gifford Award;

Melissa Michel, Randolph, Coaches Award; Jessica Nabstedt, Quincy; Ekta Naik, Randolph, LaShawnda Haltiwanger '98 Memorial Award; Brittany Norton, Quincy; Meagan O'Neill, Braintree; Katelyn Patrizi, Quincy; Jenna Snow, Holbrook, Susan Martin Hayes Memorial Scholarship; Zoe Snow, Marshfield, Italian Prize; Stephanie Tobin, Quincy NHS, The Eunice S. Gifford Award.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled seniors to get around.

If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

Trooper Thomas Duane Receives State Police Honors

State Police Trooper Thomas Duane of Quincy recently received the Superintendent's Commendation honoring his initiative, dedication and courage, while on patrol, and his investigative skills.

During the ceremony held at State Police Headquarters in Framingham, State Police Superintendent Mark F. Delaney commended Duane who is a 20-year veteran of the State Police and a celebrated member of the Troop H Community Action Team.

Delaney noted Duane "continues to make an impact with regard to the seizure of illegal firearms, narcotics and crime-related issues that plague the Commonwealth."

Particularly cited were

Duane's actions from October 2006 through November 2006. At that time, Duane discovered a 38-caliber revolver in a suspect's pocket during a traffic stop and found another passenger in the car possessed marijuana.

During another traffic stop, Duane found cocaine and booked two passengers for trafficking in cocaine.

One of those persons already had narcotics violations in Texas and Massachusetts.

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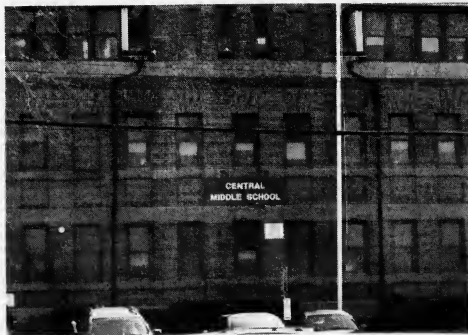
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The mayor argues his contract fight with city workers is about reducing health care costs and saving taxpayer money. Yet, here are some highlights of the contract recently awarded to the Police Superior Officers Union.

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No Traffic Engineer For Nearly 2 Years

And it's no coincidence that traffic around our city is getting worse every day. The signals are poorly timed, the intersections getting more and more dangerous, and bottlenecks are common at just about any time of day in just about every part of the city. With so much new development, the problems will only get worse.



"We need a traffic engineer in Quincy watching patterns every day, studying the details every day, and with a passion to improve safety and traffic flow. We need to hire somebody now."

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Marie's Kitchen

BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Easy Eggplant Parmesan

Cooking eggplant parmesan can be a chore, but I recently had an eggplant and a zucchini in the fridge and prepared it so easy, I may never go back to the old way of slicing the eggplant and then breading it and so forth.

This recipe is so easy and I think equally tasty as cooking it the other way. You don't have to use the zucchini, I did because it was there and the two go well together.

- 1 large eggplant
- 1 large zucchini
- 1/2 cup seasoned bread crumbs
- 1 teaspoon basil (fresh or jarred)
- 2 cups tomato sauce
- olive oil for sauteing
- 2 cloves garlic (chopped)
- 1/2 cup grated parmesan cheese
- shredded cheese (any favorite)
- extra sauce
- salt and pepper to taste

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

First cut the eggplant and zucchini in bite size pieces. In a large frying pan, saute the olive oil, garlic and then add the egg plant and zucchini. Cook and stir adding the salt and pepper, the basil. After a few minutes, add the tomato sauce, the bread crumbs and continue cooking until almost done.

In a slightly greased baking dish, start by adding a bit of tomato sauce on the bottom. Then add the eggplant mixture, some shredded cheese, grated cheese and sauce. Continue this until completed and then sprinkle the extra sauce and cheeses on the top.

Cook covered for about 25 minutes, and then uncovered for ten minutes.

P.S. Some of my recipes do not have the exact measurements of certain ingredients, such as how much grated or shredded cheeses you would like. It's all a matter of taste.

BayState Services Offers Free Counseling For Alcohol, Drug Problems

There is free counseling available for individuals with alcohol or drug abuse problems, along with counseling for their families at The Family Project at BayState Community Services in Quincy and Weymouth.

The free treatment includes 24 counseling sessions over a 12 week period for all participants in the study.

The Family Project is part of a research study conducted by clinicians

through Harvard Medical School and Bay State Community Services Counseling.

Participants in the project receive free counseling from licensed masters-level therapists.

The study is aimed at determining whether adding family counseling to one-on-one recovery counseling leads to more sobriety for individuals with alcohol or drug abuse problems.

Half of the participants receive both one-on-one

counseling with free family counseling while half of the participants receive one-on-one counseling only.

Bay State Community Service Director Daurice Cox, PsyD, said the program offers an exciting opportunity for patients and their family members.

Contact The Family project at 617-694-2602 at Bay State Community Services, 13 Temple Street, Quincy, for additional information.

Thomas Crane Library Wins Awards For News, Brochures

The Thomas Crane Public Library came away from the Massachusetts Library Association's annual conference in Sturbridge with two of its top public relations awards.

The Library placed first in the News Coverage with a televised story highlighting its historic Richardson Building and second in the Brochure category for booklets promoting services that are "free to all."

The three-minute TV clip,

called "It's Great to Be Here," was aired on the Ten O'Clock News over Channel 56 in July and praised by the judges for its collaboration between Mike Wankum and cameraman Rich Carew.

"(This) fantastic news piece," said the judges, "took (Quincy's) building to new heights... and moved away from the concept of a 'stuffy' old building—turning it into a treasure—both old and new."

The Brochures were de-

signed by Susan Edwards of Extra Mile Design in collaboration with the library staff in 2005, incorporating photos, colors and design elements from the historic and new buildings of the Main Library.

The judges, who were from the fields of public relations, the press and the library, commented on the "strong unity of design" and "excellent content" of the brochures.

William Feeney Wins Art Start-Up Award

Quincy native William Feeney has been named winner of the 2007 Start-Up Award by the Museum of Contemporary Art in San Diego.

Feeney who is now based in Encinitas is a sculptor and conceptual artist. His work, including several new collage

and sculptural works, will be exhibited through July 7 in the museum's 1001 Kettner Galleries in downtown San Diego.

The award includes a \$10,000 purchase prize that will bring one or more of Feeney's works into the museum's permanent

collection.

Feeney is the son of Joseph and Eileen Feeney of North Quincy. A 1981 graduate of North Quincy High School, he received his bachelor's degree from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst and an MFA from the University of California at Santa Barbara.

Feeney works in construction and carpentry adapting his art skills to his work. He has also taught at several California Colleges.

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SGT. ADRIAN GUNN of Squantum, on the eve of his deployment to Iraq, tells the candlelight vigil for marriage equality he does not want to come home to a Commonwealth 'less free than the one I left behind.'

Free Movie For Seniors

The Council on Aging will show the movie of the month free to seniors on the third Thursday of every month at the River Bay Club, 99 Brackett St. The movie is provided by West Coast Video at no charge. Refreshments will be provided. Call Ann at 617-376-1506 to reserve a seat.

Candlelight Vigil Held For Same-Sex Unions

Sgt. Adrian Gunn of Squantum is due to deploy to the war zone in Iraq soon but he showed up at the candlelight vigil for marriage equality just the same.

He didn't want to come home to a commonwealth "less free than the one I left behind," he told the more than 100 people who attended the vigil in Gilbert Memorial Park.

He explained he wanted the Massachusetts Constitution to remain one that he could "feel proud defending."

The demonstration in support of same-sex marriage was organized by Quincy For Marriage Equality, a group of Quincy residents opposed to a constitutional amendment barring same-sex unions.

The state legislature is scheduled to vote in a mat-

ter of weeks on whether or not to place the amendment on the ballot for a public vote.

"We want every legislator representing Quincy to know that there is strong support in this community for equal marriage rights," said Jerry Ringuette, co-founder of Quincy For Marriage Equality.

"We urge them to do the right thing by opposing this amendment when it comes before the Legislature."

Noting that the next Constitutional Convention is only two weeks away, MassEquality Campaign Director Marc Solomon urged everyone in the crowd to contact his or her legislator and ask their friends to do the same.

"It is fundamentally wrong to put anyone's rights

up for a public vote, which is why it is so important that we stop this measure now," he said.

Other speakers at the candlelight vigil included the Rev. Sheldon Bennett, pastor of United First Parish Church; the Rev. Kathy McAdams, Dr. James Hahn and QFME co-founders Kathleen and Michele Frost.

The group has created a website, www.quincyformarriageequality.com to raise awareness and identify and mobilize more Quincy residents in support of same-sex marriage.

Persons interested in joining the group and signing a statement in opposition to the proposed amendment can contact Quincy For Marriage Equality at info@quincyformarriageequality.com or by calling 617-878-2332,

Big Sisters Association

Volunteer Orientation June 13

The Big Sister Association of Greater Boston is looking for new volunteers for their Big Sister Program for girls between the ages of 7 and 15.

The Big Sister's motto "Little Moments and Big

Magic" describes the fun and friendship enjoyed by both big and little sisters.

Volunteers must be at least 20-years-old.

Orientation sessions in Quincy are scheduled on Wednesday, June 13, from

12 noon to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Monroe Building, 1245 Hancock St., Suite 7, 2nd floor.

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"Sophie, Kristen, and our grandson Leo are a beloved part of our family. There's no reason for Leo to feel that his family is less than any other family.

The thought of a statewide vote on our daughter's marriage makes us heartsick.

People should not vote on whether one family is better than another family."

State legislators are deciding whether or not to put a Constitutional amendment on the 2008 election ballot that would take the right to marry away from same-sex couples - and with it, all the important protections for them and their children.

If you believe it's wrong to vote on rights, we need your help.

Please ask your state representative and state senator to vote against this discriminatory Constitutional amendment.

Call their offices at 617-722-2000 or go to www.MassEquality.org



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Parishioners Raise Over \$200,000

St. Joseph's Church Gets A Pretty Facelift

St. Joseph Church in Quincy Point is looking much better these days thanks to a new roof, new paint job, new chimney and new waterproofing, among other improvements.

The improvements were financed entirely through a capital improvement drive funded by parishioner contributions that netted over \$200,000.

Fr. Vincent Doolan, pastor, expressed his gratitude for the much-needed improvements and for the generosity of the parishioners.

"This community never ceases to amaze me," he said while viewing the improvements. "We are well aware that many of the contributions we received represented a sacrifice to the people giving, yet they esteem their parish church so deeply that they make that sacrifice."

The contributions followed recent setbacks at the church. In the spring of 2006, a smoldering fire caused extensive damage to the sacristy of the Church, necessitating a temporary closing and some emergency



THE DISTINCTIVE TOWER of St. Joseph's Church in Quincy Point has been renewed.

repairs. Then, following a drop in enrollment over several years, the parish school was closed in the spring of 2006. Finally, persistent roof leaks caused the relocation of the choir for

a portion of the year.

"(The year) 2006 was a difficult year for our parish," noted Father Doolan. "We saw firsthand the frailties of the physical plant with the fire and then the leaks, and



ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH in Quincy Point, long a Quincy landmark, has been refurbished and updated thanks to the generous contributions of its parishioners.

then the frailties of the financial picture which forced the heart-wrenching school closing decision."

However, Father Doolan believes the tide has turned, and he is optimistic for the future. "Rather than falling apart as a parish, we came together as a parish, and the manifestation of that is seeing the building itself coming together. It is as heartening a

sight as I will ever see."

Parishioners are pleased with the improvements as well. Michael McGroaty, a parishioner for all of his 47 years, expressed his delight that sorely needed issues have been addressed. Leaving Sunday Mass with his children, he said, "My father is 91 years old and has been in this parish for his entire life. His heart and soul are in

this parish and he wanted to pass the best parish down to his children that he could.

"It is now our responsibility to preserve this heritage and most of the parishioners that I know take that pretty seriously." Looking up at the new roof, McGroaty said, "We're pleased we could help this important work get done."

Raccoon Island Walking Tour Saturday

Naturalist Peter Fifield will conduct a free tour of the tidal pools on Raccoon Island Saturday, June 9, with tourists meeting at 11:15 a.m. on Edgewater Drive by

Turner Street, Houghs Neck.

Participants in the tour, which is part of the Park Department's Environmental Treasures program, are urged to bring a picnic lunch, sun-

screen, water, a sun hat, bug spray and shoes for walking in wet, rocky areas.

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Brig. Gen. Joseph Dunford Grand Marshal 56th Flag Day Parade Set For June 16

Merrymount native Brigadier General Joseph F. Dunford, Jr. will be honored as Grand Marshal at Quincy's 56th annual Quincy Flag Day Parade and Celebration Saturday, June 16.

General Dunford recently served 22 months in Iraq before receiving his current assignment as Director, Operations Division, Plans, Policies and Operations, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps, The Pentagon.

A graduate of Boston College High School, St. Michael's College, U.S. Army Ranger School, Marine Corps Amphibious Warfare School and the U.S. Army War College, Dunford holds a M.A. in Government from Georgetown University and a M.A. in International Relations from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy. He lives in Alexandria, VA with his wife and



JOSEPH F. DUNFORD, JR.

children. His parents, Joseph and Kay live in Merrymount.

The Flag Day Parade and Celebration will include a flag raising ceremony and fireworks display and is sponsored by the City of Quincy, the Quincy Partnership and the Koch Club.

The parade steps off on Coddington Street in Quincy Center at 7 p.m. and will proceed down Hancock Street and disband at Pageant Field

in Merrymount Park. Featured participants include marching bands, drum corps, color guards, military vehicles and, the perennial highlight, more than 1,500 flag-waving youngsters.

The parade originated in 1951 and was started by the late Richard J. Koch and the Koch Club and focused on honoring our flag and teaching youngsters to take pride in our country.

The parade culminates into a celebration at Pageant Field in Merrymount Park which will include a flag raising of a massive 30 foot by 60 foot version of Old Glory, patriotic music and sing-a-long, fly-over, and howitzer salute capped off with a dazzling fireworks display at approximately 9:15 p.m.

For more information, contact the Park Department at (617) 376-1251.

Waterworks To Be Enlarged For Major Beach Volleyball Event

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

The License Board Tuesday granted the request of Waterworks, Marina Bay for an extension of premises from Aug 16 through Aug 19 for a major sports event involving beach volleyball as a portion of a nation-wide volleyball tour.

Police Chief Robert Crowley, in making the motion to grant the request also issued restrictions.

That construction would not begin before 8 a.m. and not after 5 p.m., and that they abide by the noise ordinance. Also that weekly meetings be held with representatives from the license board, and residents of the Marina Bay community so that there would be "no surprises."

Also that no underage drinking be allowed.

Chairman Joseph Shea said that if Waterworks owner Ed Kane wishes to serve alcohol early on Sunday, the final day of the event, then he would have to send a letter to the License

Board requesting a mimosa license.

Kane said he would follow the rules he usually does when he has corporate parties by having everyone check ID's and with increased security.

He said there would be satellite bars set up outside and also food concessions and vendors.

He said Quincy is a "great community" to host this "first class event" and added this is the place where "I grew up."

Joseph Crowley a member of the Marina Bay Association had concerns over the parking, security safety issues and another egress. He said the traffic would be greatly increased and that the association was not in favor.

Atty. Ed Fleming, counsel for Waterworks said the event is sponsored by the Fenway Park Group and will be broadcast by NBC Sports.

Fleming said that participants will be world class volleyball athletes.

Fleming said that Mayor William Phelan was supportive of the event.

He said there would erect courts and a stadium to accommodate 3,000 seats. He said it would take about eight days to construct and four days to take everything down. He added that the parking lots would be re-stored to their usual state.

Shea read a letter from Ward 6 Councillor Brain McNamee who said he opposed the location of the event and asked the board to deny the request.

Engineer Jack Gillan explained the parking situation and that most traffic would be coming in from Cdr. Shea Blvd.

Dave Williams from California, a member of the group said the bleachers will be constructed "horseshoe" style with a stage for the MC and a place for VIP's.

The event will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday, and from 7 to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday and Sunday.

City Parking Facilities Ring In Over \$800,000

The City Council Monday approved the transfer of \$800,000 from the city's parking receipts account to cover traffic and parking personnel services.

Prior to the vote, Auditor Richard Fitzpatrick informed councillors that income from the city's Hancock Street Parking Lot and Ross Garage totals over \$80,000 a month and over \$800,000 a year. This income is placed in a

separate account designed to cover traffic and parking facility expenses.

Both parking facilities are slated for demolition and the properties could be sold to private developers under Mayor William Phelan's Quincy Center Revitalization

Exercise Classes For Seniors

The Quincy Council on Aging will hold a safe senior exercise program every

Plan.

After the meeting, Fitzpatrick said that the \$800,000 does not include the \$400,000 raised through parking tickets or another \$220,000 through traffic offenses. The penalty income is credited to other accounts.

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commodate 25 patrons and a new egress. Patrons can only dine outside by going through the front door of the restaurant.

Also that there would be no music outside. Hours would be only until 9 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, and until 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

Abutters, including those who live in the Executive House adjacent to the restaurant said their "quality of life" would be changed as they like to sit out on their balconies without the sounds of persons talking loudly. They also said they had concerns with the noises, parking and traffic.

Speaking in favor of the project was Dean Rizzo, executive director of Quincy 2000. He said the restaurant business is a very "competitive one" and that the Fowler House deserves a chance. If it doesn't work out, he said the board can "take away their privileges."

Scheele said that the Fowler House was not to blame for all of the parking in the area and also said that "they deserve a chance."

Crowley cited noise problems and said the noise is going to carry over to the residents of both 77 Adams Place and the Executive House nearby. He told the board to "consider the people that live there."

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

Fowler House Gets Patio License

license for the outdoor patio.

Voting against it was Police Chief Robert Crowley and Chairman Joseph Shea. Voting in favor was Health Commissioner Drew Scheele, Jim Anderson, sitting in for Jay Duca, director of inspection services, and Fire Chief Timothy Pettinelli.

Chairman Joseph Shea said that the whole concept of outdoor dining is mainly "for smokers."

Atty. Ed Fleming, counsel for the Fowler House said the city has changed its position on outdoor dining in the past year, and that since the Fowler House requested outdoor dining a year ago, he had made many concessions.

One was that the dumpster be on the west side of the parking lot and that there would be a fence and a trellis to act as a buffer.

He said there would be eight tables outside the back in the parking lot, that would



A FUNDRAISER at Alba Bar & Grille helped raise \$25,000 for the Gashi family, victims of a tragic fire in Kosovo. Shown with Congressman William Delahunt, Father Arthur Lionel and Mrs. Gashi are the five Gashi children, (front row, left to right) Ardit, 12, Ariola, 10, Milot, 10, Gonxhe, 6 and Arjan, 10.

Benefit Aids Five Kosovo Children Burned In Explosion

A recent benefit held at Alba Bar & Grille for five badly burned children from Kosovo raised \$25,000, according to owner Leo Keka who hosted the event.

Keka has joined efforts with the Massachusetts Albanian American Society/BESA and Kosovar Albanian Society of Boston to raise funds to care for these children while they are being treated in Boston.

American military personnel in Kosovo sent the

badly injured youngsters to Shriners' Hospital, Boston. Shriners specializes in the treatment of children burn victims.

According to Keka, the children, members of the Gashi family, were burned during a family birthday party at their home in Verboc, Kosovo. The five children, all cousins, were caught in the explosion of a propane tank that took the life of one mother and one aunt and nearly the lives of these

children.

Now, the funds will be used by Massachusetts Albanian Assistance Fund to house and provide daily care for the children and the surviving mother during their treatment for the next several months.

Keka called the fundraiser very successful but added that additional donations are still welcome. Donations may be made online by visiting www.maasbesa.org.

Healthy Eating Program Continues At Library

For those who seek to avoid dairy products for reasons of health, the second phase of the Food for Life program, "Discovering Dairy Alternatives & Planning Healthy Meals," will be held Sunday, June 10, at 2 p.m. at the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Discussions will include the health reasons to avoid dairy products, the dairy al-

ternative that are available and how to get calcium from plant foods. Those in attendance will have a chance to taste some creamy, low-fat, non-dairy dishes.

This is a follow-up to the March Food for Life program, which focused on low-fat foods and dietary fiber. The nutrition and cooking program is designed by physicians, nutrition experts

and registered dietitians at The Cancer Project.

Registration is required and may be made by calling 617-376-1316 or e-mailing quraf@ocln.org or stopping by the reference desk at the Main Library, 40 Washington St.

The program is sponsored by The Cancer Project and the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.



CONGRESSMAN WILLIAM DELAHUNT helped raise funds for Kosovo burn victims, along with (left to right) Ron Zooleck, Leo Keka, owner of Alba Bar and Grille, and television newsman Chet Curtis. Keka organized the benefit for the children who were sent to the Shriners' Hospital in Boston by American military stationed in Kosovo. Online donations are welcome at www.maasbesa.org.

Marilyn Manning Photos

Winners Announced In Mayor's Suggestion Box

More than 200 residents offered their suggestions through the "Suggestion Box" in the Mayor's newsletter on how the City of Quincy could best improve services or save taxpayer dollars.

The winners from the inaugural edition of the newsletter were Leonardo Arcotta and Colleen McCarthy.

Both entries suggested that the city offer the payment of excise tax on the City website.

"I want to thank everyone who responded to our call for suggestions," said Phelan. "I have found that some of the best ideas come from direct interaction with our citizens. Our neighborhood meetings, office hours, and suggestion box have helped us develop some very helpful ideas on how best to deliver services to our residents."

"I have instructed our Information Technology Department to price out and provide this service this year." It is a valuable service to our residents in the computer age and one that will lead to an overall review of the payment options offered in our City website.

The winners will have their names and ideas included in the next edition of the Mayor's newsletter and they will have lunch with him to further discuss their thoughts.

The "Suggestion Box" concept will be included in the next newsletter as well.

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P.S: It is especially important for diabetics to see their podiatrists for any calluses.



Grills On Balconies

We're making another attempt to rid the City's balconies of propane and charcoal grills.

Over the past years our attempts have been successful, while there's more progress to pursue. Grills on balconies are a concern and an invitation for disaster. Consequently, it's easy to become motivated, and further our attempts to rid balconies of their presence.

This spring we'll be driving throughout Quincy, focusing on multifamily dwellings, noting those buildings where grills are present. An order of notice for removal will then be issued to the building's owner. They will be notified of the law, and our practical concerns for occupant and firefighter safety. That notice will remain on record.

Should a grill catch fire on a balcony, it can be fed by the natural availability or air surrounding it and the vertical access to the outside of a building where heat and flames will naturally extend.

The largest fire loss within Quincy these past five years occurred just this same way. Although a grill was not the initial cause, the results were the same. The fire extended vertically upward along the combustible exterior of the building, entering the building at a higher elevation causing considerable damage throughout.

The loss was well over a million dollars while the building was then posted uninhabitable, leaving tenants seeking alternative living arrangements for well over a year. Is the convenience of a grill on a balcony worth that price? Property loss, possessions lost, a building left uninhabitable and risk to occupants and firefighters.

A fire in a propane grill can have disastrous effects at grade level alone, while this potential for damage to life and property increases substantially with the inaccessibility of a building balcony. Danger to occupants and firefighters, a like, increases

considerably when fire infringes upon a propane cylinder above grade level where extinguishment efforts are naturally hampered by access limitations and height.

The Quincy Fire Department recommends a grill be used at ground level, at least 10 feet away from both sources of ignition and potential combustibles such as wood siding, deck railings, etc. We prefer they not be left unattended while in use as well. Considering the close proximity of some homes within this community, be mindful of wind conditions and smoke migration.

It is not our intent to discourage grill use or our residents' best efforts with them. However, we're looking to have them stored and used appropriately. They have no place being used or stored on balconies.

Please help us in our continued effort to remove them; if you have one on your balcony, please remove it.

Thank you.

Firefighters' Memorial Services In Mount Wollaston Sunday

The annual Firemen's Memorial Services honoring fallen firefighters will be held Sunday, June 10, at 9 a.m. at the Firemen's Memorial Monument in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

The detail will form at the cemetery gate on Sea Street at 8:30 a.m. and wend its way to the Memorial Monument for the 9 a.m. ceremony.

Following the service there will be refreshments at the Quincy Fire Department Headquarters, 40 Quincy Ave.

Firemen's Memorial Sunday has been set aside as the second Sunday in June by fire departments throughout the state in order to pay respects to colleagues who

have passed on.

In the event of inclement weather, the program will be held at Quincy Fire Headquarters.

Donations may be sent to the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association, c/o Treasurer Kevin O'Connor, 61 Blanchard Rd., Weymouth, MA 02190.

Quincy Residents Rebuffed At Boston's Long Island Gate

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Operations David Murphy said after Monday's meeting. As for any meeting on the issue, that has not been discussed lately.

However, Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin told Kelly and the council that might not work either. Coughlin said that he talked with Menino recently about the Long Island issue and came away empty-handed.

"I challenged him (Menino) to open up Moon Island—the island," said Coughlin, adding that Menino did not have a satisfactory response.

Boston's ownership of Long Island and Moon Island have long created some irritation between the two cities. In recent years, Squantum residents complained about noise of

the Boston police fire range and the city's stripping of trees on the bay side of Moon Island.

In the past, Long Island housed Boston's "poor house," then Long Island Hospital which served patients with incurable illnesses, a Nike Base. At this time, the island provides shelters and services for Boston residents.

Neighborhood Projects Get Green Light

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Adams Shore: Boyson Park-Shade Shelter, O'Hara Circle landscape improvements, improved safety signage along Sea Street.

Beechwood Knoll: Sailors Pond improvements—fencing, aerator, mutt mitt stations.

Fore River: Lighting upgrades at Mound Street beach-Hanlon Soccer Field area.

Hospital Hill: Improved traffic and pedestrian safety signage.

Hough's Neck: Repairs to the Public Landing, traffic and pedestrian safety signage along Sea Street.

Marina Bay: Dickinson property improvements—remove asphalt, add planters.

Merrymount: Improved pedestrian safety signage, Butler Pond aerator.

Montclair: New planters for West Squantum Street entrance to city.

North Quincy: Improved pedestrian safety signage near East Squantum Street/Hancock Street.

Quincy Center: Aesthetic improvements around Hancock parking lot.

Germantown: Additional planters along Palmer Street seawall, additional barrels along Palmer Street seawall.

South-West Quincy: Improvements to Taber Street War Memorial—plantings, improvements to Brewers Corner—trees, planters, banner.

Squantum: Creation of passive park at Wendall Moses Playground.

Wollaston: Additional aesthetic improvements at Beale Street and Newport Avenue.

"Our dialogue with neighborhood residents will continue this summer," Phelan said. "We will spend June and July tackling many

of these projects and updating our plans with our neighborhood groups. I will host another round of neighborhood meetings in the late-summer to gauge our progress and set plans for the future."

In addition to the specific neighborhood projects, Phelan has proposed the creation of design guidelines for neighborhood multi-family residential projects, created a new position of Code Enforcement Officer, and instituted a Rooming House Task Force to investigate complaints of illegal lodging homes.

"I believe we are making improvements to the root issues that impact our neighborhoods," added Phelan. "This is work that need to be sustained to be successful and we will continue to work with our neighborhoods in an effort to enhance the quality of life in Quincy."

New Quincy High School Groundbreaking June 11

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that's in the best interest of the children."

Phelan also thanked the various officials who helped make this day happen.

"Our State delegation worked to pass the Joyce Amendment, ensuring that our reimbursement rate was

higher than other communities," Phelan said. "State Treasurer Tim Cahill and the School Building Authority cooperated with us along the way. Our City Council helped pass the bond authorization and our School Committee strongly advocated for the proper construction design."

"Our community stood up with me when it counted most and opposed the original siting on a toxic waste dump. The final product will be a result of an entire community working together. I hope the groundbreaking event is a time where we can all come together to celebrate our respective efforts."

Raymondi Wants Check On Gasoline Price Teasers

Residents flock to the cheapest gasoline prices in town but Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymondi said some of the local signs may be confusing, and possibly illegal.

One constituent complained to Raymondi that she's been paying four cents a gallon more than the posted price for gasoline at a local gas station.

According to Raymondi, the resident told him by e-mail that she had not noticed the "CASH" sign above the low-priced pump and has been paying by credit or debit cards.

As a result, the writer told Raymondi that she has been paying a much higher price

for the gasoline at this station and did not know it. She asked Raymondi if the station's policy of two prices was legal.

Raymondi asked the city solicitor to review the complaint and the legal ramifications and to notify the council of his findings.

LICENSE BOARD BRIEFS

The License Board took the following action at Tuesday's meeting.

• Granted a common victualer license to Sarah Froio-West, Corporate Chef, One Adams Place, 859 Willard St.

• Denied a request of Mayuri Enterprises, Inc. doing business as Quincy Market, corner of Temple St. and 33 Washington St. for a beer and wine license citing traffic concerns a location near the library. Govindkumar

Patel is manager. The site is the former Sher Drug.

• Granted an extension of premises to Noel Bowler, the Irish Pub, 51 Billings Rd. for a fundraiser "The Journey," "A Ceili Across the Water" Sunday, June 10 from 2 to 10 p.m.

• Granted a one day beer and wine license to Margaret McLean-LaForest for "Gallery Night" by the Houghs Neck Community Council June 22 from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Maritime Center.

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LT. ROBERT GILLAN instructs Officers Scott Doherty; Garrett Greenwood; John Leuchte and Dan Parisi before their SCUBA dive training session at the Quincy Shipyard. On the right is paramedic Charles Carey. Medics are on hand at training sessions to address possible medical emergencies.



DIVERS' SAFETY OFFICER Jamie Curran reviews dive conditions with paramedic Charles Carey. Quincy Sun photos/Miriam Joseph

Police SCUBA Unit New Terrorism Weapon

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The Marine Unit is headed by Lts. Robert Gillan and Donald Greenwood.

Gillan spent his early career on the water as a captain of the US Merchant Marine and as a commander with the US Coast Guard Reserve. Greenwood is currently serving his third tour of duty in Iraq as an Army Colonel.

Lt. Gillan said, "Right now, we schedule different patrols to be at oil terminals at different times of the day, and watch the arrivals. We get a notification from the Coast Guard what ships are in port, which are coming into port, and where they are going and we confer with them as to whether this is a high interest vessel, or is this what we would call a 'frequent flier,' a relatively low-threat vessel."

"If it were a high-interest vessel, we would have a major presence there; if it's a normal, frequent flier and we know the last port of call and other information, then we may or may not go down there to escort the vessel in."

"What we do is dependent on what the condition of the country is right now we're in 'yellow' (alert). If we move up to orange, then we will be actively escorting every single tanker in and out of port and having a presence there."

As a member agency of the Metropolitan Boston Homeland Security Region (MBHSR), the QPD has access to federal homeland security funds to conduct training, purchase equipment and carry out exercises to protect against acts of terrorism.

The MBHSR was established soon after September 11, 2001 so that communities of the greater Boston Area could share resources and develop counter-terrorism strategies.

Gillan agrees with the assessment.

"Our major homeland security concerns are really focused on the Quincy Point section... because of the

massive amount of gasoline and oil going in and out of there, and then you squeeze these tankers through that bridge....if you damaged that bridge or sank a ship in that channel, our gas prices would probably be \$29 a gallon overnight."

QPD works closely with the State Police and Boston Police, and as the Marine Unit is part of the Homeland Security Unit, each day a detective is sent to the Boston regional Intelligence Center (BRIC) where information is exchanged, including crimes which have occurred in any of its nine member communities.

Those cities are Boston, Brookline, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Quincy, Revere, Somerville and Winthrop which is the site of a sewage facility, a major terrorist target. Customs department and Coast Guard representatives also attend these meetings.

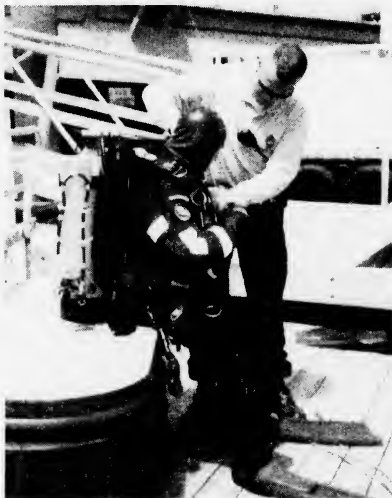
Since terrorists frequently use conventional crimes to finance their activities, members of BRIC discuss each type of crime and look for trend analysis.

Initially, the center was focused on counter-terrorism elements, but daily information sharing, and the infusion of money under the counter-terrorism nexus, has helped the department significantly in fighting everyday crime.

Lts. Greenwood and Gillan had noted, prior to this, when ships of interest entered Boston, especially LNG's, the Boston, Everett and State police were doing extensive ship and hull searches, and searches of transfer facilities.

"That created a huge gap, as the same ships there were searched in Boston weren't getting searched in Quincy, and the bad guys do their homework, they do surveillance," said Gillan.

"We justified the federal grant funding for the SCUBA unit by pointing out that these ships coming into Quincy has the same amount of explosive potential, and we're not doing



OFFICER DAN PARISI and Sgt. Garrett Greenwood do a final check of equipment before their dive into the Fore River Basin during a SCUBA dive training session. They are among 28 police officers who have volunteered to serve in the SCUBA Unit and who had to pass physical agility and water endurance tests.

anything about it."

All members of the Quincy Police SCUBA Unit volunteered for service with the unit and had to pass physical agility and water endurance tests. They have completed several courses in order to be certified as police divers and regularly participate in underwater training and practice exercises.

The Federal Customs Bureau has even approached QPD about searching ships for drug smuggling although the potential to smuggle something else is really what put this on the radar scope for Homeland Security.

Their agents will brief Quincy's marine unit members regarding marine drug smuggling methods, including a trade in what they call parasitic devices, which is an attachment of contraband to the side of a ship below water level.

Lt. Gillan explained, "A ship will go down to South American to load oil or a boxer cargo, and a diver will attach a tube full of drugs or contraband to the ship."

Gillan said, "Even the

crew doesn't know it's there. The smugglers contact their folks up here and tell them what ship the contraband is attached to. It's a fact. It has been happening in New England, Quincy, New Bedford."

Headed by Captain of Detectives Anthony DiBona, Quincy's Homeland Security encompasses the SCUBA Unit which consists of 28 regular police officers, including detectives; a Counter-Terrorism Intelligence Unit; and the Marine Unit, with its core members, Patrol officers Michael Foley, James Curran and Robert Bell.

For more than 60 years, the QPD's marine unit has been patrolling and protecting Quincy's 27 miles of shoreline. During WWII, the Marine Unit was tasked with the similar critical mission of providing port security for the marine facilities located along the Fore River Basin.

Among several other programs, today's Marine Unit members conduct boater safety education courses as a public service, and they



PARAMEDIC CHARLES CAREY looks on as members of the SCUBA Unit dive team hit the water for a training session at the Quincy Shipyard. Two medics attend the QPD training session to address possible medical emergencies.

police Quincy marinas in a "cop-on-the-beat" style.

Lt. Gillan learned much while working with NYPD and New York's massive ferry system.

"Terrorists go to what we call soft targets. A hard target is getting on a plane with a bomb; a very soft target is getting on a harbor Express with a bomb. So we have been sharing information with the MBTA and their intelligence section and it is a concern."

The MBTA commuter ferries transport approximately 600 commuters daily from Quincy to Boston and Homeland Security has identified ferries as primary targets of opportunity for acts of terrorism.

"The last time we had a spike in the terror level, we would routinely put our community police officers on the ferries to ride back and forth...but the best weapon any federal, state, or local agency has is an informed public."

"For example, a commuter who rides the ferry daily could better recognize

what's normal and what isn't on that boat than an officer who just walks on it to see if everything is okay."

The QPD offers counter-terrorism courses for the public free of charge and its staff emphasize that citizen awareness is the way to win the war on terrorism; that it is the number one weapon everywhere.

Lt. Gillan grew up in North Quincy and graduated from Mass Maritime Academy. When he joined the police department, he was following in the footsteps of his father Joseph, a 30-year veteran of the department. A man who is dedicated to public safety, Lt. Gillan is intent on getting his message out to the community.

"We tell everybody, not just boaters. If you see something abnormal in your community, just call the police. Let them decide whether it's a big deal or not. We need people to call us. We need them to be our eyes and ears; everybody's safety is a stake here. It's not just a police function."

An informed public is our best defense in counter-terrorism."



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Jack Conway & Co. Realtors Aid Hurricane Victims



By Samantha Mazzotta

When to Call the Doctor

Q. Yesterday I used a spray gun with a compressor to spray latex paint for about four hours in a hall and two small bedrooms. I didn't wear a mask, but it didn't seem to bother me at all. However, when I was cleaning up, my nose started bleeding profusely. I got the bleeding to stop and then coughed up a couple of clots of blood, which I assume was from the nosebleed.

This morning, I woke up with a tremendous headache, nausea, chills, low-grade fever and maybe even a little shortness of breath. I stayed home from work, but I'm not sure if I've got some type of virus or if this is from exposure to the paint fumes. What do you think? — Mary J., via e-mail

A. Honestly, I think your doctor can give you the best information as to whether your symptoms were caused by paint fumes or something else — like a cold or the flu. Anytime you feel lousy or have unusual symptoms during or after a home-improvement project

involving chemicals, you should contact your family doctor and describe the symptoms. He or she may want to examine you in order to rule out any serious problems and to treat the symptoms.

If you have severe symptoms, such as extreme dizziness, nausea or vomiting, trouble breathing or chest pain, or if you notice someone having these symptoms or having difficulty responding or speaking, call 911 immediately.

With latex paints or any other chemicals — including seemingly mild cleaning solvents — caution should always be taken to minimize exposure. The space in which they are used should be well-ventilated, and wear gloves to protect your skin. When using materials that produce heavy fumes, cover your mouth and nose with either a paper mask or, ideally, a respirator, and wear goggles to prevent eye irritation.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homegu-rd2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Jack Conway & Co. associates Mark Abatuno, manager of Conway — Norwell, and Diane Furness, manager of Conway-Quincy were part of a group of 20 Massachusetts Realtors who recently teamed up with Habitat for Humanity in rebuilding homes along the Gulf of Mexico, destroyed by hurricanes Katrina and Rita in 2005.

The effort is part of the National Association of Realtors Habitat Partnership for Gulf Coast Recovery Program. The Realtor family has committed to raise more than \$4 million to build as many as 54 homes in the region.

"This was a very humbling and eye-opening experience," said

Abatuno. "Some of these people have lost everything, but they haven't lost hope so it was uplifting to be able to help in some small way."

"My own son was fortunate enough to move into a Habitat house in Hingham last year so I am especially proud to be able to give a little something back," said Furness.

The Realtors worked side-by-side with the future homeowners and local Habitat crews for five days, framing exterior and interior house walls, installing doors and windows, putting up drywall, and painting. "Hammering for Habitat is not something new for about half of the volunteers," said trip leader Richard Dils. "Several of these folks worked on the National Association of Realtors/Habitat for Humanity project in New Orleans before the 2006 An-



JACK CONWAY & Co. associates Diane Furness and Mark Abatuno joined 18 other Realtors from across Massachusetts recently to help with the Habitat for Humanity Hurricane Recovery Effort in Mobile, Alabama. Furness is manager of Jack Conway — Quincy, and Abatuno runs the Conway — Norwell office.

ual Meeting and Convention last November.

Abatuno is a Hull resident who is in his fifth year with Jack Conway & Co. Realtors. He has earned the Senior Specialist, CDE, and CBR designations and is a member of the Plymouth and South Shore Board of Real-

tors and the Norwell Chamber of Commerce.

Furness, a Hingham native and now a Quincy resident, has been in real estate for 13 years, and has managed the Quincy office of Jack Conway & Co. Realtors since 1994. She holds her broker's license, and has

earned the CDE, CBR, Senior Specialist and GRI designations.

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Cutting Cooling Costs With Silicone Caulk

(NAPS) — Warm seasons can be the perfect time to start home-sealing projects that keep the air conditioning in, the heat out and energy costs down.

Gaps and cracks around windows and doors let air conditioning escape, accounting for 25 to 40 percent of the energy used to cool a home, according to the Environmental Protection Agency.

Choosing the right caulk to seal a home is important, and following the lead of professionals can help. According to a recent survey,

four out of five professional contractors use silicone caulk when sealing their homes. Silicone caulks, such as GE Silicone II, provide an exceptional watertight and airtight seal, maximizing comfort and energy savings.

"Contractors know that a silicone seal is the best long-term seal against water and air," said Carey Evans, designer from the HGTV show "My First Place." "Silicone won't shrink, crack or peel. Nobody wants to do the same job twice, and with silicone caulk you won't have to."

Because silicone is not water based, there is minimal shrinking or cracking when it cures. Shrinkage of GE Silicone II, for example, is less than 5 percent. Acrylic caulk is water based and some acrylics shrink up to 25 percent. That shrinkage leaves cracks and gaps for air and water to move through.

Sealing a home is an easy way to reduce your energy

bills by up to 20 percent. Follow these easy steps:

1. Make sure the surface is clean, dry and free of soap, grease, dirt and dust.
2. For a straight edge, use masking tape on each side of the joint; remove immediately after applying the caulk.
3. Remove the cap. Cut the nozzle to the desired bead size.
4. Pierce the inner seal with a stiff wire.
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6. Push the caulk out of the tube.
7. Smooth or tool the bead as necessary.
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Hints for Homeowners

Replacing Your AC Unit? Better Isn't Always Better

(NAPS) – Many Americans may not know when it's time to replace their air conditioners. Industry averages suggest an air conditioner should last 12 to 15 years, as long as a qualified technician performs regular preventive maintenance and service. If your system is around 10 to 15 years old and you are thinking of buying a new one, there are several things to consider.

Today's air-conditioning systems offer a variety of features, including two-stage cooling, humidifiers and ultraviolet lights designed to increase comfort and

improve indoor air quality. In addition, today's systems are as much as 60 percent more efficient than those manufactured 10 years ago, offering dramatically improved energy savings.

The Department of Energy measures efficiency in numbers called SEER (Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio) ratings. The higher the SEER level, the more energy efficient the unit is. For several years, the minimum efficiency standard for newly manufactured heating, ventilation and air-conditioning (HVAC) equipment was 10 SEER. But, as of January 2006, manufacturers have been required to stop producing anything less than 13 SEER.

As a result, another thing to consider is the size of your new unit. With the increase in SEER, many manufacturers have had to increase the size of their HVAC products to accommodate the increase in the surface of the coil found in the system's outdoor unit. However, the York 13 SEER [mc]2 Microchannel Mini-Cube Air Conditioner from Johnson Controls remain small. With a footprint of 21

1/2 inches square, the [mc]2 is the smallest 13 SEER air-conditioning system in the HVAC industry.

The York is small because it uses an aluminum coil with microchannel technology to provide higher efficiency. This technology significantly reduces size when compared to traditional 13 SEER products and uses far less refrigerant. It is a great fit for multifamily applications or anywhere cooling is essential and space is limited.

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with her husband, Padraig and their daughter, Sarah. She received an associate's degree in accounting from Aquinas College and a bachelor's degree in management from UMass Boston. Cunningham plans on pursuing a master's degree this fall.

In her spare time she enjoys walking along the beach and bike rides.

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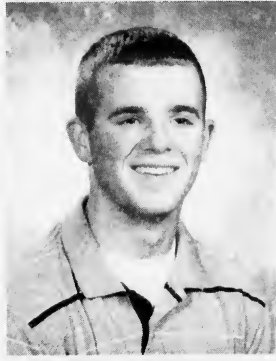
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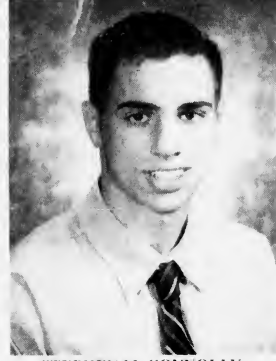
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QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL

The following 313 seniors of the Quincy High School Class of 2007 will graduate tonight (Thursday) at Adams Field:

Ed Adgoli
 Edwin A. Aguirre
 James Aikens
 Christopher E. Alexander
 John R. Alexander, II ****
 Tiadra Alexander
 Stephanie A. Almario
 Pluton Angeli ****
 Wilson A. Araujo
 Camilo Arredondo *
 Bridget J. Austin
 Patrick J. Austin
 Jeffrey A. Bailey
 Brian J. Baldwin
 Stephanie M. Barry
 Rosetta G. Berardi
 Elizabeth L. Bergstrom ***
 Traces M. J. Bernthal
 Myrtho L. Bernard
 Robyn S. Bernstein *
 Joshua Berry *
 Jordan D. Blair
 Levi Boakye Boateng *
 Danielle E. Bollin
 Scott Boudicourt
 Amanda A. Boyd
 Sean Boyd
 Matt Boyle
 Meghan Brown *
 Noel Butler
 Jacquelyn Callahan *
 John F. Cameron
 Felicia Canney
 HsiaoWei Cao
 Kelly Carey
 James M. Canta
 Joseph D. Catta
 Grace Casey
 David Cavannah
 Alex Chan *
 Kevin Chan *
 Tristin Chan
 Giang Dong Chen
 Huan Yi Chen
 Jia Wei Chen ****
 Ping Hong Chen
 Suqun Chen *
 Xiao Hong Chen
 Zhu Neng Chen
 Ralph M. Chesdville

James L. Chiachio
 Daniel R. Christie***
 Kathleen Chung**
 Hope E. Collins***
 Michele C. Collyer
 Joseph Edward Condon
 Matthew V. Conine
 Stephen M. Connolly***
 Jonathan W. Conso***
 Brandon Cook
 Celma P. Correia
 Wendell R. Cosgrove***
 Daniel V. Costello
 Nathalia D. Couzzi
 Robert J. Craig III
 Ashley A. Creech
 Andrew Creedon
 Mark A. Cugini
 Kristen M. Cummings**
 Emma E. Curley
 Cune C. Candhann***
 Judy W. Daniels
 Kristen L. Daniels
 Joshua J. DaRoicha
 Eric Davis
 Krista Davis**
 Patrick Day*
 Siyun Deng*
 Frederick J. DiRico
 Christine J. DiNasi*
 Danielle M. DiThomas
 Robert A. Driscy
 Laura J. Doherty*
 Kayla M. Dolan*
 Alex Dominggo
 Joseph Donelan
 Kayla E. Donovan
 Parmann C. Doodnauth
 Ronald Doodnauth
 Luis Miguel Dos Santos*
 Jennifer L. Dugan
 Anthony Duke
 Christopher P. Dunn
 Anthony B. Dummer*
 Yin Duong
 Charles Leland Dyball
 Nada F. Fird***
 Marissa M. Elliott
 Michelle Fabrizio
 Katherine Failla
 James C. Fay***
 Jing Hlang Feng
 Yan Feng
 Kelsey E. Fingleton**
 Jeffrey S. Fiorentine
 Andrea Foley
 Ashley M. Fooks

Cheryl Ford
Randy W French
James A Fult
Lawrence Furbish
Shannon L Gaddis
Emily A Gaeta **
Samuel J Galarza
Michael J Galver *
Jun Gao *
Dwanna M Geddes
Anthony Gildbody
Tabitha Gitau
Amanda N Godak
Jillian Ann Graham
Sean R Guinto
Ashley A Gustin
Amanda E Hamaty
Shawn Hamel
Marlene Hardee **
Bridget C Hawko
Thomas-M * Haezhusht
Matthew J Healy
Tina M Hicks **
Khin Mung Htin *
Jing J Huang
Wan Ting Huang
Ying Huang *
Thomas-P Hurney
Wad Z Hussein *
Gabrielle R Jones
Andrew Johnson
Michael L Johnson
Nathaniel Johnson
Tom Johnson *
Deborah A Juhász
Lidia Kuciak
Hosien I. Karg
Christina K. Karg
Joseph I. Karg
Sean R. Karg
James A. Kimbrell
Ralph Kopschitz
Amanda L. Koss
Kwame Kwasi
Steven A. Kwasak
Bozhiang A. Kyei
Raymond L. Kyei
Kai Lung
Laurie A. LaBonte
Dorothy S. Laga
Ngô Lê
Leimeng Lei
Richard L.
Michael A. Leone
Meghann B. Lewis
Zhong Lin
Korey A Little

Michael J. Little
Jiyuan Liu
Jimmy P. Locke
Sean A. Lombard *
William E. Looby
Qi Tao Lu **
Simin Lu *
Hien Luong *
John M. Lyons
Joseph MacDonald **
Stephen-Thomas MacDonald
Zachary MacIsaac
Tayyar G. Mahmood ***+
Michael Mahoney
Shannon M. Malger
Christina Z. Manipon ****
Jasmine Marshall
Tatiana Martinez
Daniel S. Massalin
Bryan M. Maskell
Robert H. Maskell
Manour B. Matta
Michael Kevin McCarthy
Ran J. McCarthy
Deirdre T. McCormac *
Allison M. McDonough *
Charles McDonald
Pablo F. McDermott
Nicola M. McNall
Laura McNulty
Kerryann M.
Newling-Mc
Yueying Mei
Leylanie Mengler
Thomas Mingos
Kelli R. Mitchell
Sandra M. Mittelman
Michelle S. Moen
Alicia M. Monahan
Simon W. Moore
David C. Morrison
Vicki L. Murray
Richard D. Myers
Rebecca A. Nagel
Vivian A. Nairn
Mae A. Nance
Andrea A. Nance
Kevin A. Nance
Dorothy A. Nason
Sonja K. Nelson
Eugene I. Ness
Julius N. Newberry
James N. Newman
Tamara N. Nguyen
Carol V. Nichols

Christina Nilovic
Michael P. Nuzzo
Daniel W. O'Connell ***
Sean O'Connor
Francis R. O'Handley
Kate L. O'Neill
Jeffrey E. Ohlson *
Robert W. Page III ****
Stephen G. Palmatter *
Courtney Palmer *
Joseph A. Pantano ***
Lambros J. Papalambros *
Memang Sung Len Pat *
Suni Park *
Brian D. Pekkinen
Richard F. Penzo
Wanessa L. Pereira
Marta A. Perez
Dung M. Pham ***
Kimberly C. Pham ****
Kecnan A. Phiri **
Brandin T. P. Phillips *
Jessica P. Swartz
Rae Part
Angelo J. Pirasella
Jacqueline M. Perreault
Patrick E. Peters
Pengy Qian *
Chun-Yueh Rong *
Kevin B. Ryan
Stefan Schuster
Xiaojing Shen
Xiaoqing Sheng
Hui Sheng
Xiaohua Shi
Xiaohua Song
Xiaohua Sun
Xiaohua Tang
Xiaohua Wang
Xiaohua Zhang

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CONGRATULATIONS
AND BEST WISHES
 TO THE
CLASS OF 2007
Representative
Steve Tobin and Family

Best Wishes and
Congratulations
to all
2007 Graduates
and Their Families



Linda K. Stice
Quincy School Committee

Congratulations, Class of 2007!

Best Wishes
from
Ron Mariano
State Representative



North Quincy High School Scholarships Recipients

The following graduates of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007 have been awarded these scholarships.

Julia Christine Anderson North Quincy High School Yearbook Scholarship; Squantum School, Ann Chizauskas Scholarship; William K. Flynn Memorial Scholarship.

Eileen Ann North Quincy High School Yearbook Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Lauren Ayers Squantum School, John J. Sullivan Sr. Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Christopher Baker Quincy Education Association Sawyer Family Scholarship; Parent Advisory Council Scholarship; Ward 5 Community Association Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Rachel Barrett Marilyn Robbins Memorial Scholarship.

Kevin Beatty Quincy Rotary Club - Harry Gould Award Scholarship.

John Benoit George G. Burke Scholarship; Gerard Colletta Scholarship.

David Blaton John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship; AFL-CIO Liuna Local 223 Scholarship.

Christopher Boyd Quincy Youth Soccer Michael Thermen Memorial Scholarship; R.W. William F. Low, Jr. Memorial Scholarship; Eileen Feeney Spirit & Pride Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club - John D. McKay Scholarship; Quincy Youth Baseball Scholarship; Paul D. Harold Scholarship.

Krista Brancaccio Quincy College Scholarship.

Michelle Budukiewicz North Quincy High School Principals Leadership Award Scholarship; Jewish War Veterans of the United States Post #193 Scholarship; North Quincy High School Faculty Scholarship; Dennis Thomson Local 223 Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Alicia Buttomer Quincy



IVY B. HUANG is valedictorian of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007.

College Scholarship

Kerianne Cabral Quincy Retired Teachers Association Louise Mersner Memorial Scholarship; Class of 2007 Yale Book Award Scholarship.

Peter Cai Jewish War Veterans AFJROC Achievement Scholarship; AFJROC Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Mary Morris Scholarship.

Christine Caples John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Michelle Capone Squantum School, Barbara Arnold Retirement Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Donyelle Carmody Kiwanis Club of Quincy Scholarship.

Cynthia Chan Susan Paul Memorial Scholarship; Tommy Gilmartin Scholarship.

Alexander Chen Quincy Education Association Esther Gizzarelli Scholarship.

Louis Chin AFJROC Scholarship.

Matthew Chin Quincy Sun Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Dr. Henry Paterson Memorial Scholarship.

Henry Choi AFJROC Scholarship.

Timothy Chow Jewish War Veterans AFJROC Achievement Scholarship; AFJROC Scholarship.

David Chu AFJROC Scholarship.

Kevin Chu AFJROC Scholarship.

Michael Chu AFJROC Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Maxine Wigmore



JULIANNE L. ROSS is salutatorian of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007.

Scholarship.

Stephanie Chu John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Amy Chung Boston Scientific Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Mary F. MacDonald Memorial Scholarship.

Corinna Cochrane American Legion Wollaston Post #295 Scholarship.

Bridget Mary Coleman North Quincy High School Yearbook Scholarship.

Vasilios Constantopoulos Boys Basketball Boosters Scholarship.

Maria Della Croce Disabled American Veterans Chapter #79 Scholarship.

Caroline Cunningham Girls Swimming Booster Scholarship; John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Eileen Deasy St. Vincent DePaul Society of Sacred Heart Parish Scholarship.

Kimberly Dela Cruz Quincy Retired Teachers Association John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Natalie Djerf Wollaston Womens Club Scholarship.

Peter Dolbec Quincy Rotary Club - Russell F. Johnson Scholarship.

Matthew Edgerly The Minton Family Scholarship; Boys Basketball Boosters Scholarship.

Po Shan Fan Thomson & Thomson/Thomas Holleran Scholarship; AFJROC Schol-

arship; North Quincy High School Yearbook Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Emmanuel Filandrianos AFJROC Scholarship; Captain E. Alan Brudno Scholarship.

Michaela Finn Quincy Education Association Sawyer Family Scholarship.

Caroline Fong AFJROC Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Anna Robison Memorial Scholarship; Vietnam Combat Veterans' Combined Armed Forces Scholarship.

Alyssa Fontana Robert I. Nickerson Post #382 G/Sgt. Francis J. Thorpe Scholarship; Squantum School, Ann Chizauskas Scholarship.

Joanna Fu Quincy Tennis Club Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Martin Casey Memorial Scholarship.

Jenna Furey Quincy Retired Teachers Association North Quincy High School Class of 1938 Scholarship.

Rev. Galecia John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Senan Gambon Robert Pappe Memorial Scholarship.

Cai Gao Quincy Retired Teachers Association Mary A. Boyzant Scholarship; National Youth Leadership Forum Scholarship.

Christopher Garber Squantum School, Ann Chizauskas Scholarship; Quincy Police Patrol Officers Association Scholarship; Tommy Gilmartin Scholarship.

Nicolas Gizzarelli North Quincy High School Faculty Scholarship.

David Guerriero Billy Carroll Football Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club - Jeremiah J. Dacey Scholarship; Squantum School, Ann Chizauskas Scholarship; Quincy Youth Baseball Scholarship; Dennis Thomson Scholarship.

Christopher Guidaboni AFJROC Scholarship.

Yibin B. Guo Allied Waste Services of Quincy Scholarship.

Jonathan Ha AFJROC Scholarship.

Aimee Harrold Wollaston Womens Club Scholarship.

Jennifer Harrold Beechwood Knoll Scholarship.

Lisa Ho Quincy Education Association Albert Cochrane

Scholarship.

Margaret Ho Quincy Retired Teachers Association George A. Wilson Memorial Scholarship.

Ivy Huang Ayers-Shield Science Scholarship; North Quincy High School Mathematics Department Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club - Mabel Fullerton Award Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship; Rueben A. & Lizzie Grossman Memorial Scholarship; Class of 2007 Harvard Book Award Scholarship.

Simon Huang AFJROC Scholarship.

Xin Mei Huang AFJROC Scholarship.

John Huerth Kiwanis Club of Quincy Scholarship; Boys Basketball Boosters Scholarship.

Jordan Huskins AFL-CIO Liuna Local 223 Scholarship.

Alice Iu Quincy Education Association Alice Killilea Memorial Scholarship.

Jessica Johnson Quincy Retired Teachers Association Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship; Class of 2007 Holy Cross Book Award Scholarship; Rueben A. & Lizzie Grossman Memorial Scholarship.

Mark Johnson Squantum School, Maryrose Sullivan Memorial Scholarship; North Quincy High School Faculty Scholarship; Squantum Womens Club Scholarship.

Terrell Johnson Boys Basketball Boosters Scholarship.

Benn Johnson-Tatellbaum Peter J. Zoia, Jr. Scholarship.

Danielle Kelly Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Krystine Kelley The Riley Trust Scholarship.

Phillip Kelly Scott Portesi Wrestling Scholarship; AFJROC Scholarship; Clancy/Ward Wrestling Memorial Scholarship; The Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Madison King North Quincy High School Class of 1958 Scholarship.

Sarah Kou Jewish War Veterans of the United States Post #193 Scholarship; Edward and Margaret Fasino Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Donald E. MacDonald Memorial Scholarship; Squantum School P.T.O. Schol-

arship; National Youth Leadership Forum Scholarship.

Thuong La John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Daphne Lau Robert Charles Billings Scholarship.

Mary Ellen Lau Quincy Retired Teachers Association Stella Krupka Memorial Scholarship; Boston Financial 9/11 Scholarship; Kiwanis Club of Quincy Scholarship; Wilfred A. Nolan Lions Club of Quincy Scholarship.

Michelle Lau AFJROC Scholarship.

Truong Le Ambrose C. Duggan Scholarship.

Heather Lee Quincy Retired Teachers Association Althea Sawyer Memorial Scholarship.

Larissa Lee Quincy Education Association Dr. Mary Baran Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Art Association Scholarship.

Jack Leung Clancy/Ward Wrestling Memorial Scholarship.

Aaron Li AFJROC Scholarship.

Mona Li Quincy Retired Teachers Association Marie Youngerman Memorial Scholarship.

Zhuo Mei Li Quincy Education Association Anne Loya (Art) Scholarship.

Lok Man Liem Quincy School Community Partnership for Community Service Scholarship; AFJROC Scholarship.

Cathy Lin Quincy Retired Teachers Association Lucy Maria Marr Memorial Scholarship.

Christina Lin Quincy Retired Teachers Association John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Carrie Lou Quincy Retired Teachers Association Lou and Betsy DiBona Scholarship.

Bryan Logue Quincy Education Association Alice Killilea Memorial Scholarship; Wilfred A. Nolan Lions Club of Quincy Scholarship.

Kenny Lok AFJROC Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Peter F. Bouchie Scholarship.

Jamie Losordo Elizabeth Cianci Memorial Scholarship.

Shannon Malone Wollaston Beach Volleyball Challenge Scholarship.

Linda Man Tommy Gilmartin Scholarship.

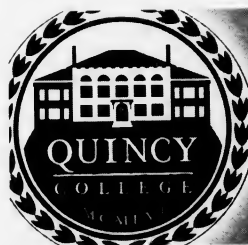
Steven Matos Quincy Elks Scholarship Scholarship.

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FOR MAYOR

Congratulations And Good Luck To The Class of 2007

Tom Koch
NQHS Class of '81



The Faculty and Staff of
Quincy College congratulate
the graduating class of 2007

Congratulations to the QHS Class of 2007



Council President
Doug Gutro & Family

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MAHATMA GANDHI

Quincy High School Scholarships Recipients

The following graduates of the Quincy High School Class of 2007 have been awarded these scholarships.

John R. Alexander, II: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Russell Eramio Memorial Scholarship; Anthony R. Pollara Memorial Scholarship; JoAnn O'Malley Memorial Scholarship; Outstanding Technical Student Scholarship.

Stephanie A. Almario: Quincy High School Girls Soccer Booster Book Award Scholarship.

Pluton Angeli: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Marion Rogers Memorial Scholarship.

Wilson A. Araujo: Member of the Class of 1967 Scholarship; Jeanne M. MacNeil Memorial Scholarship.

Camilo Arredondo: Boston Plumber's Union Scholarship; South Shore Plumbing and Gas Inspectors Scholarship.

Elizabeth L. Bergstrom: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Marie Lynch Memorial Scholarship; Robert Charles Billings Scholarship; Vietnam Combat Veterans of Quincy Scholarship.

Robyn S. Bernstein: Quincy Education Association Charles Bernazzani Scholarship; Sterling Middle School Student Council Scholarship.

Joshua Berry: Reuben A. and Lizzie Grossman Award Scholarship; Quincy Lodge of Elks Karen Petrillo Scholarship.

Jordan D. Blair: Anna May Flahive Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club John D. McKay Scholarship; Paul Harold Foundation Scholarship.

Danielle E. Bollin: Quincy College CCI Scholarship; Gamma Beta Phi Quincy College Service Scholarship.

Sean Boyd: Quincy College CCI Scholarship.

Meaghan Brown: Bob Hanna Citizens Police Academy Scholarship.

Jacquelyn Callahan: Quincy Youth Soccer Joy Hanlon Memorial Scholarship.

Alex Chan: Bill Dunn, Jr. Memorial Scholarship; George G. Burke Foundation Scholarship.

Kevin Chan: Quincy Education Association Sawyer Family Technical Scholarship; Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council Scholarship.

Guan Dong Chen: Quincy School Community Partnership



PAIGE E. NEUMANN is valedictorian of the Quincy High School Class of 2007.

Scholarship; Jewish War Veterans Scholarship.

Jia Wei Chen: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship; Rural Masonic Lodge William E. Low Scholarship.

Sugun Chen: Quincy Education Association Esther A. Weeden-Morton Scholarship.

James R. Christie: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Warren and Elsie Findlay Scholarship; Robert Charles Billings Scholarship.

Kathleen Chung: Women In Technology Scholarship.

Hope E. Collins: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Alfred and Ella Knapton Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club John D. McKay Scholarship.

Stephen M. Connolly: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-James S. Collins Memorial Scholarship; Ambrose C. Duggan Memorial Scholarship; Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council Scholarship; Kiwanis International Scholarship; Joe Russell Memorial Fund Scholarship; Quincy Youth Baseball Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club Bernard Farren Award Scholarship; Quincy Lodge of Elks Scholarship.

Jonathan W. Conso: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Mary Marr Parker Memorial Scholarship; John P. Bogan Memorial Scholarship; George G. Burke Foundation Scholarship.

Wendell R. Cosgrove: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Joseph Streadwell Memorial Scholarship; Janet C. Scanlan Memorial Scholarship; Jewish War Veterans Scholar-



JIA WEI CHEN is salutatorian of the Quincy High School Class of 2007.

ship; Steven V. Barrett Memorial Scholarship; Joe Russell Memorial Fund Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club Joseph B. Grossman Award Scholarship; Quincy Lodge of Elks Scholarship.

Mark A. Cugini: Mort Bernstein Sportsmanship Scholarship.

Kristen M. Cummings: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Arnold Rubin Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Alice Killilea Music Scholarship; Quincy High School Footlighters Scholarship.

June C. Dandhanin: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-John W. Walsh Scholarship; The Boston Foundation Lottie S. Page Scholarship; John Paul Daley Memorial Scholarship.

Krysta Davis: Wollaston Women's Club Scholarship; John P. Bogan Memorial Scholarship.

Patrick Day: Quincy Education Association Allen Goldfarb Scholarship.

Christine J. DiStasi: Quincy Art Association Scholarship.

Laura J. Doherty: Keli Mahoney Memorial Scholarship; Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council Scholarship; Quincy School Community Partnership Scholarship.

Kayla M. Dolan: Quincy Education Association Cassandra Thayer Scholarship; Jason Feldman Memorial Scholarship.

Jennifer L. Duggan: Quincy College CCI Scholarship; Gamma Beta Phi Quincy College Service Scholarship.

Anthony B. Dunner: Quincy Rotary Club Bert Eckblom Award Scholarship.

Charles Landry Dybaud: Jewish War Veterans Scholarship.

Nada T. Eid: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Alice Guilmarin Scholarship; Quincy High School Lloyd Hill Class of 1930 Scholarship; Willard A. Nolan Quincy Lions Club Scholarship.

Michelle Fabrizio: Quincy Lodge of Elks Scholarship.

James C. Fay: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Dr. Carol Lee Griffin Scholarship; Robert Charles Billings Scholarship; John Paul Daley Memorial Scholarship; Louise DuArt Performing Arts Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club Edward Demski Award Scholarship.

Keley Flanagan: Quincy Education Association, Inc. Scholarship.

Ashley M. Fooks: Disabled American Veterans Scholarship.

Emily A. Gaeta: Glen Sherriff Memorial Scholarship.

Michael J. Galvez: Ron Della Chiesa Music Scholarship.

Anthony Gibboly: Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council Scholarship.

Amanda E. Hamaty: Abigail's Crossing Book Award

Scholarship.

Megan Hardee: Quincy Education Association Alice Killilea Music Scholarship; Susan M. Finnegan Memorial Scholarship.

Bridget C. Hawko: Paul Nigro Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club John D. McKay Scholarship; Diane E. Merrill Scholarship; Paul Harold Foundation Scholarship; Maxima Mortgage Solutions Scholarship; Quincy Lodge of Elks Scholarship.

Tina M. Hicks: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship.

Jing J. Huang: Quincy Art Association Scholarship; Jewish War Veterans Scholarship.

Ying Huang: Quincy High School Air Force JROTC Scholarship; Quincy School Community Partnership Scholarship; Wed Z. Hussein; Margaret Rose Durant Mahoney Memorial Scholarship.

Nathaniel Johnson: Michael Grimmitt Memorial Scholarship.

Raffi Kondili: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship.

Brigid A. Kyle: Ensign James P. Mulroy Scholarship; Beechwood Knoll School PTO Scholarship.

Raymond Lam: Quincy Education Association, Inc. Sawyer Family Scholarship.

Ngô Lan: Quincy Education Association Dr. Albert DiMascio Scholarship.

Korey A. Little: Breda McCarron Memorial Scholarship.

Qi Tao Lu: Joseph B. Halbert Trust Scholarship.

Hien Luong: Maude M. Howes Music Scholarship.

Joseph MacDonald: Charles L. Bifulchi Memorial Scholarship; Paul Melody Electrical Scholarship.

Taysir G. Mahmoud: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-John and Winifred Fitzpatrick Memorial Scholarship; Ambrose C. Duggan Memorial Scholarship; Women In Technology Scholarship.

Christina Z. Manion: Joseph B. Halbert Trust Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club Roger Brousseau Award Scholarship.

Deirdre T. McCombs: Quincy High School Student Council Scholarship; Friends of Quincy High School Alumni Scholarship; Quincy School Community Partnership Scholarship; Steven V. Barrett Memorial Scholarship; Sterling Middle School Student Council Scholarship.

Allison M. McDonough: Disabled American Veterans Scholarship.

Charles McGee: Anthony R. Pollara Memorial Scholarship.

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Congratulations to the NQHS Class of 2007



Council President
Doug Gutro & Family

"Be the change you wish to see in the world."
M. LUTHER KING, JR.

Good Luck and
Congratulations to
the Graduates of
QHS and NQHS 2007
May you move forward
in life and achieve
all your dreams.
God Bless all of you.



Dave McCarthy
School Committee



Congratulations
to the Quincy and
North Quincy High School
Class of 2007 Graduates!

Best Wishes,
Joanne Ross Morrissey (QHS '73)

Senator
Michael W. Morrissey (NQHS '72)

Colby Morrissey (NQHS '03)

James Morrissey (NQHS '06)

North Quincy High School Awards Recipients

The following graduates of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007 have received these awards.

Julia Anderson: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society.

Eileen Ann: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Latin 4 Honors; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Modern European History.

Marissa Ayer: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Italian.

Christopher R. Baker: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - The Calculus Honors.

Rachel E. Barrett: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Early Childhood Education; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Developmental Psychology.

Richard Wayne Bjork: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English.

David Blaton: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Italian 4 Honors; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French.

Christopher Boyd: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Pre-Calculus.

Michelle Budukiewicz: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Italian.

Kerriann Eileen Cabral: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Developmental Psychology; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Chemistry.



NATALIE A. DJERF is the president of the North Quincy High School Student Council and a member of the 2007 graduation class.

Peter Cai: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Leadership Excellence; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Kitty Hawk Honor Society Scholastic Excellence.

Michelle Leanne Capone: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Donyelle Carmody: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Alliance Against Racism.

Brendan Carnell: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish; Cynthia Chan.

Cynthia Chan: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society.

Cliff W. Chan: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Public Speaking.

Alexander Chen: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French.

Henry Chen: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Jessica Chen: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society.

Latin

Wenwen Chen: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Matthew N. Chin: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Wei Chin: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Diana Chiu: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Timothy Chow: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Leadership Excellence.

Kevin Chu: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Leadership Excellence.

Michael Zhong Ming Chu: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Leadership Excellence.

Sarah Ming Chu: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Any Chung: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Chemistry.

Bridget Coleman: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society.

Laura Ann D'Arcangelo: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Patient Care 2.

Arta Dashi: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Italian.

Kimberly Dela Cruz: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Developmental Psychology; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - U.S. Academic Decathlon.

Maria Nicole Della Croce: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Ellen DiNicola: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Italian.

Natalie Djerf: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin.

Linh Do Pham: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society.

Saralynne Donovan: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Golf.

Courtney Dotoli: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish.

Richard James Doyle: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Jonathan D. Dooks: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Kaitlin Edgerly: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Renaissance Internship; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Integrated Mathematics 12.

Sarah Ellis: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - French Exchange; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Chemistry.

Shan Fan: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Leadership Excellence; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Alliance Against Racism.

Emmanuel Filandrianos: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin.

Caroline Fong: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC; Kitty Hawk Honor Society Scholastic Excellence; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Alyssa Anne Fontana: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Kathleen Ann Forde: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Golf.

Joanna Fu: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - European History AP.

Jenna Hurey: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish.

Rebecca Galea: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin.

Joseph Edward Gallant: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Public Speaking.

Cai Gao: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Pre-Calculus Honors.

Jian Gao: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Christopher John Garber: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12 S; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Public Speaking; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish.

Jennifer Ann-Marie Gates: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Christina Graziano: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Italian.

Yibin B. Guo: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Algebra 2; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Advanced Placement Statistics; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

Jonathan Ha: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC; Kitty Hawk Honor Society Scholastic Excellence.

Victoria Leigh Haskell: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Choral Vocal Music.

Lisa Ho: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin.

Margaret Ho: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin.

Ivy Huang: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Chemistry; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Art Gallery Club; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12 AP; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Modern European History.

Xiu Mei Huang: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC Leadership Excellence; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - AFJROTC; Kitty Hawk Honor Society Scholastic Excellence.

John Michael Huether: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Public Speaking.

Alice Iu: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Choral Vocal Music.

Amanda Jackson: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Renaissance Creative Arts in Dance.

Jessica Johnson: Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - English 12.

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The following graduates of the Quincy High School Class of 2007 have received these awards.

Edwin A. Aguirre: Science Award 10.

Christopher E. Alexander: Artistic Excellence.

John R. Alexander, II: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Career and Technical Education Student of the Year; Outstanding Student in Automotive Technology; Excellence in Economics; Quincy High School Science Fair Winner; Air Force Engineering Award; National Society of Engineers Award.

Tiandra Alexander: Excellence in Meditation.

Stephanie A. Almario: Outstanding Student in Patient Care; Excellence in Meditation.

Pluton Angeli: President's Award for Educational Excellence - Gold; Perfect Attendance 9.

Camilo Arredondo: Outstanding Student in Plumbing Technology.

Elizabeth L. Bergstrom: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in French; Excellence in Accounting; Excellence in Science; Outstanding Achievement in English.

Travis M. J. Bernal: Drama Certificates.

Myrtho L. Bernard: Math Award 2004, 2005; English Award 2005; Auto Detailing Award 2005.

Joshua Berry: Excellence in Political Science; Excellence in Meditation.

Levi B. Boateng: Excellence in Italian.

Danielle E. Bollin: Academic Excellence in Principles of Technology.

Scott Boudreaux: Outstanding Student in Carpentry Technology.

Matt Boyle: Excellence in Italian.

Alex Chan: Excellence in Electrical.

Trista Chan: AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2007; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2007.

Guan Dong Chen: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Leadership Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Achievement Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Superior Performance Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Drill Competition Ribbon 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Cocurricular Activities Leadership Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Drill Team Ribbon 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Color Guard Ribbon 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Service Ribbon 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Recruiting Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2006, 2007;



DEIRDRE MCCOMBS is the president of the Quincy High School Student Council and a member of the 2007 graduation class.

AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007.

Hong Li Chen: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007.

Jia Wei Chen: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in AP Statistics; Excellence in English; Excellence in Economics; Excellence in Physics; Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12; Excellence in Calculus; Excellence in Algebra 1, 2; Excellence in Precalculus.

James R. Christie: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in English; Excellence in Political Science; Perfect Attendance 10, 11.

Kathleen Chung: Co-President of Women in Technology; Perfect Attendance 11, 12.

Hope E. Collins: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in English; Excellence in Political Science.

Michele C. Collier: Academic Excellence & Leadership in Applied Bio/Chem I.

Stephen M. Connolly: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Quincy High School Pride Award; Student Leadership Award.

Jonathan W. Conso: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver.

Wendell R. Cosgrove: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Lloyd Hill Spirit Award; Student Leadership Award; Excellence in Political Science; Science Recognition in Chemistry; Heritage Book Award.

Kristen M. Cummings: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Genesis Medal for Excellence in Theatre Arts.

June C. Dandhanin: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in AP Statistics; Excellence in Precalculus; Excellence in English; Excellence in Economics.

Kristen L. Daniels: Science Awards 9, 10.

Joshua J. DaRocha: Welding Awards 9, 10.

Krysta Davis: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Quincy High School Horizons Choir Outstanding Award; Excellence in Graphic Design and Visual Arts; Excellence in English; Excellence in Cheerleading; Drama Club Award.

Patrick Day: Unsung Hero Track 10, 11, 12.

Shiun Deng: Excellence in Fashion Design Technology.

Christine J. DiStasi: Artistic Excellence.

Laura J. Doherty: Student Leadership Award; Outstanding Student in Early Education and Care; Excellence in Fashion Technology.

Kayla M. Dolan: Thespis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts; Massachusetts Drama Guild Award for Excellence in Props; Science Honors Award.

Anthony B. Dunner: Outstanding Student in Broadcasting; Outstanding Student in Welding Technology; Excellence in English.

Charles Landry Dybaud: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Attendance Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006.

Nada T. Eid: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in French Spectrum Leadership Award.

James C. Fay: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Thespis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts; Excellence in English.

Yan Feng: AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2007; AFJROTC Good Conduct Medal 2007; AFJROTC Dress and Appearance Ribbon 2007; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2007; Perfect Attendance 11, 12.

Kelsey Flanagan: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Cheerleading.

Ashley M. Fooks: Outstanding Student in Fashion Technology; Excellence in Fashion Technology; Excellence in Cheerleading.

Lawrence Furbish: Thespis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts.

Emily A. Gaeta: Artistic Excellence; Excellence in Broadcasting.

Shawn Hamel: Perfect Attendance 11.

Megan Hardee: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Thespis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts; Quincy High School Horizons Choir Outstanding Award.

Bridget C. Hawko: Outstanding Student in Medical Assisting.

Tina M. Hicks: President's Award for Educational Excellence - Gold; Thespis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts.

Khin Maung Htun: Excellence in Engineering; Perfect Attendance 9.

Jing J. Huang: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Medal 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007; Artistic Excellence.

Wan Ting Huang: Excellence in Band; Excellence in Mandarin.

Ying Huang: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; Reserve Officer Association National Award 2006; National Sojourners Award 2005; AFJROTC Distinguished Cadet Award 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Cadet Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Leadership Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Achievement Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Superior Performance Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Drill Competition Ribbon 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Cocurricular Activities Leadership Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Drill Team Ribbon 2006.

2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Color Guard Ribbon 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Service Ribbon 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Recruiting Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2004, 2005, 2006; March of Dimes Certificate of Appreciation 2006.

Jiayin Liu: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007.

Qi Tao Lu: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in French; Excellence in AP Calculus.

Simin Lu: Science Excellence Award.

Hien Luong: National School Choral Award.

Joseph MacDonald: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Outstanding Student in Electrical Technology.

Taysir G. Mahmoud: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Daughters of American Revolution Good Citizenship Award; Excellence in English; Co-President of Women in Technology; Excellence in AP Biology.

Christina Z. Manion: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Outstanding Student in Culinary Arts; Excellence in Meditation; Secretary of Women in Technology; Science Recognition - Biology; Science Recognition - Earth Science.

Deirdre T. McCombs: Outstanding Leadership; Thespis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts; Outstanding Student in Graphic Design and Visual Arts; Excellence in Meditation.

Allison M. McDonough: Excellence in Meditation.

Maria McNulty: Excellence in Italian; Excellence in Teacher Assisting for Health and Human Services.

Thomas Meng: Excellence in Band.

Alison Moriarty-Carlson: Excellence in Band.

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Dawn McCauley Jewish War Veterans of the United States Post #193 Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Harry A. and Lousa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship; Robert I. Nickerson Post #382 Lance Corporal Christopher C. Donahue Scholarship; Squantum School, Virginia Marie Whalen Memorial Scholarship.

Danielle McDonnell Elizabeth Ciani Memorial Scholarship; First Baptist Church of Wollaston Scholarship; Marilyn Robbins Memorial Scholarship; Quincy College Scholarship.

Joshua McKeon Mark Simonelli Memorial Hockey Scholarship.

Erin McMahon AFL CIO Luana Local 223 Scholarship; Quincy College Scholarship.

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Eric Moreschi North Quincy High School Class of 1958 Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club - John D. McKay Scholarship; Robert I. Nickerson Post #382 Scholarship; Sarah Radell Memorial Scholarship; Squantum School P.T.O. Scholarship; Tommy Gilmartin Scholarship; Quincy Youth Baseball Scholarship.

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Emily Murphy Robert Charles Billings Scholarship.

Erin Murtagh Quincy College Scholarship.

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Anh Nguyen Hugh Simpson Memorial Scholarship.

Julie Nguyen AFJROTC Scholarship.

Kathleen O'Brien North Quincy High School Gerald Lyons Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Joseph Page Edward and Margaret Fasino Scholarship; Ralph Paul Family Dorchester Center Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship; Joseph Conti Jr. Massachusetts Maritime Scholarship.

Merideth Palmer Quincy Education Association Monroe MacLean Scholarship.

Loren Panf Quincy Retired Teachers Association Harry A. and Lousa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship; Class of 2007 Dartmouth Book Award Scholarship.

Rosemary Panzner First Baptist Church of Wollaston Scholarship; Boston Scientific Scholarship.

Olivia Parsons Quincy Education Association Geraldine Loughlin-Fahy Scholarship.

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Quincy High School Maude M. Howe Memorial Scholarship.

Daniel Reilly John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

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Jonathan Romero AFJROTC Scholarship.

Christopher Rooney Squantum School, Virginia Marie Whalen Memorial Scholarship.

Julianne Ross North Quincy High School David Hourin Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Retired Teachers Association Harry A. and Lousa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship; Class of 2007 Wellesley Book Award Scholarship.

Samy Ronabba AFJROTC Scholarship.

Allison Russell Disabled American Veterans Chapter #79 Scholarship.

Daniel Sok AFJROTC Scholarship; Clancy/Ward Wrestling Memorial Scholarship.

Christopher Spencer Quincy Education Association Alice Killilea Memorial Scholarship.

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Lauren Stille John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Kristina Storer Quincy Retired Teachers Association Elizabeth and Esther Gizzarelli Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Elks Scholarship.

Jonathan Tan Clancy/Ward Wrestling Memorial Scholarship.

Susan Tan Kenneth Shine Legal Studies Scholarship.

Dewar Jon Tan Fallon Ambulance - Emergency Medical Technician Training Scholarship.

Benson Tang Boston Financial 9/11 Scholarship; AFJROTC Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Ivar O. Nelson Memorial Scholarship.

Catalina Tang North Quincy High School Art Scholarship.

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David Tidwell Gregory B. Buck Memorial Scholarship.

May Tin AFJROTC Scholarship.

Adam Tragellis Joseph Salenius Memorial Scholarship.

Anne Tran Quincy Rotary Club - John D. McKay Scholarship; Elinor Morrao Thorbahn Memorial Scholarship.

Bryant Tran AFJROTC Scholarship.

Nicole Ashley Tucker North Quincy High School Yearbook Scholarship; George G. Burke Kenneth Rickson Scholarship.

James Vey American Legion Wollaston Post #295 Scholarship.

Kim Vu Catherine Newman Memorial Scholarship; Beatrice Priest Scholarship.

Leah White Elizabeth Ciani Memorial Scholarship.

Tara Whooley Quincy Youth Soccer Michael Therrien Memorial Scholarship; Marilyn Robbins Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Anna L. Murphy Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club - John D. McKay Scholarship.

Courtney Willis Joseph Halbert Scholarship.

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Bobby Wong John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Gordon Wong Edward and Margaret Fasino Scholarship.

Iok Wong Roland Small Memorial Scholarship; AFJROTC Scholarship; Quincy Art Association Scholarship.

Ka Yi Wong John B. Vergobbi & Angelo Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Melanie Wong AFJROTC Scholarship.

Yao Wong Ralph Willard Memorial Scholarship.

Kenneth Xu AFJROTC Scholarship.

Katy Yeh Quincy Retired Teachers Association Walter Hittl Memorial Scholarship; Class of 2007 Cornell Club Book Award Scholarship.

Kevin Yeh AFJROTC Scholarship.

Vicky Yu AFJROTC Scholarship.

Junji Zhang AFJROTC Scholarship.

Alice Zhen John F. Messina Art Scholarship.

Steven Zhen Quincy Rotary Club - John D. McKay Scholarship.

North Quincy High School Awards Recipients

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National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Modern European History; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - U.S. Academic Decathlon; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Latin 3

Advanced; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Latin; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish.

Mark V. Johnson Certificate of Outstanding Achievement -

ment - English 12; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Italian 4 Honors; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Italian.

Terrell Johnson Certificate of Outstanding Achievement -

Accounting I.

Benn Johnson-Tatelbaum Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Latin I Honors.

Anthony Nicholas King Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Mathematics.

Sarah Kou Certificate of

Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French.

Michael Richard Kozak Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Integrated Mathematics 12.

Thuong Minh La Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Pre-Calculus.

Barbara Lagroterria Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - U.S. Academic Decathlon.

Daphne Lau Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Art Club.

Michelle Lau Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Annie Lee Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Heather K. Lee Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Choral Vocal Music; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement -

National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish.

Larissa Lee Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Public Speaking.

Patrick Lee Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Spanish.

Jackie Leung Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Yan L. Li Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society Mandarin.

Michael Y. Li Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Pre-Calculus Honors.

Mona Li Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - National Honor Society; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - Foreign Language Honor Society French; Certificate of Outstanding Achievement - U.S. Academic Decathlon.

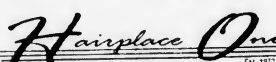
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Thomas Meng: Quincy Education Association Alice Killilea Music Scholarship.

Alison Moriarty-Carlson: John B. and Angelo H. Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship; Allied Waste Services of Quincy Scholarship; Quincy High School Girls Soccer Booster Book Award Scholarship; Quincy Youth Soccer Joy Hanlon Memorial Scholarship.

Jeffrey Mui: Joseph B. Halbert Trust Scholarship.

Brendan J. Mulrooney: Quincy Education Association Frank and Janet Goudy Scholarship.

Kshitij Nagpal: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Deziree Nascimento: Koch Club of Quincy Scholarship.

Paige E. Neumann: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-

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Janet Ng: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Judy Ngai: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-John W. Walsh Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club John D. McKay Scholarship; Sterling Middle School Student Council Scholarship.

Carla M. Nickerson: Wollaston Beach Volleyball Scholarship.

Daniel W. O'Connell: John B. and Angelo H. Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship; George G. Burke Foundation Scholarship; Sterling Middle School Student Council Scholarship.

Jeffrey E. Ohlson: Quincy Education Association Muriel Goudy Scholarship.

Robert W. Page III: Quincy

Retired Teachers Association-Herman Noyes Memorial Scholarship; Ted DeCristofaro Memorial Scholarship.

Stephen G. Palmatier: South Shore Savings Bank Citizenship Award Scholarship; Quincy Education Association Janet C. Jensen Scholarship; Quincy Sun Scholarship; Quincy Tennis Club Scholarship.

Courtney Palmer: Quincy Education Association Eileen Rugg Scholarship; Abigail's Crossing Book Award Scholarship.

Joseph A. Pantano: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Charles Low Pratt Family Scholarship; AFL-CIO UAPP Local 12 Scholarship; Donald B. Moore Scholarship.

Meriam Sung Len Par: Lorraine Scholler Memorial Scholarship.

Suji Park: Quincy Education Association Maude Wheeler Scholarship.

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Foundation-Lawrence W. O'Toole Scholarship; Kiwanis International Scholarship; Wilfred A. Nolan Quincy Lions Club Scholarship.

Kimberly C. Pham: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-John W. Walsh Scholarship; Outstanding Technical Student Scholarship; Rural Mason Lodge William E. Low Scholarship; Quincy Rotary Club John D. McKay Scholarship; Quincy Lodge of Elks Scholarship.

Brandon T. Popielnicki: John J. Fitzgerald Memorial Culinary Arts Scholarship.

Ray Pratt: Jewish War Veterans Scholarship.

Stephen J. Reed: Bill Dunn, Jr. Memorial Scholarship.

Katherine E. Shea: Quincy Retired Teachers Association-Ruth Meisner Memorial Scholarship; Quincy High School Parent Advisory Council Scholarship; Quincy Youth Soccer Michael Therrien Memorial Scholarship; Quincy Lodge of Elks William "Lefty" Raymer Scholarship.

Dylan J. Simpson: Quincy College CCI Scholarship.

Siliang Song: Quincy High School Air Force JROTC Scholarship; Quincy School Community Partnership Scholarship; Jewish War Veterans Scholarship.

Loren Spahiu: Quincy Veterans Council Scholarship.

Stephanie Stephenson: Chester David Catler Scholarship; Kiwanis International Scholarship; Muriel L. Nicholls Memorial Fund Scholarship.

Lilian C. Stice: Helen Harold Memorial Scholarship; Joseph Doyle Memorial Music Scholarship; Quincy High School Footlights Scholarship.

Terry Szeto: Koch Club of Quincy Scholarship.

Jin Long Tan: Quincy Education Association Esther Gizzarelli Scholarship; Quincy High School Air Force JROTC Scholarship.

Saad Taha: Quincy Education Association Frank Goudy Scholarship.

Jared M. Tucker: Quincy High School Parent Advisory

Council Scholarship; Quincy Youth Baseball Scholarship.

Nensi Veselaj: Quincy Retired Teachers Association Palmisano Family Scholarship.

Phuong Vo: Quincy Education Association Frank and Janet Goudy Scholarship.

Thuy Vuong: Beatrice Priest Scholarship.

Joshua H. Wallace: James Flahive Scholarship.

Michelle S. M. Williams: Quincy College CCI Scholarship.

Yong Yang: Quincy High School Air Force JROTC Scholarship; Quincy School Community Partnership Scholarship.

Jing Zeng: John B. and Angelo H. Vergobbi Memorial Scholarship.

Dhimitraq Zheku: Quincy Education Association W. Scott Austin Scholarship.

Rongfu Zhen: William F. Ryan Scholarship.

Jinfang Zheng: Joseph Bennett Memorial Scholarship.

Lin Zheng: Quincy High School Air Force JROTC Scholarship; Quincy School Community Partnership Scholarship.

Quincy High School Awards Recipients

(Cont'd From Page 27)

President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver.

Stephanie Moronta: Excellence in French.

Jeffrey Mui: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Perfect Attendance 10, 11.

Mary Murray: Excellence in Mediation; Excellence in Teacher Assisting for Office Administrative Assistant.

Kshitij Nagpal: President's Award for Educational Excellence - Gold; Excellence in Engineering; Excellence in AP Calculus; Excellence in Computer Programming; Excellence in AP Physics.

Deziree Nascimento: Excellence in Spanish.

Paige E. Neumann: President's Award for Educational Excellence - Gold; Thesis Award for Outstanding Work in Theatre Arts; Outstanding Leadership; Excellence in English; Excellence in French; Excellence in Economics; Excellence in Psychology; Excellence in Band.

Janet Ng: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Mediation; Vice-President of Women in Technology; Excellence in Anatomy & Physiology.

Judy Ngai: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Science Recognition Award.

Christina Nilovic: Artistic Excellence; Boston Globe Scholastic Art Award 2006, 2007.

Daniel W. O'Connell: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver;

Excellence in English.

Katie L. O'Neill: Achievement in Criminal Law.

Jeffrey E. Ohlson: Excellence in Broadcasting.

Robert W. Page, III: President's Award for Educational Excellence - Gold.

Stephen G. Palmatier: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Band; Perfect Attendance 11.

Joseph A. Pantano: President's Award for Educational Excellence - Gold; Excellence in Design Development; Brown Book Award.

Meriam Sung Len Par: Excellence in Mediation.

Suji Park: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Outstanding Effort and Achievement in ESL.

Dung Pham: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Mediation; Excellence in AP Biology.

Kimberly C. Pham: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Engineering; Excellence in AP Environment Science; Science Recognition - Earth Science; Science Recognition - Biology.

Ray Pratt: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2005; AFJROTC Service Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Dress and Appearance Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007.

Anthony J. Priscella: Perfect Attendance 11.

Felipe Quinones: Excellence in Mediation.

Stephen J. Reed: Excellence in Band.

Katherine E. Shea: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Outstanding Leadership.

Brittany M. Sherrod: Excellence in English.

Siliang Song: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Leadership Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Superior Performance Ribbon 2005; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Top Performer Award 2006; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Drill Competition Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Cocurricular Activities Leadership Ribbon

2005, 2006; AFJROTC Drill Team Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Color Guard Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Service Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Attendance Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Dress and Appearance Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2005, 2006, 2007; March of Dimes Certificate of Appreciation 2006.

Loren Spahiu: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Dress and Appearance Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2005, 2006, 2007; Excellence in

Algebra 2.

Stephanie Stephenson: Spectrum Leadership Award; Outstanding Student in Business Technology.

Lilian C. Stice: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Genesis Medal for Excellence in Theatre Arts; National School Choral Award.

Heather J. Sullivan: Excellence in Accounting.

Jin Long Tan: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Daedalian National Award 2006; AFJROTC Superior Performance Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; Aerospace Education Foundation Academic Cadet Award 2006; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Service Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC

Dress and Appearance Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2005, 2006, 2007.

Xiao Ying Tan: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007.

Saad Taha: Outstanding Student in Information Technology.

Brian W. Thomas: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver.

Patrick Timmons: Excellence in English; Achievement in Criminal Law.

Nensi Veselaj: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Italian.

Phuong Vo: Perfect Attendance 11.

Thuy Vuong: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver.

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Quincy High School Awards Recipients

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ment - Silver; Excellence in French.

Shanica Le-Shan Wade: Mediation Recognition.

Taila-Jade Whitford: Excellence in Cheerleading.

Liu Yang: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Physical Fitness Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2006;

AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007.

Yong Yang: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Drill Team Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Service Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2005, 2006,

200; March of Dimes Certificate of Appreciation; Project Bread The Walk for Hunger Certificate of Appreciation.

Wing Shing Yeung: Outstanding Student in Digital Electronics.

Jing Zeng: President's Award for Educational Achievement - Silver; Excellence in Computer Programming.

Rongfu Zhen: Excellence in Precalculus; Excellence in English; Excellence in Accounting.

Xiu Li Zhen: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007;

AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Competition Ribbon 2007; AFJROTC Drill Team Ribbon 2007; AFJROTC Good Conduct Medal 2006, AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007; Perfect Attendance 9.

Jinfang Zheng: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006;

AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Attendance Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Medal 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006.

Lin Zheng: AFJROTC Certificate of Completion 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2005, 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Outstanding Flight Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2005, 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Medal 2005, 2006.

2007; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2005, 2006, 2007; March of Dimes Certificate of Appreciation 2005, 2006.

Xiangli Zhuo: AFJROTC Certificate of Training 2007; AFJROTC Distinguished Unit Award 2006, 2007; AFJROTC Academic Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Activities Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Good Conduct Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Dress and Appearance Ribbon 2006; AFJROTC Longevity Ribbon 2006, 2007.

Sterling Middle School PTO Awards Eight Scholarships

Scholarships given by the Sterling Middle School PTO include the following:

Those graduating from Quincy High School are

Robyn Bernstein, Jacquelyn Callahan, Anthony Dunner, Allison McDonough and Dan O'Connell.

North Quincy High:

Maria Della Croce and Samy Rouabha.

Archbishop Williams: Doug Myers.

Point Webster School Book Scholarship

Any Quincy or North Quincy High School senior who has been accepted to an institution of higher learning and attended Point Webster

Middle School for grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 may pick up an application at the Point Webster Middle School office or their high school

guidance office.

Applications will be available until June 22 and must be returned to Point Webster by June 28.

George Burke Presents Six More \$1,000 Scholarships

Atty. George G. Burke has presented six more \$1,000 scholarships to Quincy and North Quincy High School graduates who will attend the University of Massachusetts.

Quincy High School recipients are: Jonathan Conso and Alex

Chan, both University of MA-Lowell and Daniel W. O'Connell, University of MA-Boston.

North Quincy recipients: Nicole Tucker, University of MA-Amherst; John Beniot and Nha Ngu, both University of MA-Boston.

This brings to 91 \$1,000 scholarships totaling \$91,000 Burke has awarded over the past 15 years.

He graduated from the University of Massachusetts-Amherst in 1956 and has been a generous supporter of the school.

Senior Resource Center Establishes 'Reflections' College Scholarships

The Senior Resource Center, Inc., 50 Quincy Avenue, is awarding one \$500 "Reflections" college scholarship to one graduating senior from Archbishop Williams High School, North Quincy High School and Quincy High School.

Each applicant needs to

submit an essay about how a grandparent or other senior has influenced his or her life.

All essays must be submitted by June 30. The scholarships will be distributed in August for the 2007-2008 academic year.

All applicants must include the college they will be

attending, their name, address, phone number and email address with their essay.

Essay may be mailed to Kathy Hussey-O'Brien, Senior Resource Center, Inc., 50 Quincy Ave., Quincy, MA 01269 or by email to kobrien@helpingelders.com.

The Montclair School PTO is offering a \$250 book award scholarship to qualified high school seniors who graduated from the Montclair School and plan to continue their education.

Students must have attended Montclair for three consecutive years, including fifth grade. Applications will be available at the school office till the end of the school year and also in September.

Applications must be submitted by Friday, Sept. 14, at the Montclair School, 8 Belmont St. Quincy. For information call 617-984-8708.

Clifford Marshall School Presents Two \$500 Scholarship Awards

The Clifford H. Marshall School has presented two \$500 scholarships to former students pursuing higher education.

Gordon Wong received the Joy Hanlon Award and Frederick Chow, the Clifford H. Marshall Award.

Those interested in helping to support the

school's scholarship program may send donations to Clifford H. Marshall School, Scholarship Committee, 200 Moody Street, Quincy, 02169.

Robert Muollo Scholar Athlete At Clark

Quincy's Robert A. Muollo, Jr., has been named a Scholar Athlete at Clark University and has been recognized as an all-conference athlete in baseball by the New England Women's and Men's Athletic Conference (NEWMAC).

The NEWMAC Conference consists of ten Massachusetts colleges engaged in competitive

sports and committed to academic excellence.

Muollo has earned a cumulative 3.5 grade point average at Clark University and played with the varsity team for the entire season.

A 2003 graduate of Quincy High school, Muollo will receive his bachelor's degree in December from Clark University where he will continue studying for his

Masters' Degree in Community Development and Planning.

Christopher Frank Receives Master's Degree At Bryant

Christopher Bryan Frank of North Quincy was awarded a Master's Degree in business administration recently during Bryant

University's Graduate School Commencement. The Springfield, R.I. university marked its 144th anniversary this year.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Backup Plan Keeps Fitness on Track

Setting a realistic fitness schedule is one of the most important elements in developing a successful fitness and nutrition plan. It is equally important to remember that each day may not work out exactly as planned.

Emergencies, family priorities and last-minute appointments can all put a wrench in our fitness routine. Establishing a back-up plan can eliminate the stress or guilt that can result from the inability to follow your fitness routine completely. The key is to remain active and use every opportunity to squeeze alternative activities into your day.

The following tips can help develop a fitness back-up plan during unpredictable and hectic times.

- Be flexible ... stretch. Whether it's in the morning, midday or evening, take several minutes out of your day to stretch your whole body. Stretching your shoulders, neck, back, arms and legs can help you relax and promote blood flow to areas of the body that may otherwise remain sedentary and tense all day.

- Take the stairs! Walk the stairs instead of taking an elevator or escalator. Climbing a few flights of stairs several times a day will increase your heart rate slightly, which can help you burn extra calories. Take a few extra seconds to find the stairwell at work or the mall, every little bit helps.

- Park the car and walk. Don't wait 5 minutes for the closest parking space to become available. The extra

few yards you might have to walk is a great way to stimulate your muscles.

- Eat breakfast. Starting your day with a well-balanced meal is extremely important to kick-start your metabolism and prepare your body for the activities of the day.

- Take a walk. You may have missed your favorite aerobics class at the gym, but you can still complete your aerobic workout. Taking a walk at lunch or after dinner or even cycling are great alternatives that can be done almost anywhere.

- Drink plenty of water. Staying hydrated is always important. Water helps the functions of your muscles and tissues and also helps prevent dehydration, which can be overlooked when we are busy or out of our normal routines.

- Initiate family fun. Running around with (or after) the kids is a fun way to exercise. The constant moving, bending and reaching incorporates all of the components of most fitness programs. This is not only great for you but for the whole family.

These fitness back-up tips can be used at any time, not just when your schedule is hectic. Use them to supplement your current fitness program or to fill in the gaps until you are able to get back on track.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfw@heartsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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'Strutters' Raise \$35,000 For Breast Cancer In Four Years South Coastal Bank Employees Raise \$8,500 For Avon Walk

For the fourth consecutive year, South Coastal Bank employees participated in the recent Avon Walk for Breast Cancer in Boston.

The walkers, known as "The South Coastal Strutters," include James Gordon, assistant vice president and operations officer; Susan Lincoln, executive vice president and director of retail banking and marketing; Ann O'Keefe, vice president and retail operations manager; and Daniel Taylor, vice president and business development manager.

The Avon Walk requires each walker to raise a minimum of \$1,800. To meet their \$7,200 group goal, the South Coastal Strutters started raising funds in December by raffling off holiday wreaths, decorated with lottery scratch tickets, at all of South Coastal Bank's branches.

The Strutters also raffled off a Red Sox prize package, which included four tickets and a parking pass, just prior to this year's walk.

In addition, South Coastal



SOUTH COASTAL BANK employees who recently raised \$8,600 for the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer. From left are: James Gordon, assistant vice president and operations officer; Ann O'Keefe, vice president and retail operations manager; Susan Lincoln, executive vice president and director of retail banking and marketing; and Daniel Taylor, vice president and business development manager.

Bank employees helped the Strutters by participating in "Jeans and Sneakers Fridays." Employees who made Avon Walk donations on behalf of the South Coastal Strutters wore their jeans and/or sneakers on Fridays to show their support.

The combination of the

South Coastal Strutters' fund-raising efforts, the generosity of those who contributed and the help of South Coastal Bank employees enabled the Strutters to raise over \$8,600, bringing their four-year total to \$35,000.

Altogether, this year's Boston Avon Walk raised

\$6.7 million, all of which goes toward supporting breast cancer awareness and education; screening and diagnosis; treatment; support services; and scientific research.

For more on the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer, visit www.avonwalk.org.

'Fit Kids' Classes At Healing Tree Yoga, Wellness Center

Healing Tree Yoga & Wellness Center, 605 Hancock St., Wollaston, announces its "Fit Kids" summer series of classes will begin Monday, June 18 at

10:30 a.m.

The fun, flexible and affordable yoga and creative movement classes for boys and girls ages 5-12 years of age will be held three days a

week - Monday, Wednesday and Friday - from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. through the end of August.

Parents and guardians can purchase a 10-class "Fit Kids" card for \$100, or a 20-

class card for \$175 that can be used at any point during the summer season.

For more information or to purchase a card, call 617-770-4800 or visit the website www.healingtreeyoga.com.

Kid-Friendly Tips For Busy Parents

(NAPS) - The relaxed days of summer can be a great time to teach kids healthy habits. Help your kids stay active and eat healthfully with these tips from the American Heart Association:

- "Do as I do!" Be your child's role model. If you enjoy being physically active, your kids will want to be active too. If you park yourself in front of the TV and eat unhealthy snacks, your kids may do the same.

- Move it! Encourage physical activities that kids enjoy. Plan times for the whole family to take a walk, go to a farmers' market, ride bikes, swim, garden or just play outdoors.

- Set goals that kids understand, like completing one hour of physical activity per day and cutting back on desserts.

- Create a grocery-shopping list together. The

American Heart Association's free, online "My Grocery List" builder located at www.heartcheckmark.org makes it easy to browse through more than 800 heart-healthy products certified to be low in saturated fat and cholesterol and/or high in whole grains and fiber. Have the kids make their own special list:

- Click on favorite foods

to add them to the list. Products are organized by food manufacturer and by categories such as bread, dairy case, frozen foods, snacks and more.

- Type in other items, like detergent and pet food.

- Print the list and take it to the store.

- Let the kids look for the heart-check mark on food packages. Smart grocery shopping just got faster and more fun for the whole family.

Bombarded with health information? - The heart-check mark from the American Heart Association makes it easy to cut through the clutter and quickly find tasty, heart-healthy foods. It's the only heart on food packaging that meets Association standards.

To learn more about reducing the risk of heart disease and stroke, visit www.americanheart.org or call (800) AHA-USA1.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

THAT BURNING SENSATION

It is estimated that more than one million adults in this country suffer from a malady known as "burning mouth syndrome" (BMS), which is characterized by a burning sensation in the lining of the mouth. This painful disorder affects mostly women over the age of 60 and can also cause dry mouth and a loss of taste. While it is difficult to pinpoint the exact source(s) of BMS, experts speculate that 30% of cases are caused by pre-existing conditions such as diabetes, the onset of menopause, nutrient deficiency, or complications from radiation/chemotherapy. The other 70% of cases may be due to poorly fitting dentures, dry mouth, tongue thrusting, or teeth grinding. The dentist can help diagnose and treat BMS effectively.

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to manage BMS through practicing good oral hygiene, dietary changes and other preventive practices. We will be happy to discuss any oral concerns you may have. Any time you have a questions, please don't hesitate to ask. Good dentistry is more than excellent clinical skills and state-of-the-art equipment. We feel that mutual trust, too, is a factor in the success of your treatment. Our entire staff believes that open communication can help build this trust. Our office is located at 44 Greenleaf Street. Please call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

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SPORTS

Somerset Ends North Quincy's Season

By SEAN BRENNAN

The North Quincy girls softball team's dream season ended with a 7-0 loss to Somerset High School in the first round of the Division I South Sectional tournament last week at Mitchell/McCoy Field.

But their early exit from the state tournament does not take away from just how great of a spring the Red Raiders had.

North Quincy finished the season with a 15-6 overall record, and a 10-3 record in the Atlantic Coast League. The Raiders ended the regular season in second place in the ACL, and made the post-season for the first time since 1995.

"At the start of the year our team goal was to make the tourney," said head coach Mike Connor. "Winning the league or winning a couple of post-season games would have been gravy. It was disappointing that we lost in the first round, but in softball, starting pitching is the key and Somerset's pitcher was outstanding."

North Quincy may not have gone deep in the tournament, but the 2007 team left its mark on the local

SOFTBALL

softball scene. With a roster that included no seniors, the Red Raiders are poised to be even better in 2008.

"I have a great group of girls on the team and starting next spring our goals will be to win the Atlantic Coast League regular season title and go deeper in the post-season," Connor added. "But this year's team put North Quincy softball on the map. Red Raider varsity girls' sports teams (basketball, soccer etc.) have been successful for many years and we brought the softball program into this group."

"Varsity sports is about having fun, but it's also about wins and losses, and I am confident that with this team and the jayvee and freshman programs, we will have a successful team for many years to come."

This year's 15-6 team had three players named to the league all-star team, and three players named to the honorable mention team. The all-stars included Kerry Coughlin (2nd in the ACL in batting), Brittany Folkins (.404 avg.) and Kasey

O'Connell. Rebecca Goreham, Kathleen Lynch and Paige Bonanni were named honorable mention.

"I very easily could have had five or six all-stars, but with only 15 spots, we had three," Connor said. "Having six girls either named all-stars or honorable mention all-stars only bodes well for us next year."

The Red Raiders are a team filled with dedicated student-athletes, and with players who relish taking on the roles of leaders, Connor knows that things will only get better.

"This is a group of girls who are always involved in sports," said Connor. "Be it playing summer softball, AAU softball, soccer, basketball and other sports, they are all prepared for what the softball season brings. Everyone is always doing something."

Sports are filled with clichés, but Connor has no druthers using one of them when describing his successful year and team.

"It was a positive year with a wonderful group of girls," said Connor. "But as I told the girls, 'Wait till next year.'"



QUINCY YOUTH SOCCER handed out their annual Joy Hanlon and Michael Therrien Memorial Awards to eight local high school students who are alumni of QYS. Pictured from the left are: Chris Boyd, Alex Miner, Jackie Callahan, Allison Moriarty, Katherine Shea and Tara Whoolley. Not pictured: Frankie Hartel and Megan Therrien.

Quincy Youth Soccer Presents 8 Joy Hanlon, Michael Therrien Awards

Quincy Youth Soccer, at its recent annual general meeting, honored eight recipients of the Joy Hanlon and Michael Therrien Memorial Awards. This year's honorees join 62 prior recipients who are from area high schools and are alumni of Quincy Youth Soccer.

Joy Hanlon, of Quincy Point, was an active participant in QYS until her accidental death in 1992. Beginning in 1995, QYS established a memorial fund in her name to honor her competitive spirit and love of soccer.

Michael Therrien, of the Montclair section of Quincy, was an active member of QYS, serving as coach, board member and treasurer. His death in 1999 was a tremendous loss to all that knew him. The Michael Therrien Award was established in 2001 by QYS to commemorate the spirit of a man relentlessly dedicated to children.

To date more than \$25,000 has been awarded to recipients of these two awards to help QYS alumni in their pursuit of secondary education. To qualify, an applicant must have played eight seasons of soccer. Applicants are judged by members of the award committee on their community service, service to their schools and QYS.

Recipients of this year's Michael Therrien awards are:

Christopher Boyd, Megan Therrien and Tara Whoolley, all of North Quincy High School, as well as Katherine Shea of Quincy High School.

"It is especially meaningful to me this year to have Tara and Katherine receive awards," said Marie Therrien, committee chairperson. "They were members of Mike's first travel team, many years ago. They have grown up into impressive young ladies."

Recipients of this year's Joy Hanlon awards are: Francis Hartel and Alexander Miner of Boston College High School, as well as Jacquelyn Callahan and Allison Moriarty of Quincy

High School.

"All of our recipients have done tremendous service not only to their schools but to QYS," said Richard O'Hara, QYS president. "They have refereed, coached in our Under-6 program, coached in-house teams and worked in our special needs program. They have had a tremendous impact in many aspects of the QYS community."

The Joy Hanlon and Michael Therrien Awards are given in the spring of each year. Applications for graduating seniors may be obtained from local high school guidance counselors or from the league Web site www.quincyouthsoccer.com.



Olympic Champion Billy Mills To Attend

Jimmy Kennedy Memorial Road Race Saturday

The 10th annual Jimmy "The Squirrel" Kennedy Memorial Race for ALS, also known as the Squirrel Run, will be held on Sat., June 9 at Pageant Field, Merrymount Parkway in Quincy.

Runners and walkers of all ages and abilities are welcome to attend the 5-mile run and 2.5-mile walk which will benefit The Angel Fund, a non-profit organization dedicated to funding ALS research at the Cecil B. Day Laboratory for Neuromuscular Research at Massachusetts General Hospital. Jimmy Kennedy lost his battle with ALS, better known as Lou Gehrig's Disease, in 1997 at the age of 31.

The week leading up to the Jimmy Kennedy Memorial Race for ALS has been declared "ALS Awareness Week" in Quincy. This year, Olympic champion Billy Mills will be at the Squirrel Run, as will co-chairs Bill Rodgers and Michael Dukakis. Mills, a gold medal winner in the

10,000-meters at the 1964 Olympics, was an unranked unknown entrant when he became the first, and only, American ever to win a gold medal in the event.

Mills was scheduled to arrive in Quincy yesterday (Wed.). On Friday, Mills will attend a breakfast at Granite Links Golf Course for breakfast with Mayor Phelan and guests, followed by a speaking engagement at Central Middle School at which he will speak to a few hundred cross-country and track runners ages 12-14. Mills will also be the guest of honor at a meeting with the Quincy Track Club at Pageant Field at 6 p.m. on Thursday.

Registration for the Squirrel Run begins at 8 a.m. on Saturday, with the 2.5-mile walk starting at 9 a.m. The 5-mile run begins at 10 a.m. along a course that is officially sanctioned by the USA Track and Field, New England Association.

The cost to register on the day of the event is \$20. The

first 500 to register will receive a race T-shirt.

This is the 10th year for the race, according to Rich Kennedy, Jimmy's brother and president of The Angel Fund. In addition to the race and walk, the day will be filled with entertainment for children and awards for competitive runners in 15 age divisions for men and women. There will be trophies, gift certificates and other awards.

Associates sponsorship opportunities are available at a cost of \$5,000. Sponsors will receive exhibit space and prominent signage, the company's name and logo on the event banner, and public announcements during the event.

For registration information, or for further information on sponsorship opportunities, call Rich Kennedy at (781) 383-6008, or email him at tytaylin@aol.com; or Marty Levenson at (800) 999-5950 x 1127, or at mlevenson@adt.com.

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1. Name the last major-league position player to win a Rookie of the Year award without getting at least 300 at-bats for the season.

2. Between 2002 and 2005, there were only three major-league players who hit 50 homers in a season. Name two of them.

3. When was the last time the top seed for each NFL conference met in the Super Bowl?

4. Name the first University of Illinois men's basketball player to top 1,000 points and 1,000 rebounds for his career.

5. In 2006-07, Colorado's Paul Stastny set a rookie NHL mark for longest points-scoring stretch (20 games). Whose record did he break?

6. At which Olympics did Mike Conley Sr. win a gold medal, and in which event?

7. When Tiger Woods won the Buick Invitational in 2007 for the third consecutive time, it marked the fourth tournament he had

won at least three consecutive years. Name two of the other tournaments.

Answers

1. Willie McCovey had 192 at-bats for San Francisco in 1959.

2. Alex Rodriguez of Texas (57 homers) in 2002, Jim Thome of Cleveland (53) in 2002 and Andruw Jones of Atlanta (51) in 2005.

3. It was the 1993 season, when Dallas and Buffalo met in Super Bowl XXVIII.

4. James Augustine tallied 1,383 points and 1,023 rebounds while at Illinois (2002-06).

5. Winnipeg's Teemu Selanne had a point in 17 consecutive games in 1992-93.

6. He won the triple jump at the 1992 Summer Olympics at Barcelona.

7. The Arnold Palmer Invitational at Bay Hill (2000-03), the Memorial Tournament (1999-2001) and the WGC-Bridgestone Invitational at Firestone (1999-2001).

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President's Golf Ladies Association

The Presidents Golf Course's Ladies Association played three days of stroke play over the Memorial Day holiday weekend.

The following are the results from that weekend.

On Saturday in Division I stroke play, Carol Mether (round of 62) took 1st Net. Patty Buck (67) finished in 2nd Net and Melanie Curtin (72) took 1st Gross.

In Division II stroke play, Pat Hagan (70) won at 1st Net, while Carol Cahill (71) finished in 2nd Net. Christine Rivard (84) ended the round in the 1st Gross position.

In Division III play, Carol Maglio (73) and Beverly Brine (73) took 1st and 2nd Net respectively. Jill Hesson (97) finished in 1st Gross.

On Sunday in Division I stroke play, Sue Martinelli (70) finished in 1st Net, and Roberta McCann (70) took home 2nd Net honors. Keri Pratt (80) earned 1st Gross honors.

In Division II stroke play, Rosemary Jennings (72) earned 1st Net, while Karen Ryan (73) finished in 2nd Net. Sandra Jordan (86) ended the round in the 1st Gross position.

In Division III, Carol Maglio (68) finished in 1st Net, and Pat Walsh (73) took 2nd Net. Barbara Robertson (89) ended her round in 1st Gross.

On Monday in Division I play, Chris Fitzpatrick (72) took 1st Net, and Keri Pratt (75) took 1st Gross.

In Division II, Carol Cahill (73) ended the round at the 1st net spot, and Sandra Jordan (93) took home 1st Gross honors.

Finally, in Division III action, Barbara Robertson (71) finished in 1st Net and Carol Maglio (72) took home 2nd Net honors. Paula Murphy (96) finished her round in the 1st Gross spot.

On June 2, the Presidents Ladies Association played a Member/Member tournament at Presidents Golf Course. The following are the results from that day of golf.

The team of Pat Walsh and Karen Ryan finished in 1st Net with a round of 57.

Diane Burke/Wendy Lee (round of 59) came in 2nd Net; Jill Hesson/Carol Cibotti (60) finished in 3rd Net; Pat Hagan/Linda Jamieson (60) came in 4th Net; Patty Buck/Roberta McCann (61) took home 5th Net; Lanie Hanlon/Mal Carson (62) finished in 6th Net and Rosemary Jennings/Lynne Swindler (63) finished in 7th Net.

The team of Melanie Curtin/Michelle Cox (66) finished in 1st Gross, while Marian Conroy/Chris Fitzpatrick (72) took 2nd Gross and the team of Janice Morin/Barbara Quinn (72) grabbed 3rd Gross.

On June 3, the Association held its 9-Hole Stroke Play tournament. The following are the results from that day of golf.

In Division I, Chris Fitzpatrick (score of 31) took 1st Net honors, while Sue Katchpole (37) finished in 1st Gross.

Barbara Robertson (31) finished in 1st Net in Division II stroke play, while Linda Jamieson (42) took 1st Gross.

And in Division III play, Carol Maglio (35) finished in 1st Net, and Nancy Sullivan (44) finished in 1st Gross.

Testing For Swimming And Boating/Sailing Instruction

The Quincy Recreation Department and Barry J. Welch, Director of Recreation, announce that the QRD will conduct an

advance-testing program in preparation for registration for the summer instructional swimming program at the Lincoln Hancock Community Pool.

This testing program is for Quincy residents unfamiliar with the swim program or for a child who may have had additional instruction during the winter. Children are registered for lessons according to their swimming ability.

The schedule for testing is Friday, June 15 from 6 to 8 p.m. The boating and sailing prerequisite swim test will also be offered during the same period.

Additional information can be obtained by calling the QRD at (617) 376-1394. The normal recreation-swimming schedule will be canceled during the hours of testing.

At the end of the testing period the pool will close for annual cleaning and maintenance.

Junior Farm League

The following are the updated standing through June 6 for the Quincy Youth Baseball Junior Farm League:

- Timmins Club - 15-0-0
- Yellow Cab - 13-2-0
- McDonald Insurance - 12-2-0
- Foley Club - 9-3-2
- Bellotti Club - 8-8-0
- Bee Zee Auto - 7-8-0
- Donovan Bros. - 7-8-0
- Lydon's Funeral - 5-6-0
- South Shore Cooperative - 5-8-1
- McDermott Club - 5-9-0
- Egan's Sunoco - 5-10-0
- Quincy Auto Wash - 3-9-1
- Ayers Collision - 2-13-0
- Tobin Club - 1-11-0

Family, Friends, Colleagues Attend Party At Raynham Park

Lionel 'Shine' Buckley Celebrates 85th Birthday Party

Lionel "Shine" Buckley, former Quincy Recreation Department supervisor, was honored by his family, friends and former colleagues at Raynham Park in celebration of his 85th birthday.

Buckley, who retired from the Quincy Recreation Department 21 years ago, is also a former guidance counselor, teacher and coach in the Boston Public Schools. Many of the guests in attendance worked with him at the Quincy Recreation Department.

Among those attending were Ted Stevenson, former North Quincy High School basketball coach; John Franceschini, former Quincy High School coach; Bo Ruggiero, current Foxboro High School basketball



FORMER QHS BASKETBALL coach, John Franceschini (left), and former NQHS coach, Ted Stevenson (right), with Lionel "Shine" Buckley at his 85th birthday celebration at Raynham Park.

coach; Charles Bergeron, WBZ sports reporter, and Barry J. Welch, Quincy Recreation Department

director.

Buckley's four sons, Bruce of Sandwich, Brian, Brad and Brett of Quincy,

and grandson, Jessie, accompanied "Shine" at the event.

Track Team Represented At State Meet

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy/North Quincy track team sent several team members to the Division I State Meet which was held on May 26 at Lowell's Cawley Stadium.

Both the boys' team and the girls' team amassed a total of six team points each.

Senior Joe Page placed fifth in the shot put with a throw of 48'9" feet. Sophomore Jeff Pereira took fifth place honors in both the long jump and the 110-hurdles. Pereira jumped a personal best 20'07" feet in the long jump and ran the 110-hurdles in a time of 15.45 seconds. His running time in that event qualified him for the All-States. Pereira's time of 15.45 seconds in the 110-hurdles was the fourteenth best time in that event for the entire state.

Sophomore Chris

Bergeron also competed in the shot put event.

For the girls, Virginia Wong finished in sixth place in the javelin event. Wong's final distance was 101'6" feet.

Wong's teammate Julie Lynch just missed qualifying for the finals of the javelin event with a throw of 97'08" feet. Alyssa Beach also competed in the javelin event at the State Meet.

Lauren Brooks ran the 1-mile in a personal best time of 5:26, just missing the cutoff for the All-States by a scant three seconds.

Brooks' teammate, Mary Schwartz, ran the second best time of her high school career in the mile. Schwartz finished the 1-mile in 5:50.

The surprise of the day for the girls was the performance of Jessica Davis. Davis finished the 2-

mile race in a time of 12:16. Two weeks prior to the State Meet, Davis had never broken the 13:00 minute mark.

"We had 130 boys and girls sign-up this season-double a year ago," said boys head coach Peter Chrisom. "Much of the credit goes to our assistant coaches Jimmy Burke, Matt Marani, Scott Pifer and Jim Connor. We could not have done as well this season with these numbers without their help."

The future of the Quincy/North Quincy track program is in good standing for the coming years, as Joe Page was the only senior participating at the State Meet, and because track as a sport is gaining popularity among youngsters in Quincy.

"With 450 kids in the middle school program and a new track on the way, we can't help but get better in the coming years," added girls head coach Geoff Hennessy.

Fourth Annual Quincy Football Clinic

The fourth annual Quincy Football Clinic will be held June 19-22 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Participants will receive instruction from NFL players and past Division I college

football players.

For questions or any other inquiries, contact Jim Connor, varsity head football coach at North Quincy High School, at (617) 838-9720.

Morrisette Legion Baseball

The Morrisette Legion Post announces its 2007 American Legion schedule (all home games are at Adams Field):

- June 7 - Morrisette @ Quincy.
- June 8 - Milton @ Morrisette.
- June 11 - Morrisette @ W. Roxbury.
- June 12 - Cohasset @ Morrisette.
- June 13 - Morrisette @ Canton.
- June 15 - Morrisette @ Stoughton.
- June 18 - Weymouth @ Morrisette.
- June 21 - Holbrook @ Morrisette.
- June 22 - Braintree @ Morrisette.
- June 25 - Quincy @ Morrisette.
- June 27 - Morrisette @ Milton.
- June 29 - W. Roxbury @ Morrisette.
- July 1 - Morrisette @ Cohasset.
- July 2 - Canton @ Morrisette.
- July 3 - Stoughton @ Morrisette.
- July 8 - Morrisette @ Weymouth.
- July 9 - Holbrook @ Morrisette.
- July 11 - Morrisette @ Braintree.
- July 13 - Cohasset @ Morrisette.
- July 16 - Morrisette @ Canton.
- July 20-21 - Playoffs.
- July 25 - Sectionals (begin).

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- June 20 - W. Roxbury @ Quincy.
- June 22 - Quincy @ Cohasset.
- June 25 - Quincy @ Morrisette.
- June 27 - Stoughton @ Quincy.
- June 28 - Weymouth @ Quincy.
- July 1 - Holbrook @ Quincy.
- July 2 - Quincy @ Braintree.
- July 6 - Milton @ Quincy.
- July 8 - Quincy @ Canton.
- July 9 - Quincy @ W. Roxbury.
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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: May 25 - June 1

Total Calls for Service: 1,466

Total Arrests: 54

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 10

FRIDAY, MAY 25

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:22 a.m., Store 24, 230 Washington St. 2002 Ford Van, color gray.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:52 p.m., Quincy Towers, 500 Washington St. Lo-jack equipped. 1995 Acura Integra, color white.

LARCENY, 5:56 a.m., 141 Sea St. Yellow Cab stated party fled from cab without paying driver. Call originated from this address. Unsuccessful in locating the party.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:36 a.m., 53 Martensen St. 1992 Pontiac Bonneville, color red.

LARCENY, 10:17 a.m., Eatin' Healthy, 1253 Hancock St. Off truck.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:53 a.m., 62 Edwin St. Past. Survey stakes pulled up.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:12 p.m., 65 Tyler St. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:50 p.m., 144 Sumner St. Throwing bottle. Malicious damage.

ARMED ROBBERY, 9:06 p.m., Sabrines Automotive, 15 Centre St. Gun/knife. Caller states two black males just robbed him; originally reported one had a gun and one had a knife, fled towards Town Hill Street. Witnesses chased both suspects down Town Hill Street, caller reports one party had a gun in his waistband. Caller heard them get into a vehicle and take off. No description of vehicle. One suspect: jeans, silver t-shirt, 6'2".

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:31 p.m., 421 Washington St. To property. Male following three females that just vandalized his property.

SATURDAY, MAY 26

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:01 a.m., Key Auto, 519 Quincy Ave. To window.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:33 a.m., 24 Macy St. Dwelling. Jewelry taken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:25 a.m., 60 Quarterdeck Rd. Car window. Passenger side window cracked overnight by unknown person who threw egg at it.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:03 p.m., 162 Monroe Rd. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:44 p.m., Houghs Neck Congregational Church, 310 Manet Ave. Graffiti on the side of the church.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:15 p.m., 1020 Southern Artery. Car. Driver's side damage.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:44 p.m., 500 Falls Blvd. 1995 Nissan Maxima, color black.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:24 p.m., Clay St. & Hancock St. Past assault.

SUNDAY, MAY 27

LARCENY, 10:40 a.m., 43 Glover Rd. Both parties satisfied, all peace restored.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:26 p.m., Republic Plumbing, 20 Raymond St. Bulldozer windows broken.

MONDAY, MAY 28

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:30 a.m., 79 Curtis Ave.

LARCENY, 10:02 a.m., 16 Littlefield St. Under.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:31 a.m., 131 Elliot Ave. Egged house, door frame is damaged.

LARCENY, 11:06 a.m., 46 Cleverly Ct. Two scooters taken, valued at \$950 each.

LARCENY, 11:06 a.m., 60 Edwin St. Crate of CDs taken off enclosed porch.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:39 a.m., 332 Granite St.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:19 p.m., 16 Freeman St. Motor vehicle keyed; limited damaged, rear passenger door keyed.

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 2:07 p.m., 23 Arthur St. Exposed himself.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:51 p.m., 52 Stoughton St. Motor vehicle keyed on the roof, hood, both doors, and rear quarter panel.

LARCENY, 3:01 p.m., Granite Links Club House, 100 Quarry Hills Dr. Purse. Incident happened May 27.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:08 p.m., 645 Sea St. TV and computer found with golf clubs through them. Civil problem.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:54 p.m., 170 Copeland St. Medications taken and a dust pan possibly other items.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:08 p.m., 152 Oxenbridge Rd. Dwelling.

TUESDAY, MAY 29

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:21 a.m., 50 Des Moines Rd. Window smashed. Village at Bay Pointe construction site. Front end loader windshield smashed overnight with a rock.

LARCENY, 9:23 a.m., 7 Town Hill St. By ATM card.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 12:31 p.m., Marina Bay Service Dept., 260 Victory Rd. Boat trailer stolen from the service yard.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:59 p.m., Quincy Crisis Center, 282 Billings Rd. Tagging.

LARCENY, 7:24 p.m., 99 Garfield St. Checks were sent to victim's address but he never received them. Sixteen in total have been forged and cashed.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 7:39 p.m., 46 Lawn Ave. Dwelling. Youths found in the house; they fled down the street.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:57 a.m., 182 Elm St. Arrest for malicious damage over.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:24 a.m., 71 Albertina St. Motorcycle taken sometime since 10 p.m. 2005 Honda motorcycle, color red.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:06 a.m., Star Market, 130 Granite St. In progress.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:14 a.m., 17 Binnacle Ln. Dwelling. Two sets of wheels stolen from the basement.

LARCENY, 12:05 p.m., Quirk Nissan, 600 Southern Artery.

LARCENY, 92:19 p.m., 67 Martensen St. Possible robbery. Unfounded.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 7:53 p.m., 27 Mechanic St. 2004 Suzuki, model GSXR10, color black.

THURSDAY, MAY 31

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:41 a.m., 7 Freeman St. Taken overnight. 1994 Honda Civic, color white.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:55 a.m., 275 Washington St. Past. Caller states window broken. Rear window smashed; to vehicle, rocks surrounding vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:54 a.m., Manet Community Health Center, 1193 Sea St. Motor vehicle keyed again - states third time in last three weeks.

LARCENY, 3:11 p.m., 48 West Elm St. By check. Possibly scammed by contractor. Larceny over.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:11 p.m., 261 Highland Ave.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:30 p.m., 31 Binnacle Ln.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10 p.m., 31 Binnacle Ln. Someone entered the home and stole a pocketbook and keys.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the **Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764**. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the **Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527**. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the **Registered Sex Offenders** book, call **Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751**.

If you wish to contact the **Crime Prevention Officer** for tips or comments, my direct line is **617-745-5719**. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

A Job Well Done

On Monday, May 21, at approximately 1:15 p.m., Officer Dennis Keenan was on routine patrol in Quincy Point when he observed a vehicle turn onto Washington Street from Washington Court without using a directional signal and failing to yield to oncoming traffic. Vehicles that were traveling on Washington Street had to brake suddenly when the suspect vehicle pulled out in front of them.

Officer Keenan followed the vehicle and observed the vehicle switch lanes without using a directional signal, causing another vehicle to suddenly brake. Officer Keenan put his blue lights on and stopped the vehicle near 582 Washington St. Officer Michael Duran swung by to back up Officer Keenan.

The officer received the driver's license and registration. When asked who owned the car, the driver said he owned it but it was registered to his cousin in Lawrence, adding he has been in possession of the car for the last month. When asked the name of his cousin, the driver said, "I don't know his name."

Officer Keenan asked the driver if he was lost and he responded initially that he was lost, then said he worked at the shipyard. Officer Keenan became very suspicious of the driver due to his responses, especially since the shipyard was only 500 yards away from the site of the initial violation.

When asked if there was anything else in the car that could help establish that he was the owner, the driver told the officers, "It's my car - you can search it if you like." Communications then informed Officer Keenan that the driver had an extensive criminal record involving narcotic violations. The driver was asked to step out of the vehicle, which he did. Strangely, the driver exited the car and put his hands up on the top of his head, as if he expected to be handcuffed - even though there were no instructions to do this!

A pat-frisk for weapons was conducted and the driver said he did not have any weapons and the cash on him was from working on a car that day. This remark seemed unusual, too, since no one asked about the money and he justifying the reason for having money. The driver then said, "You can search me, you can search my car, knock yourself out."

Communications informed the officers that the driver

was recently arrested in Weymouth for possession of Class A (heroin) with intent to distribute. At this time, Narcotics Detective Brian Coen arrived on scene. As the officers initiated their search of the car, they immediately detected the overwhelming odor of air freshener, which is a tactic used by drug dealers to throw the scent off for trained police dogs. Numerous air fresheners were found as well as damp carpet, as if recently sprayed.

The officers also noted there was a significant difference in the comfort of the two front seats, the right front passenger seat being rigid. This seat also did not move forward or backward and was missing a bolt. The officers determined there was something suspicious about the seat and believed drugs could be hidden inside the cushioning.

Detective Coen called the Weymouth Police Drug Unit to gather more information about the driver/suspect and learned he ingested the heroin prior to arrest and a search warrant was obtained to recover the drugs from his body. Unbeknownst to the suspect, the officers has attending training that revealed locations that drugs can be concealed in a motor vehicle.

Detective Coen contacted State Trooper John Fallon, who then came to the scene with his K-9 partner, Richter, certified in narcotics odors. Richter sniffed the exterior of the suspect car and made a positive indication that drugs were in the car. Richter then entered the suspect vehicle and went directly to the front passenger seat, where the officers suspected the drugs were.

Upon closer inspection under the seat, officers found a motorized-belt driven secret compartment, which they opened up. Found inside was an Altoids mint container with many individually wrapped plastic corner bags containing substances appearing to be heroin and cocaine. There was a total of 18 bags of heroin and 14 bags of cocaine. The suspect was placed under arrest and searched. He had a total of \$1,169 with him, as well as a cell phone.

Back at the station, Detective Coen took five envelopes and stuffed four with paper and one with the suspect's money. Richter then sniffed the envelopes and identified the envelope with the money as having the odor of drugs on it.

The vehicle, the U.S. currency and the cell phone were seized pending civil forfeiture.

The suspect, a 20-year-old Chelsea resident, was charged with possession of Class A (heroin) with the intent to distribute and possession of Class B (cocaine) with the intent to distribute.

Nice work!



LT. DAN MINTON

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RELIGION

Squantum Christian Fellowship Bible Activities

Squantum Christian Fellowship invites children to its "Avalanche Ranch: A Wild Ride Through God's Word!" July 16-20 at the Squantum School from 9 a.m. to noon.

"This year, our church is a stampede of excitement," says Pastor Mike Fehan. "Our Avalanche Ranch program will provide fund and memorable Bible activities

for kids ages 3-11.

"Each day, they will sing catchy songs, act out a Bible story, enjoy some horseplay, down Chuck Wagon chow, and make a variety of cow-poke crafts. Kids will also collect Memory Buddies daily, and make teddy bears for orphans in needy lands."

Pastor Fehan said the activities are exciting way for

kids to learn more about God's love. "Each day at Showtime Roundup, parents can see a slide show of the kids' activities. We hope this adventure will get everyone wild about God!"

For more information, call Helen at 617-328-8771, or visit www.squantumcf.org for a video clip and registration form.

Vacation Bible School At Fort Square Church

Fort Square Presbyterian Church, 16 Pleasant St., Quincy, announces it will hold Vacation Bible School for preschool to students who have completed fifth grade June 25-29 from 6 to

8:30 p.m.

Free supper will be offered at 5:15 p.m.

Pre-registration will take place Saturday, June 23 at 10 a.m.

Adult Bible Study and English as a Second Language classes are also offered each evening.

For more information, call 617-471-6806.

Children's Sunday At Houghs Neck Church

Houghs Neck Congregational Church, 310 Manet Ave., will celebrate Children's Sunday June 10, when the children of the church's Sunday School program will conduct the regular 9:30 a.m. worship service.

All are welcome to attend. In addition to con-

ducting the worship service, the Sunday School children will receive awards for their Bible "memory work," with third grade students receiving engraved bibles.

The church's youth choir will also perform during the service.

The sermon "Feed My

Sheep" will be presented by the Sunday School student Ian Maclean. Following the service, refreshments will be served during the church's coffee/fellowship hour.

The church is handicapped accessible. For directions or more information, call (617) 479-8778.

Children's Sunday At Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Children's Sunday Worship at 10 a.m.

The children will conduct the service.

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor

where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy sponsor a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group.

The evenings provide an opportunity to deepen ones relationship with Christ and be supported by the presence

of other faith-filled women.

All are welcome.

The women's prayer group will hold its next meeting Tuesday, June 19 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Rectory conference room.

This meeting will be the

group's last gathering for the spring. Meetings will resume in the fall.

For more information, contact Sister Pat Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's) or Dorothy Ruggiero at 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Collegium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children

ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wonderland in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

The Council on Aging is in urgent need of wooden or metal wheelchairs of all sizes and canes to help disabled

seniors to get around.

If you have one, call the council at 617-376-1506.

Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Glad Tidings
158 Washington St., Quincy
phone: 773-9797
Renny Varuthese, Interim Pastor

Sunday Worship: 8:30, 11 a.m.; Christian Ed 10 a.m.; Senior H. Youth 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Berean Bible Study, Royal Ranger Missionettes, Friday Junior H. Youth 7 p.m.

• Youth & Children's Ministry
• Contemporary Worship
• Marriage & Family Group
• International Fellowship
• DivorceCare

Catholic

St. Mary's Church
95 Crescent St., Quincy • 617-773-0120
Masses
Saturday, 4pm, Sunday 7, 9:30 & 11:30am, Weekdays 9am
Handicapped Accessible
New Members Welcome!

Unitarian

UNITED FIRST PARISH, Quincy
1306 Hancock St., across from Quincy Center T
Worship Service & Church School
SUNDAYS, 10:30 a.m.
Rev. Sheldon W. Bennett, Minister
• A Welcoming Congregation •
617-773-1290 • www.ulpc.org

Congregational

First Church of Squantum
164 Bellevue St. • 617-328-6649
Pastor: Michael S. Robertson
Co-Pastor: Dr. Emmy Robertson
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
All Are Welcome

QUINCY POINT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
444 Washington St. • 617-773-6424
Worship and Church School 10 am
Rev. Ann Suzedell, Pastor
visit us at www.QPCC.org

Spiritualist

First Spiritualist Church of Quincy
40 West St., Quincy • (617) 770-2246
Services: Sunday 11 a.m. to 12:30 PM
Coffee and Conversation following service.
(Services & PM Wednesdays June, July, August)
Pastor Rev. Rita S. Berkowitz, C.H.C.M.

Catholic

Sacred Heart Church
"A Roman Catholic Community walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service"
386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171
(617) 328-8666
Sunday Masses
4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy)
10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm
12 noon at Star of Sea Church
Weekday Masses
Mon.-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat. 9am
Handicapped Accessible
Confessions
Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church
550 Washington Street
Quincy, MA 02169
617-472-6321
SUNDAY MASSES:
4 p.m. (On Saturday)
8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Weekday Masses 9am
CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm
Handicapped accessible &
Handicapped parking, side entrance
air conditioned

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
44 School St., Quincy
617-773-1021
Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m.
Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m.
and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy)
Weekday Masses
Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.
Handicapped Accessible

Saint Ann's Church
757 Hancock St., Wollaston
• 617-479-5400
Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan
Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM
Handicapped Chairlift Available

Congregational

HOUGHS NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
310 Manet Ave., Quincy
www.hncong.org
Sunday, June 10
Worship Service 9:30 am
Children's Sunday
Sermon: The Ten Commandments
Have No Other Gods Before Me
Sunday School 9:30 AM
Rev. John Castricum
617-479-8778

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Spear & Coddington Streets
Quincy Center, 617-479-7300
10 a.m. SUNDAY WORSHIP
"Children's Sunday"
ALL ARE WELCOME
Child Care Available
Fellowship Time in Allen Parlor
Following Worship Service
Wheelchair Accessible

Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist
10:30 AM
Sunday Service & Sunday School
7:30 PM
Wednesday Evening Meeting
20 Greenleaf Street Quincy
off Hancock St.
617-472-0055

Congregational

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
48 Winthrop Ave. - 617-773-7432
Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford
10 a.m. Worship Service
SUNDAY, JUNE 10
Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching

UNION CHURCH
Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston
(617) 479-6661
Sunday Worship Service
10 AM
Rev. John Swanson, Pastor

Covenant

COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Corner of Whitwell & Granite St.
Sunday Worship 10:00 AM
Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor
Child Care Available - All Are Welcome
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OBITUARIES

Lola P. Buccella, 80 Clerk

A funeral service for Lola P. (Johnson) Buccella, 80, of Quincy, retired clerk, will be held today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Buccella died June 2 at John Adams Continuing Care Center in Quincy.

She was born in Parssboro, Nova Scotia and attended high school there. She had lived in Somerville before moving to Quincy 43 years ago.

Mrs. Buccella was a retired employee of the Stop and Shop Co. in Quincy she had worked as a clerk for 15 years.

In her earlier years she worked for Derringer Florist in North Quincy for several years.

She had a love for horses and horse racing.

She also enjoyed bowling, ice skating, dancing and scratch tickets.

She is survived by her



LOLA P. BUCCELLA

husband, Stephen Buccella of Quincy; a daughter, Patricia A. (Buccella) Cipolla of Attleboro; and two grandsons.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

Elizabeth E. Purdy, 88

A memorial service for Elizabeth E. (Walker) Purdy, 88, of Quincy, was held May 31 at Church of St. John the Evangelist, 172 Main St., Hingham.

Mrs. Purdy died March 21 at William B. Rice Eventide Nursing Home in Quincy.

Born and raised in Boston, she was a graduate of Jeremiah E. Burke High School.

She had lived in Weymouth for 30 years and in Braintree for 20 years before moving to Quincy a year ago.

Mrs. Purdy was a member of Church of St. John the Evangelist in Hingham. She was president of the church's Women's Club.

Wife of the late William E. Purdy, she is survived by two sons, Douglas Purdy of Scituate and Bruce Purdy of Hull; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was private. Funeral arrangements were made by the Downing Cottage Funeral Chapel, Hingham.

Stephen Humphrey Jr., 84 Retired Mathematics, Science Teacher

A funeral Mass for Stephen William Humphrey Jr., 84, of Sudbury, formerly of North Quincy, a retired mathematics and science teacher, was celebrated June 2 at Our Lady of Fatima Church in Sudbury.

Mr. Humphrey died May 28 at Emerson Hospital in Concord after a long illness.

He was a teacher in the Newton public schools for more than 30 years. He retired in 1991.

Mr. Humphrey began his teaching career in Brunswick, Maine, and went on to teach science in the Sudbury School system for three years.

He served in the Army Air Forces during World War II in European-African-Middle Eastern Theatre campaigns.

Born in Springfield, he was raised in North Quincy. He graduated from North Quincy High School in 1942.

Mr. Humphrey earned a bachelor's degree from Boston College and master's degrees in education and mathematics from the University of Illinois.

He was a driving instructor with A&A Auto School in Framingham for many years.

Mr. Humphrey was a Red Sox fan and enjoyed tennis and golf and camping on Cape Cod for more than 25 years.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Dorothy (Dixon) Humphrey, three sons, Stephen Humphrey III of Franklin, Michael Humphrey of Natick and Mark Humphrey of Webster, two brothers, Harvey Humphrey of Framingham and Edward Humphrey of Arizona; and two sisters, Nancy Johnson of Florida and Mary Jane White of Rowley.

Burial was in New North Cemetery, Sudbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by John C. Bryant Funeral Home, Wayland.

Marguerite V. Cross, 82

Housekeeper For Quincy Medical Associates

A funeral Mass for Marguerite V. (DiLoretto) Cross, 82, of Quincy, a housekeeper for Quincy Medical Associates for many years, was celebrated June 2 at St. Joseph's Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy.

Mrs. Cross died May 29 at Radius Health Care in Braintree.

Born in Quincy, she graduated from Quincy High School in 1942.

Mrs. Cross was a member of the Ladies Sodality of St. Joseph's Church.

Wife of the late Edison E. Cross, she is survived by two sons, Ray Cross and Ronald Cross of Quincy; a sister, Gloria Kavell of Quincy; four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Naomi Saltman, 87

A memorial service for Naomi (Bazol) Saltman, 87, formerly of Quincy, a retired school teacher, will be held Sunday, June 10 at 1:30 p.m. at Temple Beth El, 1000 Hancock St., Quincy.

Mrs. Saltman died May 20 at the Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital.

Her body has been interred in Israel.

Mrs. Saltman taught at the Atherton Hough School in Houghton Neck for many years until her retirement. Previously, she was an instructor at the Hebrew Teachers College in Boston.

She was active in the Sisterhood of Temple Beth El and was past president of the Quincy Chapter of Hadassah.

Wife of the late Arthur Saltzman, she is survived by a daughter, Rivka Weinstein and three grandchildren. She was the daughter of the late Adolph and Gussie Bazol and the sister of Edna of California and the late Ruth and Judy of California.

Lorraine M. Willock, 67 Homemaker

Private funeral services were held for Lorraine M. (Macedo) Willock, 67, of Quincy, a homemaker, who died May 25 at Quincy Medical Center.

Mrs. Willock was born and raised in Quincy.

She loved animals.

Wife of the late Edward Willock, she is survived by three sisters, Stella Iacovelli of Braintree, and Leona Walker and Gloria Norling of Quincy; a brother, Joseph Macedo of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney



LORRAINE M. WILLOCK
Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Animal Rescue League of Boston, 10 Chandler St., Boston, MA 02116.

Dorothy J. Price, 71 Medical Secretary, Bookkeeper

A funeral service for Dorothy Jane (Joy) Price, 71, of Granite Falls, Minn., formerly of Quincy, was held Wednesday at Granite Falls Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Price died May 30 at Sioux Valley Hospital in Sioux Falls, S.D.

In Quincy, she worked as a medical secretary. Her occupation brought her to Redlines, Calif., where she worked in a pediatric unit.

Previously, Mrs. Price was a bookkeeper in York, Maine.

Born and raised in Quincy, she graduated from Christian Academy High School.

In 1993, she moved to Granite Falls and attended Minnesota West Community

and Technical College.

After college, she lived in Sun City, Ariz., until she retired. She returned to Granite Falls in 2004.

Mrs. Price was a member of Granite Falls Lutheran Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Debbie Price of Granite Falls and Donna Price of Los Angeles; a son, Frank Price of Montevideo, Minn.; a sister, Betty Fagerstrom of Florida; two brothers, Paul Joy of Florida and Allan Joy of California; three grandsons; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by Wing-Bain Funeral Home of Granite Falls.

Denis A. Frechette Former Raytheon Employee

A funeral Mass for Denis A. Frechette of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a retired employee of the Raytheon Co., was celebrated May 30 at St. Margaret Church of Blessed Mother Theresa Parish, Dorchester.

Mr. Frechette died May 24.

He worked for Raytheon for 25 years. He also worked for the University of Massachusetts in Boston for 17 years.

He was formerly of East Wakefield, N.H.

Husband of the late Mary T. (Mullen) Frechette, he is

survived by three sons, Denis J. Frechette of Braintree, Joseph Frechette of South Boston and James Frechette of Braintree; three daughters, Mary Dunbar of Braintree, Leanne Keeley of Weymouth and Jean Trager of South Boston; two sisters, Irene King and Constance York, both of Marlboro; a brother, Albert Frechette of Marlboro; 14 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Murphy Funeral Home, Dorchester.



DON MCCARTHY
Managing Director

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

We learn the words to the "Pledge of Allegiance" early in our lives. Yet many Americans do not know the history of the heritage of our flag. They are unaware that the first Flag Day was in 1777. On June 14 of that year, the Continental Congress passed a resolution, legally establishing the "stars and stripes." As a young nation, our new flag proved to be a symbol of strength and victory. We all link the name of Francis Scott Key and the then poem "The Star Spangled Banner." Key was help prisoner aboard a British man-of-war in Baltimore harbor during the War of 1812. The British were confident they would capture the Fort before sunrise. All through the night with the "rockets red glare" and bursting bombs the stars and stripes held fast. The Americans had been victorious.

In some cases, one flag can have many histories. Did you know that the same flag that flew over the U.S. Capitol in Washington on Dec. 7, 1941, at the beginning of World War II, was also flown from the mast of the USS Missouri during the final Japanese surrender on Sept. 2, 1945?

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John V. Thompson, 86

Retired Stockbroker

A funeral Mass for John V. Thompson, 86, of Quincy, a retired stockbroker, will be celebrated today (Thursday) in Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Thompson died Sunday at home.

He worked as a stockbroker for many years and founded his own firm, John V. Thompson and Company in Boston.

Born in Dorchester, he had lived in Squantum for more than 50 years.

Mr. Thompson graduated from Boston Latin School and earned a bachelor's degree in journalism from Boston University in 1949.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II. He enlisted in 1942 and served on several ships, including the USS Ronatin and the battleship Missouri. He saw action in the Pacific and was awarded the World War II Victory Medal, the American Theater Medal and the Asiatic-Pacific Medal with three battle stars.

Mr. Thompson was a communicant at Star of the Sea Church in Squantum.

He enjoyed pitching in the professional farm system and coaching Little League in Squantum.

He also enjoyed buying and selling homes and developing land and writing for Ellery Queen Mystery Magazine.



JOHN V. THOMPSON

zine.

Husband of the late Louise W. Thompson, he is survived by two sons, John Thompson of Weymouth and Christopher Thompson of Boston; three daughters, Jeanne Thompson of Ashfield, Suzanne Insolia of Pembroke and Lisa Segarra of Ocean Springs, Miss.; and seven grandchildren.

He was the father of the late Robert Thompson of Squantum.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Covenant House Times Square Station, P.O. Box 731, New York, NY 10108-0900.

A funeral Mass for Joann E. (Donlan) Ashman, 48, of Quincy, formerly of South Boston, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Monica's Church, South Boston.

Mrs. Ashman died May 31.

She worked at South Boston Savings Bank and City of Boston Credit Union.

She is survived by her husband, Christopher Ashman; a daughter, Siobhan Ashman; three sisters, Elizabeth Berk of South Boston,

Marie Masse of Milton and Monica Donlan of South Boston; three brothers, Edward Donlan of South Boston, Robert Donlan of Brockton and John Donlan of Quincy; and many nieces and nephews.

She was the mother of the late Andrew Ashman Jr. and Elizabeth Ashman.

Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by O'Brien Funeral Home, South Boston.

Robert E. Slowe, 80

Construction Inspector

A funeral Mass for Robert E. Slowe, 80, of Quincy, an Army Air Forces veteran of World War II and a construction inspector for Boston Edison for 42 years, was celebrated Wednesday at Holy Trinity Parish in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 227 Sea St., Quincy.

Mr. Slowe died June 2 at Carney Hospital, Dorchester.

He was a licensed construction supervisor for the state before working for Boston Edison.

Mr. Slowe was a former Fourth Degree member of Cardinal Spellman Council, Knights of Columbus, and a member of the North Quincy Council.

He was a member of the American Society for Non-

destructive Testing. He was a former chief steward of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Elizabeth "Betty" (Reardon) Slowe; two sons, Robert Slowe and Daniel Slowe; a daughter, Theresa Pino; two brothers, Anthony Slowe and John Slowe; two sisters, Gloria Brisendine and Eileen Bolstad; several grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

Edward P. Hassett, 76

Tunnel Worker For Local 88

Funeral services for Edward P. Hassett, 76, of Quincy, will be conducted today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Mr. Hassett died Sunday at Quincy Medical Center after a long illness.

Born in Cambridge, he was raised in Quincy and attended Quincy schools. A lifelong Quincy resident, he was a graduate of Quincy High School.

Mr. Hassett worked for many years as a tunnel worker for Local 88. He had been retired for 11 years.

He served in the U.S.

Navy.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy J. (Daley) Hassett; a son, James H. Rogers of Quincy; two daughters, Patricia A. Foley of Braintree and Debra J. Hagen of Walpole; a sister, Mary Ellen Wade of Quincy; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two nieces and one nephew.

Interment will be in Saint Patrick's Cemetery, Rockland.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Sophia A. Dolan, 88

A funeral Mass for Sophia A. (Gasperksi) Dolan, 88, of Quincy, a retired secretary, will be celebrated Friday at 11 a.m. at St. Elizabeth Church, 350 Reedsdale Rd., Milton.

Mrs. Dolan died June 1 at John Adams Health Care Center.

She worked for the Internal Revenue Service for several years.

Born in Worcester, she graduated from Newton High School and lived in Dorchester for many years. She had also lived on Cape

Cod, where she worked as a hostess at Skipper Restaurant.

Wife of the late Raymond Dolan, she is survived by three daughters, Linda Finerty of Braintree, Susan Kostyan of Stuart, Fla., and Debra Konopka of Amherst, N.H.; a sister, Catherine Carbone of Medford; six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Burial will be in Blue Hill Cemetery.

Visiting hours are Friday from 8:30 to 10:30 at Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Anne B. Foley, 78

Retired Stenographer

A funeral Mass for Anne B. Foley, 78, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a retired stenographer, was celebrated Wednesday in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Miss Foley died June 2 at Hancock Park Nursing & Rehabilitation Center in Quincy after a brief illness.

Born and raised in Dorchester, she was educated in Dorchester schools and was a graduate of Dorchester High School for Girls.

She had lived in Dorchester before moving to Quincy 33 years ago.

Miss Foley was a stenographer in the insurance industry for many years. She had worked in Boston for the Kemper Insurance Company and the former Fireman's Fund Insurance Company. She retired many years ago.

Miss Foley was a former member of the Women's

Auxiliary of the Fallon VFW Post in Roslindale.

She enjoyed reading, specially mystery stories, traveling and spending time with her family.

Daughter of the late Thomas J. and Barbara E. (Flaherty), she is survived by two sisters, Marguerite P. Foley of Quincy and Mary A. (Foley) Foley of Canton; four nieces, one nephew; and several grandnieces, grandnephews and cousins.

Burial was in New Calvary Cemetery, Roslindale.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Disabled American Veterans at DAV Program, P.O. Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301 or at www.dav.org/donations

Mary A. DiRocco, 77

Claims Processor

A funeral Mass for Mary A. (DiSalvio) DiRocco, 77, of Hingham, formerly of Quincy, a homemaker and claims processor, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint Paul's Church, 147 North St., Hingham.

Mrs. DiRocco died Sunday at home after a period of declining health.

Born and raised in Quincy, she was educated in Quincy schools and was a 1949 graduate of Quincy High School.

She had lived in Quincy before moving to Hingham 42 years ago.

Mrs. DiRocco was a homemaker but had worked six years as a claims processor for Blue Cross Blue Shield in the company's Rockland office. She retired many years ago.

Previously, she has worked as a teacher's aide in the Hingham Public Schools for five years and as a young woman she had worked in

the office for the Bethlehem Steel Company at the former Fore River Shipyard in Quincy for 12 years.

Mrs. DiRocco enjoyed bowling and had belonged to a bowling league.

She also enjoyed traveling with her husband to Aruba, Florida, Hawaii and Italy.

She is survived by her husband of 47 years, Fulvio DiRocco; a son, Joseph M. DiRocco of Haymarket, Va.; a sister, Anna Czuppe of Billerica; a brother, Richard DiSalvio of Quincy; and two grandchildren.

Entombment will be in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 5 to 9 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Saint Paul's Church, 147 North St., Hingham, MA 02043 or to the charity of choice.

Jeannie L. Cope, 83

Singer, Actress, Publicist

A private burial service for Jeannie L. (Fender) Cope, 83, of Hingham, formerly of Quincy, a former singer and actress, was held in River Bend Cemetery, Westley, R.I.

Mrs. Cope died May 28 at Queen Anne Nursing Home in Hingham.

She was a resident of Sunrise Senior Living in Cohasset from 2005 to 2007. She performed with the Victory Troupers and the USO from 1942 to 1946. She also performed at Adams Memorial Theater in Williamstown and at several Boston theaters, including the Boston Repertory.

Mrs. Cope later worked as a publicist for Paine Furniture and Modine Paint in Boston from 1947 to 1955. She lived in Quincy during those years.

She lived in Media, Penn., from 1955 to 1959 and in Glen Rock, N.J. from 1959 to 1965 and performed with the Joe Jefferson Players which was the oldest acting group in the country at that time.

She graduated from Quincy High School in 1941. She attended Curry College for two years.

Mrs. Cope married her husband of more than 61 years, Robert H. Cope Jr. on Jan. 26, 1946. They attended Williams College in Williamstown together from 1946 to 1947. She was the first woman to attend Will-

iams College.

Mrs. Cope was a resident of Marblehead from 1965 to 1985. She was a member of Rusty Rudder Craftsman Guild.

She performed solos for the Christian Science churches in Marblehead, Cambridge, Providence, Lynn and many others. She also performed for the North Shore Community Concerts series.

She retired to Brewster, where she lived from 1985 to 2005. She continued to sing for Christian Science churches in Brewster and Chatham. She was also a second reader for the Brewster church.

Mrs. Cope was also a member of Bayberry Quilters, serving as their photographer and host of their television program on Cape Cod Television. She also did readings for the blind on Cape Cod TV and radio.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Douglas W. Cope of Hingham and Donald A. Cope of Isaquah, Wash.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel, Wickens and Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Massachusetts Humane Society, P.O. Box 850615, Braintree, MA 02185.

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1249AA**
In the Estate of
Myer Pinto
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
November 7, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that HARRIET S. PINTO of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day May 30, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/7/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1159EP**
In the Estate of
ERNEST N. WHITMARSH
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 24, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that SAUL M. OSTROFF of FRAMINGHAM in the County of MIDDLESEX and JOAN K. REIS of SOUTH YARMOUTH in the County of BARNSTABLE or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 22, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/7/07

Quincy Tennis Club Offers Free Junior Tennis Clinic

The Quincy Tennis Club is offering a free junior tennis clinic for children ages 7-11 on Tuesday, June 19 from 1-3 p.m. at the Quincy Tennis Club, 19 Glendale Rd.
An adult for registration

and orientation purposes must accompany all children.
For additional information or inquiries, contact Ken Rickson at (617) 479-6106.

Basketball, Soccer Programs For Boys, Girls

Joy's Sports Programs will host basketball and soccer programs for boys and girls age 7 to 14 beginning Monday, July 9.

Basketball at Quincy High Vo-Tech Gym and soccer at

Joy Hanlon Field in Quincy. Point will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$95 per week.

For more information, call Director Rich Hanlon at (617) 827-8697.

High School Hockey Summer League At Arena

The Quincy Youth Arena will host the South Shore Coaches' League this summer.

All area high school players are invited to participate. Varsity hockey coaches will coach the teams. The league will start on June 24 and will consist of 19

games on Sundays throughout the summer. The cost is \$210 per player and applications can be obtained at the Quincy Youth Arena.

Applications will not be accepted by phone. For more information go to www.qyarena.com or call (781) 871-0547.

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P2641AA**
In the Estate of
ANN PRICE AKA
ANNA PRICE
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
July 3, 2005

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

WITH THE WILL ANNEXED
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that EDWARD J. PRICE of NORTH QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed as administrator with the will annexed of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 23, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/7/07

LEGAL NOTICE

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 05P2857EP**
Notice of
Fiduciary's Account
To the persons interested in the estate of Jeanne R. Murphy late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st and final account(s) of Michael A. Volonino as executor (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the 11th day of July, 2007 the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 22nd day of May, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1183EP**
In the Estate of
THELMA E. SEBASTINI
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 4, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that DEAN JOHNSON of ROCKLAND in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 30, 2007.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P0262EP
In the Estate of GEORGE KAPP Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death October 21, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that EDNA KAPP of BROOKLYN in the State of NEW YORK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 27, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 15, 2007.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P2240AA
In the Estate of DAVID F. MCGRATH Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death June 30, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE WILL ANNEXED

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that NATIONAL LUMBER COMPANY of MANSFIELD in the County of BRISTOL or some other suitable person be appointed as administrator with the will annexed of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 27, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 15, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 80F2866G12
In the Matter Of ANNMARIE CHASE Of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

To ANNMARIE CHASE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said ANNMARIE CHASE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, is a mentally ill person and praying that STEVE BELGIORNO of DANVERS in the County of ESSEX and MARGUERITE BELGIORNO of REVERE in the County of SUFFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve without surety of the person - and property - with the authority to administer antipsychotic medications in accordance with the treatment plan for reasons more fully set forth in said petition.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 29, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 18, 2007.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-030
Pursuant with the provisions of Title 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, The Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an open public hearing on **Tuesday, June 19th, 2007 at 7:15 pm on the second floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169 on the Application of Berlin Sun LLC for a variance to construct 5 residential townhouses in violation of 17.16.020.1.C, 17.20.040.A., 17.28.030.E on the premises numbered 54 Berlin Street, Quincy, MA 02169.
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-031
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 19, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Charles Cote for a Special Permit/Flood Plan and Variance to raze the existing single-family structure and construct a new single-family house in accordance with Title 17 as amended Title 17.40.060 and in violation of Title 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements), on the premises numbered **68 POST ISLAND ROAD, QUINCY**.
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1172EP
In the Estate of JOHN EDWIN KASIANOWICZ Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death May 5, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that DONNAMARIE M. JELLISON of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 22, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department Norfolk Division
Docket No. 04P1839FE
Notice of Fiduciary's Account

To the persons interested in the estate of Edward J. Fox late of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the 1st and final account(s) of Alice Fox as executrix (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the **11th day of July, 2007** the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 22nd day of May, 2007.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-028
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 19, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Stephen McCormack for a Finding and dimensional and parking Variances to allow for the reconstruction and extension of an existing nonconforming structure and change of use from single family to two family in violation of 17.20.040.A, 17.24.020.B.2 and 17.28.020.A.

The property is located at 10 Harkins Street, Quincy and is shown as Lot A on Assessors' plan No. 2044.
5/31, 6/7/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-029
Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JUNE 19, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Craig Galligan for a Special Permit/Flood Plan to renovate the existing structure and add an addition in accordance with Title 17 as amended Title 17.40.060, on the premises numbered 22 HERON ROAD, QUINCY.

5/31, 6/7/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1163EP
In the Estate of MURRAY TENOFISKY A/K/A MORRIS TRENOFISKY Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death March 1, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that HARRY S. TENOFISKY of CHELMSFORD in the County of MIDDLESEX and FREDA A. DENAPOLI formerly known as FREDA A. TENOFISKY of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JUNE 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 22, 2007.

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Council Formally Approves \$30M Bond For Quincy Center

By a 7-0 vote, city councillors Monday formally approved the \$30 million bond authorization, which will fund the Quincy Center revitalization project developed by Mayor William Phelan.

Under the plan, the city will use a public and private

partnership to complete the Concourse, enhance Quincy Square, and encourage public and private development plans for such areas as the Hancock Parking Lot and the Ross Parking Garage.

The council, sitting as the Finance Committee, had previously approved the bond

under District Improvement Financing (DIF) which allows the city to segregate revitalization monies from other city accounts.

In addition DIF bonds can be negotiated on a 30-year basis, rather than the state's current limit.

The plan and the funding

must now be cleared by state officials, according to Planning Director Dennis Harrington who said Tuesday, "It's under review by state officials."

Harrington said that state officials have already approved the plan and the city has been allocated a \$5 million stimulus grant, which will be placed in the development account. Funds from the sale of publicly owned properties will also be deposited in the DIF account.

A third of the \$30 million price tag, \$10 million, has already been assigned to land-taking and relocations costs as Quincy's Concourse plan involves nine land-takings by eminent domain.

Harrington said the City does not expect to take out a \$30 million bond at any time, but will borrow against the authorization.

"We will never borrow \$30 million," Harrington said.

The state's economic development agency will hold a public hearing on the project will be held in Boston on June 28.



WARD 3 COUNCILLOR Kevin Coughlin presents a donation of \$500 to Quincy Public Schools Musical Instrument Teacher Caroline Calabro Hughes in support of the music programs at the Montclair and Wollaston Schools. Coughlin, with the support of The Montclair Wollaston Neighborhood Association, inaugurated a Musical Instrument Scholarship program now in its 12th year for these two schools.

Council Wants Bottom Line Costs On Contracts

City councillors want the bottom line cost on all union contracts signed by Mayor William Phelan and won't clear the funding without detailed backup data on the dollars.

At Monday's meeting, councillors declined to sign off on either the superior police officers' contract or the patrolmen's union contract until Phelan's office provides an analysis of the cost of each contract.

The council did approve \$15,165 for library personnel services but asked for a breakdown on the library union contract as well.

Finance Committee Chairman John Keenan said that councillors asked for the

information "far in advance of this meeting." He noted that the superior officers' unit only covers 55-60 persons and the information should be easily assembled.

"We can't get an analysis of what these contracts are worth. We don't have the proper information," said Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond who said that he could not "vote on something of this magnitude" without the backup material.

David Murphy, the Mayor's Chief of Operations, told councillors that David Grunbaum, the city's special labor counsel, will provide a detailed report on each contract at the council's next meeting.

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TEACHERS PICKETING IN front of City Hall and at some schools has been a familiar sight as their strike entered its third day Tuesday and negotiations with the city stalled. The teachers



have been without a contract since last August.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Bosworth

Hope For Settlement But:

Teachers' Strike, Talks Continue

New Complaints Against Chief

Police Union To Seek Expedited Arbitration

By TOM HENSHAW

The sometimes bitter and long-standing dispute between the Quincy Police Patrolmen's Association and Chief Robert Crowley reached a new peak of contention this week.

Union President Bruce Tait said unless Crowley reverses his decision involving vacations, the association plans to file for "expedited arbitration" either Friday or Monday.

If the city does not agree to arbitration, he said, the union will take the latest chapter in their dispute to the Norfolk Superior Court in Dedham.

Last Friday, Tait said, the chief directed that patrol officers and detectives cannot take vacations a day at a time unless it falls within the vacation period.

Tait called it a violation of his union's contract.



BRUCE TAIT

Chief Crowley told *The Sun* he would have no comment on the union's arbitration plan.

The vacation period, Tait explained, runs from June through September in two week increments with seniority determining who gets first crack.

Under the chief's ruling, he said, no one would be allowed to take a day or a night off using vacation time outside the summer vacation

period no matter how many officers are working at the time.

This, he said, would enable the chief to say he is staffing all the police cars without using overtime.

In addition, Tait said, a letter is being prepared to be sent to residents notifying them of the problems inherent in understaffing patrol cars.

Target of the first batch of letters will be residents of the North Quincy and Atlantic neighborhoods, the first areas to go on staff requiring overtime.

Expedited arbitration, if it comes to that, would be handled by an impartial arbitrator selected from the American Arbitration Association.

The 153 union patrolmen and detectives recently ratified new contracts totaling

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By LAURA GRIFFIN

The Quincy's teachers strike continued into mid-week despite an injunction issued Monday by Judge Thomas Connors in Norfolk Superior Court ordering the teachers back to work.

City and union officials, students and parents had hopes, however slim, for a settlement before the end of the week.

"There's always hope," Paul Phillips, president of the Quincy Education Association (QEA), said late Tuesday, noting that the bargaining committee's expected to return to the table

for a session Tuesday night.

"We want them back," Mayor William Phelan said of the teachers at his televised press conference on Tuesday. "We respect the teachers' jobs. We want to be fair. The negotiating teams have been working hard."

"We want them back, voluntarily, I hope," Phelan said. The city went back to Superior Court Tuesday afternoon but no decision was issued before press time.

The 900 teachers voted to strike on June 7 citing their 18 months working without a contract and charging that the City has refused to

bargain in good faith. Nine teachers, reportedly, voted against the strike call at the Dorchester hall where the union has been meeting daily.

The city's 19 schools with nearly 9000 students were closed as of June 8 which appears to be the city's 174th day of school. State regulations require school districts to be in session for 180 days. It appears that teachers and students would have to make up as many as six days due to the strike.

However, the State does allow for waivers of the 180-day requirement under

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New Quincy High Groundbreaking Postponed

The groundbreaking for the new Quincy High School scheduled for Monday has been postponed to a yet unannounced date.

School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro said the teachers' strike was the reason for the postponement.

"This day should be a celebration for our entire community," said Mayor William Phelan. "We do not want to

exclude people who may want to attend, but can't because of the teacher situation. Our entire community fought hard to build the best school for our children and for our teachers and its more appropriate to conduct the groundbreaking when our community is ready to celebrate together."

The new Quincy High School will be built at the site

of the existing Center for Technical Education and administrative building of the Quincy Public Schools. The new comprehensive state-of-the-art building will be a "green" building, achieving "CHIPS" certification from the State.

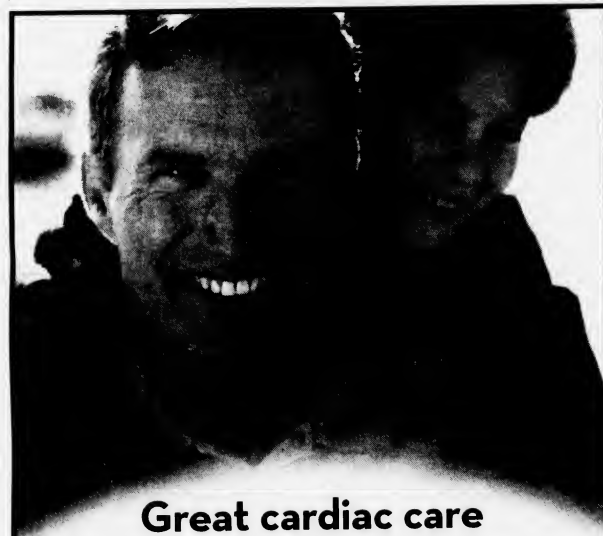
The City is receiving a \$72 million grant from the State's School Building Authority to help build the new high school.





GREEN PEOPLE. Bob McGillicuddy, a seventh grade science teacher at the Sterling Middle School, and George DePaulo, a member of the custodial staff, received the Secretary Ian Bowles' Award for Excellence in Environmental Education at the State House for their establishment and maintenance of the Greenhouse Gas Education Program. Left to right, top row, Christopher Bell, director of government affairs for Treasurer Tim Cahill; Angevine McGillicuddy; Christopher McGillicuddy; Mary Beth Flora, Lisa Marie Flora, and David Coletti, students of McGillicuddy; Kathi Scribi; middle row, Rev. Sheldon Bennett; Bob McGillicuddy; Sen. Michael Morrissey; George DePaulo; Mary DePaulo; front row, Katie McGillicuddy and Matt McGillicuddy.

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500 More Units To Be Built

Council Approves Four-Year Extension For Highpoint

By LAURA GRIFFIN

City Councillors recently approved a four-year extension of its Special Permit allowing construction of the final 500 units of the 1000-unit Highpoint development on Quarry Street.

Councillors voted 7-0 after considering statistics indicating that, at this time, there is "an oversupply of (rental) units" available in Quincy.

"Quincy overbuilt its (rental) market by 36% between 2000 and 2007," according to a report by Webster Collins of CBRE, a real estate valuation and advisory firm hired by Highpoint's developers, The Congress Group.

According to Collins, Quincy's rental vacancy rate has risen from 1.6% in 2000 to between 7.5% and 9.86% as of May, 2007 and "Rental rates are either essentially flat or have declined."

The Congress Group, developers of Highpoint, have already built an estimated 500 apartments and condominiums in five buildings at the Quarry Street site under a Special Permit issued in 1999.

That Special Permit limited the exterior construction period to six years with a

start date of 2000 unless market conditions "make the continuation of development impractical in the reasonable business judgment of the Developer."

Dean Stratouly, president of The Congress Group, cited that clause in the Special Permit when he first requested the four-year extension in September, 2006, through Mayor William Phelan's office.

After the request was turned over to City Council in May, councillors called a special meeting of the council acting as the city's Special P.U.D. Permit Granting Authority.

Highpoint was developed as a P.U.D., a Planned Unit Development and the density and height required a Special Permit.

Atty. Richard Rudman represented The Congress Group at the recent council meeting and stated that the developers more than qualified for the four-year extension.

Rudman also told councillors that his firm had already prepared the paperwork to file legal action against the city if the approval was not forthcoming.

In addition, Rudman said the city had lost as much as

\$1 million in mitigation by its eight month delay on Stratouly's request for written affirmation of the four-year extension.

The Congress Group agreed to some mitigation funds with Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis and Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin but there was no official announcement at the meeting.

After two hours, councillors voted the extension not because of the threat of the lawsuit or the mitigation agreement.

Councillor John Keenan said the original Special Permit language was clear and the City had agreed to it and other businesses will want a signal that Quincy will keep its word.

In fact, Coughlin said he had contacted the same citizens' group that had opposed the project originally and filed a lawsuit to prevent the Highpoint development.

Coughlin said the residents told him that the agreement was clear and the developers qualified for the extension.

Ward 2 Councillor Daniel Raymond absent himself from the meeting due to real estate interests in the area. Councillor Michael McFarland was absent due to a graduation.

Foot Screening For Seniors

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The Quincy Health Department will begin its summer beach water sampling program at 13 city beaches Wednesday, June 13, and continue each Wednesday at least through Sept. 5.

The sampling for Wednesday, July 4, will be collected Monday, July 2.

The samples collected will be analyzed for enterococcus bacteria count by a private laboratory and the results made available to the media.

The State Department of Conservation and Recreation, formerly the MDC, will collect and analyze wa-

ter samples at four locations along Wollaston Beach.

The results of their samples will be reported to beach managers and the Quincy Health Department by Thursday or Friday of each week.

The city and the state both employ a standard of 104 or more enterococci colonies as an indication of potential health risk.

Beaches with singles counts of 104 or more will be resampled and posted with warning signs that will remain in place until the count drops below 104.

Once five or more

samples have been collected, the geometric mean standard of 35 will be used for posting in addition to the instantaneous sampling result.

If a period of rainfall occurs after Wednesday's water samples have been taken, such samples may not represent an accurate reflection of the water quality.

Contaminated storm water flows can be discharged into the harbor from pipes and drains after at least a quarter of an inch of rain falls in one day.

The Health Department recommends that people refrain from swimming or bathing for a period of 48 hours after a significant rainfall to allow for natural flushing.

For more information regarding the testing program, contact 617-376-1278.

A 24-hour recorded message will be available at 617-376-1288 for callers to obtain the weekly beach sampling results.

The results also will be posted on the city of Quincy's Web Page Link (Beach Results) at <http://ci.quincy.me.us/>

Starting At 7 P.M.

Flag Day Parade, Celebration Saturday

The 56th annual Quincy Flag Day Parade and Celebration will take place this Saturday evening.

The parade steps off at 7 p.m. from Coddington Street, proceeding to Hancock Street, onto Merrymount Parkway, and ending at the entrance to Pageant Field.

Quincy's native Brigadier General Joseph F. Dunford, Jr. will be honored as Grand Marshal for the parade and celebration.

A number of bands will join in the procession, including the Boston Crusaders, Boston City Band, Waltham and Canton Legion Bands, St. Alfio's Marching Band, Boston Fireman's Band, and Local IBEW Fire & Drum Band.

In addition to the bands, two antique fire engines from the Bare Cove Fire Museum, the Weymouth Corvette Club, color guards from the Massachusetts State Police, Quincy Fire Depart-



JOSEPH F. DUNFORD, JR.

ment, Quincy Police Department, Military Color Guards and, the parade highlight, nearly two thousand flag-waving youngsters from various youth organizations citywide will all participate in the 1.5-mile march.

Mayor William Phelan is the honorary chairman of the event and will lead the contingent of elected and public officials.

"Quincy's Flag Day Parade truly is a slice of Americana that adds to our city's small town appeal," noted Phelan. "Families and

friends have been gathering to celebrate our flag and our country in this city for more than a half century and we're fortunate to live in a community where traditions like Flag Day continue to endure."

The parade will culminate into a celebration at Pageant Field with a flag raising of a 30 foot by 60 foot version of Old Glory, presentation of the Richard J. Koch Youth Service Award to Richard Lombardi, patriotic performance and a sing-a-long and, if weather permits, a fly-over salute.

The evening will be capped off by a spectacular fireworks display over Black's Creek that will kick off around 9:15 p.m. There is no rain date for the parade itself, but if conditions are unfavorable the fireworks display will be rescheduled for a date to be announced.

For more information, contact the Quincy Park Department at (617) 376-1251.

First Concourse Demolition June 19

Mayor William Phelan announced this week that the demolition of 148 Parkway will begin June 19.

The building formerly housed Tan-Line.

The demolition marks the first major step of the city's \$30 million downtown overhaul developed by Phelan and approved recently by City Council.

Under the plan, the city will take five additional buildings in order to complete a Concourse or a roadway across the city aimed at diverting commuter and

transient traffic from city streets.

The Ross Garage on Parkway, near the site of the demolition project, is also one of the targets of the city's renewal project which is entitled Quincy Center Urban Revitalization Plan or URDP.

Both the Ross Garage and the Hancock Parking Lot across from Quincy Court-houses could be sold to private companies for development.

City officials have set aside \$10 million for land-takings in order to complete the Concourse.

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Moments in time

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• On June 11, 1509, King Henry VIII of England marries Catherine of Aragon, the first of six wives he will have in his lifetime. When Catherine failed to produce a male heir, Henry divorced her and went on to have five more wives, two of whom — Anne Boleyn and Catherine Howard — he executed for alleged adultery after he grew tired of them.

• On June 15, 1846, representatives of Great Britain and the United States sign the Oregon Treaty, which settles a long-standing dispute over who controlled the Oregon territory and establishes the 49th parallel as the boundary between the U.S. and Canada.

• On June 16, 1932, controversial stage actress Mae West leaves New York for California to make her first film, "Night After Night" (1932). West had become a hit stage actress, famous for her racy roles. In 1927, she spent 10 days in jail for obscenity.

• On June 13, 1946, entertainment impresario Edward Bowes dies. Bowes was a show-business promoter who made a fortune with his radio

and TV program, "Major Bowes' Original Amateur Hour." TV show winners included Pat Boone and 7-year-old Gladys Knight.

• On June 14, 1951, the U.S. Census Bureau dedicates UNIVAC, the world's first commercially produced electronic digital computer. UNIVAC, which stood for Universal Automatic Computer, weighed 8 tons, used 5,000 vacuum tubes and could perform about 1,000 calculations per second.

• On June 12, 1965, the Supremes set music industry records when "Back in My Arms Again" becomes their fifth consecutive single to top the charts.

• On June 17, 1972, five burglars are arrested in the Democratic National Committee headquarters at the Watergate office and apartment complex in Washington, D.C. Washington Post reporters Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein broke the scoop of White House involvement in a pattern of unethical practices against political enemies and later wrote the bestselling book "All the President's Men."

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

Council At-Large Race Shaping Up

An interesting City Council at-large race is beginning to take shape.



FINN



KEENAN



McFARLAND

Incumbents Joseph Finn, John Keenan and Michael McFarland have three challengers in the field and if one more gets in, it will force a September preliminary election.



LIANG



LOGUE



NG

Jennifer McCauley Logue, former executive director of Discover Quincy and daughter of former Mayor Francis McCauley hopes to become only the fifth woman councillor in the city's 118-year history.

Jimmie Liang and Victor Ng hope to be the first Asian American ever elected not only to the City Council but to any elective office.

Liang, a restaurant owner, made his first bid for the council in 2001 and ran again in 2003, finishing fifth each time.

Ng, who lives on Holmes Street in North Quincy, will be making his first run for public office. He is a financial services specialist for the Massachusetts Board of Higher Education.

Liang wasn't the first Asian American name to appear on a Quincy election ballot when he ran in 2001.

Edward Lee, also a restaurant owner, broke that political ground in 1991 as an unsuccessful candidate for school committee.

Lee ran in an 11-candidate preliminary election field and placed ninth with 1,456 votes.

Not bad, though, for a political novice and considering he was up against some pretty heavy hitters:

Dan Raymondi, Linda Stice, Steve Durkin, Peggy King, Jo-Ann Bragg, Sean Barry, Mary Jane Powers and the veteran Frank Anselmo. Lee trailed him by only 174 votes.

Raymondi, Durkin and Stice went on to win the three seats in the final election.

There's no doubt that the dramatic growth in the Asian population will one day become a political force in the city.

City Clerk Joseph Shea notes that Quincy's current population is 91,606—with 22,500 Asian Americans.

But, of those 22,500 only 4,551 are registered voters. For them to become that political force someone will

have to step out in front as a leader and organizer and get them more involved in the community.

But their day in the political limelight is definitely coming.

□

ONE OF THE "coldest cases" yet to be solved is the disappearance 70 years ago next month of Amelia Earhart, who had Quincy links.

She vanished somewhere in the South Pacific in July 1937 while on an around-the-world flight with her navigator, Fred Noonan.

Earhart learned to fly at the old Dennison Airport at Quincy Shore Drive and East Squantum Street in North Quincy in the 1920's and was part owner.

John Laukkanen of Woodcliff Rd., West Quincy remembers her with special fondness.

Laukkanen, a World War II combat veteran of the Pacific, says as a youngster he used to help sweep out the hangars at the Dennison Airport.

One day, he says, after he cleaned a hangar Earhart came by and told him he had done a nice job.

"Would you like to take a ride?" she asked him.

And with that, Laukkanen jumped into what he recalled as a red and white bi-plane and they were airborne cruising the area. "Something I'll never forget," he says.

"She was really nice," he says.

Her disappearance over the South Pacific in a Lockheed Electra is still a mystery today. But the search for the answer still goes on.

One team reportedly has found aircraft parts and a woman's shoe on a remote South Pacific atoll. And is planning to return there looking for more clues.

□

AMONG THE PROUD parents this graduation year were Mayor William and Tracey Phelan and City Clerk Joseph and Josephine Shea.

Rachael Phelan graduated from North Quincy High School and her father, as chairman of the School Committee, had the extra pleasure of presenting her diploma, while her grandfather, former Mayor Arthur Tobin, stood proudly by. She will be entering Mount Holyoke College.

Katherine Shea graduated from Quincy where she was the class president and captain of the girls' soccer team. She will be going to Providence College.

□

MIKE MCFARLAND will kick off his campaign for re-election as city councillor at-large Thursday, June 21, 7 to 10 p.m. at The Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Suggested donations: \$15 per person, \$25 per family.

DOVE Celebrates Relocation With Open House

DOVE, Inc., the domestic violence agency whose service area includes all of Norfolk County, celebrated its recent move to a new, but confidential location in Quincy with a recent open

house. Area agencies, local service providers, and funders were invited to tour the facility, which includes a new childcare room and expanded space for counseling.

Stephanie Flaherty, DOVE Executive Director, was pleased with the turnout stating, "We've entered a new phase in the agency's

history, with this new space affording us the ability to give our clients better and improved services."

DOVE is celebrating its 29th year serving clients and families impacted by domestic violence, by providing free and confidential shelter, education, outreach, and counseling services to its clients. The agency has also

developed partnerships with other area services providers like Womenspace of Brockton which sends staff to DOVE three days a week to offer sexual assault counseling to clients.

To learn more about DOVE and its services, contact Community-based Services Director Karen Hurley at 617-770-4065 ext. 14.

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THIS IS A 1920s real photo postcard view of what is now Windsor Road in Atlantic before it became an accepted street. This view is looking west from East Squantum Street. At this time many multi-family houses were under construction. The influx of immigrants during the 1920s made Quincy the fastest growing city in Massachusetts, and the nearby Atlantic railroad station

made this a popular neighborhood. In the center distance can be seen the building of the Bosson and Lane, Ltd., a chemical company that was on North Street. Henry Frink, a Quincy photographer, published this postcard. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Doesn't See Any 'Negative Attack'

In a recent release, Phelan spokesperson Kathy Bowes criticizes a Koch for Mayor flier as being an "attack brochure." I read the flier when it arrived on my doorstep, and I read it again after reading the angry-sounding response. For the life of me, I still can't find a "negative attack" anywhere in it.

All I could read into it were issues that Koch apparently wants to talk about during the campaign. How is that a negative attack? I'm starting to think that the anger that was so obvious in the Bowes article says more about our current administration than its challenger.

Why is her article a cri-

tique, and the Koch flier an "attack brochure?" It seems every time Tom Koch opens his mouth certain people cry foul and dirty politics, in an effort to color the race the way they want to. The Bowes retort follows this pattern and actually sheds light on a culture of intimi-

dation marbling through the Phelan administration.

The message received by many doing business with, or working for City Hall is clear: any disapproval is viewed as a personal attack and will not be tolerated.

William Ridge
Quincy

Our Democracy Depends On Institution Of Marriage

In recent weeks there have been letters to *The Quincy Sun* opposing the people's right to a voice in the debate to redefine marriage.

One letter seemed to maintain that only "religious" people oppose the redefinition of marriage.

There are many people, not of particular religious conviction, who simply understand that marriage, as the union of a man and a woman is the only union designed by nature for the bearing and caring of children and the survival of the human race.

This very fact was well stated by Bertrand Russell,

one of the 20th century's most prominent philosophers who maintained that religion was little more than superstition. He taught, "It is through children alone that sexual relations become of importance to society, and worthy to be taken cognizance of by a legal institution." Mr. Russell further concluded, "The main purpose of marriage is to replenish the human population of the globe." Only one union can accomplish this.

The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child declares: "The child has the birthright to be cared for by his or her biological

parents." The UN is hardly a religious organization.

However, with the legalization of same-sex marriage in Spain the legislature has changed birth certificates for all children to read, "Progenitor A" and "Progenitor B" instead of "mother" and "father." How will same-sex marriage affect others? Do you think the state striking the very words "mother" and "father" from birth certificates of every newborn child will have an impact? Here is a clear example of the emerging clash between the needs of children vs. perceived adult rights.

In Massachusetts, marriage certificates now read "Partner A" and "Partner B."

In another letter, the people's rights to participate in the marriage debate seemed to be compared to tyranny! On the contrary, it would be tyranny to deny the people the right to vote.

The institution of marriage is one upon which our democracy depends. Our government since its inception has relied upon marriage, to provide a mother and father responsible for the procreation and nurture of children, as an indispensable institution for the common good and crucial to the future of the nation. It is true

that in recent years, with divorce and unwed births we have lost our way. We need to regain the ideal of marriage rather than moving further from it.

Our government is a system of checks and balances. The Citizens Initiative Petition, as part of our state constitution, was designed to assure the people of Massachusetts an important role to play. When legislators such as Rep. Mariano fail to abide by the laws of this process they snub their noses at the people as unworthy. With the recent unanimous decision of the SIC it is unquestionably clear that legislators who fail to vote directly on the Marriage Amendment Petition are in violation of their constitutional oath.

Thank you to Sen. Morrissey, Rep. Ayers and Rep. Tobin for recognizing the people as true partners in government. My hope is that Rep. Mariano will awaken to the reality that this is a question of the real needs of children, not perceived rights of adults.

For more information as to where this confusion is leading, please go to www.massresistance.org

James Rickert
Centre Street
Quincy

Quincy's Yesterdays

General Dynamics Options To Be Aired By Task Force

By FRANK MCCAULEY

Options for the use of the Quincy Shipyard, should General Dynamics at some point be forced to abandon its shipbuilding there, will be aired by a blue ribbon task force meeting to be held in the Conference Room of the new City Hall.

Forming the special panel was suggested by Councillor Patricia Toland who believes that a discussion with General Dynamics Corporate leadership is crucial to the future of the Quincy Shipyard.

Her recommendation for the task force came last month when GD learned that it had lost its bid for a \$222.5 million Navy contract.

MCCAULEY BALKS AT COUNCIL INPUT ON HEALTH BOARD

City Councillor Joanne Condon's suggestion that a home rule petition establishing a board of health be amended to include input from the City Council ran into opposition from Mayor Francis X. McCauley.

McCauley, who introduced the home rule petition, noted that the city operates under a Plan A charter form of government, which allows the mayor to make appointments without council approval. "And I think it should stay that way," he said.

QUINCY-ISMS

Lon Cahill, son of Claire Cahill of South Quincy, and a 1956 graduate of Quincy High School, was appointed fire chief of the Garden Grove Fire Dept., Garden Grove, California... MDC Commissioner William Geary dedicated a park in West Quincy in memory of Daniel Shea, whom he called "a truly good neighbor whose life was distinguished by unselfish service to his community and country." Shea was active in the American Legion and St. Mary's Parish... The first new official edition of the General Laws of Massachusetts was rededicated in memory of the late Mayor of Quincy and State Senator James R. McIntyre... O'Connell Gardens, 165 Old Colony Ave., Wollaston, was advertising a "Geranium Special, 4 1/2 inch potted cutting Geraniums, two for \$1.99 each and ten for \$17.99..." Former Mayor and Senator Thomas S. Burgin said that he "strongly favors" a proposed memorial to the late Mayor and Senator James R. McIntyre at the old City Hall... Some 1,500 boys and girls, each carrying a 12-inch by 18-inch American Flag will participate in the 34th annual Flag Day Parade and exercises sponsored by the Koch Club... State Senator Paul D. Harold has been selected to participate in a foreign policy conference for young political leaders. The conference will be held June 27 at the State Department, Washington, D.C.... Joanne Skoler, a junior at Thayer Academy, has been elected to the Academy Class of 1985 Chapter of Cum Laude Society. Miss Skoler is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Skoler, 31 Miles Drive... The Quincy High School Class of 1922 was planning its annual reunion to be held June 12 at the Neighborhood Club... The Rev. Keith Munson, minister of United First Parish Church, Quincy Center retired after 40 years of service... Francis W. (Frankie) Vallier, Alden St., Quincy Point, received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from Bryant College, Smithfield, R.I... The Granite Cooperative Bank, with offices at 440 Hancock St., North Quincy, and 100 Granite St., Quincy Center, was offering "Free Lobsters, Register to Win, Drawing Every Friday All Summer. Winners will get six large lobsters..." Mrs. Mary Ginnetty of 291 Billings St., North Quincy, was elected corresponding secretary of the South Shore Chapter of Massachusetts Citizens for Life... The Houghs Neck Community Council Scholarship Committee presented \$3,150 in book awards to nine Quincy students. High School graduates receiving awards were Andrew Peter, Stephen Magee, William Doyle, Richard Farrent and Lee Ann Mitchell. College students receiving awards were Jennifer McCauley, Holly Morris, Julie Kohut and Peter McPartlin... The Quincy Cooperative Bank was planning to host two free Red Cross blood pressure screenings, one at the main office on Quincy Ave., June 20, and the second June 26 at the Quincy Center office... The Jaehning Chiropractic Club lost a 62-61 squeaker to the D.C. Club in its final game of the South Shore Sports Center Basketball League. Billy Murphy was the top scorer for the Jaehning Club with 20 points, followed by Chuck Jaehning with 19 points... Former City Solicitor William B. Golden received a citation from the New England Association of Handicapped Contractors... Quincy residents Patricia M. Tangney and Manuela Silva were awarded Master of Arts degrees in Special Education from Regis College in Weston.

Thank You, Squantum Community Youth Choir

I'm writing in regards to the recent performances of Beauty and the Beast that were done on June 2 and June 3rd by the Squantum Community Youth Choir (SCYC) at Eastern Nazarene College.

I just wanted to say it was one of the best performances I've seen done of this production. The crew consisting of Erin Glennon, Sean Glennon, Meghan Driscoll and Cailin Driscoll did an outstanding job in creating

and overseeing this to completion.

The cast which consisted of local children did a fabulous job in performing the play. It is amazing that volunteers and school kids can put their hearts and souls into creating a production of this magnitude.

It was a pleasure to watch both performances. Thank you to SCYC for such enjoyable performances of Beauty and the Beast. What's next?

Sandy Golden
Quincy

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



AMONG THOSE ATTENDING the Arts Affair on the Boardwalk fundraiser, Sunset Serenade, were (from left) Robert Payne, Alison Hartwell and Michael Murphy.



FRED BOGAN (left), Anne Quinlan and Bill Beyer enjoy the recent "Sunset Serenade" at the WaterClub at Marina Bay.



SAMPLING SOME OF the hors d'oeuvres at the Arts Affair on the Boardwalk "Sunset Serenade" fundraiser are Ellen McHugo and Mona Podgurski.

'Sunset Serenade' A Success For Arts Affair On Boardwalk

By NANCY SANTRY

The committee for the Arts Affair on the Boardwalk at Marina Bay faced a difficult obstacle as planning began in February.

A condition report on the structural integrity of the display partitions fell short of safety parameters. After 12 years of use for the annual Arts Affair event, most of the wooden partitions were weak and unstable. Others had been vandalized where they stood overnight at last year's event.

"This year they all must be replaced," said Bill Beyer, chairman of the Arts Affair. The estimated to replace them was \$3,000 to \$5,000.

With only a modest budget available and earmarked to kick-off 2007 promotion and advertising, the committee agreed to plan an after-

noon gathering and ask artists who had recently participated, to show their support by purchasing a ticket for the "Sunset Serenade." Announcements were issued through the 13 local art associations that are represented at the Arts Affair event each August.

The "Sunset Serenade" took place recently at the WaterClub at Marina Bay. After a week of rain, the sky cleared just in time for the arriving guests. The WaterClub provided a variety of passed hors d'oeuvres like coconut shrimp, seafood-stuffed mushrooms, meatballs, spring rolls, and a cheese and fresh fruit table. Specialty cocktails dubbed the "Artini" and "Painter's Punch," were designed specifically for the occasion. Will O'Connell and his staff



MARILYN REISBERG (left), Bill Beyer and Elva Proctor at the recent "Sunset Serenade" fundraiser for the Arts Affair on the Boardwalk.

Nancy Santry Photos

handled every detail with the utmost attention to detail.

Guests took a chance at the raffle, an Artist's Gift Basket valued at \$250, with most of the items donated by Frantice Framer in Quincy. On display was an original watercolor of Marina Bay, by renowned Brockton artist William E. Beyer. Beyer cre-

ated notecards from his painting as a preview of one of the souvenir items to be offered on the boardwalk in August.

Entertainment was provided by vocalist, Sigmund Moller, who said he was "pleased to have a part in helping keep the Arts Affair to continue on." The audi-



ALSO ATTENDING THE Arts Affair on the Boardwalk at Marina Bay fundraiser were (from left) John Marshall Dyke, Michael Domina and Kevin Mulvey.

ence was treated to the great music of Englebert, Tom Jones, Elvis, Neil Diamond, Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, just to name a few. They were swaying in their seats to "Sweet Caroline" and "Delilah."

Because of the generosity

and enthusiastic Arts Affair supporters, the Sunset Serenade was a complete success.

The committee is pleased to say the show will go on. The 12th annual Arts Affair on the Boardwalk at Marina Bay is set for Aug. 4 and 5.

Kids Fishing Derby To Be Held June 16

The Quincy Beaches & Coastal Commission will host the second annual Kids All-American Fishing Derby Saturday, June 16, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Best Western Adams Inn, 29 Hancock St., North Quincy. Youngsters ages 5 through 16, accompanied by an adult, are urged to bring

their own fishing rods. Sponsors will supply the bait. Sponsors include the Wal-Mart Corporation.

Participants can register for the event Thursday, June 14, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Wal-Mart store, 301 Falls Boulevard, Quincy Point.

For more information, call 617-773-1534.

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Seaside Gardeners Garden Tour June 23

The Seaside Gardeners of Squantum plan the Third Annual Tour of the "Secret Gardens of Squantum" Saturday, June 23 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The tour will feature seven private gardens and the Junior Gardeners Project at the Squantum School.

After the tour, the Garden

Club's boutique, featuring garden-themed teas, crafts and arts, will be open.

Tickets are \$20 or \$15 if purchased in advance. Persons interested in advance tickets may mail a check to Seaside Gardeners, P.O. 710224, North Quincy, MA 02171. Orders and checks qualifying for the discounted

price must be received by June 19.

"Tickets may be picked up on the day of the tour at Squantum Community Association, 136 Standish Road (corner of Huckins Avenue).

Interested persons may contact Laurie Kelliher at 617-773-2434 or Marie Stamos sat 617-328-4896.

65 Quincy Students On B.C. High Honor Roll

Boston College High School lists 65 students from Quincy on its third quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 12: Wesley K. Chen, Clarence Demesier, Ian Michael Flaherty, Francis Payson Hartel, Michael Joseph Maxey, Eric Ryan Still.

Grade 11: Stephen P. Coletti, Matthew J. Coughlin, Bohan J. Liu, Brian P. Mahoney, Stephen J. McCormack, David H. Richards, John J. Rowland, William P. Tam, Michael F. Wright.

Grade 10: Edward William Adams, Brian Robert

Joyce, Kevin Michael Mahoney, Patrick Finbarr Donovan, Gregory Michael Ouellette.

Grade 9: Andrew James Beaton, Michael Joseph Kusy, Brian Lee, and Michael Wong.

Honors

Grade 12: Shane A. Carlyle, Kyle Thomas Carrigan, Thomas Patrick Henry, Matthew M. Jaehnig, Paul Gerard Kustka, Matthew T. McCabe, Alexander M. Miner, Jeffrey David Sullivan, Yori G. Sverdlin, Kevin Tan, Justin Woo.

Grade 11: Carletono D. Burke, Kevin R. Castonguay, Patrick F. Morrissey, Brendan P. Murphy, Ryan M.

Murphy, Nishant K. Patel, Thomas R.D. Pepe, Michael T. Powers, Richard A. Sullivan, Scott W. Warwick.

Grade 10: Daniel Stephen Diggins, David Scott Figueiredo, Conor P. Flaherty, Edward Thomas Huggill, Kevin Chi-Wing Lee, Kevin Thomas McDonagh, Kenneth Tobin McGrath, David Nguyen, Alex Pejnovich, Thomas F. Regan, Richard Francis Rines, Khang Anh Tran.

Grade 9: Keegan Michael Hannon, Mark Joseph Hogan, Dennis J. Liang, Jared Thomas Martin, David Nguyen, Sean T. O'Connor, James Peter Phelan, and Zachary Charles Tucker.

6 Residents On Fitchburg Dean's List

Six Quincy students earned Dean's List honors at Fitchburg State College for the spring semester.

They are: Lauren Rose Grealley, Julie Hanson, Carolyn Elaine Huerth, Nicholas Pistorino and Maria Villena of Quincy and Ashley

Nee of North Quincy.

Mr., Mrs. Michael Keane Parents Of Daughter

Andrea and Michael Keane of Quincy, are parents of a daughter Isabel Helen born May 9 at Caritas St. Elizabeth's Medical Center. She joins a brother Michal

Patrick and sister Samantha. Grandparents are William and Catherine Murphy of Quincy, and Frank and Peggy Keane of Galway, Ireland.

Beechwood Summer Harbor Cruise Aug. 9

Beechwood's Summer Harbor Cruise will be held Thursday, Aug. 9 and tickets are available now, according to Sharron Beals, Executive Director of Beechwood on the Bay.

"The special Quincy cruise, aboard a 3-decker Boston Harbor cruise liner can accommodate 300," Beals said. "This cruise is the only time a liner size departs from the Marina Bay dock each summer."

"Our August cruise has become a very popular and fun-filled summerevent. Last year, tickets sold out and we expect the same community response this summer," said Judy Paul, Beechwood Center president. "This is an important fundraiser for our Center and we are grateful for the widespread



SHARRON BEALS

community support."

This year's three hour cruise will be aboard The Frederick Nolan, Boston Harbor's largest cruise ship, which will depart at 7 p.m. and return at 10 p.m. to the Marina Bay (DCR) dock. Events on board feature complimentary food, a DJ, and two cash bars.

Tickets can be purchased at the Beechwood Center or

from members of Beechwood's Development Committee. Tickets are \$30 per person. Special group rates are available for corporate, business and family friends. Small business groups, family celebrations and neighborhood parties are especially welcome this year.

Members of the Cruise committee are:

Gwendolyn Bulmer, George Dolbec, Atty. William Farrell, Jane Gallahue, Atty. Michael Joyce, George Klier, Jill Kourafas, Attorney William Macdonald, Maralin Manning, Nancy Murphy, Attorney Kathy Murphy, Judith Paul, Dr. Nancy Ross, Brendan Smith, Caryn Smith, Linda Smith, Donald Uvanitte and Sharron Beals.

'Kid's Fair' June 16 At Child Center

The Wollaston Child Care Center, 47 Weston Ave., will celebrate the opening of its new toddler program with a free "Kids Fair" for youngsters 15 months to 6 years Saturday, June 16, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The featured attractions will be Hugh Henley Entertainer Extraordinaire, the Bubble Music Man, Balloon Sculpting, a Rainforest Reptile Show and fingerprinting with the Quincy Community Police.

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College Courses, Inc. Celebrates 50th Anniversary

The Directors of College Courses, Inc., the founding organization of Quincy College, recently held their 50th anniversary at The Common Market Restaurant, Quincy.

College Courses is a non-profit charitable organization whose purpose is to foster higher education in the South Shore area.

In 1957, the group began by sponsoring six college-level evening courses for 17 students at Quincy High School. That effort laid the foundation for Quincy

College which now offers over 500 courses to 4,000 students.

Over the past 20 years alone, the group has contributed more than \$1 million to Quincy College, according to College Courses Board Chairman and President Thomas J. McNamara.

McNamara said that the contributions have been used for scholarships for students as well as the library's database system, furniture and computers for students and instructor salaries.

In addition to McNamara, the officers of College Courses, Inc. are Paul N. Baharian, vice chairman; Robert Guarnieri, treasurer; and Marianne Peak, secretary. Paul A.M. Hunt is Chairman Emeritus.

Directors include Dr. Eugene W. Creedon, Thomas M. Galvin, Dr. Carol Lee Griffin, Wendy Simmons, Councillor Michael McFarland, Sheila R. McIntyre, Senator Michael Morrissey and School Committee member Linda Stice.



CELEBRATING 50 YEARS supporting higher education in Quincy are College Courses, Inc. Directors Tom Galvin, Linda Stice, Eugene Creedon and Quincy College President Sue Harris. The group marked the 50th anniversary of the beginnings of Quincy College by local volunteers.

Eight Receive Sterling Middle School PTO Scholarships

Scholarships given by the Sterling Middle School PTO include the following:

Those graduating from Quincy High School are

Robyn Bernstein, Jacquelyn Callahan, Anthony Dunner, Allison McDonough and Dan O'Connell.
North Quincy High:

Maria Della Croce and Samy Rouabhia.

Archbishop Williams.
Doug Myers.



COLLEGE COURSES, INC. Directors Paul Baharian, vice chairman; Robert Guarnieri, treasurer; Marianne Peak, secretary and Thomas McNamara, chairman, attended the 50th annual meeting of the group which laid the foundation for Quincy College. The group continues to support Quincy college studies through scholarships and fund-raising.



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Maria DiMarzio Benefit Friday

Friends are holding a benefit for Maria DiMarzio of Quincy at Moose Lodge, 175 Howard Street, Braintree, on June 15 at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$20 and may be purchased at the door or by calling Anne Themmen at 617-471-9950 or Patti Kobzik at 617-328-7390.

Themmen and Kobzik are hoping to help Maria cover

some of the expenses from her breast cancer treatments that are not covered by insurance. She was diagnosed last December. After completing her recent treatments, Maria, a mother of two sons, just returned to work at Boston Financial Data Services.

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Veterans Service Office Faces Increasing Demands

The City Council recently approved a \$31,000 transfer to the city's Veterans' Services account after reviewing the increasing need for services with Veterans' Services Director Henry Bradley.

All costs for veterans are mandated by the state and the municipality receives 75% reimbursement from the state. The city pays 25%.

Bradley described one veteran whose prescription injections can run as high as \$1300 while another veteran's medicine can cost \$100 a month.

"We're working with the insurance companies,"

Bradley said, outlining his office's efforts to reduce the payments. However, he said even the costs of the veterans' Medicaid and Medicare benefits have increased.

In addition, the veterans' office which currently serves 97 veterans and their families regularly have unexpected costs, such as funerals. Bradley said he had a call on a death that day.

"Funerals come up unexpectedly."

Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin cited "holes in the safety net," and added that now, "There seems to be a greater reliance on local

veterans' services."

After the meeting, Bradley said the majority of his clients were active in the Vietnam War. Fewer than a dozen served in either World War II or the Korean Conflict.

"You also have the surviving spouses," Bradley said, noting that some 20 widows qualify for services through the veteran's office.

To date, the Iraq Conflict has not affected local services; according to Bradley who said that newly released service personnel are referred to or access Veterans' Administration Hospitals for the first two years.

Brian Buckley Elected State RSVP President



BRIAN BUCKLEY

Lorraine Norton, RSVP of Chicopee, Holyoke and Ludlow, treasurer.

Buckley, who is a former Quincy Council Aging Director and former athletic director at North Quincy High School, heads the Norfolk County RSVP program which is sponsored by the Norfolk County Commissioners: Chairman Peter Collins of Milton, Francis

At a recent meeting of (MARSPV) the Massachusetts Association of RSVP Directors in Shrewsbury MA, Norfolk County RSVP Director Brian Buckley of Quincy was elected as president of the statewide association.

After the official vote of the slate of officers Buckley thanked his colleagues for their support and especially outgoing President Bill Leary, the Taunton/Fall River RSVP director, for his help in the transition of officers.

Buckley will hold the position of president for two terms through 2009.

Other officers for next year are:

Denise Herron, RSVP Director Worcester, vice president.

Joan Aseltine, RSVP of Greater Lowell, secretary.

O'Brien of Dedham and John Gillis of Quincy.

RSVP is a national volunteer recruitment and placement program offered through the Corporation of National and Community Service. In this program, hundreds of RSVP volunteers offer their time and experience at 50 various sites of non-profit and public agencies throughout Norfolk County.

Buckley is also on the Board of Directors of South Shore Elder Services, the HESSCO Elder Services Money Management Advisory Council, the Massachusetts Senior Games, and the Massachusetts Basketball Coaches Association and is a former Vice-President of MCOA (Massachusetts Council on Aging and Senior Center Directors Association).

Police Union To Seek Expedited Arbitration

(Cont'd From Page 1)

four years but the City Council has yet to fund them.

The men are currently working under terms of a contract that expired on July 1, 2006. Vacation language is the same in both contracts, Tait said.

The full complement of officers and detectives for the Quincy Police Department

ment is recommended to be 188 by city ordinance but 167 has been accepted as full staffing.

Last March, the City Council passed a resolution recommending that the Police Department give full cruiser coverage to all of the city's 13 districts, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Chief Crowley has ignored it, said Tait.

At the time, Tait and Councillor Dan Raymond criticized the chief for returning \$1.8 million to the city treasury in the past two fiscal years instead of using it for staffing.

Last fall, the union took a "no confidence" vote in Crowley and has repeatedly and unsuccessfully called for his ouster.

Friendly Visitors Sought At COA

The Quincy Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to call on the elderly who live alone and would welcome a friendly visitor.

The COA is also seeking seniors who live alone and would like a friendly visit themselves.

Call the COA at 617-376-1508 and ask to speak with

Lena Trough, the friendly visitor coordinator.

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The Council on Aging's bridge club for seniors will meet every Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the

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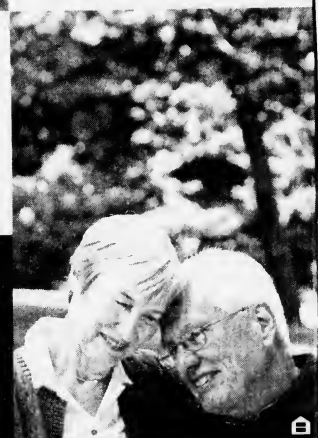
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Keenan To Seek Re-election To Council Seat

Councillor at-large John Keenan announces he will seek a fourth term.

"While we have accomplished quite a bit over the past few years, still much remains to be done," he said in making his announcement.

"I am seeking re-election because I want to keep working on behalf of the people of Quincy to ensure that the city remains a great place to live and work."

Preserving the neighborhoods has been one of his top priorities, he said.

He noted he drafted and introduced the Residence B Moratorium "that halted multi-family development that was out of character with the city's neighborhoods."

"Multi-unit developments were destroying the character of many of our neighborhoods," he said.

"Although the moratorium was somewhat controversial, it has stopped these developments and given us the opportunity to prepare reasonable zoning restrictions in order to preserve our neighborhoods."

Keenan noted that the City Council passed his introduced ordinance that halted the paving of entire front yards.

"The unchecked paving of front yards was unsightly



JOHN KEENAN

and was causing drainage problems," he said. "The ordinance limits the amount of paving, prohibits the parking of vehicles on lawns and yet does provide for off-street parking."

Keenan also co-sponsored the resolve calling for a Code Enforcement Officer.

"The Code Enforcement Officer has been busy in the neighborhoods advising residents of the city's ordinances pertaining to such things as paving, parking, trash and illegal apartments," he said.

As chairman of the council's Finance Committee the past four years, Keenan said he has led the council's efforts as a check on the city's finances.

"Given the large expense of the new high school, we have made sure the city properly funds its Stabilization Account. With this we have helped improve the city's bond rating."

"We have also been able to provide the funds necessary to improve our schools, ensure public safety and invest in our neighborhoods. We must continue to be vigilant."

lant."

Keenan pointed to other accomplishments:

Introduced several major cost-saving initiatives, including special pension financing legislation, which could save the city nearly \$80 million over the next 20 years.

Spearheaded the council's passage of financial programs and zoning changes to spur development in the downtown area.

Took the lead on the \$10 million Natural Resources Investment Initiative strongly advocating for renovations to the city's athletic fields and the purchase of open space, including Lot 23 at Marina Bay, the Bayswater Road/Parkhurst Salt Marsh and land on Quarry Street.

Introduced a measure calling for the study of the Quincy Fire Department with many of the recommendations being implemented including lease/purchase of three new fire trucks and the repair of the city's five fire stations.

Keenan is executive director of the Norfolk County Retirement System, was Financial Coordinator for the Norfolk County Advisory Board and served as executive secretary to Mayor James Sheets.

Keenan lives at 37 Hobomack Rd. with his wife, Dr. Jeanne Hopkins and their three children, Christopher, 13, Timothy, 12 and Kevin, 6.

Wollaston Fair Offers Saturday Of Fun For All

The Wollaston Business Center will be alive with fun-filled activities and events for all ages, but especially for children, Saturday, June 16, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

It's the day of the Wollaston Fair, a time to enjoy music, a silent auction, raffles, a fashion show, free giveaways, food, kids' activities, balloon artists and more.

Activities will be centered around the Wollaston Child Care Center at 47 Western Ave. and the United Methodist Church at 21 Beale St., as well as the corner of Hancock, Beale and Beach Streets and the individual stores.

The Child Care Center, a community service project of the Wollaston Lutheran Church, will host a Kids' Fair for youngsters ages 15 months to 6 years from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Featured attractions will be Hugh Hanley Entertainer Extraordinaire, Bubble Music Man, Balloon Sculpting, Rainforest Reptile Show and fingerprinting with the Quincy Community Police.

Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times and adults must be accompanied by a child.

The United Methodist Church will feature the Beale Street Fair, including a variety of activities for both adults and children, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A silent auction consisting of Red Sox autographs, event tickets and dining packages will be held on the church grounds along with a bake sale, a book boutique area and a balloon launch.

Participants will also have a opportunity to sign a banner that will be sent to the armed forces fighting in Iraq.

The Sovereign Bank parking lot will be converted into a kiddie land from 12:30 to 4 p.m. with a variety of children's activities, music, food and other vendors.

Wollaston businesses will have tables set up from 12 noon to 3 p.m. outside their stores and in a designated activity area at the corner of Hancock, Beale and Beach Streets.

Various businesses will offer specials, giveaways and raffles along with music and a fashion show sponsored by Grandasia Bridal & Fashion.

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The committee in charge if the Kids Fair at the Child Care Center includes:

Timothy Wismar, chairman; Marcia J. Bailey, director; Laurie Sullivan, assistant director; Wayne Morse, facility manager; Josie Ng, business manager; Judge Bailey, security manager; and Shirley-Jean B. Black, volunteer event coordinator.

For more specific information about the Wollaston Fair, call the Wollaston Child Care Center at 617-773-7217 or the United Methodist Church at 617-773-3319.

Or the Quincy 2000 Collaborative at 617-847-1454 or visit their website at www.quincy2000.org.

Sunflower Contest Is Underway

The 12th annual city-wide "Grow Together Sunflower Contest" is underway.

"This is an intergenerational family contest where children are invited to participate with parents, grandparents, great-grandparents and other family members," said Sharron Beals, executive director of the Beechwood Community Life Center and contest organizer.

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PIPER STEPHENSWEET leads members of the Quincy Fire Department and Mayor William Phelan into Mount Wollaston Cemetery for the annual Fireman's Memorial Services Sunday.
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DEACON JOHN MENZ gives the invocation at the Fireman's Memorial Services sponsored by the Quincy Fireman's Relief Association. At the left are Senator Michael Morrissey, Mayor William Phelan, Fire Chief Timothy Pettinelli and Deputy Chief Gary Smith.

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PAUL MOODY, president of the Quincy Fireman's Relief Association reads the Roll of Honor.



KEVIN O'CONNOR, Quincy Fireman's Relief Association treasurer and Earnest Arienti, director at-large, salute after placing a wreath at the Fireman's Memorial Monument.



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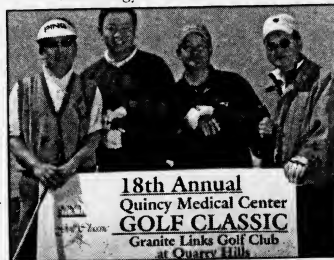
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Teachers' Strike, Talks Continue

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"extraordinary conditions," according to a reading of the state Board of Education regulations.

Hundreds of teachers picketed school sites and City Hall throughout the week and met daily at a Dorchester union hall for an update on the bargaining sessions attended by Phillips and the city's committee.

No progress was reported as of late Tuesday afternoon. According to Mayor William Phelan, one of the sticking points is a change in the teachers' payment of health insurance benefits. Teachers currently contribute 10% to their health insurance costs and pay \$5 on co-pays.

According to Phelan, the city wants a 20% contribution and a \$10 co-pay. He said the city is willing to stretch the change over a period. However, Phelan said that the union wants the change implemented over five years which would be costly to the city.

There are other issues on the table for the bargaining units currently meeting in Battery March Park.

At Monday's press conference, Phelan implored the teachers to return to their classrooms, claiming that Quincy's teachers are the "highest compensated teachers" on the South Shore. "The law is clear; this is an illegal action."

"Quincy teachers enjoy the best health insurance compensation in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts," Phelan said, adding, "They currently pay 10% of their health care and enjoy \$5 co-payments."

On Monday, Phelan had to move the press conference to his third floor office when over 120 teachers arrived with picket signs. The teachers filled the second floor hallways and stairwells and the conference room where the press conference was originally scheduled.

When Phelan moved the conference to his third floor office, the teachers followed the mayor and media cameras. However, police officers were called in and barred all but the press from the conference.

While Phelan gave his statement and answered

questions, teachers could be heard chanting the strike slogans, "Phelan Tells the Public Lies," "Tell the Truth," and "Phelan Failing."

In the hallway, teacher Ellen Power said, "We want to go back to school."

After the press conference, Phelan distributed 23 e-mails written by Phillips as updates on the bargaining. The e-mails were apparently sent to union members. The recipient's name is blacked out.

In one, Phillips writes, "It is insulting that teachers have to go through this kind of thing to get treated fairly. Remember there is still an offer on paper that will result in your making less money at the end unless inflation disappears (no chance of that)." The parentheses are Phillips.

In another e-mail, Phillips breaks down a proposed health insurance payouts and claims that the teachers would actually lose income if that offer had been accepted.

Periodically, Phillips refers to the mayor's selection campaign in his e-mails. For his part, Phelan discounted



STRIKING TEACHERS LINE both sides of Hancock Street in front of City Hall seeking support from passing motorists with picket signs such as "Hook For A Fair Contract."

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any effect on his political future.

"If your goal is to apply political pressure, it hasn't worked in the past and it won't work now," Phelan said Monday in his prepared statement. "I was elected to represent the taxpayers' interest; not the special interests."

Phelan described the effects of the strike on family vacations and students' planning to take their year-end exams.

"To our parents, we are making plans to ensure that our high school juniors and sophomores are allowed to take their final exams. We will not allow this teachers' strike to have a lasting effect on their transcripts."

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The strike also disrupted the mayor's plans for a ground-breaking for the new high school scheduled last Monday.

In a formal release announcing the postponement, Phelan said "This day should be a celebration for our entire community. We don't want to exclude people who may want to attend but can't because of the teacher situation."

Through-out the week, Phillips reported a continuous round of meetings daily and into the night with both bargaining committees.

The city's team consists of School Committee Vice Chairman Elaine Dwyer, members Kevin Mulvey and David McCarthy, the school department's Human Resource Director Roberta

Ketty and the city's labor counsel David Gruenbaum.

Phelan is not participating in the negotiations, as his brother is a Quincy teacher.

Contacted late Tuesday, Phillips was asked for some details regarding the negotiations. He declined stating he was part of the bargaining team.

The negotiating team for the QEA includes Phillips, Allison Cox, Vice-President QEA, Ellen Murray, Quincy High School; Dan Causo, Music Department Head, Richard Green and Aliza Schneller, North Quincy High School; Michael Ellis and Ellen Murray, Quincy High School; Carolyn Parsley, Atlantic Middle School, Martha Slocum, Nurse at Merrymount School, and Patrick Barry, Physical Therapist.

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Conway Financial Services Promotes Responsible Lending With Fannie Mae

Jack Conway & Co. Realtors and Conway Financial Services (CFS) joins Fannie Mae in a local initiative to promote "responsible lending" and educate real estate agents on how to help their potential buyers identify the most appropriate affordable mortgage products.

Throughout June's National Homeownership Month, Conway agents and mortgage originators will receive training on such loan products as Fannie Mae's MyCommunity Mortgage[®], Flexible 97[®] and Flexible 100[™], and Expanded Approval[®] products, which help more buyers qualify for a mortgage loan using flexible financing for a variety of

challenges at conventional rates.

Jack Conway Co. and Fannie Mae recently kicked off the effort with two workshops discussing market trends, changing demographics, and a wide range of financing options to help customers overcome the barriers to home ownership. Fannie Mae's Regional Manager Lorenzo Wooten conducted training for more than 400 Conway real estate agents.

Rosemary O'Neil, president of the Massachusetts Mortgage Association and V.P. of Conway Financial said she is "thrilled" that CFS is the first and only Massachusetts company

chosen to partner with Fannie Mae for this new outreach.

"Many of our clients during the spring home buying season are first-time home buyers," said O'Neil. "We're very excited about this collaboration and we're looking forward to being a part of the team that will provide invaluable insights to home buyers in Massachusetts as they make the most important financing decision of their lives."

With 45 offices from Boston to Cape Cod, Jack Conway & Co. Realtors is the largest independent real estate company in Massachusetts - Since 1956.



JACK CONWAY & Co. Realtors and the mortgage giant Fannie Mae recently unveiled a new partnership aimed at promoting Fannie Mae's responsible lending products to eligible Massachusetts homebuyers. The joint venture was rolled out to 400 Conway associates at a recent seminar at the Boston Marriott, Quincy. From left to right are: Lorenzo Wooten, regional sales manager for Fannie Mae; Debbie Campbell, senior vice president for CFS; Rosemary O'Neil, vice president of CFS; Anita Hamilton, senior business manager for Fannie Mae; and Richard Cahill, president of Jack Conway & Co. Realtors.

QCAP Sponsoring Homebuyer Workshop

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc., will sponsor two free first-time homebuyer workshop sessions Saturday, July 14 and July 28 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The workshop will be held at 1509 Hancock St., Quincy Center, in the fourth floor

conference room.

Workshop speakers are professionals representing different real estate fields. Participants receive a workbook, which contains valuable references that pertain to homebuying.

Upon completion of the course, participants will re-

ceive a certificate, which is a pre-requisite for down-payment cost assistance, favorable soft second and Mass Housing mortgages.

Registration is required. For more information, call Ann Marie Casey at 617-479-8181 ext. 119.

Neighborhood Housing Services First-Time Homebuyer Workshop

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore,

in conjunction with South Shore Savings Bank, will host a first-time homebuyer workshop Monday, June 25 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, June 30, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshop, open to all Massachusetts residents, will be held at South Shore Savings Bank, 1530 Main St., Weymouth.

Attendance at both sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. Participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics include mortgage options, legal aspects of the homebuying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from related professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person.

For more information, call (617) 770-2227 ext. 31.



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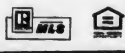
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Land Records Research Expanded At Registry Of Deeds

Norfolk County Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell announces internet accessible land records research has been expanded at the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds.

This land record research is available at the Registry's website www.norfolkdeeds.org.

This ongoing project has made available all recorded land indexes and images from 1973 back to and including 1966.

"Recorded land records are referenced by a book and page number based on the traditional Common Law System. This project has added online scanned images and indexes back to 1966 which have added to our current internet accessible library," O'Donnell said.

A second category of land

in Massachusetts is registered land. Registered land is supervised by the Land Court and filings are referenced by Certificates of Title.

O'Donnell noted that the Land Court in Norfolk County began in 1901.

"At the Registry of Deeds we are very proud that over 1.1 million documents filed in Norfolk County's Land Court dating back to 1901 have been put on the registered land internet library," O'Donnell said.

"The expansion of the internet library will continue. Our goal is to bring the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds into the homes, municipalities and businesses of Norfolk County," O'Donnell said. He added, "We hope to continue to improve the usefulness of the

system to both real estate professionals and the general public."

The Registry of Deeds located at 649 High St., Dedham, is the principal land records office for the communities of Norfolk County. The Registry receives and records hundreds of thousands of documents each year and is a basic resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate and accessible land record information.

For more information, visit www.norfolkdeeds.org or call the Customer Service Department at 1-781-461-6101.

Reverse Mortgage Explained

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy. Reverse mortgage is a program offered by the federal government that allows seniors to convert a portion of their home equity into tax free cash.

For an appointment, call Ann Bruce at 617-376-1506.

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Century 21 Annex Realty Top Sales Agents

Art Foley, Broker/Owner of CENTURY 21 Annex Realty, Inc., with offices in Quincy and Hanover, announces the Annual Award Recipients for 2006.

These agents were recognized for their adjusted gross commissions and the number of units they each sold in 2006.

John Balzano and Theresa Repoff, both based in the Quincy office, were honored with the Masters Ruby Award. The Masters Ruby Award is given to agents who either reach \$110,000 to \$142,999 in adjusted gross commissions or who have sold 30 to 39 units in a 12-month period.

In 2004 and 2005, Balzano received the Masters Ruby Award as well as the Pacesetter Gold Award in 2004. Repoff received the Masters Ruby Award in 2004 and 2005. She has also received the CENTURY 21 Annex Realty Extra Mile Award and the South Shore Board of Realtors Community Service Award. Repoff was named one of the top agents for the second quarter of 2006.

"Century 21 Annex Realty would like to congratulate John and Theresa for their outstanding performances in 2006," said Foley. "This has been a great year for our company, and we could not



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JOHN BALZANO

have done it without our agents. They continuously turn in great performances. Congratulations on a job well done!"

Century 21 Annex Realty, Inc., has offered comprehensive real estate services to the South Shore since 1978. For more information about Century 21 Annex Realty, Inc.,

or any of its services, including sales, rentals, appraisals, property management, continuing education programs and free notary services, call the Quincy office at 617-472-4330 or toll-free 800-345-4614, the Hanover office at 781-829-4210 or toll-free 800-207-8647 or log on to www.C21Annex.com.



By Samantha Mazzotta

High Electric Bill? Get an Energy Audit

Q. I read with interest the article about the homeowner with high electric usage. He is using 300 kilowatt-hours more than his neighbor. But what about his total usage? A total energy audit of his home may provide some answers.

The audit should focus particularly on electrical loads — appliances, motor load, etc. As an energy auditor, state-certified in Maine, I always had a sit-down session with the customer and logged the number of occupants in the house, their age and gender. You would be surprised how much more energy-intensive girls are compared with boys.

If you are going to model the energy use, it must be related to the family's living habits and comfort levels (air temperature) maintained in the structure. Even in a well-insulated home, cranking the thermostat to 75 degrees in winter or 72 degrees in summer will be reflected in the energy use.

In short, there's nothing wrong with comparing your energy use with your neighbor's, but it is not the best approach. Neither is paying an electrician to detect a possible electrical

leak (at least, not at this time). Do the energy audit first; then, if you have a problem measuring the audit figures against the amount actually consumed, consider other avenues.

I commend the customer for monitoring his energy use; however, a qualified utility representative should be willing to methodically address the issue. Such occurrences were always a challenge for me as a utility employee for 30 years. I hope the customer's local utility will respond with the same enthusiasm as my company did in resolving the questions of this concerned customer. — Roger P., Leesburg, Fla.

A. Thank you, Roger. This is great advice. These days, many utility companies offer do-it-yourself energy audit kits for free. However, most can schedule a representative to come and perform an audit. Even if homeowners don't notice a big discrepancy in their power bills from one year to the next, a home energy audit can result in big savings.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeguard2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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How to Select Flooring That's Right For You

(NAPS) — Since its introduction in the early '90s, laminate has evolved into a dynamic flooring option.

Homeowners who choose laminate are less concerned about denting, nicking and stains than other types of flooring. In addition, laminate won't collect dust like carpet, leaving allergy sufferers with one less symptom trigger. Remember to consider the following when shopping for flooring:

Appearance — Whether you want a hardwood, ceramic or stone look, the laminate you choose should resemble the real thing as much as possible.

For example, Mohawk Flooring's new Earthworks and Hemisphere Collections offer realistic surface textures and finishes in a variety of colors and styles. For a coordinating look, consider accent moldings to finish the room.

Location — Let your retailer know about the environment in which you

plan to install your new laminate. Many laminates are not warranted for use in bathrooms and some are only warranted if it is a square-edge product.

Room location is also a key factor when it comes to noise levels, so you'll want to consider the proper underlayment that will best contain noise.

"We offer a SILENT GUARD underlayment to decrease sound from traveling to rooms below," said Roger Farabee of Mohawk Industries. "Both also serve as a moisture barrier between the subfloor and the

TIPS FOR HOMEOWNERS

laminate."

Maintenance — Think about the maintenance involved with any floor. An aluminum oxide top coat will not only protect the floor from everyday wear due to pets and foot traffic, but also against extremes such as cigarette burns and household chemical spills. Choose laminate with wear, impact, scratch and stain resistance built into the floor.

Warranty — Most reputable flooring manufacturers offer a 20- to 25-year wear warranty if the

flooring is installed with its underlayment. Be sure to ask what the warranty does and does not include.

Consumers should make sure their floor is manufactured by a member of the North American Laminate Flooring Association (NALFA). These companies' products meet or exceed industry standards for manufacturing.

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Step by Step

by David

After years of renting, I didn't know what to expect when it came to buying a home. My CENTURY 21 Annex Realty agent walked me through the process step by step. He was diligent in providing me with the information I needed to help me choose the right home. Now, I am the proud owner of a new condo.

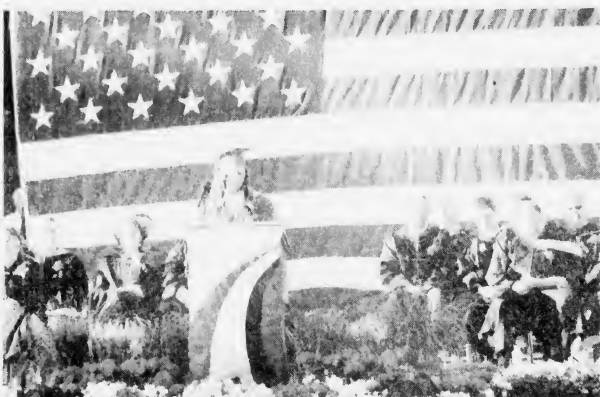
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Congratulations, Graduates

North Quincy High School Commencement Highlights



NORTH QUINCY HIGH School Class Salutatorian Julianne Ross addresses fellow graduates at the school's commencement last Wednesday at Adams Field. Dignitaries and elected officials on the platform behind her are (from left) School Committee members Elaine Dwyer, Kevin Minvey and Linda Stice, Rep. Steve Tobin, City Councillor Mike McFarland, Asst. Supt. Carmen Mariano, Principal Louis Ioannilli and Sen. Michael Morrissey.



GRADUATION CAPS from North Quincy High School's 359 graduating seniors are tossed in the air at the conclusion of last Wednesday's commencement held outdoors at Adams Field.

Quincy Sun Photos/Noreen O'Shea



CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATE - A North Quincy High School graduate receives congratulations from (second from left) Mayor William Phelan, Principal Louis Ioannilli, and School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro.



HAPPY CLASSMATES (from left) Chris Hunter, Hannah Lynch and Kevin Tryon are all smiles after receiving their diplomas at North Quincy High School's commencement. Other Photos on Page 22.

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and Their Families

Linda K. Stice
Quincy School Committee



**Congratulations,
Class of 2007!**

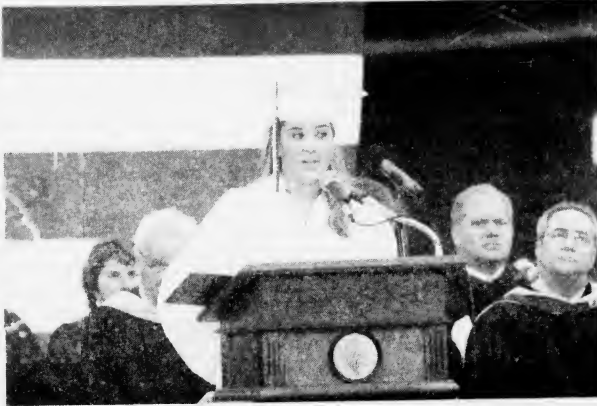
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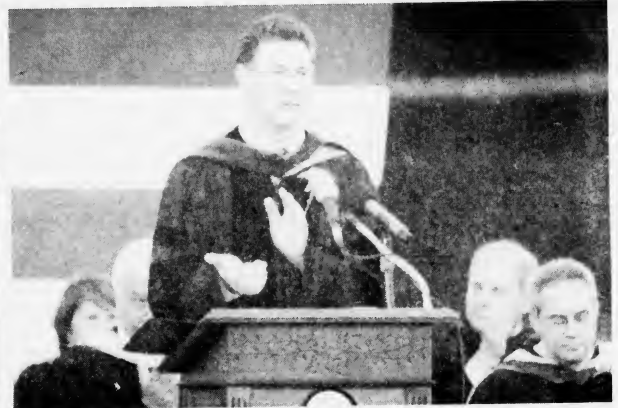


Congratulations, Graduates

Quincy High School Commencement Highlights



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL Class President Katherine Shea welcomes all fellow classmates, family, city officials and invited guests to the school's commencement at Adams Field. Behind her on the platform are (from left) School Committeewoman Linda Stice, Principal Frank Santoro, School Committeeman Jim Timmins and School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro.



MAYOR WILLIAM PHELAN acknowledges parents of Quincy High School graduates for their love and support throughout their four years of high school. Behind the mayor are (from left) School Committeewoman Linda Stice, School Principal Frank Santoro, School Committeeman Jim Timmins and School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro.



GRADUATION CAPS from Quincy High School's 313 graduating seniors are sent skyward at end of last Thursday's commencement at Adams Field.

Quincy Sun Photos: Robert V. Stone



SCHOOL SUPT. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro presents this year's class of Quincy High School graduates during commencement exercises at Adams Field. Behind him (left) is School Principal Frank Santoro and (right) School Committeeman Jim Timmins. Other Photos on Page 23.

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*Good Luck and Best Wishes
to the Class of 2007*

*Ward Three Councillor
Kevin E. Coughlin and Family*

**Congratulations to
the QHS & NQHS
Class of 2007**

Elaine Dwyer
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**CONGRATULATIONS AND
BEST WISHES TO THE
CLASS OF 2007!**



**Mayor and Mrs.
William J. Phelan**

*And special congratulations
to our daughter, Rachael*



**Best Wishes
to the
Class of 2007**

BRUCE AYERS
State Representative

North Quincy High School Valedictorian Ivy Huang's Message To Fellow Graduates:

'Create Happiness By Taking Charge Of Your Lives'

Editor's Note: Ivy Huang, the valedictorian of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007, was scheduled to deliver the following address to her fellow graduates. However, because the commencement was postponed from Monday to Wednesday, and her travel plans out of the country, Ivy was unable to attend graduation. This is the text of the address she was supposed to give.

By IVY HUANG
Welcome Mayor Phelan, Superintendent Dr. DeCristoforo, Members of the School Committee, Parents, Families, Friends, Teachers, and the graduating

Class of 2007, my name is Ivy Huang and I am honored to be this year's Class Speaker.

To the Parents and Teachers, thank you for putting up with us during the past four years. It was with your encouragement and guidance that we developed into well rounded individuals, who excelled in sports while achieving high honors in academics and making our mark in the arts.

To my fellow graduates, congratulations on your transformations from insecure freshmen to confident young adults, who are poised to meet all the challenges and



IVY B. HUANG
Valedictorian
North Quincy High School
Class of 2007

to make contributions in the world. This incredible transformation has been the result of our entire high school experience, from the first classes in ninth grade to the last dance at senior prom. Our experiences during the past four years have cemented our bond and unity as a class.

To get to this moment, many of you faced adversity and triumphed. I also had to overcome several trying experiences to get to where I am today. For one, I was

separated from my parents during most of my childhood due to the one child policy in China. This policy, which forbade city couples to have more than one child, forced my parents to leave me in a remote village under the guardianship of my Great Aunt and Grandfather. My Great Aunt was a woman who had survived the devastation of World War II and the communist takeover during the three decades that spanned her youth. Her early life had been marked with hunger and deprivation. Despite her difficulties in life, she never let her sadness affect her treatment of me.

After six years of separation, my father came one summer morning to announce that I would be reuniting with my family because he had received permission to immigrate with his family to America. I cried during the whole trip from the village to my new home in the city. I remembered that I could not bear the thought of leaving my Great Aunt behind.

It was during this period of change that I lost my sense of security. My apprehension of new surroundings and people taught me to be self-reliant. For example, since I was determined to be on the same academic level as my city classmates, I would spend my summer vacation completing math and writing exercises.

In the meantime, my family waited two more years before we were allowed to leave to Canton to come to America. The nine years that followed taught me the importance of optimism, but this notion did not come instantly. Caught between the whirlpools of two cultures, I did not quite know who I was or what I should be. Things became even more complicated when my family's rented apartment was destroyed by fire in the spring of 2000.

Although it was a stressful experience, my family gradually made a full recovery with the help of the community. The collective effort of the social workers and the

local community lifted my family out of homelessness and into public housing, which reduced a great part of the financial burden on my parents, but placed me in a new and unfamiliar school district.

Soon I began middle school in the new district, where I knew no one. Instead of feeling sorry for myself, I decided to initiate friendships and focus my energy on academics. The blue and gold ribbon that I received when I was named student of the month after my first term in sixth grade represented a new world of possibilities to me. It encouraged me to test the limits of my abilities by participating in more academic and extracurricular activities. I credit Broad Meadows Middle School for this positive transformation.

My subsequent four years at North Quincy High School further honed my enthusiasm and commitment to academic excellence and community service. For example, my involvement in science fairs during the past four years has led me to develop a strong interest in the field of science. At the same time, my volunteer work provided me with opportunities to give back. There is no doubt that the academic, athletic, and fine arts programs offered at North nurtured and shaped the person I am today.

As a result of my experiences, I have learned one very important rule: ninety-nine percent of all troubles will eventually go away! Something good is bound to happen in the end when you

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The Quincy Sun

congratulates our
scholarship recipients.

Stephen Palmatier, Quincy High School
Matthew Chin, North Quincy High School

Best wishes from all of us at
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Council President
Doug Gutro & Family

Good Luck and
Congratulations to
the Graduates of
QHS and NQHS 2007
May you move forward
in life and achieve
all your dreams.
God Bless all of you.



Dave McCarthy
School Committee



Quincy High School Valedictorian Paige Neumann Message To Fellow Graduates: 'When We Work Together We Can Accomplish So Much'

By PAIGE NEUMANN
Valedictorian
Quincy High School Class
of 2007

Thank you Mr. Santoro.... Mr. Mayor, Honored Guests, Parents, fellow graduates....do you remember these words? "One of these things is not like the others. One of these things just doesn't belong. Can you tell which thing is not like the others by the time I finish my song?"

Many of us remember this song from our childhood years of watching Sesame Street. This song taught us how to group things that are alike and to single out those things that are different. And while this seems like a good

lesson to teach a child, many of us may have learned that lesson a little too well. We are a very diverse class. We have different cultures, religions, languages, and interests, but we still tend to identify people who are like us and to stick to those people.

It is good to talk to people who believe as we do, who enjoy what we do, but it is also good to reach out to those who are different from us. In all our years at Quincy High, we haven't done many things as one class, together.

And yet here we all are, graduating together. We may not be the most cohesive or connected class, but when we work together we can accomplish so much.



PAIGE E. NEUMANN
Valedictorian
Quincy High School Class of
2007

It is not hard to see the disconnection in our class. Just by walking through the cafeteria at lunchtime, we can see how we separate our-

selves by ethnicity, gender, cliques, etc. It is perfectly natural for us to want to stay within our comfort levels, and although these levels make us feel more at ease, they also limit what we can do. I know it sounds clichéd, but we really are so much stronger when we work together.

Just look at what happens when we put our differences aside and work together.

Look at what we've achieved over the past four years by working together. We've had robotics championships. Our football team has won the Turkey Day Game every one of our years at Quincy High. We had plays, concerts, fashion shows, and art shows. We've had volleyball, basketball, baseball, and tennis championships. By coming together within our teams and clubs, we earned so many great successes in so many areas. When we worked together towards a common goal, we were able to come together, despite our differences, and to successfully reach that goal. At other times, we succeed because of our differences. Our classroom discussions

are richer because of our different perspectives. We learn from our differences. We even celebrate those differences every year at the cultural fair. Even if the only thing that you took away from that fair is which country has the best food, we still all got a chance to see how diverse our school really is and to see what we can accomplish when we celebrate our differences instead of letting them divide us.

Quincy High's theme this year was "Respecting Our Differences." We didn't always stay true to that theme, but when we did, the results were incredible. By letting

our differences unite us, instead of divide us, we achieved so much more than we ever could have if we had stuck to that simple Sesame Street rule.

In five years or so, when we have our first class reunion, whom will we sit with? When we look back on our years at Quincy High, will we remember just those things that we did within our small groups, or will we remember the things we did together?

Look at us now. Remember this moment. We're all here as one group. We're all here - together.

Congratulations class of 2007!

20 QHS Graduates On National Honor Society

Twenty graduates of the Quincy High School Class of 2007 have been named to the National Honor Society for academic excellence.

They are:

John R. Alexander II, Pluton Angjeli, Elizabeth L. Bergstrom, Jai Wei Chen, James Christie, Stephen Connolly, Jonathan Conso, Wendell Cosgrove, June Dandhanin, Ralli Kondili, Taysir Mahmoud, Christina Z. Manipon, Jeffrey Mui, Kshiti Nagpal, Deziree Nascimento, Janet Ng, Daniel O'Connell, Robert



JIA WEI CHEN, salutatorian of the Quincy High School Class of 2007, addresses her fellow graduates at the school's commencement last Thursday at Adams Field.
Page, Kimberly Pham and Lillian Sheco

Commencements On Quincy Access TV

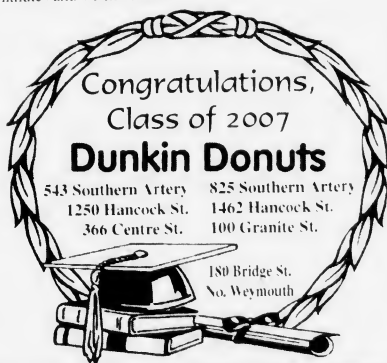
Quincy Access Television will re-play commencement ceremonies from the city's two high schools this week.

The ceremony from the Quincy High School graduation ceremony will be shown Wednesday at 8 p.m. and Friday at 12 noon.

The North Quincy High School graduation ceremony can be seen Wednesday at 8 p.m. and Friday at 10 a.m.

Quincy Access TV experienced a major equipment failure during the awarding of Quincy High School diplomas. QATV regrets the inconvenience and disappointment this may caused families.

If anyone has a tape of it with QATV, call 617-437-1444. approximately the last 15 minutes and wishes to share



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The Faculty and Staff of
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the graduating class of 2007

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**Congratulations
And Good Luck
To The
Class of 2007**

Tom Koch
NQHS Class of '81

North Quincy High School Commencement Highlights



RACHAEL PHELAN, a member of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007, receives congratulations from her father, Mayor William Phelan (far left), her grandfather, former mayor Arthur Tobin, and her uncle, Rep. Steve Tobin.



CHANCE MILLER, president of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007, offers remarks to fellow graduates at last Wednesday's commencement. At left is School Committeewoman Linda Stice.



A NORTH QUINCY High School graduate receives her diploma at commencement.



NORTH QUINCY High School graduates shake the hands of school officials at last Wednesday's commencement. From left: Mayor William Phelan, Principal Louis Iannilli, School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro and School Committee members Anne Mahoney, David McCarthy, Kevin Mulvey, Linda Stice, Elaine Dwyer and Jim Fummus.

'Create Happiness By Taking Charge Of Your Lives'

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do not give up, keep working, and just wait a little while!! For some reason, I believe life will turn out alright even if it will not be easy.

America gave my family freedom and independence. It also made us assume responsibility for ourselves. Listen Class of '07, nothing can ruin your life unless you let it be ruined. We can create our own happiness by taking charge of our lives in

the next several years.

Reverend James Russell Lowell once said that Mis-haps are like knives that either serve us or cut us as we grasp them by the handle or blade. The opportunities and obstacles that await us in the next several years will be similar. If misfortune happens to befall you, view it as the impetus for brighter beginnings.

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Quincy High School Commencement Highlights



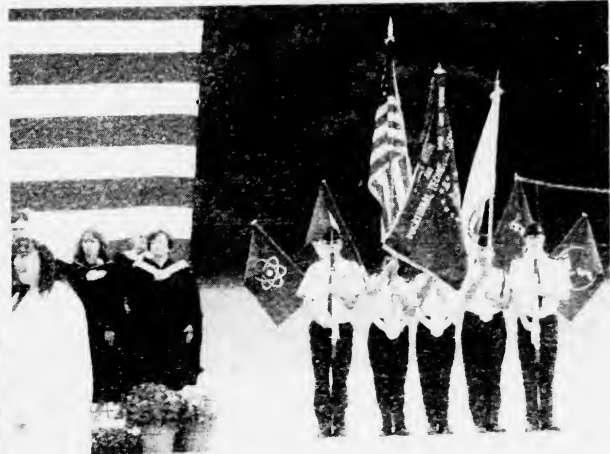
WELL DONE - School Committeewoman Linda Stice receives ovation at the Quincy High School commencement for her long service. Joining in the tribute are School Committeeman Dave McCarthy (left) and QHS Principal Frank Santoro. Stice will step down in January after 16 years service on the school committee. (Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Noble)



NATIONAL ANTHEM is performed by the Horizons Choir directed by Marina Rozenberg at the Quincy High School commencement at Adams Field.



ADAMS FIELD STANDS are filled with family and friends of graduates from the Quincy High School Class of 2007 during the school's commencement.



QUINCY HIGHSCHOOL Junior ROTC color guard presents colors at the Quincy High School commencement last Thursday.

39 NQHS Graduates On National Honor Society

Thirty-nine graduates of the North Quincy High School Class of 2007 have been named to the National Honor Society for academic excellence.

They are:
Julia C. Anderson, Rachel E. Barrett, Christopher R. Boyd, Kerian E. Cabral, Cynthia Chan, Alexander

Chen, Henry W. Chen, Amy S. Chung, Bridget M. Coleman, Maria N. Della Croce, Linh T. Do Pham, Po Shan Fan, Caroline Fong,

Joanna Fu, Jenna A. Fure, Cai Gao, Margaret Ho, Ivy B. Huang, Jessica Johnson, Sarah J. Kou, Heather K. Lee, Mona C. Li, Lok M.

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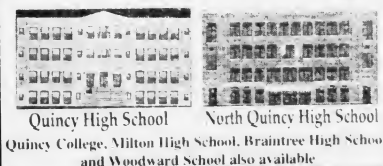


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32 Quincy Students Graduate B.C. High School

President William J. Kemeza and the Board of Trustees of Boston College High School announces 32 Quincy residents are among the 217 students who were recently conferred diplomas at the school's 143rd commencement held at McNeice Pavilion.

Graduates from Quincy are:

David A. Arulan, Myles M. Berry, Shane A. Carls, Kyle Thomas Carrigan, Wesley K. Chen, Sean Michael Collins, Stephen P. Crenin, Clarence Demesier, Ian Michael Flaherty, Joseph G. Garland, Beau D. Harzi, Francis Payson Harte, Tho-

mas Patrick Henry, Matthew M. Jaehnig, Paul Gerard Kustka, Chun Yiu Lai, Michael J. LeBlanc, Michael Joseph Maxey, Matthew T. McCabe, Alexander M. Miner, Jeffrey C. Mui, Conor M. Roche, Matthew P. Shaw, Paul James Smith, Eric Ryan Still, James Joseph Sullivan, Jeffrey David Sullivan, Yoni G. Svedlin, Kevin Tan, Francis Edward Tansey, Wesley T. Wong and Justin Woo.

Walter V. Robinson, Class of 1963, reporter for *The Boston Globe* for more than 34 years and current Northeastern University Journalism professor gave the com-

mencement address. At the Globe, Robinson covered local and national politics, the White House during the Presidencies of Ronald Reagan and George H. W. Bush, four presidential elections and the Persian Gulf War. He reported for the *Globe* from 48 states and 30 countries.

After four years as city editor and metropolitan editor, Robinson directed the *Globe's* investigative unit, the Spotlight Team, from 2000 to 2006. He and his team won numerous national awards, including the 2003 Pulitzer Prize for Public Service for uncovering the clergy sexual abuse scandal in the Roman Catholic Church.

Boston College High School is a Jesuit, Catholic, college-preparatory school for young men founded in 1863. The school enrolls approximately 1,300 students from some 100 communities in eastern Massachusetts. For more http://www.bchigh.edu

137 Residents Listed On UMass-Boston Dean's List

The University of Massachusetts-Boston lists 137 Quincy residents on its Dean's List for the fall semester.

They are:

Hyungrok Kim, Celyne Neri, Jacqueline Watkins, Scarlett Buer, Zhijun Cai, Yen Po Chen, I-Fang Chen, Cassandra Chupps, Ying He, Nicole Jones, Chelsey Knight, Yuen Lee, Albert Man, Joseph Mazrimas, Jennifer McGlynn, Martin Morales, Iheue Nguyen, Todd Nichols, Akina Noda, Joseph Norris, Charles O'Brien, Yun Shi, Christopher Smith, Jason Son, Joanna Tan, Jun Tan, Livia Terezi, Jessica Westgate, Sophia Wong, Yaqing Wu, Yafang Wu, Yang Xie, Zhichao Xue, Tasnim Ahmed, Anas Ahsan, Elisabeta Andrea, Elena Aslami, Dianne Banoe, Valentina Barzotti, Jennifer S. Baszkiewicz, Breanna Battisti, Allison Beaudry, Jason Bedore, Heather Boersma, Kenyatta Braithwaite, Elizabeth Campbell, Vilma Casili,

Victor Christensen, Jessica Conine, Lyall Croft, Heather Crook, Sean Crowley, Run Dai, Gregory Daniel, Clifford Davis IV, Timothy Desrochers, Abigail Duffy, Denise Fang, Joseph Fitzgerald, Gwen Ford, Megan Grasselli, Anna Guamotta, Majda Haitof, Jessica Hamilton, Courtney Hayes, Caitlin Hunyadi, Randall Jacobs, Brandy Jewett, Caroline Kautsire, Gun Hoon Kwak, Robert Lam, Tanya Larkin, Maria Lariva, Jocelyn Li, Jennifer Light, Simone Lorena, Jeffery Lui, John MacNeil, Moses Magera, Rosemary Marini, Lauren McDonald, Meg Mefflen, Elisabeth John Miller, Sara Moon, Vishal Nath, Lindsey Neill, Jason Ng, John Nguyen, Thao Nguyen, Paul Norton, Christia Ziv Panizales, Kevin

Phung, Maureen Pierre-Louis, Ryan Quinn, Daniel Roth, Cassandra Roth, Siang Sang, Lisa Sprague, Nicole Stalling, Rachel Sullivan, Pin-Chia Tseng, Richard Viau, Phu Vo, Rory Wade, Timothy Waitley, Jeanette Welch, Kristian Wilson, Alice Wong, Di Xiao, Rothna Yem, Scott Zanelli, Ciera Burnett, Sara Cathell-Williams, Mary Chan, Mantas Dumcius, Qiaochen Gao, Michael Haendler, Arash Haghighyeh, Jeff Hollister, Melanie Kamina, Peter Kei, Yong Liu, Kosuke Matsunaga, Duc Nguyen, Krista Nolan, Roberta Phelan, Nancy Righi, Sadaf Saiedi, Anthony Sassine, Madelyn Shapiro, Adam Smith, Natalie Valente, Fangyan Xu, Matthew Baker, Karlyn Goodman, Michael O'Mahoney and Joreen Tay.

Two Residents Graduate Bryant University

Two Quincy residents, Son Thinh Nguyen and Paul Xu, recently graduated from Bryant University with

bachelor degrees in business administration. The 144-year old university is in Springfield, RI.

Julianna Eagles On Dean's List

Quincy's Julianna Eagles earned Dean's List honors

for the past semester at Anna Maria College in Paxton.

Newman Honors Quincy Students

Two Quincy residents have been named to the honor roll at Newman School in Boston with an average of 85 or higher in each major subject for the first half of the academic semester.

They are Katerina L. Katides, daughter of Mary Katides of Eustis St., Quincy, and James Katides, also of Quincy; and Alexander J. Bodkin, son of Mary and James Bodkin of Hamden Circle, Quincy.

Honored At Fairfield U.

Nicholas Venuti, son of Dom and Meg Venuti of Quincy, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Fairfield University in Fairfield, Conn.

A graduate of Boston College High School in 2006, he is majoring in business and economics at the Connecticut college.

Nicole Sullivan On UMass-Lowell Dean's List

Nicole O'Sullivan recently earned Dean's List honors at the University of Massachusetts in Lowell.

A student in the nursing program, she also plays on the varsity volleyball team.


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QUINCY POLICE HOT SPOTS

QUINCY POLICE STATISTICS: June 1 - June 7

Total Calls for Service: 1,479

Total Arrests: 40

Total Stolen Motor Vehicles: 2

FRIDAY, MAY 25

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:31 a.m., 92 Presidential Dr. Dwelling.

INDECENT ASSAULT & BATTERY, 8:21 a.m., 39 Darrow St. Past incident.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 11:47 a.m., 18 Seaport Dr. Dwelling. No entrance gained. Attempted B&E in daytime (felony charge).

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:36 a.m., 53 Martensen St. 1992 Pontiac Bonneville, color red.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:47 p.m., Rosecliff Apartments, 816 Willard St. Motor vehicle damage. Both sides of vehicle keyed, happened overnight.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:46 p.m., 109 Iaffrail Rd. Dwelling. Unknown person broke into basement. Broken off storage unit door and jewelry stolen.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:06 p.m., 310 Billings Rd. Dwelling. Basement door forced; safe, jewelry, birth certificates, passports and Social Security cards known missing.

LARCENY, 7:52 p.m., 62 Parke Ave. Past. Cell phone taken by unknown person and is being used.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:29 p.m., 261 Water St. Large group. Threw a baseball at caller's window. Vandalism to private property.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:26 a.m., 34 Baxter Ave. Dwelling. Computer stolen.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, Marina Bay Marina, 12:51 a.m., 333 Victory Rd. Person hurt. Building behind water club, fight occurred, person was hurt. Car mirror damaged during fight, wanted injury. No transport, victim will seek own medical treatment.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 5:08 a.m., Terdeschi Food Shop, 48 Billings Rd. Just occurred. Smashed window. Phone alarm. Front door found smashed upon arrival. Doesn't appear entry was gained.

LARCENY, 12 noon, Stop & Shop Supermarket, 48 Billings Rd. Cash, via ATM. Card was used here to withdraw over \$400. Card was lost during a recent move.

LARCENY, 2:14 p.m., 38 Whaler Ln. Money. Cash and credit card taken.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 4:10 p.m., 191 Atlantic St. Caller thinks someone may have broke into house and took motor vehicle. Motor vehicle located at corner of Atlantic and East Squantum Streets. 1997 Ford Explorer, color gray.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 12:10 a.m., Furnace Brook Golf Club, Commercial. General and front door. Window was boarded up.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:06 a.m., 19 The Strand. Youths throwing rocks and yelling in abandoned house. Two parties taken to QPD and released to their parents.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:05 a.m., 148 Newbury Ave. This morning. Caller left house and returned to have home broken into.

LARCENY, 11:40 a.m., 145 Willard St. Cell phone. Black male, 6'1", black hair, blue pants, green and white shirt, took cell phone.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:48 p.m., 46 Cleverly Court. To window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:53 p.m., 149 Suomi Rd. To motor vehicle. Two tires slashed.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:40 p.m., Seawinds Condominium, 90 Quincy Shore Dr. 2005 Jeep Grand Cherokee, color black.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:41 p.m., 46 Bates Ave. In progress. Youths throwing eggs at the house. Gone on arrival.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 10:04 p.m., Elm Street Playground, 61 Elm St. Need ambulance. One to QMC.

MONDAY, JUNE 4

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:14 a.m., Atlantic Appliance, 350 Washington St. Windows smashed. Three 3x5 plate glass windows smashed with rocks. No entrance gained, happened over weekend.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:24 a.m., 38 Elm St. Mail boxes. All the mail boxes to building have been smashed. Two mail boxes dented.

LARCENY, 10:37 a.m., Hess Gas Station, 238

Hancock St. Gas. Motor vehicle took gas, left scene, headed over Neponset Bridge.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:14 p.m., 75 Burgin Parkway. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:17 p.m., 78 Bigelow St. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:17 p.m., WaterWorks, 333 Victory Rd. Mirror smashed - passenger side mirror torn off and driver's side mirror smashed, happened May 27.

LARCENY, 4:02 p.m., D'Angelo, 480 Southern Artery, 783 went into store twice and parties inside had no idea what's going on.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:36 p.m., 30 Sullivan Rd. Dwelling.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:25 a.m., 954 Sea St. Spray paint on car.

LARCENY, 9:20 a.m., Verizon Wireless, 482 Southern Artery. Two air conditioners taken from the back of the building.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:28 a.m., 28 Intervale St. To vehicle. Windshield, driver's side window, driver's door dented; vehicle will not start due to the rain, possibly shorting out the electrical system.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 12:06 p.m., Fore River Shipyard, 555 South St. Business broken into.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:51 p.m., 60 Harrington Ave. Dwelling. Air conditioner pushed in on first floor; cash and jewelry known missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 3:55 p.m., 203 Quincy Ave. Dwelling. Gold chain, US mint coin collection and three cartons of L&M cigarettes known missing.

LARCENY, 4:20 p.m., Presidents Place Association Property Management, 1250 Hancock St. Cell phone taken. Incident occurred at the atrium of Presidents Place.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 6:48 p.m., Quincy Medical Center, 114 Whitwell St. Just occurred. Front door was assaulted. Arrest for A&B.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:19 p.m., 5 Charlesmount Ave. Dwelling. Shade inside of home moved up, which was previously torn down, nothing appears missing.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:29 p.m., 266 Farrington St. To motor vehicle.

LARCENY, 8:29 p.m., Broad Meadows School, 50 Calvin Rd. iPod.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 9:16 p.m., 36 Birch St. Dwelling. Screens found to be cut, no entry gained.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6

LARCENY, 12:35 p.m., 125 Granite St. Prescription 20 Oxy's missing. Pills missing to prescription.

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 2:49 p.m., Alltown Check Cashing, 34 School St. By check.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:46 p.m., 102 Baxter Ave. Shed. Three-hundred watt generator taken from shed. Unknown shed entered since June 1.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 7:05 p.m., 235 Granite St. Dwelling. No signs of force, NBox, XBox games and cash missing. The house was ransacked.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 7:17 p.m., Bradford Street Playground, 11 Bradford St. Youths. Ongoing harassment by another youth.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

INDECENT EXPOSURE, 11:26 a.m., Thomas Crane Public Library, 381 Hancock St. White male, blue shirt, green hat, possibly in his 50's, medium build. Gone on arrival.

LARCENY, 1:53 p.m., 1000 Southern Artery. Jewelry. ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 4:04 p.m., 1424 Hancock St. Male punched in the face. No weapons involved.

ASSAULT & BATTERY, 9:29 p.m., 35 Franklin St. Report shows incident occurred outside.

If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton



QUINCY POLICE LT. Dan Minton and Jim Flahive, one of the founders of the Quincy High School Student Police Academy.

A Job Well Done

By LT. DAN MINTON
Quincy Crime Prevention Officer

On Friday, June 15, Jim Flahive, a teacher at Quincy High School, retired after 36 years in academia. Like many teachers, often times their extra efforts go unrecognized. His retirement should not go unnoticed because he was instrumental in linking students with Quincy Police Officers as part of the "Quincy High School Student Police Academy."

In 1990, Jim Flahive and retired Quincy Police Crime Prevention Officer Bob Hanna broke new ground by creating this program. There were no guidelines since no one in the country was doing this and even today there are very few schools with a program of this magnitude.

The program started out with the creation of introducing the field of law enforcement to prospective students, to help them decide whether or not this was the career path that they wanted to take. The course took 11 months and for two seasons, Jim Flahive was a volunteer teacher, and students are secondarily supervised by a certified police officer.

Right now, the program is a very successful model. This year, Jim Flahive and I, Lt. Dan Minton, are the only two teachers. The program is open to all students who are interested in law enforcement. The program is open to all students who are interested in law enforcement. The program is open to all students who are interested in law enforcement.

Mr. Flahive's desire to make the course as interactive as possible. As the course grew in student numbers, so did Mr. Flahive's desire to reward the students' further commitment to the program. During his own time, Mr. Flahive introduced the program to many local merchants, who made donations each year. Mr. Flahive would purchase shirts for the students to present to them upon graduating from the course.

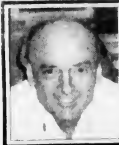
For the past five years, Mr. Flahive sponsored a cookout for his students and welcomed what appeared to be half the school's student body to be part of his student's accomplishments. Funding came from his yearly golf tournament and often out of his own pocket and all proceeds went to the associated programs.

Mr. Flahive also emphasized to his students that a career in public service means community involvement. Each year, his students brought in food to provide Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets to needy families in Quincy. The Quincy Police Department and Mr. Flahive's students delivered the baskets together.

The last function that Mr. Flahive sponsored was a cookout for Quincy High School seniors after their graduation practice at Adams Field, which he has done for years. He helps make so many events special memories. Mr. Flahive recently had a retirement party and many students from years past thanked him for the extra effort he made to bring this concept into the classroom.

With Mr. Flahive's retirement goes almost two decades of reaching out to the students and presenting new opportunities through the Student Police Academy. Mr. Flahive always said, "It's all about the kids." Even though the Academy at Quincy High School ends with his retirement, it is evident that he has forever positively affected those hundreds and hundreds of students who passed through his classroom and graduated from the Quincy High School Student Police Academy.

I've had the pleasure to work with Teacher and friend Jim Flahive for the past 17 years and wish him the best. To Jim Flahive, "Nice Work."



FIRE SAFETY

by Captain Tom Lyons
Fire Prevention Bureau
Quincy Fire Department

A Dryer Fire

Here's a fire where there's a lesson in it for all of us.

I was recently called to investigate a cellar fire. It started in a gas clothes dryer. The clothes dryer was two years old. I spoke with the homeowner who conveyed the following to me:

He was drying towels. He informed me that he routinely cleaned the lint trap in the dryer.

He explained to me that he had done so prior to using the dryer for the towels on that day.

After the towels dried, he went to the basement and removed them. He then went about doing chores including working on his car in the driveway.

While in the driveway, he smelt something burning.

Walking around the exterior of the house, I believe that he then detected some smoke coming from the dryer vent as it passed through the basement foundation. He then immediately returned to the basement, lifted the lint trap and discovered a fire beneath it. He called the fire department immediately.

Why was there a fire; here's the only thing I can think of as a reason. The fire started below the lint trap, below the revolving drum. Apparently lint accumulated there while there is no easy access to this area. The State Fire Marshal recommends gaining access to this area of the machine and vacuuming it at least once a year. Not an easy task!

Typically a rear panel

must be removed to gain access. He removes the panel of his dryer annually. On my dryer, I know I have a cage on the outside after the vent passes through the building.

I have to clean that vent at least four times a year where lint will accumulate on it, partially occluding the vent. So apparently lint is passing past the trap.

For that reason, I frequently check the vent hose for accumulation as well, particularly at the right angle before it goes vertically towards the window.

So there you go! Here's an example where removing the panel and cleaning less accessible areas would have made a difference.

A lesson for us all.

294 On Atlantic Middle School Third Quarter Honor Roll

Atlantic Middle School lists 294 students on its third quarter honor roll.

They are:

High Honors

Grade 8: Sok Han Au, Robert Bennett, Erica Brady, Jaclyn Bryson, Christopher Cataldo, Bin Chen, Joanne Ching, Jack Cochrane, Julie Doyle, Kimberly Ellis, Connor Flynn, Teresa Fong, Krisi Gini, Xiao Guan, Flora Hu, Bien Huynh, Amy Ivy, Kelsey Kelley, Scott Knight, Brenda Lam, Lin Lau, Shirley Lee, Andrea Li, Anne Liu, Huang Lu, My Thanh Luc, Amy Ly, Christina Ly, Judy Ly, Ngoc Ly, Maggie Lynch, Andrew Nelson, Michael Pizziferri, Kyle Ptak, Joseph Queen, Cassandra Reamer, Leanna Santos, Shan Shao, Taylor Shepherd, Jia Qian Shi, Gabrielle Silva, Deanna Soricelli, Nicolette Soricelli, Brenda Tran, Nancy Tran, Shirley Van, Sulaka Warsame, Sonia Weng, Tina Weng, Doris Wong, Meng Yun Angela Wu, Kyle Zarnoch and Ya Zou.

Grade 7: Emma Ainsley,

Samantha Briody, Amanda Steuben, Joseph Brown, Steven Carter, Andy Chen, Xi Chen, Barry Chiu, Stephanie Cho, Samuel Doody, Mark Hanna, Michelle Huang, Tammy Huang, Ian Hunter, Danielle Lapierre, Kelly Lew, Sandy Liu, Nguyen Ly, Thomas MacIsaac, Emily McDonough, Emily Mei, Caroline Murray, Julianna Ng, Bao Tran Nguyen, Donna Niosi, Brielyn O'Leary, Tara Parekh, Shuyi

Peng, Minh Pham, Erin Renken, Patricia Rusu, John Kai Yun Tam, Duyen Tran, Thuy Huong Emily Truong, Lok Teng Wong and Kevin Yung.

Grade 6:

Klea Avrami, Brendan Brady, Jamie Chen, Kassidy Connolly, Kyle Connolly, McKenzie Conrad-Hill, Matthew Deagle, Anna Dow, Shannon Glynn, Si Han Huang, Andy Huynh, Jahmarley Lawson, Ashley McBrien, Cynthia Nelson, Rory O'Connor, Dan Pham, Christopher Ptak, Kayla Sugrue, Alison Wong, Lisa Wong, Wen Zheng Yu and Katie Zou.

Honors

Grade 8: Jessica Allen, Tara Allen, Gianina Arredondo, Elijah Bun, Shirley Chan, Eva Chen, Lesley Chen, Kin Sang Chui, Jeffery Dao, Samantha Deforge, Ashley Diggins, Jing Feng, Jillian Fisher, Brendan Glynn, Dillon Green, William Ho, Ka Long Lu, Alexandra Keener, Garrett Kelley, Aisling Kenny, Marissa King, Hai Liang Kuang, Samantha Lavie, Franklin Lee, Huan Rong Li, Carmen Liang, Edward Liang, Wei Liang, Wen Shuo Lin, Jing Feng Liu, Gary Lu, Phong Luc, Nathan Mailhot, Dylan McGrath, Michael Morrison, Alecia Murphy, Tai Nguyen, Lee Piatelli, Alec Prasinos, Susan Quan Man, Shelby Rink, Jiabao Shang, Ken Sitt, Mechell Ta, You Da Tan, May Tin, David Truong, Wei Wang, Yingqi Wang, Julian Ward, David Wong, Henry Wong, Yi Xuan Yao, Hong Yu, Winnie Yu and Junye Zhao.

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Megan Grasselli On UMass Dean's List

Quincy's Megan Marie Grasselli was recently named to the Dean's List at University of Massachusetts at Boston after earning a 4.0 grade point average.

Megan, a National Honor Society member, is the daughter of Anthony and MaryEllen Grasselli and the sister of John Anthony Grasselli.

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SPORTS

Tim Alsip's Walk-Off Hit Wins It For Braintree Moose

With the score tied 3-3 in the bottom of the seventh inning, Braintree Moose's Tim Alsip lined the first pitch he saw into left field to cap off a come-from-behind 4-3 victory over State Street.

The winning hit made a winner of Alsip's brother, Jeff. J. Alsip threw a masterful 15-strikeout, one-hit game and also knocked in the tying run with an RBI in the seventh.

Mike Casinelli (triple) and Eric Mason (single, stolen base, run scored) contributed on offense.

For State Street Global, Nick Dolan pitched a great game, striking out nine through the first six innings. Ryan Ketner reached base twice, including State Street's only base hit in the fifth. Andrew Pugsley was on base three times and scored a run for State Street.

Babe Ruth International

Braintree Moose 15 Marina Bay 12

Braintree Moose used a nine run sixth inning to post the 15-12 victory.

Jeff Alsip threw a complete game with 13-strikeouts to pick up the victory. Alsip reached base four times (two hits, three stolen bases) and had an RBI and two runs scored.

Max Greenwood got the scoring started with a two-run homerun in the second, and Steve Anastasi finished the game with two hits and two RBIs. Myles Carrigan delivered an RBI single.

For Marina Bay, the offense was powered by home runs off the bats of Paul Carson (grand slam in the 2nd), Elvin Nunez (solo home run) and Dylan Roche

(three-run homer in the 6th).

Braintree Moose 6 Feenan Financial 5

Max Greenwood's walk off hit scored Shawn Clancy (double, stolen base) to give Braintree Moose the victory.

Clancy, who finished the game with two hits, was the winning pitcher (complete game, 11-strikeouts). Pat Linnane (two-run single), Myles Carrigan (two hits) and John Morton (defensive star) contributed in the win.

For Feenan Financial, Byron Keegan pitched a great game and also had two hits. Conor Flynn played a solid game behind the plate and added a hit and Joe Kowalski played solid defense at shortstop.

Bobby Page made a great catch in center field to save a run.



ERIN CAIN of Quincy, (front row, second from right), a sophomore on the Mount Holyoke College women's basketball team, helped the Lyons to their first-ever NEWMAC league title this past winter.

Sophomore Helps Lyons Win League Crown Quincy's Erin Cain Provides Spark for Mount Holyoke

Erin Cain, of Quincy, a rising sophomore on the Mount Holyoke College women's varsity basketball team, played an active role in the school's successful 2007 season.

Cain, a strong defensive guard, averaged 27 minutes a game during her team's 21-8 season in the New England

Women's and Men's Athletic Conference.

In the NEWMAC post-season tournament, the second-seeded Mount Holyoke claimed its first-ever league crown with a thrilling 51-46 victory over top-seeded WPI at Harrington Auditorium. With the win, the Lyons

appeared in their first NCAA Division III Championships against the top-ranked Bowdoin College women's basketball team. Mount Holyoke lost in the opening round by a 74-57 score.

Cain, a 2006 graduate of Fontbonne Academy, is the daughter of John and Kathleen Cain of Quincy.

Quincy Youth Soccer Highlights

The following are results from Quincy Youth Soccer games that have been played over the last few weeks. These results include both boys and girls youth soccer games.

Under-8 girls

On May 27, Genevieve Santilli, Taylor Routhier and Joelle Robinson all played well for Colonial Federal Savings.

Creeeds Crossing's Kristina Nardone, Deirdre Kelly and Alessandra Toscanini all played well in their games.

Allison Carey, Meghan Greene and Grace Austin all played well for Quincy Credit Union.

For Mantis Florist, Ava Falcone, Angela Grasso and Jessica Caldwell all played well.

On May 27 in Under-8 South girls action, Brianne Dance, Sarah Clancy and Emilia Guarente all played well for Spillane Law.

The Quincy Lodge of Elks' Cecilia Gonzalez, Julia Nelson and Kristin Thornton all played well, while for Reggie's Oil, Lianna Cunningham, Kate Taylor and Nicole Farrell all played well.

Sydney Shuttleworth, Colleen Trenholm and Yasmina Tourito all had good games for Team Timmins.

The following are the results from games played on May 20.

Under-12 co-ed

In soccer action, Michalea Walker, Colin Campbell and

Stephen Roddick all played well in the game between the Terriers and the Huskies.

In the game between the Rebels and the Warriors, Patrick Donovan and Connor McGonagle played well.

Under-10 girls and boys

In soccer action, Skoler Orthodontics and Quincy Granite matched up. Sabrina Loftstedt scored a goal and Sophie Basseche, Jessie Perry, Gore and Annie Doherty all played well.

Also on May 20, the Wizards played against the Rapids in Under-10 boys' soccer action.

The Wizards defeated the Rapids by a 4-2 score, and Mostafa El-Hashash scored three goals and Sean Curran netted one goal in the victory.

The Rapids were led by goals from Steve Cobble, while Joseph Carlyle, Marcell Toscanini, John MacFarlane and James McDonald all played good games.

The following are results from games played over the first month of league play for the Under-8 boys' youth soccer teams.

For the week of May 8, Ryan Flemming, Eoin O'Sullivan and Maximilian Storch all played well for Curtis and Ludike.

David Barry, Joseph Cristiani and Chris Donaghey stood out for Homman Oil.

Flavin and Flavin's Andrew Mariano, Mario Ragusa and Brendan Waples all played well.

The MacFarland Club's

Nicholas Hower, Thomas Koch and William Pham all had good games, and Jonathan Sheehan, Peter Reed and Jonathan Brady all played well for Bolea Funeral Home.

On April 22, Kenny Decie, Andrew Connelly and Brendan Hansbury played well for Curtis and Ludike.

Callum Chatterton, John MacDonald and John Mark Faikhan shined for Flavin and Flavin.

Homman Oil's Connor Donaghey, Michael Doyle and Sean Flynn played well, and Liam Gambon, Ayne Ajavo and Jack Hildebrand all played well for Bolea Funeral Home.

On May 13, Kevin O'Shea, James O'Leary and Paul Donahue all played well for Granite City Self-Storage.

The MacFarland Club's Kelan Curran-Cross, Vicker DiGravio and Connor Porter stood out in their game.

Flavin and Flavin's Jack Forsythe, John MacDonald and Andrew Mariano all played well, and Bolea Funeral Home's Vincent Mah, Finley Mullally and Frankie Nunziato all played well.

And on May 28, Mario Ragusa, Jack Forsythe and Brendan Waples played well for Flavin and Flavin.

Kelan Curran-Cross, Nicholas Hower and Connor Porter had great games for MacFarland Club and for Bolea Funeral Home, Adion Ring, George Daccache and Peter Reed played well.

Brian Turner (2 HR's) Powers Bank of Canton

Cal Ripken Minor League

Brian Turner hit a home run on the first pitch of the game as Bank of Canton knocked off Manmon 11-10 in Cal Ripken Minor League Baseball action.

Turner finished the game 4-for-4 with two homeruns, a triple and a double. Zachary Walsh pitched 3 1/3 innings, allowing one run. He struck out eight batters.

Conner Dix pitched well behind the plate and contributed to the offense with a triple and an inside-the-park homerun. David Preyer, Jr. was the winning pitcher.

Bank of Canton 16
Flavin & Flavin 15

Mike Rooney went 4-for-4 with three doubles and a single. Peter Cedre went 4-for-5 with a triple and three singles and Brian Turner 4-for-5 and earned the save as Bank of Canton hung on to defeat Flavin & Flavin in Cal Ripken baseball action.

Bill Dunn, Jr. Memorial Road Race To Be held June 30

On June 30, the Houghs Neck community invites all to run the hills of Houghs Neck along the ocean in honor of Bill Dunn, Jr.

On July 1, 2006 while boating in Boston Harbor with friends, Dunn went swimming and was lost at sea. As a proud member of the Houghs Neck community, Dunn was an energetic soul who loved his

family, friends and the ocean. Registration for Bill Dunn, Jr. Memorial Road Race 95-mile run/2-mile walk begins on June 30 from 7-8:30 a.m. The start of the race will kick-off at 9 a.m. at St. Thomas Aquinas Hall, Darrow St., Houghs Neck.

The cost of registration is \$20 on race day and \$15 if you preregister. There will be a cash prize for the first

place male and female winner and a cash prize for the first Houghs Neck resident (male/female). All proceeds to benefit the Bill Dunn, Jr. Memorial Scholarship.

Fee shirts will be given to the first 300 registered participants.

For any additional questions, call (617) 471-9075 or visit billydunnroadrace@hotmail.com.

Quincy Soccer Clinic June 19-22

The third annual Quincy Soccer Clinic for players in grades 1-8 will be held June 19-22 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



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Give Body Time to Recover

Q. My workout partner designed a program that has us doing total body strength training every workout. We work out five days a week for about an hour each, splitting the time between cardiovascular exercise and strength training. Since we began this program, although I have seen some results, I have not stopped being sore. Is it normal for me to stay sore, or should we change our workouts?

A. Designing a workout that will show results while keeping you safe in the long run can be challenging. The first point to remember is that "more is not always better." The desire to see results can motivate us to try to do as much exercise as possible in hopes that we can speed up the time it takes for us to reach our goals. Remaining sore after each workout is a sign that your workout needs more recovery time and modification.

It is great that you and your workout partner have made the time to exercise five days a week, and that you are seeing results. I would encourage you to continue to make that time available; however, I would suggest using that time in a different manner.

Your body needs time to recover between workouts. Remaining sore day after day could limit your body's ability to work as effectively and efficiently during the next workout — actually keeping you from reaching

your goals over time.

Try completing your total-body strength-training workout three days a week, along with cardiovascular exercise for 30 minutes within that hour. Be sure to design your strength-training workouts appropriately so the weight is not too heavy. Remember, the weight you choose to lift should be able to be completed with proper technique. Having to lose your technique would suggest the weight is too heavy.

I would recommend using the other two days of the week that you work out for cardiovascular and flexibility training. Try cross training, where you use more than one form of cardiovascular exercise such as walking/jogging, cycling, roller blading, etc. Also consider interval training, which involves alternating between easier to harder intensities throughout your cardiovascular workout. Again, being cautious not to raise your heart rate so high that you do not see a considerable amount of recovery one minute after the exercise is complete.

Alternating your strength and cardiovascular workout days should help your body recover from soreness so you can continue to see results.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail

Andrea at letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Respiratory Therapists Say:

Beware The Indoor Air

Respiratory Therapist Offers Tips on Going 'Green'

Many common household products are going "green" to protect the indoor air from unhealthy toxins. According to Trudy Watson, from the American Association for Respiratory Care (AARC), people can take advantage of this trend by:

- Replacing household cleansers, detergents, and personal grooming products containing high levels of chemicals with products that are natural and eco-friendly. Many are fragrance-free.
- Using non-toxic paints, stains, and wood finishing products with no or low VOC (volatile organic compounds) ratings.
- Using natural products to eliminate household pests whenever possible, and minimizing the use of toxic pesticides.
- Using "green" building materials when remodeling or during new construction. Many control moisture, reduce the chance of mold/mildew growth, and produce low or no VOCs.

You can learn more about indoor air pollution and other lung health issues on the AARC's consumer web site, www.yourlunghealth.org.

comes in the form of products most people wouldn't associate with the air. "Indoor air quality can be compromised from products used to clean, decorate, and furnish our homes," says Watson. "Gases released from paints, carpets, cleaning products, paint strippers, and wood finishers can be very irritating to the respiratory system. Chemicals applied to clothing and shoes can also affect indoor air quality."

Watson says there are many things people can do

to keep their indoor air clean and free of irritants. Most importantly, of course, is to keep your home smoke-free. From there, she recommends using HEPA filters on furnaces and vacuum cleaners, controlling moisture to prevent mold, using fragrance-free products, and using houseplants as natural air cleaners.

These days, people can also take advantage of new "green" products that are specially formulated to keep the air clean. "Green" products are those that are con-

sidered to be environmentally-friendly," says the registered respiratory therapist. "Many contain only natural substances proven non-toxic for the environment, while others release lower amounts of harmful gases into the air."

The key to better indoor air, says Watson, is to avoid products that can release toxic chemicals into your environment whenever you can, and be especially careful whenever you can't. "If you must use a hazardous product, always follow the manufacturer's guidelines for use of protective personal equipment or for limiting usage to adequately ventilated areas," emphasizes the respiratory therapist.

Respiratory Therapists (RTs) are specially trained and licensed respiratory health care professionals assisting physicians in diagnosis, treatment, and management of respiratory diseases. RTs provide care in hospitals, outpatient centers, physicians' offices, skilled nursing facilities, and patients' homes.

The American Association for Respiratory Care (AARC) is a not-for-profit, professional organization, consisting of 42,000 respiratory therapists, physicians, and other health care professionals. AARC is dedicated to assisting persons with respiratory diseases receive safe and effective respiratory care.

Health Hints

Smoke-Free For Life: Tips to Quit

(NAPS) — Your determination to give up tobacco doesn't have to go up in smoke, if you heed a few hints:

- Commit to quit. Set a quit date and stick to it.
- Clean house. Throw away all cigarettes and other smoking-related items such as ashtrays, lighters and matches. After you throw away your cigarettes, soak them with water so you can't get them out of the trash.
- Take it slow. Use over-the-counter nicotine-replacement therapy (gum, lozenges or the patch) that

lets your body gradually reduce nicotine cravings to help in this process. Determine which one is best for you level of smoking and follow the directions for optimum results.

- Off to dreamland. When withdrawing from nicotine, a good night's sleep (a full eight hours) becomes even more important.
- Change your routine. Eliminate as many of the people, places and activities that triggered stress or made you crave a cigarette, such as coffee or alcohol.
- Sweat it out. A walk

around the block or another form of exercise will ease your craving and help ease tension.

- Just your imagination. Create distractions or substitutes for your nicotine craving. Chew gum, suck on lollipops or hard candy or use toothpicks.
- Share the love. Tell your family and friends you're quitting and ask for their support. Focus on healthful habits and the freedom you are creating by kicking the habit.
- Patience is a virtue. If at first you don't succeed, try

again. Don't beat yourself up if you are not successful the first time quitting. Research shows that only 9 percent of smokers stop for seven months or longer, and most ex-smokers require multiple quit attempts. Never give up...it's worth it to quit.

• Reach out for help. Call the National Cancer Institute Smoking Quitline at (877) 44U-QUIT and visit www.smokefree.gov. Or call (800) Quit-Now.

• Remember, smoking is one of the biggest risk factors for a heart attack as well as for stroke, lung cancer and emphysema.

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For more information, call the Council at 617-376-1506.

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- TELEVISION:** Where were the characters of "Laverne and Shirley" employed in Milwaukee?
- ARCHITECTURE:** Who invented the geodesic dome?
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- MOVIES:** What male actor starred in the 1981 film "Arthur," and who was his leading lady?
- GEOGRAPHY:** Where is the island country of Sri Lanka located?
- CHEMISTRY:** What is the Periodic Table symbol for zinc?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:** What nickname did author Tom Wolfe give the 1970s?
- LANGUAGE:** What are corsairs?

- Answers**
1. A fear of dancing
 2. Flash Gordon
 3. Shotz Brewery
 4. Richard Buckminster Fuller
 5. Aramis, Athos and Porthos
 6. Dudley Moore and Liza Minelli
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 10. Privately owned warships hired to attack and capture enemy warships

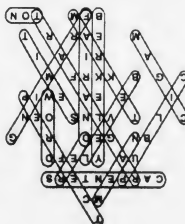
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ARIES (March 21 to April 19)

A recent spate of confusion regarding decision-making begins to clear up. But caution is still advised. Continue to check details. An old friend has important news.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're anxious to see your ideas move from concept to development. But trying to force the issue right now could backfire. Wait for movement to resume on the 11th.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Keep your thoughts focused on the positive as you deal with an unexpected turn of events in a personal or professional relationship. This could be the start of a welcome change.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Health matters take on added importance at this time. Deal with them before they interfere with your summer plans. A relationship that cooled off could soon warm up again.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) While a few details involving upcoming decisions still need your attention, you fun-loving Felines can begin to spend more time enjoying your lively social life again.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) That long-sought-after career change could require you to move to another city. Weigh your decision carefully before either accepting or rejecting the offer out of hand.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) A workplace situation can be awkward for Librans who prefer to keep their problems private. But you might have to "tell-all" if you hope to see it resolved in your favor.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Although your financial situation starts to improve this week, you still need to be cautious about money matters. Avoid major obligations, for now.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your overall aspects continue to brighten, allowing you to tackle long-deferred challenges. A change in travel plans could work to your benefit.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Things seem to be slowing down for the usually restless Sea Goat. But wouldn't a bit of respite be just what you need right now? Activity picks up by June 17.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Personal relationships take a positive turn for both married and single Aquarians. Professional commitments, however, could be complicated by newly emerging events.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A decision you thought was final might be reopened as new facts are discovered. This could lead to a short-term problem, but might ultimately prove beneficial.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your keen interest in pursuing global events could lead you into a career as a politician or reporter.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Blinds are longer. 2. Picture is missing from table. 3. Boy's shoes are different. 4. Cup is turned. 5. Pillow is smaller. 6. Boy's shirt has long sleeves.

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OBITUARIES

Tracis E. Venezia, 43 Retired Counselor

A memorial service for Traci Elizabeth (Taylor) Venezia, 43, of Pocasset, formerly of Quincy, a retired counselor, was held June 6 at Pilgrim Congregational Church, Harwichport.

Mrs. Venezia died June 3 at her mother's home in West Harwich after a five-year battle with breast cancer.

She worked at Gosnold Treatment Center in Falmouth and High Point Treatment Center in Plymouth, both substance abuse rehabilitation centers.

She enjoyed fishing, the beach, gardening, and drag racing at New England Dragway. She was a baseball fan of both the Red Sox and Yankees.

Born in Braintree, Mrs.

Venezia was a graduate of Braintree High School.

She is survived by a daughter, Francesca Venezia of Pocasset; two sons, Nicholas Venezia and Thomas Venezia of Pocasset; her mother, Marlene Hoy of West Harwich; two sisters, Terri Ann Euber of Weymouth and Lynn M. Walsh of Brewster; and several aunts, cousins, stepiblings and her grandmother.

She was the daughter of the late Robert Taylor and stepdaughter of the late Edward Hoy.

Funeral arrangements were made by Doane, Beale and Ames Funeral Home, Dennis.

Mary E. Johnston Howard Johnson's Employee

A funeral Mass for Mary E. (Nowell) Johnston, 60, of Quincy, was celebrated June 9 at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. Johnston died June 6 at home.

She worked at Howard Johnson's in Brockton for 15 years.

Born in Rockland, she graduated from Brockton High School.

She loved animals and playing bingo.

Mrs. Johnston is survived by her husband, Herbert Johnston; two sons, Brian Conner of Dorchester and John Conner of Quincy; two

daughters, Karen Johnston and Jamie Johnston of Quincy; four brothers, Charles Nowell of Utah and Joseph Nowell, John Nowell and Kevin Nowell of Brockton; three sisters, Rita Souza of Brockton, Pauline Weiner of Middleboro and Caroline Kenswil of Mansfield; and two grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late John Conner and the late Todd Johnston.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Lydon Funeral Chapel, 644 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Nancy Long, 72 Founder Of Squantum Community Association

Private burial services were held for Nancy (Crockett) Long, 72, a founder of the Squantum Community Association. Mrs. Long died June 5 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center after a long illness.

She was an active member of the community in the Squantum section of Quincy, she lived for the last 43 years.

Mrs. Long was a member of and frequent visitor at Boston's Museum of Fine Arts and Huntington Theatre.

Born in Washington, D.C., she was raised in New Hampshire and attended the former Dean Junior College in Franklin.

After high school, she lived in the Beacon Hill neighborhood of Boston and worked at the former *Herald Traveler*.

She loved nature and outdoor activities, especially swimming, cycling and hiking.

Wife of the late Thomas F. Long, she is survived by two daughters, Julie Long of



NANCY LONG

Squantum and Amy Long of New York City; a son, Thomas A. Long of Boston; three sisters, Joan Sakey of Maine and Martha King and Meg Hallgren of New Hampshire; a brother, David Crockett of New Hampshire; and nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Disabled American Veterans, DAV Memorial Program, P.O. Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301.

Edward S. Donohoe, 72 Marine Corps Veteran

A funeral service for Edward S. Donohoe, 72, of Brockton, formerly of Quincy, a Marine Corps veteran, was held June 8 at Waitt Funeral Home, Brockton.

Mr. Donohoe died June 5 at Brockton Hospital after a brief illness.

He served during the Korean War.

He owned New England Fillet and later worked for Bartribuna Co., both on the Boston fish pier, for many years before he retired.

Born in Dorchester, he lived in Quincy before moving to Brockton.

He is survived by two sons, Mark Donohoe of Taunton and Matthew Donohoe of Quincy; two daughters, Kim Donohoe and Keri Donohoe, both of Arizona; a sister, Reesie Angelis of Mashpee; and five grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Rose A. DeGloria, 69

A funeral Mass for Rose Alberta "Roberta" DeGloria, 69, of Squantum, was celebrated June 8 at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Jamaica Plain.

Mrs. DeGloria died June 3 after a five-year battle with cancer.

She lived in Jamaica Plain before moving to Quincy.

She is survived by two

daughters, Melissa Frances DeGloria and Lea Maria DeGloria of Squantum; five grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Roslindale.

Funeral arrangements were made by Hamel, Wickens & Troupe Funeral Home, 26 Adams St., Quincy Center.

Adele B. Hamilton, 90 Homemaker

A funeral service for Adele B. Hamilton, 90, of Quincy, a homemaker, was held Monday at Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Hamilton died June 8 at Boston Medical Center after a brief illness.

She lived 60 years in Quincy.

Born and raised in Pennsylvania, she graduated high school there.

Mrs. Hamilton enjoyed dancing and was a life member of the Eastern Star in Pennsylvania.

Wife of the late George E. Hamilton, she is survived by three daughters, Marlene Brigitte of Middleboro and Drucilla K. Madigan and



ADELE B. HAMILTON

Brenda L. Verlicco of Quincy; eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Jane B. Wagstaff, 85 Former Quincy School Dept. Secretary

A graveside service for Jane B. (Larson) Wagstaff, 85, of Center Conway, N.H., a former secretary, was held June 7 at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

A memorial service for Mrs. Wagstaff was held June 8 at Christ Episcopal Church, North Quincy.

She died June 4 at Golden View Health Care in Meredith, N.H.

Mrs. Wagstaff worked for the Quincy School Department for 10 years.

Born in Stockholm, Sweden, she came to the United States in 1924.

She had lived in the Squantum section of Quincy for 45 years and in Bedford, N.H., for nine years before

moving to North Conway in 1997.

Mrs. Wagstaff was a graduate of the Chamberlain Business School in Boston.

She spent winters in Florida with her husband, Russell Wagstaff, from 1988 until his death in 1997. She continued to spend winters there until 2006.

She was a member of the Red Hat Society and the Lions Club in North Conway.

She was an avid bridge player and enjoyed the ocean.

She is survived by a son, Mark Wagstaff of Conway; two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by Furber and White Funeral Home, North Conway.

Josephine M. Meninno Homemaker, Welder

A funeral Mass for Josephine M. (Dawlbey) Meninno, of Quincy, formerly of Rockland, a homemaker, was celebrated Monday in Saint John the Baptist Church, Quincy Center.

Mrs. Meninno died June 7 at the South Shore Rehabilitation and Skilled Care Center in Rockland after a long illness.

Born in Lynn, she was raised in Quincy and attended

Quincy schools. She lived in Quincy for the past year. Previously, she had lived in Rockland for 22 years and Quincy for most of her life.

Mrs. Meninno was a homemaker. During World War II she worked as a welder at the former Hingham Shipyard building LSTs.

She enjoyed playing cards and bingo.

Wife of the late Robert U. Meninno, she is survived by two sisters, Mary Paterson of Rockland and "Mickey" Barth of Quincy; one niece and two nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701-4688.



SCOTT DEWARE

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

In going through some notes, I found the following poem by an anonymous writer which I hope all fathers will read...

WALK A LITTLE PLAINER, DADDY

Said a little boy so frail,

I'm following in your footsteps

And I don't want to fail.

Sometimes your steps are very plain

So walk a little plainer, Daddy

For you are leading me.

I know that once you walked this way

many years ago!

And what you did along the way

I'd really like to know.

For sometimes when I am tempted

I don't know what to do

So walk a little plainer, Daddy

For I must follow you.

Someday when I'm grown up

You are like I want to be

Then I will have a little boy

Who will want to follow me

And I would want to lead him right

And help him to be true

So walk a little plainer, Daddy

For we must follow you.

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Albert L. Morton

Retired Mail Handler, WWII Veteran

A funeral service for Albert L. Morton of Squantum and Chatham, a retired US Postal mail handler and machinist with Tubular Rivet & Stud Company, was held Tuesday at the Lydon Funeral Chapel, 644 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. Morton died June 8 at Hancock Park Rehabilitation Center.

He was a frequent traveler who toured Europe, Australia, Iceland, the Northwest and Alaska. He enjoyed vacationing with his family in Chatham and St. Petersburg Beach.

An avid bowler, he participated in many local tournaments.

He also enjoyed hosting Fourth of July celebrations at his Squantum home which was a huge annual event for family, friends and neighbors.

Mr. Morton worked at the South Postal Annex.

He Morton served in the Coast Guard during World War II.

He was a member of the Elks, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion,



ALBERT L. MORTON

Knights of Columbus and Castle Island Association.

Husband of the late Mary M. (Kelly) Morton, he is survived by three daughters, Ann McGue and Barbara Jordan of Quincy and Lee Pangrazz of Billerica; a son, Albert Morton Jr. of Marshfield; two brothers, Edward Colligan of Martha's Vineyard and John Morton of Quincy; and six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472.

Francis S. Sturgis, 63

Retired Electrician

A funeral Mass for Francis Stephen Sturgis, 63, of Quincy, a retired electrician, was celebrated June 9 at St. Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mr. Sturgis died June 5 at Boston Medical Center.

He worked at *The Boston Globe* for 31 years. He retired in 2005 as a night foreman.

Mr. Sturgis was a member of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union Local 103 for more than 40 years.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Dorchester and graduated from Dorchester High School.

An avid golfer, he was a

member of Braintree Municipal Golf Course and played with friends at Easton Country Club. He traveled to Las Vegas and Florida for many golf vacations.

Mr. Sturgis is survived by his wife, Robin (Borck) Sturgis; three sons, Francis Sturgis Jr. of Marshfield, Alexander Sturgis of Scituate and David Sturgis of Quincy; two daughters, Amy Boschen of Kingston and Anne Marie Sturgis of Scituate; four grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were made by Dolan Funeral Home, Milton.

Helen F. Blandin, 87

Homemaker

A funeral service for Helen F. (Cirelli) Blandin, 87, of Quincy, formerly of Brockton, a homemaker, was held Tuesday at Conley Funeral Home, Brockton.

Mrs. Blandin died June 8 at Kindred Hospital, Braintree.

She enjoyed traveling, crocheting and collecting dolls.

Born and raised in Brockton, she was a graduate of Brockton High School. She lived most of her life

in Brockton before moving to Quincy five years ago.

Wife of the late Horace N. Blandin Jr., for 62 years, she is survived by a daughter, Sheila Feenan of Quincy; a sister, Anna Picklus of Brockton; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Melrose Cemetery, Brockton.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701.

Neal L. Cadogan, Jr., 76

Lithographer

A funeral Mass for Neal L. Cadogan, Jr., 76, of Quincy, a lithographer, was celebrated Wednesday at 12 noon at Saint Ann's Church, Wollaston.

Mr. Cadogan died June 9 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born in Boston, he was a lifelong resident of Quincy. He lived most of his life in the city's Squantum section.

Mr. Cadogan was a parishioner of the Star of the Sea Church.

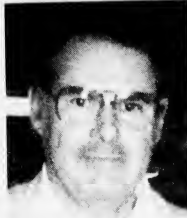
He spent several years serving in the U.S. Naval Academy.

By trade, Mr. Cadogan was a lithographer for 50 years. He was the owner and operator of Cadographics in Boston for many years.

He enjoyed conversation and had a wonderful sense of humor.

He was a deeply religious, caring and devoted family man.

He enjoyed boating and sailing as well as building, football, and the Red Sox.



NEAL L. CADOGAN, JR.

He is survived by his wife, Marilyn (Manson) Cadogan of Quincy; three sons, Neal L. Cadogan III of Quincy, Raymond G. Cadogan of Quincy and Gerard A. Cadogan of Medway; a sister, Ann "Nancy" LaMarre of Abington; and many nieces and nephews.

He was the brother of the late John J. Cadogan.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Theresa M. Chella, 89

Retired Doughnut Maker

A funeral Mass for Theresa M. (Della Barba) Chella, 89, of Quincy, a retired doughnut maker, was celebrated Wednesday at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy Point.

Mrs. Chella died June 8 at her home.

She was one of the first doughnut makers at the original Dunkin' Donuts location at Southern Artery. She worked there for more than 20 years.

Born in Quincy, she was a lifelong resident of Quincy Point. She was a 1936 graduate of Quincy High School.

Mrs. Chella and her late husband, Gaetano Chella, who died seven weeks ago, would have been married 67 years on June 2.

She was a communicant of St. Joseph Church in Quincy and a member of the Ladies' Sodality.

She enjoyed bowling. She was a member of the Quincy Sons of Italy and the St. John's Seniors.

She is survived by two sons, Joseph Chella of Weymouth and Paul Chella of Sharon; two daughters, Marie Kilrain of Braintree and Ann Chella-Nigl of Quincy; a brother, Daniel Della Barba of Virginia; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

To donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Marie E. Higgins, 87

Retired Boston School Teacher

A funeral Mass for Marie E. Higgins, 87, of Quincy, a retired Boston school teacher, was celebrated Tuesday in St. Joseph Church, 556 Washington St., Quincy Point.

Miss Higgins died June 9 at Radius Healthcare Center, Quincy.

She taught in the Boston public schools for many years and remained a member of the Boston Teachers Union until her death.

Born and raised in Boston, she was a graduate of Boston College.

She was a communicant of St. Joseph Church, Quincy.

She is survived by two nephews, James Higgins of Lincoln, Vt., and Richard Higgins of Sudbury; a niece, Moira Karlukaitis of Greenville, Texas; and many



MARIE E. HIGGINS

grandnieces and grandnephews.

Burial was in Mount Calvary Cemetery, Roslindale.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth Mission Office, P.O. Box 9, Nazareth, KY 40048.

Victor J. Zardeckas, 82

Retired Machinist

A funeral Mass for Victor J. Zardeckas, 82, of Quincy, a retired machinist, was celebrated June 8 at St. Peter Lithuanian Church, South Boston.

Mr. Zardeckas died June 3 at Marina Bay Skilled Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Quincy.

He worked at Whiting Milk and Colonial Provision.

He was an Army veteran of World War II. He served with the 23rd Artillery Supply Company.

Mr. Zardeckas was a former Dorchester resident and was a member of Dis-

abled American Veterans and the Commodores' Club of America.

He enjoyed fishing, boating, dancing, entertaining, metal design and crafting.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Loretta (Panus) Zardeckas; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews and great-grandnieces and great-grandnephews.

Burial was in New Calvary Cemetery, Roslindale.

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Call 617-376-1247 to make an appointment or to speak with a counselor.

RELIGION

Vacation Bible School At Fort Square Church

Fort Square Presbyterian Church, 16 Pleasant St., Quincy, announces it will hold Vacation Bible School for preschool to students who have completed fifth grade June 25-29 from 6 to

8:30 p.m. Free supper will be offered at 5-15 p.m. Pre-registration will take place Saturday, June 23 at 10 a.m.

Adult Bible Study and English as a Second Language classes are also offered each evening. For more information, call 617-471-6806.

First Baptist Church Children Activities

First Baptist Church of Wollaston will host two opportunities for young people in the Quincy area this summer.

The Harmony Youth Chorus will be held July 9-13 from 9 a.m. until noon.

Boys and girls of all faiths and cultures who have completed grades 1-7 may register. Cost is \$25 per child or

\$50 per family. Charles Dillingham from the Braintree Public School's music department will direct the chorus.

A second program, called "Tiny Treasures," will be held Aug. 6-10 from 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. The workshop will be directed by Jan Burton. Boys and girls ages 9-13 may register. Cost per

child is \$20. The group is limited so register early.

Each participant will assemble one end of a castle great hall to create either a storybook room or a wizard's room, making a table, benches, wall hangings and other castle items.

To register or for more information, call the church office at 617-472-0824.

Squantum Christian Fellowship Bible Activities

Squantum Christian Fellowship invites children to its "Avalanche Ranch: A Wild Ride Through God's Word" July 16-20 at the Squantum School from 9 a.m. to noon. "This year, our church is a stampede of excitement," says Pastor Mike Fehan. "Our Avalanche Ranch program will provide fun and memorable Bible activities

for kids ages 3-11.

"Each day, they will sing catchy songs, act out a Bible story, enjoy some horseplay down Chuck Wagon chow, and make a variety of cow-poke crafts. Kids will also collect Memory Buddies daily, and make teddy bears for orphans in needy lands."

Pastor Fehan said the activities are exciting way for

kids to learn more about God's love. "Each day at Showtime Roundup, parents can see a slide show of the kids' activities. We hope this adventure will get everyone wild about God!"

For more information, call Helen at 617-328-8771, or visit www.squantumct.org for a video clip and registration form.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Worship and Sunday School at 10 a.m.

There will be a guest min-

ister preaching.

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Following the worship service there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor

where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Catholic Women's Prayer Group

The Catholic Parishes of Quincy sponsor a monthly Catholic Women's Prayer Group.

The evenings provide an opportunity to deepen ones relationship with Christ and be supported by the presence

of other faith-filled women. All are welcome.

The women's prayer group will hold its next meeting Tuesday, June 19 from 7 to 8:15 p.m. in St. Joseph's Rectory conference room.

This meeting will be the

group's last gathering for the spring. Meetings will resume in the fall.

For more information, contact Sister Pat Boyle at 617-479-5400 (St. Ann's) or Dorothy Ruggiero at 617-472-6321 (St. Joseph's).

First Baptist Selected For Church Meeting

First Baptist Church of Wollaston has been selected to be one of 25 participants in a nationwide conference in support of small congregations June 20-28 at the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, VA.

The annual Summer Collegium is funded by the "Making Connections" initiative of the Lilly Endowment, Inc., which enables the Seminary to offer it at no cost. The estimated cost per clergy participant is more

than \$15,000.

Participating clergy and their spouses/partners will spend nine days learning and renewing their appreciation for the small church by taking workshops led by small church experts.

Salvation Army Overnight Camp

The Salvation Army, 6 Baxter St., Quincy, is accepting applications for children ages 6-12 to attend overnight

camp at Camp Wollaston in Sharon June 26-July 2.

Cost is \$35 for the entire camping experience.

For more information, contact Major Linda at 617-472-2345.

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Leona C. McSeveney, 79

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Leona C. (Smith) McSeveney, 79, of North Quincy, a homemaker, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 9 a.m. in Saint Agatha's Church, Milton.

Mrs. McSeveney died Sunday at the John Scott Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Braintree.

Born in Boston, she had lived in North Quincy for 60 years.

She enjoyed spending time with her family especially summers on Cape Cod. Her family had a summer home on the Cape in the Sand Shores Association of Marston's Mills from 1965 to 1997.

She was a member of the Sheraton Tara Braintree Health Club for many years. She also enjoyed bowling and played in several leagues during the mid-1970s and early 1980s.

Mrs. McSeveney was very generous and donated to several causes throughout the years, including St. Jude's, the Heart Association, Diabetes and Cancer Funds.

She loved shopping, eating out at her favorite restaurants and watching television, including game shows such as "The Price is Right" and



LEONA C. McSEVENEY

"Wheel of Fortune."

She was a fan of professional tennis.

She also enjoyed playing scrabble with her grandchildren and listening to her favorite musicians including Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Johnny Mathis and Tony Bennett.

She is survived by her husband, John C. McSeveney of Quincy; three sons, John C. McSeveney, Jr. of Quincy, Stephen G. McSeveney of Quincy and Mark J.

McSeveney of Hanson; and three grandchildren.

Burial will be in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude's Children Research, P.O. Box 50, Memphis, TN 38105.

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-114

May 7, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

In Title 10. Vehicles and Traffic. Chapter 10.20. Stopping, Standing and Parking. Section 10.20.040 Parking - Prohibited and Restricted where.

ADD THE FOLLOWING

Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Old Colony Ave.	at #95 No Parking 20 feet in both directions from the driveway			No Parking

6/14/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-111

May 7, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

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Street	Side	From	To	Type of Regulation
Hayden Street		from #s 19-29		No Parking

6/14/07

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF QUINCY
IN COUNCIL

ORDER NO. 2007-142

June 4, 2007

Be it ordained by the City Council, that the Quincy Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

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6/14/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1320EP

In the Estate of
ELEANOR M. DESMOND
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
April 27, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that RICHARD DESMOND of BRAINTREE in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 18, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 31, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/14/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1270EP

In the Estate of
MARGUERITE T. LAMB
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 24, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that HENRY LAMB JR. of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK and LINDA MURPHY of SCITUATE in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 30, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/14/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 06P212JGM

In the Matter Of
MICHAELA CARROLL
FORD
Of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT OF
GUARDIAN OF MINOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned matter, a petition has been presented praying that TERESE M. FORD of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK and BRIAN SELTER of PEMBROKE in the County of PLYMOUTH and MARGARET SELTER of PEMBROKE in the County of PLYMOUTH or some other suitable person be appointed guardian of the person and the estate of MICHAELA CARROLL FORD of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, a minor child, to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 3, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, April 10, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/14/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1209CV

In the Matter Of
THOMAS J. COCHRANE
Of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK

NOTICE OF PETITION
FOR APPOINTMENT
OF CONSERVATOR

To THOMAS J. COCHRANE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, his spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said THOMAS J. COCHRANE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, by reason mental weakness is unable to properly care for his person and praying that EDWARD H. COCHRANE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK be appointed or some other suitable person be appointed his conservator to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 9, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 1, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
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Temple Street	Both	Hancock Street	Washington Street	4:00pm-8:00pm
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- As Quincy's Executive Secretary, he wrote budgets, built relationships and shepherded a series of projects from start to finish.
- As Council on Aging Director, he gained a deep understanding of the contributions of our seniors and expanded the department's transportation program.

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- In his father's tradition, Tom took over the city's annual Flag Day Parade and Celebration, which today is one of Quincy's largest community events.
- Tom inspired a new sense of volunteerism in Quincy by coordinating the first Cleaner-Greener Day 18 years ago.
- A decade ago, he co-founded the Quincy ArtsFest, which has grown into one of the region's largest art festivals.

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Tom resigned his job as Executive Director of Parks, Forestry and Cemetery, a job he loved, because he was concerned about the direction of our city. For 20 years and for three different mayors, Tom has shown day-in and day-out the good things government can do when it stands up for people, always keeps its door open, and treats every person, no matter who they are, with dignity and respect.

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WELCOMING BANNER is held by members of the Quincy Track Club to lead the city's annual Flag Day Parade and Celebration sponsored by the city of Quincy, the Quincy Partnership and the Koch Club.

Quincy Sun photos/Robert Noble



REVIEWING STAND holds (left to right) Ann Mahoney, Rory Mahoney 4, General Joseph F. Dunford Jr., Mayor William Phelan and City Councillor Kevin Coughlin.



FLAG-WAVING FAMILIES of Mark Maimaron and Ed Lee enjoy the parade. Others Photos on Pages 10, 11.

Construction Starts In Summer

Demo Begins For Concourse Second Phase

Ground was broken Tuesday for the second phase of the Quincy Concourse, the road that will link the Parkway to Quincy Center and Southern Artery (Route 3A).

But actual construction will not begin until sometime during the summer.

The ground-breaking ceremony took place at the site of the former Tanline building on the Parkway, the first to be demolished to make way for the concourse.

"This is an exciting day in Quincy and one that has been talked about for almost 30 years," said Mayor William Phelan. "This roadway is a vital development in downtown Quincy."

State and city officials watched as a wrecker began

chewing on the former Tanline Building at 148 Parkway at 4 p.m.

At a brief ceremony, MassHighway Commissioner Luisa Paiewonsky congratulated Mayor William Phelan and the city's local and state representatives for their foresight in support of the Concourse project.

"You can't have a great state without great cities," Paiewonsky said, explaining her support of the project. MassHighway will cover the \$1 million cost of building the roadway while the city will fund the nine land-takings on the Concourse route.

Among those present at the ceremony were Senator Michael Morrissey, Rep. Bruce Ayers, Council President Douglas Gutro and

Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly.

"The common denominator for any new development is transportation infrastructure and the Quincy Center Concourse will create a necessary component to revitalize downtown Quincy," Phelan said.

"One of the main reasons why Quincy Center has remained stagnant in the retail market is the lack of such infrastructure. It takes bold steps to create change and that is what we are doing."

The city will construct the new roadway with help from a \$6 million federal earmark achieved by Sens. Ted Kennedy and John Kerry and Congressman Bill Delahunt. The State Legislature also

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At Sterling Middle School

Teachers Vote Today On New Contract

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Quincy teachers will vote today (Thursday) at 3:30 p.m. at Sterling Middle School on a five-year contract negotiated by their union and the city.

Paul Phillips, president of the Quincy Education Association (QEA) said the contract must be ratified by two thirds of the 890 members of the union.

The contract offer approved unanimously by the teachers' bargaining committee concludes 18-months of sometimes bitter

bargaining between the city and teachers' union that culminated in a four day strike voted by the teachers' union on June 7.

Teachers returned to their classes on Thursday, June 14, when the city and union bargaining units reached agreement after a nearly all-night session that started June 12 and continued into the early hours of June 13.

Phillips said this week that the contract provides for 17% in wage hikes over a five year period during which his members' insurance

contribution will increase from 10% to 20%. The mayor's office has not issued any formal statement regarding the contract offer.

One of the perks of this contract is the "No Reprisal" clause which prohibits the city from taking any action against striking teachers. In addition, both the city and the union will withdraw their legal actions filed against each other with the labor boards.

"We were more worried about reprisals at the local

(Cont'd On Page 28)



DA Keating Joins Partners In Prevention

District Attorney William R. Keating recently announced his affiliation with Partners in Prevention, a program of the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association.

Partners in Prevention seeks to enhance the health and wellness of youth in Quincy and throughout the Commonwealth. It does so by providing schools, parents, students, and professionals who work with youth with accurate information on a range of issues in order to promote healthy lifestyles among adolescents.

"One of my priorities as District Attorney has always been to work with other agencies and organizations to prevent crime and violence in our communities," Keating said. "I firmly believe that the wide reach of the MIAA, combined with



WILLIAM R. KEATING

the individual strengths of the provider agencies, will enhance the collaboration represented by Partners in Prevention and will make a positive difference in the lives of young people in Massachusetts."

Among the resources provided by Partners in Prevention is a list of speakers on various topics including substance abuse, eating disorders, drunk driving, sportsmanship and dating violence.

In addition, the organization sponsors wellness workshops throughout the year which inform educators of adolescent health issues.

District Attorney Keating's staff has been working on many of these issues in Norfolk County schools, including Quincy Public Schools, whose high schools sent groups of students to the DA's Youth Town Hall Meeting at Eastern Nazarene College earlier this spring. The DA's programs will be augmented through the resources collected under the Partners in Prevention umbrella. Along with other District Attorneys, Partners in Prevention counts among its members the Drug Enforcement Administration, the Massachusetts Brain Injury Association, Mothers Against Drunk Driving and Partnership for Drug Free America.

Council Gives Final Approval To Pageant Field Track

The City Council Monday gave final approval for the \$1 million bond needed to construct a new track at Pageant Field. Councillors had delayed final approval pending additional documents from the mayor's office.

On May 14, the nine councillors, acting as the Finance Committee, had unanimously approved the \$1 million funding provided Phelan's office submit new information on design plans, cost estimates and full approval of the track project by the Adams family. Councillors also required approval by the Park and Recreation Board.

Councillors were satisfied with the documents presented by David Murphy, Mayor William Phelan's Director of Operations, prior to the vote. Members asked that the mayor's office provide regular updates throughout the construction project.

Murphy, also, announced that the Park and Recreation

Board had voted 6-0 earlier that evening to approve the new plan. Three board members were absent.

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Ward 2 Councillor Daniel C. Raymond asked how many trees will be destroyed for the track project and Murphy estimated that at least 12 trees, some extremely old, would be removed. Raymond asked that the replacement trees be of the same value and size as those removed.

Murphy suggested that such a policy would be difficult, if not impossible to execute. He noted the plan included the planting of some 57 trees and those plantings will "increase the shade factor at Pageant Field."

Ward 6 Councillor Brian McNamee called the tree discussion a new roadblock created to stall the track and said, "You'd have to get a

Chinook helicopter into to move the root ball of a 150-year-old tree."

Ward 3 Councillor Kevin Coughlin said that the tree at the field, and their individual value, were a significant issue. All councillors joined in voting a recommendation that special attention be paid to the uprooting and replacement of trees on site.

The unanimous vote limited the bond issue to covering the construction of a new track at Pageant Field. If the track can not be completed there, a new bond will have to be issued for a different site.

On Tuesday, Mayor Phelan thanked both the City Council and the Park Board for their unanimous support.

"We need to move forward as a community to complete the project," Phelan said, "the finished product will be an absolutely beautiful track facility that can be used by our entire community for exercise and enjoyment."

Phelan also said, "Let's keep moving forward together. The track community and our community as a whole, has waited for a state of the art-track in Quincy for decades. The new track could be an amenity that will improve the quality of life of all our residents. Imagine how many people will use the beautiful sight on a beautiful spring morning to exercise and socialize. It's pretty exciting."

By LAURA GRIFFIN



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City Council Cuts \$21M From Budget

By LAURA GRIFFIN

City Council Monday cut over \$21 million from Mayor William Phelan's proposed 2008-2009 budget before approving \$229,787,286 for city expenditures next fiscal year.

The council acted after a month-long review by the Finance Committee of Mayor Phelan's proposed \$250,844,657 budget. All nine councillors are members of the committee headed by Councillor John Keenan.

Keenan outlined the committee's budget recommendations which included a \$19,691,983 cut in Phelan's Employee Benefits line.

Councillors agreed that cut with the understanding that the Employee Benefit account will be revisited in September after the city finalizes union contracts.

Any additional funding will be requested as appropriations, according to Keenan.

In presenting his proposed budget on May 7, Phelan requested \$42 million for Employee Benefits but councillors reasoned that new union contracts and employee agreements will reduce the need for the full amount.

Councillors agreed they will fund Employee Benefits as needed as appropriations

in the Fall.

For the same reason, City Council also cut the city's reserve for salaries by \$1,348,069 pending the settlement of union contracts.

Also cut from the mayor's budget was \$10,000 from the Unemployment Compensation account and \$7,319 from the salary listed for Traffic Control. The \$7,319 represents a month's salary for the city's Traffic Engineer whose position is currently vacant. The mayor has announced an appointment is imminent.

At the same meeting, councillors approved the ordinance allowing full funding of the police union contracts.

Round 1 To Police Chief In Union Vacation Fight

Police Chief Robert Crowley won a round Monday in his long-standing conflict with the Quincy Police Patrolmen's Association.

Judge Elizabeth Donovan in Norfolk Superior Court turned down the union's request for an injunction in its dispute over vacation time.

The union had sought relief from the chief's directive that forbade officers from taking vacations a day at a time outside the vacation

period.

"It's not over by a long shot," said Bruce Tait, president of the union, which had filed for the injunction last Thursday.

"We plan to still seek arbitration. We went for the injunction first because this is a time-sensitive emergency. We're in the vacation period now."

"The city is just delaying the inevitable."

Actually, the union

sought two injunctions, one against the ban on vacation days outside the vacation period, the other against a ban on personal days July 3 and 4.

The vacation period for police is June through September. The chief's ban is on taking single days off outside that period.



NURSING HOME WEEK was recently celebrated at Marina Bay Skill Rehabilitation and Nursing Center by Rosemary McLaughlin, Nursing Center Director, Can Nguyen, Executive Assistant to Mayor William Phelan; and Activities Director Lucia Treggiari.

Council Approves \$1.37M For Three Fire Engines

City councillors Monday unanimously approved funding for the lease/purchase of three new fire engines at a cost of \$1,137,000 over a period of five years.

Prior to the vote, Deputy Chief Gary Smyth outlined the need for the three pumpers which bring water and hose and equipment, as needed, to fires and accident scenes.

Smyth told councillors that the existing fire engines

are more than 20 years old, have "mechanical fatigue and chronic air leaks" and do not meet national fire fighting standards. One of the major problems with the current vehicles is that the "jump seats are open," according to Smyth.

Currently, firefighters are subjected to weather, rain, snow and sleet, and do not have access to communication with the engine driver. "We're

beginning to spend a lot of money on repairs," Smyth said.

According to the purchase agreement with Greenwood Emergency Vehicles, Inc. of Attleboro, the city will have a ten year warranty.

Councillors unanimously approved the lease/purchase agreement which will be financed at 4.5% interest by Honeywell Global Finance LLC and the first payment will be due in 12 months.

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

- On June 22, 1611, after spending a winter trapped by ice in present-day Hudson Bay, the starving crew of the Discovery mutinies against its captain, English navigator Henry Hudson, and sets him, his teenage son and seven supporters adrift in a small, open boat. Hudson and the eight others were never seen again.
- On June 19, 1885, the Statue of Liberty, a gift of friendship from the people of France to the people of the United States, arrives in New York City's harbor. Originally known as "Liberty Enlightening the World," the statue commemorated the Franco-American alliance during the American Revolution.
- On June 24, 1928, the rocket-powered Opel RAK 3 debuts on a section of railroad track near Hanover, Germany, and records a rail-speed record of 157 mph on its first run. The result of a rather odd experiment, the RAK 3 carried a caged cat as its driver. Tragically, on the car's second run, too many of its rockets fired at once and the car crashed, killing its feline pilot.
- On June 21, 1956, playwright Arthur Miller defies the House Committee on Un-American Activities and refuses to name suspected communists. Miller's defiance of McCarthyism won him a conviction for contempt of court, which was later reversed by the Supreme Court.
- On June 18, 1961, the Western radio drama "Gunsmoke" goes off the air. The show debuted in 1952 and moved to television in 1955. "Gunsmoke" ran on television for 20 years.
- On June 20, 1977, with a flip of a switch in Prudhoe Bay, crude oil from the nation's largest oil field begins flowing south down the trans-Alaska pipeline to the ice-free port of Valdez, Alaska. The steel pipeline winds through 800 miles of Alaskan wilderness, crossing three mountain ranges and hundreds of rivers and streams.
- On June 23, 1984, an auction of John Lennon's possessions raises \$430,000. A guitar he played during his years with the Beatles sold for \$19,000. Lennon was shot and killed by a deranged fan in 1980.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

They're Really Young At Heart

Would like to have you meet five people who are really young at heart.

And, in body, too.

The five-all in their 90s-competed in the recent 25th Quincy Senior Olympics and together brought home a total of 19 medals, most of them gold.

Warren Kirkland, the oldest Senior Olympian at 93, had the honor of lighting the Olympian Torch with Mayor William Phelan to open the competition.

And then went on to personally rack up eight medals: seven of them gold in horseshoes, basketball free throw, half-mile walk, one-mile walk, softball throw, bowling and volleyball. And a silver medal in bocce.

He is captain of the Beechwood Life Center volleyball team. And playevery Wednesday and Friday-after a three-mile walk with the Walking Group.

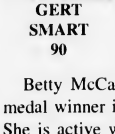
His four fellow nonagenarians did pretty well, too, in competition.



RUTH
KUNDSINS
90

Ruth Kundsins, 90, picked up four gold medals in the 50-yard breaststroke, 50-yard backstroke, 50-yard freestyle and the one-mile walk. She swims regularly in a Water Aerobics class.

Forrest Smith, 92, collected three medals: two golds in the javelin throw and darts and a silver in billiards. He volunteers four days a week in the Senior Center.



GERT
SMART
90

Gert Smart, 90, had three gold medals in horseshoes, basketball free throw and bowling. She volunteers three days a week at the Beechwood Center Lunch program and is a "Rocking Nanny" volunteer in the Infant Program.

Betty McCarthy, 90, was a gold medal winner in the one-mile walk. She is active with three-mile walks twice a week.



SHARRON
BEALS

"They're amazing," marveled Sharron Beals, executive director of the Beechwood Community Life Center, co-sponsor of the Olympics with the city. "They are as sharp mentally as they are physically."

As for all the seniors competing this year, she adds:

"I personally was energized by the



WARREN
KIRKLAND
93



FORREST
SMITH
92



BETTY
MC CARTHY
90

spirit that prevailed throughout the 10 days and the 25 events. Such enthusiasm. Such focus. Such commitment!"

LEGENDARY "FATHER BILL" is well on the way to recovery from those injuries suffered in a fall May 12 at his West Yarmouth home.

He, of course, is Fr. William McCarthy, former pastor of St. John's Church, Quincy Center, and a founder of Father Bill's Place, the interfaith shelter named for him.

He suffered a fractured hip and a head injury and is now undergoing therapy at Mayflower Place Nursing Center in West Yarmouth.

"I feel good," he says. "Hope to be back home in a couple of weeks."

And he's itching to get back to work helping the homeless.

He and John Yazwinski, executive director of Father Bill's Place, are already planning the annual FoodFest fundraiser to be held July 31 at Marina Bay.

Last year's event raised \$300,000 to help keep Father Bill's Place running.

"Got to get moving," he says.

Meanwhile, for those of you who would like to send Fr. McCarthy a card here's the address:

Mayflower Place Nursing Center, 579 Buck Island Road, West Yarmouth, MA 02673.

He'd be happy to hear from you.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE candidate Nick Puleo and

his wife, Sarah, who were married last October, are excited about the purchase of their first home.

The house is on Acton Street in Wollaston and says Puleo: "This is the home where we will raise our children and they will be able to go to the Wollaston School down the street."

Puleo, past president and long-time officer of the Ward 5 Community Association was born and raised in Quincy. Sarah was born and raised in Dallas, Tex.

And cupid introduced them while they were attending Northeastern University.

PERSONAL: Thank you, Terry and Don Calabro, Vincent Del Vecchio, Dorothy Giarusso and Gerald Sharkey, for all those kind words. Readers like you make it all worthwhile.

SHINE Counsel At Aging Office

A SHINE counselor will be available Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Quincy Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., Quincy, to assist the elderly and adults with disabilities with health information and benefits.

Home visits can be arranged for shut-ins.

SHINE is the acronym for Serving the Health Information Needs of Elders.

Call 617-376-1247 to make an appointment or to speak with a SHINE counselor.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

If you have one to donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Free Legal Clinics At Quincy Courthouse

The Bar Association of Norfolk County will hold free legal clinics on Tuesdays, July 10 and Aug. 14, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Quincy District Court, One Dennis Ryan Parkway.

Attorneys will be avail-

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For further information,

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NICK AND SARAH Puleo in front of their home on Acton Street, Wollaston.

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS THE PLANT THAT HAS EVERY FACILITY FOR SAWING CUTTING AND POLISHING GRANITE MONUMENTS AND BUILDING WORK. **DEACON BROS.** QUINCY MASS.

THIS IS A 1911 real photo trade postcard used by the Deacon Brothers Granite Company that was on Centre Street in South Quincy. Begun in 1889 as Cole & Deacon, William Deacon soon bought out his partner and brought in his brother Walter. They were both immigrants from England where they had learned the stone cutting trade with their father. The company operated under the Deacon Brothers name until WWII, even though Walter had left in 1906 to start his own company and William died in 1923. This view of the plant and its employees is from across Centre Street at the

end of Trafford Street showing the expansive operation on almost an acre of land. The site is now home to Schlager's Auto Body Repair shop. Deacon Bros. was only one of dozens of stone cutting companies that operated in South Quincy for over one hundred years. Today, there are only a few still in business. An example of the company's work can be seen in the beautiful Celtic cross marking William Deacon's grave at Mount Wollaston Cemetery. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Quality of Life Issues

As the Quincy City Council begins to deal with quality of life issues that negatively impact our daily lives in our neighborhoods, hopefully, City Hall will take a good hard look at those issues such as hard-topping lawns for cars, as there is no question, Quincy has more cars on the road compared with 20 years ago.

As I walk around Wollaston Center, I see a vital retail district still working. The same can't be said for Norfolk Downs. Everyone focuses on Downtown Quincy and the Quincy Concourse, but the real life of

Quincy won't be found in Downtown Quincy.

The polls seem to think the Quincy Concourse will rebuild Downtown Quincy, it won't. It will be a by-pass road, taking folks from Boston to Braintree and beyond.

South Shore Plaza, 47 or so years ago was the death knoll for areas of commerce like Downtown Quincy and also for such retail areas in other cities, north, west and south of Boston.

City Councillor Kevin Coughlin has been concerned about the little sores that lead to bigger problems, not just downtown, but in his

own Montclair neighborhood as well.

There is still a place for Quincy in the 21st century, but the place isn't bringing Shopperstown USA back to life. Quincy can still be the Hub of the South Shore. New housing is sprouting up all over the city. Just take a look at the Neponset River.

The Lee Kennedy project between the bridge and the Red Line tracks will be a positive for Quincy, as will another project on the other side of the bridge next to the Best Western Quincy Bay Inn.

Upscale housing will help the city's economy, but the

city councillors can't forget about the poor and working families in need of real affordable housing. Otherwise, they will leave for greener pastures elsewhere.

There's community policing and there's community police patrols. However, the best community policing is you and I working to improve the status of our city.

Whether or not Quincy is the safest city in Massachusetts, according to the FBI, is secondary. The real stat that counts is whether or not ordinary folk see Quincy fitting into their lives.

Sal Giarratani
Atlantic Street

Retiring Teacher Focuses On The Positive

(Editor's Note: The following letter was submitted before the teachers' union and the city reached a settlement on a new contract last week.)

In two weeks, after 35 years of working at North Quincy High School, I will be retiring.

What should be a happy and nostalgic time for me, in my final year, has been a period of turmoil. This will be the third time in my career, that we, as teachers, have gone through an emotional battle over what many others are given automatically—a raise.

3 Residents Receive Trinity Honors

Three Quincy residents have received faculty honors for the fall semester at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

Once again, we are "dutifully" working without a contract—somehow the public thinks of us as semi-missionary workers who will continue to go to work daily—no matter the situation—"for the good of the children."

The never ending emotional blackmail that traps us in our classrooms to the relief, well, sadly and unfortunately for us, the "children" do not pay for our bills, tuitions, mortgages, etc. We do.

We have attempted to negotiate respectfully for a year now. I am dismayed at the results. I watch young teach-

ers, observe their frustration and fear, hoping that they will not leave for better paying communities—and not blaming them if they did. Our union and building reps advised us to initiate a "slow down." We have.

We cannot enter the building early, or leave late. This has paralyzed many of us whom for years have prepared on our own time before and after school without a second thought to not being paid. Trust me, this city cannot afford our overtime hours if we could submit them for payment.

I am tired of hearing the comments that "go" with this profession—"how easy teachers have it," (try it for a month, please) and "how we have summers off" (I say this

slowly—we are paid for the days that we work, only!). Most of us have and do work summers and how we should get "real jobs or try working in the 'real world.'" I have done both.

This job is just as tiring. If educating our youth under circumstances that would never be tolerated in the "outside" business world is not "real enough" then I don't know what is.

As I prepare to leave, I will try to focus on the positive side of teaching—the joy and satisfaction of educating and the incredible rapport and support system of my fellow colleagues—two factors that keep us going each day.

Maria D'Arcangelo
North Quincy

Quincy's Yesterdays

12 Firefighters Are Sworn In

By FRANK McCAULEY

City Clerk John M. Gillis swore in 12 new firefighters to complete the implementation of the 42-hour week.

The 12 are: John W. Mann, Mario C. Stracco, Jr., Thomas D. Field, Francis G. Sullivan, Thomas C. O'Connor, Henry T. Bishop, Richard J. DiCesare, Daniel Ryan, Edward Delgizzi, Donald C.

This Week
1970
37 Years Ago

Morey, Anthony Rinella and Charles R. Behanna. Their new duties begin June 30.

84 Kindergarten Pupils Guests At Teacher's Wedding

Miss Mary Kenney invited all 84 children in her two kindergarten classes at the Wollaston School to attend her wedding at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Merrymount.

Miss Kenney said that she wanted her classes to share the "most important" day of her life with her. Miss Kenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip J. Kenney, 11 Shelton Rd., Adams Shore, married Lt. John Ashe Sullivan, United States Marine Corps recently returned from Vietnam. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan of 1 Brockton Ave., Germantown.

QUINCY-ISMS

Russell C. Scammell was installed as the 1970-1971 president of the Quincy Rotary Club. He succeeded Bert E. Eckblom... The name of City Councillor and State Rep. Walter J. Hannon was being mentioned as a possible candidate for Lt. Governor at the upcoming Republican State Convention... Mrs. Mary Amann was recently installed as senior regent of the Quincy Chapter Women of the Moose... The Bernie King Orchestra billing itself as the South Shore's No. 1 Orchestra, was offering to play weddings, banquets and parties... Mrs. Agnes Barilario took office as president for 1970-1971 of the Cynl P. Morrisette American Legion Auxiliary. She succeeds Mrs. Doris O'Brien who became an executive board member... Miss Melanie Ross Forde, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Forde, 21 Perkins St. received a Bachelor of Arts degree at the 92nd Commencement of Wellesley College... Miss Karen Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burns, 21 Chapman St. Wollaston, is being sponsored by the Wollaston American Legion Post Auxiliary at Girls' State at Bridgewater State College. Mrs. Arthur Senter is chairman of Girl's State for the Auxiliary... The Rev. John M. Lurvey, Jr. and the Rev. Guinevere J. Lurvey, his wife, will begin their duties as co-pastors of the Adams Shore United Methodist Church July 1... The Rev. Fr. Edward P. Geary, assistant pastor at Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish, Merrymount, has been transferred to St. Joseph's Parish, Lynn... Members of Houghs Neck Legion Post, as well as members of the Post Auxiliary, were planning to attend a memorial Mass Sunday, June 21 at the Most Blessed Sacrament Church. Mrs. Elinor Forsythe and Mrs. Mary Timcoe are in charge of arrangements... Three Central Junior Orchestra, according to Miss Mary C. Iannoni, head counselor. They are Joanne Ahola and Mark Roseland, violinists, and Jeffrey Dill, bass... James F. Drain, 94 Cedar St., Wollaston, has been elected chairman of the Utilities Telecommunication Council, New England Region. He is the administrator of the engineering office of Boston Gas Co... Beacon Cleaners, 624 Hancock St., Wollaston, was offering "Bonded Fur Storage." Beacon Cleaners "Welcomes You To Store Your Fur and Wool Coats..." The Quincy Legion Post baseball team defeated Morrisette Legion Post 7-2. Norm Walsh, a star pitcher for B.C. High, held Morrisette to three hits while striking out eight. Meanwhile, Ray Cattaneo, a standout shortstop for B.C. High, who played minor league ball in the Braves minor league system, became the head coach for Morrisette... Three Quincy men received their degrees as members of the Class of 1970 at Suffolk University. They are Jerome Morreale, 227 Elliot Ave., Kevin Mitchell, 10 West Squantum St., and Robert O'Day, 100 Quarry St... Dr. Charles Djerf was chairman of a committee to raise \$100,000 for Survival, Inc., a group that provides aid to youths involved in drugs. Dr. Djerf, a former member of the Quincy School Committee, said, "The program is a must. The drug situation is getting worse."

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Lecture Series To Feature Local History, Authors

A June lecture series featuring local history and local authors will be held next week by the National Park Service in the carriage house at the Adams Mansion, 135 Adams St., Quincy.

Coffee will be served at 10:30 a.m. followed by the lectures at 11 a.m. followed by book signings by the authors themselves. The sched-

ule includes:

Monday, June 25 - *Mistress Bradstreet*, by Charlotte Gordon.

Tuesday, June 26 - *Lafayette in America in 1824 and 1825*, by Alan R. Hoffman.

Wednesday, June 27 - *Where We Lived: Discovering the Places We Once*

Called Home, by Jack Larkin.

Thursday, June 28 - *The Sedgewicks in Love*, by Timothy Kenslea.

Friday, June 29 - *Dark Tide: The Great Boston Molasses Flood of 1919*, by Stephen Puleo.

Admission is free but available seating is limited.

Artisan's Gallery Night June 22

The Houghs Neck Community Council and the Maritime Center will host the second annual Artisan's Gallery Night Friday, June 22, from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at the Maritime Center, 137 Bayview Ave.

The evening will highlight the talents of Houghs Neck residents. Local artists will be on hand. Artists will be selling their works in painting, photography and

ceramics. Jimmy Riley will provide music.

Admission is free and there will be a cash bar.

"Last year's event was a great success and a nice way to kick off the summer with a fun event for adults only," said Margaret LaForest, vice president of the Houghs

Neck Community Center.

"We have many talented neighbors and wanted to offer an opportunity for local artists to showcase their work."

For more information, call Margaret at 617-471-1806 or email mlaforest01@hotmail.com.

Atria Marina Bay BBQ

The Atria Marina Place announces that this Friday (June 22), the "Opals" will perform at the summer Kick-Off BBQ which will be held rain or shine with the cook-out scheduled to begin at 1 p.m., and entertainment to

begin at 2 p.m.

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A USED BOOK SALE organized by fourth graders at the F.W. Parker School, North Quincy, raised over \$200 for new books for the school. Leftover books were packed for the Atlantic Middle School students who shipped them to Zambia, Africa.

Parker School Students Activities Promote Reading

Students at the F.W. Parker School, North Quincy, recently celebrated reading by participating in several projects designed to promote reading enjoyment.

In one effort, the students participated in the school's "Read Across America" project by reading 39,000

minutes (650 hours). In addition, students created their own hats for Crazy Hat Day which honored children's author Dr. Suess.

Also, the fourth grade students in Ms. Kate Kelly's class organized and sold used books for 25 cents each to

promote reading at their school.

The students' projects raised \$210 for the Parker School Media Center. All leftover books were sent to Atlantic Middle School where students are sending books to Zambia, Africa.



CRAZY HAT DAY was a big day for students at North Quincy's F.W. Parker School as they created and exhibited lively creations featuring brown bags, balls, and feathers.

Quincy Basketball League Starts Sunday

The Quincy Neighborhood Basketball League will kick-off Sunday June 24 at the Fenno Street Basketball Courts in Merrymount Park.

The league is open to all Quincy residents who will be entering grades 6-8 next fall. There are plans for two divisions: Boys 6-8 grade and

Girls 6-8 grade.

Games will be played every Sunday from June 24 through mid-August. The rain dates will be Tuesday evenings.

Registration may be done by phoning Bob Evans at (617) 770-2858 or Mark Jaehnig at (617) 472-3311.

Players may also register Sunday night at the Fenno Street Basketball Courts from 6-9 p.m. Players should bring a red and a white T-shirt or a red/white reversible shirt.

Cost of the program is \$25. Checks can be made payable to QNBL.

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QHS Teacher Maria Cash Accepted To Summer Mathematics Institute

Maria Cash, a first-year mathematics teacher at Quincy High School, will participate in Boston University's Program in Mathematics for Young Scientists (PROMYS) for Teachers.

The purpose of PROMYS for Teachers is to support current efforts in Massachusetts to enhance problem-solving and open-ended explorations in high school mathematics classrooms. PROMYS engages a select group of middle and high school teachers in intensive mathematical exploration.

Over the course of six weeks this summer, PROMYS teachers develop many classical results in number theory. This experience is enriched by a supportive community of other teachers, high school students, graduate students and research faculty.

The program fosters new insights into the nature of



MARIA CASH

mathematical investigations as participants practice the habits of mind that are at the core of creative mathematics. Academic year workshops help teachers translate the summer experience into fundamental change in their own classrooms.

The Massachusetts Mathematics Curriculum Framework calls for exactly this kind of exploration. It requires a shift away from solving routine problems to

problem-solving as the focus of mathematics programs. Indeed, one of the Frameworks' guiding principles is that students should explore mathematical ideas in ways that help them maintain their enjoyment and curiosity about mathematics. Accordingly, PROMYS participants must work beyond their centers of competence and push the limits of their knowledge. The PROMYS community provides a rich support network so that teachers can develop as mathematics learners.

"I am very much looking forward to this experience," said Mrs. Cash, a 2006 graduate of Clemson University in South Carolina. "Number theory was my favorite course in college. I look forward to meeting people who share my enthusiasm for teaching mathematics. Most of all, it will be exciting to bring what I learn back to my Quincy High School classroom."

N.Q. Catholic Women Honor 9 Past Presidents

The Catholic Women's Club of North Quincy honored nine of its past presidents at a recent luncheon at the Fox & Hound Restaurant, Quincy.

Chairwoman Priscilla Langille presented each former president with a token

of appreciation. Rev. John O'Brien of Sacred Heart parish and Rev. James McGowan attended the event.

Past presidents honored were: Mrs. Donald Blake, Mrs. Fred Casey, Mrs. Howard Crowley, Mrs.

Thomas McNamara, Mrs. William Moore, Mrs. John Mullaney, Mrs. Charles Sheedy, Mrs. James Timilty and Mrs. Joseph Sullivan.

The club will honor outgoing president Mrs. Kate Shannon this week at The Quincy Market.

Five Quincy Residents Graduate Fitchburg State

Five Quincy residents received degrees from Fitchburg State College at the college's 111th commencement exercises. Alumnus Peter H. Reynolds, founder and CEO of

FableVision, addressed the graduates. FableVision is an award-winning children's media company.

Bachelor's degrees were awarded to Ashley K. Nee of North Quincy and Amy

Orlando of Quincy. Kristen M. Molinski, Alycia N. Sorrentino and Kate Southworth, all of Quincy, earned Master's degrees in education.

Diane DiNocco Married To Mark Marrese

A reception at Florian Hall in Dorchester followed the wedding of Diane M. DiNocco of West Roxbury and Mark F. Marrese of West Roxbury. Rev. Jack Ahern officiated at the ceremony at St. Ann Church, Wollaston.

The bride is the daughter of Blanche C. DiNocco of Quincy and the late Robert E. DiNocco. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Marrese of Bridgewater.

Karen Joyce of Dorchester was the Matron of Honor. Bridesmaids were Dawn DiNocco and Nancy Marrese. Alyssa Marrese was the flower girl.

Christopher Marrese was Best Man. Ushers were David DiNocco, Gregory Butner, and Dino D'Emilia. Ring-bearer was Ryan DiNocco.

Rene Rancourt sang both the American and Canadian national anthems at the reception as a surprise wedding present from the bride to her husband. Rancourt sings the national anthem before the Bruins games at TD BankNorth Garden.

Instead of reception favors, the couple made a donation to the Floating Hospital Children's Cancer Center where the bride was treated for ovarian cancer in 1989 at the age of 13. A teal colored pin was wrapped around each scroll with a teal ribbon. Teal symbolizes ovarian cancer.



MR. and MRS. MARK MARRESE

The bride graduated from North Quincy High School, Laboure School, and University of Massachusetts, Boston. She is employed by Bridgewater Goddard Park Medical Associates.

The groom graduated

from Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School and Bridgewater State College. He is employed at Meditech.

After a wedding trip to Walt Disney World, the couple live in West Roxbury.

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Quincy Retired Teachers Association



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL recipients of this year's Quincy Retired Teachers Association Scholarship included (seated) Judy Ngai, Jia Wei Chen, Tina Hicks, Elizabeth Bergstrom and Kristen Cummings. Standing, June Dandhanin, Hope Collins and Katherine Shea.

Arthur Foster III photos

Quincy Retired Teachers Association



ALSO RECEIVING QRTA scholarships were Quincy seniors (seated) Nensi Veselaj, Kshitij Nagpal and with Loren Pani (NQHS). Standing, Ralfi Kondili, Joseph Pantano and Pluton Angieli.

54 QHS, NQHS Recipients

QRTA Awards \$146,050 In Scholarships

The Quincy Retired Teachers Association (QRTA) awarded \$146,050 to 54 seniors graduating from Quincy and North Quincy High Schools.

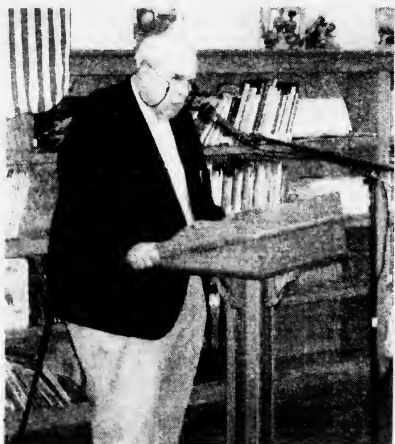
It brings to \$1,369,400 the total amount and the number of recipients to 660 since 1981.

The 26th annual awards ceremony was held in the Sawyer Center at the Beechwood Knoll School presided over by QRTA President Arthur Foster.

Nine of this year's recipients received \$8,000 Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Scholarships. Ten received \$2,500 John W. Walsh Scholarships established in honor of the former North Quincy High School principal and Quincy Point Junior High teacher, by his son, John W. Walsh, Jr.

Beede, long-time principal of the Broad Meadows Middle School and his wife bequeathed \$1.5 million to the Quincy Retired Teachers Association for scholarships.

Foster said the interest from donation covers the



ARTHUR FOSTER, president of the Quincy Retired Teachers Association, presides over the scholarship ceremony at the Beechwood Knoll School Sawyer Center.

amount of the annual Harry and Louisa Beede Memorial Scholarships.

The other scholarships ranged from \$1,000 to \$5,000.

QRTA School Board members serving as presenters were Kathleen

Fitzpatrick, Patricia Drew, Rita McKenna, Mary Catherine Iannoni, Ruel Mohnkern and Mary Bowker.

School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro assisted the presenters and congratulated each recipient.

Quincy Retired Teachers Association



OTHER QUINCY HIGH QRTA scholarship recipients were (seated) Taysir Mahmoud, Kimberly Pham, Janet Ng, Nada Eid, and Paige Neumann. Standing, Robert Page, James Fay and Wendell Cosgrove.

The recipients:
QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL

Paige E. Neumann, Jia Wei Chen, Ralfi Kondili, Tina M. Hicks, Harry A. and

Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarships.

Kshitij Nagpal, Janet N. Ng, June C. Dandhanin, Judy Ngai, Kimberly C. Pham, John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Joseph A. Pantano, Charles Low Pratt Family Scholarship.

Pluton Angieli, Marion Rogers Memorial Scholarship.

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NORTH QUINCY HIGH School recipients of this year's Quincy Retired Teachers Association scholarships included (seated) Po Shan Fan, Mary Lau, Mona Li, Caroline Fong and Joanna Fu. Standing, Dawn McCauley, Amy Chung, Eileen Ann and Katy Yeh.

Arthur Foster III photos

QRTA Awards \$146,050 In Scholarships

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ship.

Elizabeth L. Bergstrom, Marie Lynch Memorial Scholarship.

Robert W. Page, III, Herman Noyes Memorial Scholarship.

James R. Christie, Warren and Elsie Findlay Memorial Scholarship.

James C. Fay, Dr. Carol Lee Griffin Scholarship.

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Hope E. Collins, Alfred and Ella Knapton Memorial Scholarship.

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Nensi Veselaj, Palmisano Family Scholarship.

Taysir G. Mahmoud, John and Winifred Fitzpatrick Memorial Scholarship.

Katherine E. Shea, Ruth Meisner Memorial Scholarship.

Nada T. Eid, QRTA Alice Guilmarin Scholarship.

Jonathan W. Conso, Mary Marr Parker Memorial

Scholarship.

Stephen M. Connolly, James S. Collins Memorial Scholarship.

NORTH QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL

Ivy Huang, Jessica Johnson, Julianne Ross, Loren Pani, Dawn McCauley, Harry A. and Louisa P. Beede Memorial Scholarship.

Po Shan Fan, Kimberly Dela Cruz, Kathleen O'Brien, Eileen Ann, Christina Lin, John W. Walsh Scholarship.

Katy Yeh, Walter Hitti Memorial Scholarship.

Heather Lee, Althea Sawyer Memorial Scholarship.

Kerianne Cabral, Louise Meisner Memorial Scholarship.

Amy Chung, Mary T. MacDonald Memorial Scholarship.

Sarah Kou, Donald E. McDonald Memorial Scholarship.

Carrie Lo, Lou and Betsy DiBona Scholarship.

Jenna Furey, North Quincy Class of 1938 Schol-

arship.

Kristina Storer, Elizabeth and Ester Gizzarelli Memorial Scholarship.

Joanna Fu, QRTA Martin Casey Memorial Scholarship.

Mona Li, Mary Youngerman Memorial Scholarship.

Cathy Lin, Lucy Maria Marr Memorial Scholarship. Margaret Ho, George A. Wilson Memorial Scholarship.

Sarah Ellis, QRTA Mabel Pratt Memorial Scholarship. Diana Taylor, Mildred B. Harrison Memorial Scholarship.

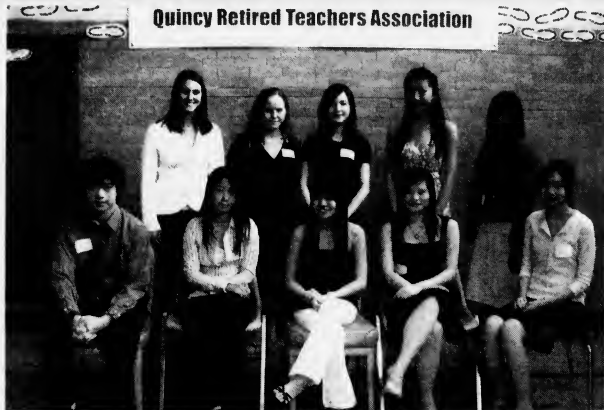
Matthew Chin, QRTA Dr. Henry Paterson Memorial Scholarship.

Mary Lau, QRTA Stella Krupka Memorial Scholarship.

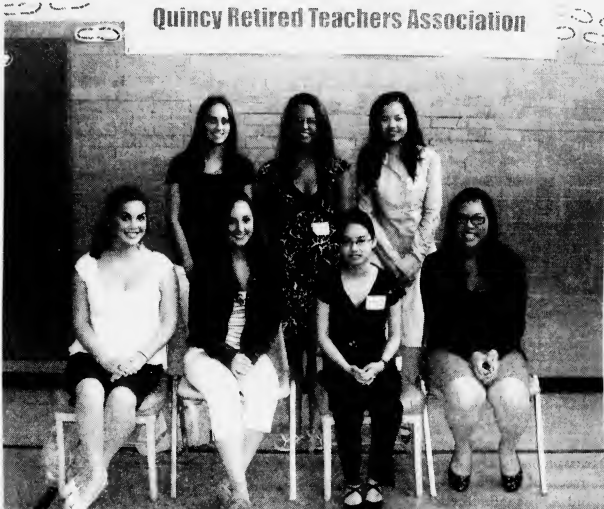
Caroline Fong, QRTA Anna Robison Memorial Scholarship.

Ping Ting Mai, DiMascio Family Scholarship.

Cai Gao, QRTA Mary A. Bozoian Scholarship.



OTHER NORTH QUINCY HIGH School recipients of this year's QRTA scholarships were (seated) Matthew Chin, Christina Lin, Carrie Lo, Cai Gao and Ivy Huang. Standing, Kathleen O'Brien, Jessica Johnson, Diana Taylor, Ping Ting Mai and Cathy Lin.



ALSO RECEIVING THIS year's QRTA scholarships were North Quincy High School seniors (seated) Kristina Storer, Julianne Ross, Kimberly Dela Cruz and Heather Lee. Standing, Kerianne Cabral, Jenna Furey and Margaret Ho.



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL senior Kshitij Nagpal, one of the 10 recipients of the John W. Walsh Scholarship, is congratulated by John Walsh, Jr., who established the scholarship, his father John Walsh, Sr., former North Quincy High School principal. At right is School Supt. Dr. Richard DeCristofaro, who assisted in the presentations.

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At Flag Day Ceremony

Dick Lombardi Honored With Richard J. Koch Award

Long-time Quincy Babe Ruth President and coach Dick Lombardi was awarded this year's Richard J. Koch Youth Service Award at last Saturday's Flag Day Parade and Celebration.

"Dick's dedication to Quincy's young people and the entire community over the last 20 years is a wonderful testament to all of the great things about Quincy," said Flag Day Chairman Tom Koch. "He has given his energy, his time, and his heart in countless ways over the years without fanfare or ever seeking recognition. It is time he is recognized."

Lombardi, a lifelong Quincy resident, started coaching Babe Ruth baseball in 1990. In 1993, he was named Quincy Babe Ruth President, a job he still holds. Lombardi was the driving force behind Quincy's successful hosting of the National Babe Ruth World Series in 2003 and 2005, two of the biggest sporting events in recent Quincy history.

As a coach, Lombardi led Quincy Babe Ruth teams into two New England Regional Tournaments in 1997 and 2001 and five state tournaments. He was recently inducted into the Quincy High School Baseball Hall of



TOM KOCH (left) presents the Richard J. Koch Award to Dick Lombardi.

Fame as a youth coach.

Lombardi was also an active member of the Quincy High Football Parents Club, serving as the club's treasurer for nine years.

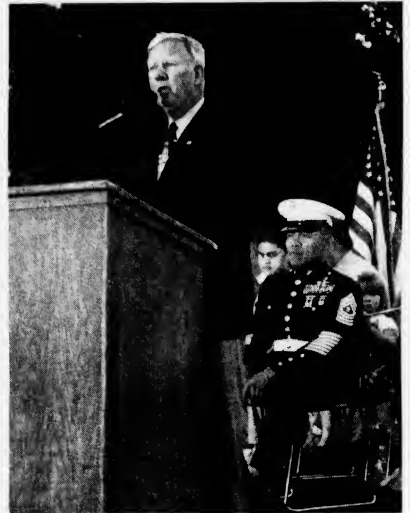
A 1962 graduate of Quincy High School and a U.S. Navy veteran, Lombardi lives in Adams Shore with his wife, Connie. In November the couple will celebrate their 42nd wedding anniversary with their two

sons, Rich, 37, and Mike, 31.

"Quincy is fortunate to have so many great organizations for our children, and it is only because of tireless volunteers like Dick Lombardi who make it possible," said Koch. "Dick is a great husband, father, and friend. We're proud to give him the award this year."

The Richard J. Koch Youth Service Award is

given annually by the Flag Day Committee to someone who displays a lifelong commitment to young people in Quincy. The award is named in honor of Richard J. Koch, who served as the city's park commissioner for 25 years and founded the Koch Club youth sports and charitable organization and Quincy's Flag Day Parade and Celebration.



ED KEOHANE offers greetings to those attending the Flag Day Parade.
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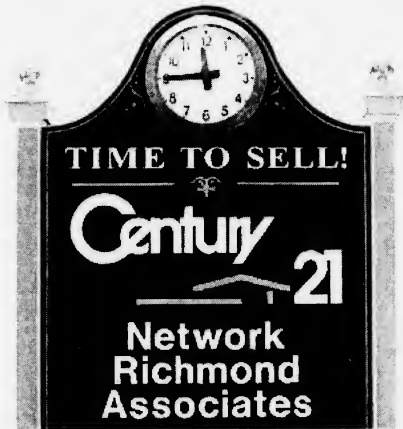
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Doug Gutro To Seek Ward 5 Fourth Term

Ward 5 City Councillor Doug Gutro has announced he will seek reelection to a fourth term this fall.

Gutro, who is also city council president, cited "a strong record on citywide issues as well as neighborhood initiatives and a solid reputation of responsiveness to resident concerns."

"I hope to earn the continued trust and confidence of the people of my district to serve as a voice of pragmatism and integrity on the city council," he said.

"I've prided myself on being a reliable and responsive advocate for the people I represent."

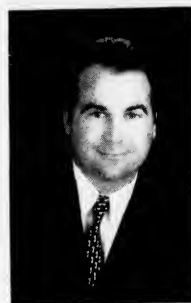
An advocate of Wollaston Beach improvements, Gutro said: "This summer, Wollaston Beach will realize long-awaited investments that will make it more pedestrian friendly, bike friendly and family friendly."

Gutro is also credited with being a leading force in the creation of the Friends of Wollaston Beach Reservation, a group dedicated to organizing events, cleanups, plantings as well as advocacy along the beach.

"I am tremendously proud to play a role in the creation of an organization that will undoubtedly serve as the future stewards of this our Quincy's most widely visited recreation destination," he said.

Regarding Quincy Center, Gutro said: "I firmly believe that this year's city council actions have set the stage for a dramatic revitalization of our downtown."

The council approved a new Urban Development District, a \$30 million District Improvement Finance package, and authorized the eminent domain takings of several buildings to allow for the new cross town roadway.



DOUG GUTRO

In 2006, Councillor Gutro established a special city council committee on energy efficiency and renewable energy sources, which brought needed attention to this important fiscal and environmental issue.

This spring, the committee helped to shape a \$32 million energy performance contract that the city of Quincy signed with Honeywell International for a program to reduce energy usage and water consumption in the city's 40 schools and municipal buildings without a dime of new tax dollars.

On neighborhood initiatives, Gutro said, he has:

- Called on the administration to plant 2,000 new

trees by 2012.

- Advanced a proposal to support a new state law seeking to hold utilities accountable to remove double telephone poles.

- Co-authored a new law regarding door-to-door salespeople that holds the employers of unlicensed "hawkers and peddlers" accountable.

- Proposed a new law to ensure that news vending machines are properly placed and well maintained.

- Supported funding for new roads, fire trucks, police cruisers, as well as capital improvements to neighborhood schools, fire houses and public buildings.

- Advocated strongly for marsh restoration, pond and park improvements and flood relief in his district.

"Just as informed decisions on the city council floor determine the fiscal health, quality of life and wise growth of our community, I recognize that the actions of reliable and responsive ward councillors are equally important in protecting and improving our city's neighborhoods," Gutro said.

"I take these responsibilities seriously and value the privilege of representing the people of Ward 5."



ASHLYN GRACE FRANK, age 9, playing the part of Nancy Drew, found and rescued a missing fresh water turtle that had disappeared from the Philips Old Colony House in Dorchester. Frank rescued the turtle at Wollaston Beach.

Quincy Girl Rescues Missing Turtle

Ashlyn Grace Frank, 9, was playing at Wollaston Beach on Memorial Day, when she spotted something odd trying to climb its way out of the salt water.

Sensing that something wasn't right, Ashlyn waded into the water to investigate and discovered a turtle trying to make its way onto the large rocks on the shoreline.

"I'd never seen a turtle in that water before," she said.

She rescued the turtle and carried it back up the beach and showed it to her babysitter, Dorothy Graham of Quincy. By coincidence, Ms. Graham had just read a newspaper story about two turtles named Tony and Carmela, which were missing

from the Philips Old Colony House Restaurant in Dorchester.

Graham called the Old Colony House and the general manager came out and identified the turtle as one of the ones that had gone missing.

"It never occurred to me that this was a famous turtle," Frank said.

When she returned the turtle to the restaurant, the manager rewarded her with a gift certificate. The Philips Old Colony House further honored Ashlyn by renaming the rescued turtle, Frank.

How the turtle, which had been outside the restaurant, wound up on Wollaston

Beach is not known, but what is known is that the turtle is a fresh water creature and never would have survived in the ocean if Ashlyn had not removed him as quickly as she did.

While this is the first turtle that Frank has ever rescued, she has been working on behalf of animals for several years. In 2005, she and her friends opened up a lemonade stand in her neighborhood to raise money for pets left homeless by Hurricane Katrina. Their lemonade stand raised more than \$500. Ashlyn and her friends gave this money to a representative from the Humane Society of the United States.

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BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:13 p.m., 429 Granite St. Dwelling. Phone and cable lines cut. Glass on rear door broken around lock. Master bedroom ransacked. Rolex watch, wallet with credit cards known missing.

ARMED ROBBERY, 6:42 p.m., Jackson St. & Pleasant St. Attempted. Arrest made. This was an attempted robbery that occurred at Jackson and Pleasant Sts. Suspect armed with a golf club tried to pull purse away from victim. Charged with armed assault with intent to rob, and assault by means dangerous weapon, golf club.

ARMED ROBBERY, 10:06 p.m., Marina Bay, 542 East Quantum St. Knife. Victim claims he got out of his motor vehicle. Two males approached him and asked from the time, they then put knife to his cheek and reached into his pocket and took \$600. They fled on foot towards rotary.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 10:43 p.m., 86 Greene St. Shed. Two bikes taken from garage. Two black males, white t-shirts headed toward marsh area. Lock to shed broken off to gain entry. Silver BMX style boy's bicycle and black BMX style boy's bicycle stolen. Victim didn't know make of either bike.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:33 a.m., 42 Chickatabot Rd. Motor vehicle. Someone threw a traffic cone at car, causing damage (a scratch) on driver's side roof and another scratch on top of driver's side fender. Youths gone on arrival.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:53 a.m., 127 West Elm Ave. To vehicle. Rock thrown through the back window.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:35 a.m., Excel Tool Die Co., 69 Sumner St. Three windows smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:44 p.m., 23 Germain Ave. To vehicle. Tire slashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:17 p.m., 58 Holmes St. Flagged down. Female states her wallet was just taken.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:49 p.m., 125 West Elm Ave. Motor vehicle.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:42 p.m., 40 Brook Rd. Several youths throwing rocks at the ambulances. Arrest made.

SUNDAY, JUNE 10

LARCENY/ATTEMPT, 12:40 a.m., Granite Links Club House, 100 Quarry Hills Dr. Two white males wearing Red Sox t-shirts headed towards the maintenance building. Nothing taken; parties gone on arrival.

LARCENY, 3:21 a.m., 33 Field St. Fare evasion. Cab driver unsure what apartment in building. Cab driver will take the loss.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:13 a.m., Alfredo Aiello Italian Food, 122 Water St. Business. Back door found open.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9 a.m., 332 Victory Rd. Damaged sign.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 9:21 a.m., 203 Fayette St. Dwelling. Woke to find purse missing; muddy foot prints on floor, which she cleaned up.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:45 a.m., 210 Newbury Ave. Windshield smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:05 p.m., 32 Carle Rd. To motor vehicle. Driver's side mirror partially torn off.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:14 p.m., 15 Merry Mount Ave. Broken window. A large window broken by someone who threw a rock, also tore the screen.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 6:57 p.m., 589 South St. White male inside house. Arrest for breaking and entering, malicious damage.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 7:20 p.m., 61 Davis St. Past. Requesting an ambulance. Male reports person came into house and assaulted his wife. One to QMC.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:01 p.m., 104 Lancaster St. Window. Rear of house youths by rock young black male.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 9:05 p.m., Wendy's Restaurant, 195 Newport Ave. Past. Caller reports an Asian male in his 20's cut him with a plastic knife.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:24 p.m., Super 88, 733 Hancock St. Bricks. A Chinese male throwing bricks through window called in by a 13-year-old watching this on his bike. Wearing white tank top and jeans. One party under arrest for disorderly destruction property.

MONDAY, JUNE 11

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:03 a.m., Quincy Adams Restaurant, 60 Sumner St. Windows. Gone on arrival. Caller reporting youths smashing windows. No entry without ladder. Vacant building. Six, seven kids are GOA.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:41 a.m., 68 Shoreham St. Window smashed.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:35 a.m., Mr. Wires Auto Electric, 92 Holmes St. 1987 Buick LeSabre, color black; no plate, unregistered motor vehicle stolen off the lot.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:40 p.m., 214 Billings St. Four tires slashed overnight.

LARCENY, 4:09 p.m., 117 Sumner St. Past. Property returned, all advised.

UNARMED ROBBERY, 4:16 p.m., Cummings Ave. & Hamden Cir. Attempt. Arrest made. White male, white tank top, jean shorts, beard, white baseball hat. Black male wearing two shirts, red undershirt, grey shirt over that, red baseball hat. Arrests for unarmed assault with intent to rob.

LARCENY, 4:27 p.m., Marriott Hotel, 1000 Marriott Dr. Offing.

LARCENY, 6:25, North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Past - iPod stolen off the lunch table.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:09 p.m., 11 Main St. Siding. Youth with rock struck caller's car and house.

LARCENY, 7:54 p.m., 11 Summer St. Cell phone.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:32 p.m., Merry Mount Park, 784 Hancock St. Past - vandalism of motor vehicle.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 6:51 a.m., Club 92, 92 Liberty St. Business. Appears party broke in through the window. In now passed out on the floor inside. Arrest for B&E nighttime, felonious intent; malicious damage (B&E was intent to commit misdemeanor, not felony).

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:30 a.m., 88 Taffrail Rd. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10 a.m., 30 Casco St. Motor vehicle damage. Large boulder thrown at caller's car.

LARCENY, 11:55 a.m., 62 Shennan St. Money.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:45 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. Apartment door forced; spare house and car keys, jewelry, DVDs, Bose iPod docking station, black checks and toiletries known missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 8:24 p.m., 75 City View Ln. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:50 p.m., 182 Elm St. Dwelling. Apartment entered; PlayStation II games known missing.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:05 a.m., Cathay Pacific, 111 Hancock St. Dk parties. #1 arrested for malicious damage to a motor vehicle and assault and batter police officer. #2 arrested for protective custody; #1 additionally charged with assault with intent to kill, disorderly and resisting arrest.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:17 a.m., Dunkin' Donuts, 100 Granite St. Business. Window broken with rock and attempt made to enter drive through window. Surveillance video shows three suspects; one actually gets his head inside the business, under a security window, and knocks over property inside.

LARCENY, 7:10 a.m., Roxie's Meat Market, 479 Southern Artery. Wallet. Noticed wallet missing at Roxie's. Later found out someone used Visa at Stop & Shop.

LARCENY, 7:49 a.m., 1445 Hancock St. Change purse and bottle of Clonopin taken while she was waiting for the bus on June 12.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:02 a.m., 167 South St. Out-

side porch light, someone threw rock.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:12 a.m., New England Non-sense, 103 Franklin St. Past.

LARCENY, 10:30 a.m., Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St. Past. Black male, purple button down shirt, black dress pants, 6'0" - 6'2".

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:14 p.m., Quincy Place Condoms, 140 Quincy Ave. Cable room, black damaged.

LARCENY, 2:34 p.m., Fratellis, 25 Broad St. Purse stolen. Suspect who stole same paid for an order using a credit card.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 3:11 p.m., 76 Edinboro Rd. Dwelling. Female just climbed in a side window there, then she let male in through a door. Black and orange vehicle parked in driveway. Male with navy blue shirt, green jacket, gray hair, blue jeans. Female tall with jeans. Correction: comes back to 387 Water.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 6:38 p.m., 22 West Quantum St. Dwelling. Laptop stolen. Front door forced; computers, jewelry and change known missing.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:58 a.m., Seven Eleven Store, 75 Copeland St. New tagging found on side of door.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:25 a.m., 37 Phipps St. Past. Box of fireworks set off in front of house.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:54 a.m., 220 Presidents Ln. Dwelling. A laptop and a music keyboard stolen.

LARCENY, 10:50 a.m., 4 Seaport Dr. Cash.

LARCENY, 2:53 p.m., 19 Yarmouth Ln. Of jewelry. Occurred in May.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:27 p.m., 55 Norman Rd. Windows egged.

LARCENY, 10:06 p.m., Ninety-Nine Restaurant Pub, 59 Newport Ave. Purse.

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A Job Well Done

On Saturday, June 10, at approximately 10:25 p.m., Officer Nancy Coletta was working the detail at Stop & Shop on Newport Avenue when the manager summonsed her to one of the registers.

The manager stated the shopper at register 19 was attempting to purchase food items using a fraudulent \$100 American Express Travelers' Check. The manager said she recognized the check was bogus because the hologram of a Trojan soldier head on the right side of the check faced the opposite way of the head on the other corner. She knew that both heads should both face the same way. In addition, she stated the color of the check was too dark.

The manager gave the check to the store's Loss Prevention/Security Officer so that he could contact American Express to confirm that the check was fraudulent. During this time, Officer Coletta questioned the suspect about the check, who appeared very nervous, with his bottom lip quivering.

When asked if he was with anyone, the suspect stated he was with his girlfriend and she was in a blue Honda parked in front of the store. When asked where he got the check, the suspect stated, "My friend gave it to me," identifying his friend as Larry. When asked why Larry gave him a \$100 check, the suspect said, "I don't know - he's my friend."

The Loss Prevention Officer returned and told the officer the American Express Cheque Verification Office confirmed the check was a fake, providing additional ways to show it was bogus. Officer Coletta directed the suspect to step inside the loss prevention office. Once seated, the suspect was again asked where he got the check and he responded that his friend "Frank" gave it to him.

Officer Coletta sought identification of the suspect, who gave a name and date of birth - adding that he did not have a Social Security number - even though he was 18 years old. As warrants were being checked for the suspect, Officer Coletta requested back-up and Officers Pat Watkins and Mike Kelly were dispatched. As Officer Watkins came into the loss prevention office, another male came in looking for his friend.

Officer Watkins instructed this man to sit down on the stairs outside the office. The suspect and his friend did not have any warrants. Officer Steven Kelly arrived on scene and he checked out the blue Honda in the parking lot, which had two men sitting in it, but no girlfriend. They did not have warrants and the car was properly registered.



LT. DAN MINTON

Based on the above information, Officer Coletta decided to place the suspect under arrest. Officer Watkins asked the suspect to stand up and as the suspect did this he lunged at Officer Watkins and the store security officer, knocking them back into Officer Coletta and then into the wall and desk area. The suspect swung his arms wildly, striking Officer Coletta in the face just below her left eye. The suspect also struck Officer Watkins and the security officer numerous times in the head, chest and arms. He then attempted to run through Officer Watkins and the security officer while flailing his arms and screaming.

As he did this, he kicked Officer Coletta in the right knee and the security officer in the upper left leg area. The suspect then attempted to run from the office but was hauled down in the hallway, still punching, kicking and fighting.

The store manager ran over to help and he was struck in the upper body area and in the knee by the suspect as he tried to escape. At this time, Officers Kelly and John McGowan arrived and the officers were able to subdue the suspect and put him in handcuffs. The suspect was escorted from the store as he continued to scream, swear and resist to the awaiting cruiser.

While in the cruiser, the suspect attempted to kick out the windows. The suspect did damage part of the cruiser's interior. The police wagon was called and transported the suspect to jail. Once at the station, the suspect, and 18-year-old Boston resident, was charged with: two counts of assault and battery on a police officer; three counts of assault and battery with a dangerous weapon (foot); possession of a forged document, uttering a forged document, knowingly resisting arrest and malicious damage to a motor vehicle.

Nice work!

RECENT SCAM: A Kansas resident contacted the Quincy Police to report he was in the process of taking out a loan through the internet with a Quincy-based company and after sending a deposit via wire of \$1,060, he has not heard from the company. The victim sent the money using a "Wal-Mart Money-gram."

Officer John O'Donnell investigated the call and determined there is an actual business at the address provided, but it was not the loan company that the victim sent money. The business owner at the address told the officer he reported the loan company had used his business address in the past to scam people.

The Attorney General's office and the Norfolk County District Attorney's office are both investigating.

Best bet: Research the company and/or speak with friends or family that may be able to refer you to a reputable company. The internet is rampant with unscrupulous offers. In this case, the victim looked for the best loan rate, which was probably too good to be true and is now out over a \$1,000.



A DEMOLITION CREW began demolishing the former Fan-Line Building at 148 Parkingway. The building is the first of nine properties that will be taken and cleared by the city for the Concourse which will link the highway to Quincy Center and Route 3A

Demo Begins For Concourse Second Phase

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passed a \$5 million economic stimulus package to aid the revitalization efforts.

The third phase of the Concourse, linking Quincy Center to Southern Artery, will be constructed simultaneously in 2007.

McGrath Highway will

be improved with a landscaped center island and traffic lanes will be narrowed, making the road safer for pedestrians and motorists.

"To control taxes, we need new development in areas that can sustain development, not in our neighborhoods," said Phelan. "In or-

der to attract development, we need transportation infrastructure and parking.

"Our efforts in our downtown have been deliberate and carefully planned to ensure that the public money we invest results in an exponential private investment in our downtown in years to come."



CITY AND STATE OFFICIALS celebrated the formal start of Phase 2 of the Quincy Concourse project Tuesday. Shown with Mayor William Phelan are (left to right) State Rep. Bruce Ayers, Ward 1 City Councillor Leo Kelly, City Council president Douglas Gutro, MassHighway Commissioner Luisa Paiewonsky, Phelan, and Senator Michael Morrissey.

Quincy Sun photos/Laura Griffin

Fundraiser To Benefit Karen Boussy To Be Held Saturday At QYC

On Saturday night, family and friends of Karen Boussy will be hosting a fundraising benefit at the Quincy Yacht Club from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight to help her in her time of need.

Boussy, while living in New Orleans, lost her home and most of her personal belongings when Hurricane Katrina hit. Shortly after moving home to Houghs

Neck to live with her parents, Tom and Barbara Boussy, Karen was diagnosed with breast cancer.

She has undergone surgery and is presently going through chemotherapy before moving onto intense radiation therapy.

Her friends and family have organized this benefit to help defray some of Karen's expenses and to bring her

some peace and hope. The event will include a DJ, a silent auction and many raffle items.

Tickets may be purchased at the door on Saturday. Cost is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple.

To make a donation, purchase tickets or for further information contact Erin Quigley at (617) 472-9496 or Clare Barrett at (617) 328-8009.

Dunkin' Donut Food Drive Underway

Dunkin' Donuts Franchisees Victor and Octavio Carvalho are teaming up with the Germantown Neighborhood Center (GNC) to collect non-perishable food items for the local GNC Food Pantry for the second year in a row.

Starting this Sunday through Labor Day participating Dunkin' Donuts stores will be accepting non-perishable food items. With the need for food at its highest in Massachusetts, the Carvalho's hope to collect enough donations to replen-

ish the supply in the GNC Food Pantry.

"In our inaugural year, we were excited to donate a significant amount of food," said Victor Carvalho. "This year, we hope to donate even more to the people who need it most. Octavio and I hope to carry on this annual initiative and continue to donate a substantial amount of food every year."

The Germantown Neighborhood Center is a private, non-profit organization. The programs spearheaded by Kathy Quigley, Director of the Germantown Neighborhood Center supports families of low to moderate income who are in need by providing nutritious meals and gifts, as well as confidential advocacy, crisis intervention and counseling services to area residents.

The Bosse School of Music (BSM) in Weymouth will hold an Open House on Sunday, June 24 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at its new school facility at 998 Middle Street., Weymouth.

Professor Jon Finn of the Berklee College of Music will present free solo performances during the event as will student and faculty who plan ensemble and solo performances.

In addition, there will be a raffle for a brand-new electric guitar.

The school is still located in the Middle Street Place Complex but has moved to the other side of the complex. The new location offers state-of-the-art facilities for its students, including a 32-track digital recording studio, an acoustically designed concert hall and 14 sound-proof private lesson rooms.

In addition, Ron Bosse announced that BSM has expanded its faculty of college-degreed professionals. The new facility also includes an on-site bookstore featuring musical accessories and the latest most comprehensive instructional method books available.

Bosse said the BSM has

gained immense popularity from South Shore residents due to its "myriad of offerings, its faculty and inspiring atmosphere. BSM offers private instruction for all instruments and voice, ensembles, scholarships, vacation programs, concerts and master classes."

As a result, Bosse said that BSM serves students of all ages and levels from Quincy and all over the South Shore, including Weymouth, Braintree, Hingham, Milton, Cohasset, Holbrook, Norwell, Scituate, Randolph, Hanover, Marshfield, Abington, Whitman and Bridgewater.

Additional information is available by calling 781-337-8500 or visiting BSM on the web at www.bosseschoolofmusic.com.

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FOOT NOTES

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YOUR FEET AND YOUR HEALTH

Many chronic health problems first show themselves in the feet. Diabetes and arthritis, as well as circulatory problems, develop their earliest symptoms in the feet. Therefore, it is important to see your podiatrist at the first sign of any foot problems. To keep your feet and body healthy, walking is the best all-around exercise. Arthritis, which is the No. 1 cause of disability in the United States, can greatly limit what many people are able to do. It affects approximately 7 million Americans. The average person takes between 8,000 and 10,000 steps a day, which adds up to 115,000 miles in a lifetime — enough to walk all the way around the earth four times.

Some of the early signs in the feet of diabetes, arthritis, and circulation diseases include dry skin, brittle nails, numbness,

discoloration, slow healing sores, or a combination of these. If you notice these symptoms, call us for an appointment at 781-986-3668 for a diagnosis and treatment plan. In addition, we carry a line of comfortable shoes for diabetics, which we expertly fit here in the office at QUINCY MEDICAL CENTER. And be sure to ask us about the Medicare Therapeutic Shoe Bill. For those who qualify, Medicare annually pays 80% of the cost of a pair of shoes specifically designed and made for the diabetic foot. Office hours are also available at 999 North Main St., in the Randolph Medical Building and Milton Medical Building in Suite 221.

P.S. Approximately 5% of Americans have toe problems each year.

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Protecting Homes From Hurricanes

(NAPS) — In a battle between homeowners and hurricanes, who would win? Americans residing along the South and East Coasts may find out during the 2007 hurricane season, which runs from June 1 to November 30.

While the relative calm of last year brought a total of five hurricanes to the United States, this year may see 17 tropical storms, of which nine could strengthen into hurricane with winds of at least 74 miles per hour, according to forecaster Tropical Storm Risk.

The National Hurricane Center for the National Weather Service (NWS) is the primary source of weather data, forecasters and warnings in the United States says homeowners should be informed and prepared. The NWS recommends homeowners verify that their homes meet current building code requirements for high winds, one of the many components associated with vicious Category 3 hurricanes and above. NNWS says structures built to meet or exceed current building code high-wind provisions have a much better chance of surviving violent windstorms.

Stronger Homes — Homeowners can strengthen the exterior of their homes to prevent wind from entering

and tearing large openings through better choices in the new construction phase. According to tests performed at Texas Tech University, walls built with insulated concrete forms (ICFs) — hollow foam forms or panels used to hold concrete in place — are less likely to suffer high-wind damage than conventional wood-framed houses.

Solid concrete-reinforced walls built with ICF option Fold-Form, produced by building science technology leader Owens Corning, have been proven to provide exceptional protection against flying debris from winds as high as 250 miles per hour, when compared to conventional framed walls or hollow concrete block walls. As a frame of reference, FEMA states that historical major hurricanes, such as Hurricane Katrina, have achieved landfall wind speeds of 140 mph in southeast Louisiana.

"Homes built with ICFs provide homeowners with sustainable structures capable of withstanding extreme weather conditions," says Dr. Ronald Zollo, professor of civil and architectural engineering at the University of Miami and a licensed professional engineer. "They're easier to clean up after hurricane weather or flooding and

provide the homeowner with moisture resistance in the walls themselves, when combined with appropriate interior finishes. Those utilizing ICFs can also expect greater energy efficiency due to added thermal protection."

Fighting Winds — The superior protection offered by ICFs is also backed up by the Insulating Concrete Form Association (ICFA), in conjunction with the Wind Science and Engineering Research Center at Texas Tech University, which conducted laboratory research to test the strength of ICFs. The test found that the forms had the weight and mass to resist the impact of wind-driven debris at over 100 mph.

According to Dr. Zollo, "In the future, I think we'll see faster recovery times for communities built with ICFs than those that are built without."

Additional Use — "While ICFs meet some of the United States' most strict building codes and are up to nine times stronger than traditional wood frames, they're not just for hurricane protection," says Jeff Van Sloun, business leader, Fold-Form. "We're seeing a dramatic increase in consumer demand throughout the entire United States for building products that are greener, offer greater energy efficiencies, air and moisture management and contribute to greater comfort levels by reducing noise in the home."

To learn more about the benefits of ICFs before, during and after hurricane season, contact an area builder or visit the Web site www.foldform.com.

Avoid These Potential Electrical Hazards

(NAPS) — Electrical safety in and around the home is no accident. These tips from the Electrical Safety Foundation International will help to remind you that hidden dangers can lurk in the most enjoyable environments. Improperly placed metal ladders that come into contact with overhead power lines can be deadly, as can power cords that accidentally dip into water puddles.

To help keep you and your family safe, here is a checklist that will guide you:

- Use appliances and equipment according to the manufacturer's instructions.

- Replace damaged electrical equipment or have it repaired at an authorized repair center.

- Make sure power strips, cords and surge suppressors are designed to handle the loads for their intended use. Avoid overloading circuits by plugging too many items into the same outlet.

- Use ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) protection when working where water is near electricity to protect against electric shock.

- Make certain that an independent testing laboratory such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL), Canadian

Standards Association (CSA) or ETL SEMKO (ETL) has approved all products and equipment.

- Add protection by installing a new electrical safety device — an arc fault circuit interrupter (AFCI) — to detect and stop electrical arcs that can cause fires. Most breakers and fuses do not detect arcs.

- Avoid contact with power lines by being aware of the location of power lines and keeping a distance of at least 10 feet between you and power lines to avoid arcs.

For more tips, visit www.electrical-safety.org.

QCAP Sponsoring Homebuyer Workshop

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc., will sponsor two free first-time homebuyer workshop sessions Saturday, July 14 and July 28 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The workshop will be held at 1509 Hancock St., Quincy Center, in the fourth floor

conference room.

Workshop speakers are professionals representing different real estate fields. Participants receive a workbook, which contains valuable references that pertain to homebuying.

Upon completion of the course, participants will re-

ceive a certificate, which is a pre-requisite for down-payment cost assistance, favorable soft second and Mass Housing mortgages.

Registration is required. For more information, call Ann Marie Casey at 617-479-8181 ext. 119.

Neighborhood Housing Services First-Time Homebuyer Workshop

Neighborhood Housing Services of the South Shore, in conjunction with South Shore Savings Bank, will host a first-time homebuyer workshop Monday, June 25 from 6 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, June 30, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The workshop, open to all Massachusetts residents, will

be held at South Shore Savings Bank, 1530 Main St.,

Weymouth.

Attendance at both sessions is necessary to receive a homebuying certificate.

All potential first-time homebuyers are encouraged to attend the educational workshop. Participants will have the opportunity to speak with a lender.

Topics include mortgage options, legal aspects of the homebuying process, how a home inspection works, and other presentations from related professionals.

Participants must complete the workshop to qualify for grant programs.

There is a \$15 fee per person.

For more information, call (617) 770-2227 ext. 31.

Reverse Mortgage Explained

Ed Barrett, a reverse mortgage specialist, will discuss his specialty on the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 1 p.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

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Getting More Green Out Of A Home

(NAPS) – Building a “greener” house can help boost a home’s value, help it stand out in even the most crowded of housing markets and cut energy costs.

In fact, a recent study from the National Association of Home Builders found that 63 percent of green home owners report lower operating and maintenance costs as the key motivation behind buying a green house.

Fortunately, builders and developers are catching on to the benefits of environmentally friendly homes, with 40 to 50 percent of houses built in 2010 expected to be green.

But if you’re not planning on building a new home, you can still join the green revolution. Incorporating a few Earth-friendly products into a project – such as roof tiles made from clay and concrete – can make a big difference. The Tile Roofing Institute (TRI) provides this look at five general areas in which tile roofing may earn points

toward a home’s overall green rating:

Building Products

Many green building programs cite the use of durable products as the way to increase a home’s green rating. Concrete and clay roof tiles are extremely durable and tend to require less long-term maintenance when compared to alternate products, such as asphalt, shake or metal roofing.

Energy Efficiency

Energy efficiency is a staple of green building programs. Concrete and clay roof tile may contribute to the points for a home’s building envelope, as well as earning credit for a low-energy cooling design with its “cool roofing” attributes. Tile’s thermal mass and sub-tile ventilation can reduce a home’s heat transference by up to 40 percent, and in some instances with clay tile by up to 70 percent.

Stay Local

Green programs often award points for using materials

made locally. Many manufacturer members of the TRI find that much of their products stays within a 500-mile radius from where it is made.

Nontoxic Materials

Clay and concrete products such as tile roofing can earn points toward a home’s green rating, as they off-gas virtually no noxious fumes. As a rule, concrete tile is composed of water, sand, and portland cement, and clay tile is composed of clay and water – neither of which emits toxic vapors once they’re cured at the manufacturing facility.

Building Site Recycling

If broken, roof tiles are 100 percent recyclable, as they can simply be crushed and worked back into the production process. Additionally, tiles broken or found to be out of tolerance at the manufacturing facility, as well as the water used to make the tiles, can be recycled and used again to make new tiles.

For more information, visit www.tilerooting.org.

Choosing Materials To Make The Most Of Your Time, Budget

(NAPS) – When it comes to outdoor wooden structures, such as decks, gazebos, sheds and fences, a successful do-it-yourself project begins with choosing the right building materials.

To know what materials you should choose, ask yourself the following questions:

- How much do I want to spend?

The cost of construction varies depending on the type of materials used.

For example, composite lumber can cost twice as much as treated wood. Also, fasteners required for outdoor use tend to cost more than fasteners for indoor use. These costs should be factored into your budget.

- How long do I plan to use my final product?

Choose your building materials based on how you plan to use your project and how long you want it to last.

Many structures, such as decks, are built for long-term use. The manufacturer’s warranty can offer a clue for how long to expect building materials to perform.

For example, Ecolife, a new originally stabilized and preserved treated wood product, offers improved weathering performance compared to traditional treated wood. The product also comes with a limited

warranty, while warranties for composite lumber typically cover only 10 years.

- How can I be sure that my building materials will stand the test of time?

To be sure your materials will last, look for materials inspected or certified by a third party.

The American Lumber Standard Committee accredits agencies that inspect treated wood, ensuring that the wood meets industry standards.

Inspected treated wood is marked or tagged with information such as the name of the company that treated it, exposure category, preservative used and year of treatment.

- What kind of maintenance will this project require once it is finished?

All outdoor structures require maintenance. However, new advancements in technology make it possible for natural materials such as treated wood to now offer improved long-term performance against the effects of weathering, making them, in effect, lower maintenance.

New stabilized wood products significantly reduce cracking, warping and splintering, and because new formulations such as Ecolife contain no metals, they are no more corrosive to

fasteners than untreated wood.

Keep in mind, though, that to sustain the beauty and life of your treated lumber or composite building materials, low maintenance does not mean “no maintenance.” Both types of materials will require some maintenance and will need to be cleaned and possibly sealed, stained and/or painted.

Composite building materials may require specialty sealants, paints and cleaners that are designed for use specifically with these materials.

No matter the materials used, all outdoor structures must be checked annually for signs of distress and maintained appropriately. If not, warranties for your building materials may be void.

For more information on choosing the right building materials, visit your home-products retailer.

Internet sites such as www.treatedwood.com are also a good place to research a project and find answers to your questions about building materials.

Finally, check and follow your local building codes when adding a new structure, as this can impact the warranties on your building materials.

Enjoy Your Lawn All Season Long

By JOHN BUECHNER

(NAPS) – It’s time to be one with nature again. The following tips can help homeowners have the grass greener on their side of the fence:

Watering

- Water deep and often. Most lawns need about an inch of water a week. If you’re unsure how long to water, mark one inch from the bottom of several see-through containers and spread them around the lawn. Clock the time it takes to reach the one-inch mark and water for that length of time in the future.

- While water may be applied anytime of day, morning watering is most effective.

Mowing

- Before mowing, be sure the mower blade is sharp to prevent tearing the grass blades.

- Raise the mower to a high setting, so you only remove the top one-third of the grass blade.

- Change the mowing direction each time to keep coarse grasses under control and ensure an even surface. Grasscycling

- Leave clippings when you mow. The clippings will recycle nutrients back into the soil and they don’t contribute to thatch buildup.

Thatching

- If your lawn gets soft and spongy, you likely have thatch – dead roots caused by improper mowing, overwatering or fertilizing.

- A little thatch is okay (no more than half an inch) but too much can cause problems.

- To control thatch, ask a lawn care specialist about aeration and pH balancing.

Weeding

- For a lush lawn, control weeds and unwanted plants with special applications and appropriate treatments.

- Wait for weeds to die, clear out dead foliage and reseed the bare patches as soon as the treatment directions allow.

If you’re following these tips and your lawn still isn’t up to par, you may want to dig a little deeper. Contact a lawn care specialist for a soil test to analyze the makeup of your soil and possibly identify the causes of a less-than-perfect lawn.

Learn More

For additional tips, log onto lawndoc.com or call 1-800-4-LAWN DR (1-800-452-9637).

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Tailor Program to Meet Your Goals

Q. I am following a prescribed program to boost my metabolism by eating six small meals a day. I'm also doing cardio every day, with some weights twice a week. The program says that in six weeks I should definitely be seeing a difference in my body, which I believe is true, but I am not seeing any results. What should I be doing differently. I just feel very discouraged.

A. A generic fitness and nutrition program can help get you started, but you must remember that it was not designed with your personal needs in mind. The following steps can help tailor general fitness programs to meet your goals.

Carefully read the description and purpose of the fitness program. Titles such as "Speed up your metabolism" or "Slim down your middle" imply that the program will work if you simply follow the designed workout. This can be misleading, since there are many factors that affect how your body responds to exercise.

Also remember that there should be no guarantee that you begin to see results in six weeks. Generally, most people beginning an exercise program that is within healthy and safe guidelines, in addition to proper nutritional habits, can begin to see changes within six weeks. However, these changes may not include a dramatic loss in body fat or weight, or a large, visible change to your body.

Use measures other than weight loss to gauge your

progress. Monitor your body fat, circumference, strength and lean muscle gains as a better measure of success. Yes, your body will have visible changes, but also use these other assessments to give you a good idea of how your body composition is changing.

There may be certain modifications you need to make for the program to work for you. These can include increasing the type, intensity or frequency of your cardiovascular and strength-training workouts. For example, the program might suggest that you complete walking or jogging as your cardiovascular exercise every day, while you may find that other forms of cardiovascular exercise are more effective for you.

Keep a log or journal that includes your daily nutrition, exercise and lifestyle habits. Writing down what you are actually doing can allow you to compare it with the program you are following. Maintaining a log or journal also requires your honest account of your daily eating habits and the exact workout program you are completing. Oftentimes you can find small but important elements missing that can help you begin to see results.

Don't forget that an increased energy level, being able to move through everyday activities easier and feeling stronger are also positive results. Six weeks is a great kick-start, but you want to develop a positive lifestyle that you can maintain for years to come.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program.

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Protect Your Eyes From An Invisible Threat

American Academy Of Ophthalmology Offers Tips For Safe Fun In The Sun

(NAPS) — One of the greatest threats to your eyes is invisible. The American Academy of Ophthalmology reminds Americans of the importance of protecting their eyes from the sun's harmful rays by wearing sunglasses and wide-brimmed hats.

Studies show that exposure to bright sunlight may increase the risk of developing cataracts, age-related macular degeneration and growths on the eye.

"I see many patients with lesions and growths that are triggered by exposure to UV (ultraviolet) light," said Lee Dullner, M.D., an ophthalmologist in Florida and climate correspondent for the American Academy of Ophthalmology. "Many of these growths require surgical removal."

The longer the exposure to bright light, the greater the risk. Excessive exposure to UV light reflected off sand, snow, water or pavement can damage the eyes' front surface. Your eyes never recover from UV exposure.

The American Academy of Ophthalmology offers these tips on protecting your eyes:

- Don't focus on color or darkness of sunglass lenses. Select sunglasses that block UV rays. Don't be deceived by color or cost. The ability to block UV light is not dependent on the price tag.

- Do check for 97 to 100 percent UV protection. Make sure your sunglasses block 97 to 100 percent of UVA and UVB rays.

- Don't rely on contact lenses. Even if you wear contact lenses with UV protection, remember your sunglasses.

- Do choose wrap-around styles. Ideally, your sunglasses should wrap all the way around to your temples, so the sun's rays can't enter from the side.

- Don't be fooled by clouds. The sun's rays can pass through haze and thin clouds. Sun damage to eyes can occur anytime during the year, not just in the summer time.

- Do wear a hat. In addition to your sunglasses, wear a broad-brimmed hat to protect your eyes.

- Don't forget the kids. Protect their eyes with hats and sunglasses. In addition, try and keep children out of the sun between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., when the sun's UV rays are the strongest.

- Do protect your eyes during peak sun times. Sunglasses should be worn when

ever you're outside, and it's especially important to wear sunglasses in the early afternoon and at higher altitudes, where UV light is more intense.

The American Academy of Ophthalmology is the world's largest association of eye physicians and surgeons—Eye M.D.s—with more than 27,000 members worldwide. To find an Eye M.D., visit the Academy's Web site www.aao.org.

Working World

Tips To Combat Stress At Work

(NAPS)—Anyone who has ever worked knows that stress is part of the job. Some stress helps keep us motivated and productive, but too much or poorly managed stress can negatively impact our health and efficiency.

Recent studies show that stress costs the U.S. economy more than \$300 billion a year in poor performance, absenteeism and health care. The World Health Organization estimates that stress will be the major cause of poor health in the workplace by 2020. Despite these grim statistics, there are simple things employees can do to combat stress at work.

Deralce Scanlon, registered dietitian and consumer education specialist, offers tips to manage workplace stress.

- Skip the Java: Coffee helps many of us get started in the morning. But instead of an energy jolt, we may experience altered mood and anxiety. Instead of coffee, try a cup of green or black tea.

- Nosh on Nuts: Proper nutrition plays an important role in managing stress. Instead of snacking on chips or chocolate, choose nutrient-

rich sunflower seeds or walnuts. These nuts contain B vitamins, which may be helpful to the body during times of stress. Walnuts also contain omega fatty acids, which may help improve mood and brain function.

- Take a Break: Time pressures and work demands have resulted in fewer workers taking time for lunch. In fact, a 2006 study on behalf of KFC found that more than half of employees eat lunch at their desk while working or take a lunch break of 30 minutes or less. This practice may lower productivity and increase stress. Instead of working through lunch, go for a short walk. Increasing midday physical activity helps release endorphins—the body's natural stress fighters.

- Supplement: Stress-Eez, a fast acting and easy-to-swallow tablet, contains scientifically supported herbs and vitamins that help reduce stress quickly and naturally. Stress-Eez, which contains Bacopa, Valerian, Gotu Kola and B vitamins, is found in the vitamin aisles of Walgreens, Rite Aid and CVS.

Skin Sense - Sunscreen Guidelines

(NAPS)—Protecting your skin may be easier with some guidelines from dermatologist Dr. Craig Eichler:

- Pre-apply sunscreen at least 20 minutes before sun exposure so it has time to absorb.

- Reapply every 80 minutes and after swimming or sweating.

- If you wear insect repellent or makeup, apply sunscreen first.

- Be generous. It takes at least one ounce of sunscreen to cover the arms, legs, neck and face.

- Choose products with

an effective, broad-spectrum sun-blocking ingredient such as Parsol 1789 and a minimum of SPF 15.

- Check expiration dates. Exposure to extreme temperatures can shorten sunscreen's life.

- If cream sunscreens feel too heavy, try a gel or spray, such as PreSun Gel, which has a light feel, or new PreSun Spray, which is light and quick to apply.

- A wet T-shirt only provides SPF 4 protection, so apply sunscreen under clothes. For more information, visit www.presun.com.

Healing Tree Yoga, Wellness Center Open House

Healing Tree Yoga & Wellness Center, 605 Hancock St., Quincy, will host a "summer open house" Saturday, June 23 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The event will feature

Blood Pressure Clinics

Free For Seniors

Weekly blood pressure screenings for elders will be held every Monday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., North Quincy.

Gail Crawford, a registered nurse, will donate her

complimentary classes for new clients, raffle prizes, free mini-chair massages and refreshments and snacks.

Call 617-770-4800 for more information.

Dr. Antigone Parrish Joins Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates

Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates, a multi-specialty physician group with practice sites throughout eastern Massachusetts, announces Dr. Antigone Parrish has joined its Quincy obstetrics and gynecology practice.

Dr. Parrish attended medical school at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in Baltimore, MD, and completed her residency and

internship at the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center in Denver.

Dr. Parrish is board-certified in obstetrics and gynecology and is affiliated with South Shore Hospital.

Dr. Parrish is accepting new patients at both the Braintree and Quincy practice. The Harvard Vanguard Quincy office is located at Presidents Place - South Tower, 1250 Hancock St.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

POCKET CALCULATOR

The standardized screening test for gum disease, called "periodontal screening and recording" (PSR), involves the insertion of a thin, metal probe under the gumline around each tooth. When the calibrated tool meets resistance, the depth of the "pocket" is then measured using markings on the side of the probe and assigned a measurement number. These numbers are then recorded to give an overall reading of the periodontal health of each tooth. Scores range from zero (healthy) to four and above (periodontitis). This simple, quick, and easy exam provides dentists and patients with an efficient means of identifying gum disease in its early stages. By taking corrective measures at that point, more severe forms of disease can be averted.

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P.S. By quitting smoking, you can eliminate one of the major contributing factors of gum disease.

SPORTS

Quincy Rallies For 3-2 Win Over Holbrook

By SEAN BRENNAN

The Quincy Post 95 Legion baseball team came-from-behind to defeat Holbrook Post 137 3-2 in eight innings Sunday evening at Adams Field. With the victory, Quincy Post 95 ran its record to a perfect 5-0 in District 6 East play.

Tom Conley drew a bases loaded walk in the top of the eighth inning to score Anthony Alibrandi with the winning run. Alibrandi (4 innings, 0 runs, 2 Ks, 2 BBs, W), who had come on in relief of starting pitcher Scott Worwick to start the fourth, earned the win with four innings of shutout ball.

Quincy, playing as the visitors on their home field, threatened to score in the top of the first after shortstop Mike LeBel singled and stole second. A single by William Kiley (2-for-3, SB, run) put runners on first and second with one out, but Quincy could not capitalize and failed to get the run across.

Worwick (3 innings, 2 runs, 4 Ks, 5 BBs, 2 hits) struggled with his control in the bottom of the first. After issuing a walk to start the game, the Holbrook runner stole second and took third on a passed ball. Worwick struck out the second batter he faced, but followed that by giving up a single and two walks to the next three batters. By the time the third and final out was recorded, Holbrook had scored two runs to take the early 2-0 lead.

Quincy's Mike Jay (1-for-4, RBI) reached base on a single to start the top of the second, but Tom Power, Dan Richards and Pat Totten went down 1-2-3 to end the threat.

Worwick settled down in the second. After allowing his fourth walk to lead off the frame, Worwick retired the next three batters he faced including a strikeout to end the inning.

After an uneventful top of the third inning for Quincy Post, Worwick came out to pitch what would be his final inning. He got the first batter he faced to ground out to LeBel at shortstop for the first out of the inning, but he followed that by allowing a single, a walk and a hit batsman. Facing a bases loaded one-out jam, Worwick bore down and got a strikeout and a fly ball to center to quash the scoring threat.

Quincy, which had trouble manufacturing runs all evening against Holbrook starting pitcher Chris Doherty (7 1/3 innings, 2 runs, 3 Ks, 2 BBs, 9 hits),

Legion Baseball

went down in order in the top of the fourth.

In the bottom of the fourth, Quincy Post's manager, Dan Sweeney, pulled Worwick and replaced him with Alibrandi. After getting the first batter he faced to line out to second baseman Mike Jay (a spectacular diving catch), Alibrandi allowed the next three Holbrook batters to reach base on two walks sandwiched around a single.

For the second inning in a row, Quincy Post faced a bases loaded, one out situation. And for the second inning in a row Quincy escaped without allowing a run to score. Alibrandi fanned the first batter he faced with the bases loaded, and when Holbrook tried to score on a passed ball, catcher Kevin Bossart pounced on the loose ball and threw out the runner at home with Alibrandi covering the plate.

With their pitching creating and then escaping additional scoring threats, Quincy's offense was still struggling to pick up its pitchers. Third baseman Pat Totten led off the top of the fifth with a hard-fought at-bat, but he finally grounded out to first for the first out. Leadoff man, Mike Leone, drew a walk, but was thrown out on a bang-bang play trying to swipe second and LeBel grounded to third to end the inning.

Alibrandi walked the first batter of the fifth, but settled down to get the next three batters in a row, breathing life into a Quincy team that seemed to be waiting for a big hit to jump start its offense.

That big hit came courtesy of Bill Kiley. Kiley singled and stole second to start the top of the sixth. Steve Kussman followed Kiley with single and took second on the throw to the plate. With runners on second and third, Doherty got Bossart to pop to short, but Jay scored Kiley on a force out to second base. Power flew to left to end the inning, but the damage and the momentum had shifted to Quincy's

dugout.

Alibrandi shut the door on Holbrook in the bottom of the inning, and Quincy Post entered the final inning down 2-1. Sweeney, a first-year manager, pinch-hit Dan Richards with QHS star John Alexander, and the move paid off when Alexander singled.

Sweeney went to his bench once again, pinch-hitting Tom Connolly for Pat Totten, and that move paid dividends. Connolly, an imposing force at the plate, laid down a perfect sacrifice bunt, doing his job and moving Alexander into scoring position. After a Mike Leone groundout moved Alexander to third, Mike LeBel (2-for-4, 1 RBI) came through with a big two-out hit to tie the game at 2-2.

Holbrook had a chance against Alibrandi in the bottom of the seventh, putting runners on first and second with one out. But for the second time in three innings, Alibrandi escaped without allowing a run to score.

Alibrandi took his excitement of getting out of that seventh inning mess into the batter's box and singled leading off the eighth. After another perfect sacrifice by Kevin Bossart pushed him into scoring position, Mike Jay grounded out to second. Tommy Power drew the walk, and the Holbrook coach panicked and took out Doherty.

Alexander drew a four-pitch walk against the Holbrook relief pitcher, loading the bases for Conley. After another pitching change, Connolly also drew a walk on five pitches. It was not the home run the fans were hoping for, but it was the winning RBI nonetheless.

Alibrandi made things interesting in the bottom of the eighth, hitting the first two batters he faced, but after getting a fly ball to right for the first out, Holbrook ran into a loss. With runners at first and third, Holbrook sent the runner at first, but a short foul fly out to first resulted in a double-play and Quincy eked out the 3-2 win.

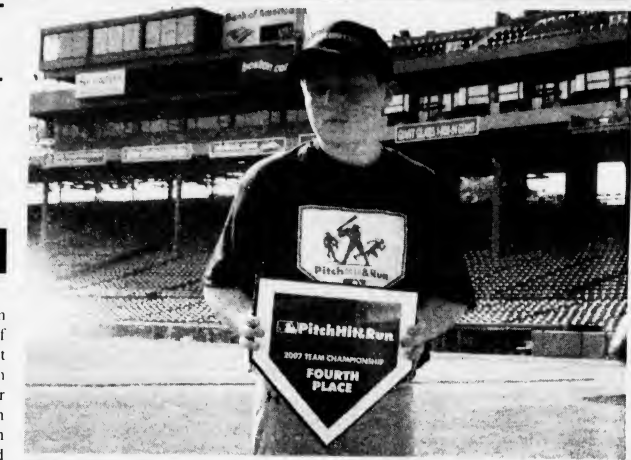
Girls' Soccer and Boys' Lacrosse Clinics

The Quincy Recreation Department and Recreation Director, Barry J. Welch announces that the QRD will be hosting a girls' soccer and boys' lacrosse clinic next week, June 25-29. Limited openings are still available.

The girls' soccer clinic will be held at Veterans' Memorial Stadium from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. The cost of

the program is \$70. Paul Bregoli, head girls' soccer coach at North Quincy High School, will run the clinic.

The boys' lacrosse clinic will also be held at Veterans' Memorial Stadium from 3 to 7 p.m. The cost of the program is \$70. Mark Nutley, head lacrosse coach at North Quincy High School, is the director of the clinic.



BRIAN JOYCE, 10, of Quincy competed in the semifinals of the Major League Baseball Pepsi Pitch, Hit and Run contest at Fenway Park last Saturday. Joyce won the pitching segment of the first round, co-hosted by Mini Fenway Park and Quincy Youth Baseball on May 12. Joyce then finished first among 40 other competitors on May 20 in Stoughton to earn his spot at Fenway. He finished in fourth place for all of New England.

Morrisette Defeats Weymouth For 3rd Win

By DOMENIC POLI

Morrisette Legion improved its record to 3-2-1 with a 9-7 victory over Weymouth on Monday.

Morrisette got things started in the bottom of the first inning as Kenny Carberry singled to right-center. After Joe Vialpando struck out swinging, third baseman Ricky Salvucci hit a ball that got booted by Weymouth shortstop Tony Luciani. Salvucci came around to score when the next batter, Morrisette shortstop John Orlando, smashed a double into the left-center field gap.

But, Weymouth delivered a strong counterpunch in the top of the second. First baseman Ryan Murphy led off the inning with a single to right. Pat MacDonald duplicated his teammate's hit the next at-bat with a soft single to right. Center fielder Justin DiConze made it three in a row with a rope up the middle, loading the bases. Weymouth scored its first run when Morrisette pitcher walked third baseman Jon Norris, bringing Murphy in from third.

Two more runs crossed the plate for Weymouth on an error by Orlando at short. On a grounder by second baseman Matt Kelly, Orlando tried to chuck the ball to third base to nail the lead runner. His throw was wide of the mark and the ball went sailing into

the Morrisette dugout. MacDonald and DiConze scored, as Kelly wound up at second.

But Weymouth was not done yet. It scored another two runs - Norris and Kelly - off the single into center by right fielder Tim Curran.

The bleeding finally stopped when pitcher Glen Misho got designated hitter Jon Smith and Luciani to ground out to third base and shortstop, respectively.

Weymouth would score one more in the third to make it 6-5.

Morrisette began to crawl back in the bottom of the third. Vialpando pulled a ball into left that landed just inches to the right of the foul line. The center fielder raced around first and glided into second to start the inning. Vialpando then reached third when a pitch blocked by catcher Peter Hogan deflected off to the side. Salvucci, the next batter, walked and Orlando singled, bringing home Vialpando. Pelletier then shot a single into left. After Connolly and Garland struck out swinging, catcher Matt Rodriguez drew a walk. Second baseman Alex Tragellis was hit by a pitch, scoring Orlando to tie the game 5-5.

Morrisette would tack on more runs the next inning. With one out, Salvucci punched a single into left. After Orlando flew to left for the second out, Morrisette got three straight hits. First,

Pelletier knocked a single to right-center. Connolly then sent a shot up the middle. Left fielder Joe Garland would make it a 9-4 game by clearing the bases with a triple to right that landed just inside the chalk.

The top of the fifth would provide some excitement for both teams.

After MacDonald flew out to center to start the inning, DiConze roped a double into the right-center gap. He would then move to third on a wild pitch by Misho. DiConze then walked and Kelly knocked a single between the third baseman and shortstop to load the bases.

Weymouth would record the inning's second out with heads-up defense. On a ground ball to third, Salvucci fired home to get the force out. Curran then sent a double into the gap to tie the game. The runs were overturned, however, with an appeal to first base.

Pelletier noticed from the dugout that Curran missed first when rounding the bag and signaled to head coach Ray Cattaneo to appeal. Pelletier's attention to detail saved his team the two crucial runs that led to the win.

Things got a little interesting in the last inning when Misho walked MacDonald to start the frame. Not wanting to take any chances, Cattaneo decided to switch pitchers. He took the ball

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MR. CHRIS BARRETT (left) presents the 2006 Steven V. Barrett Memorial Award to graduating senior captain Steve Connolly.



A QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL golfer plays a round this past spring with one of the new golf bags that were generously donated with the help of Mr. Chris Barrett. Golf tryouts begin August 28 at Furnace Brook Golf Course.

QHS Golfers To Get New Look

When the 2007 golf season get under way in the fall, the Quincy President golf team will sport twelve new Callaway Golf bags thanks to a generous donation from Mr. Chris Barrett.

Each year, Mr. Barrett hosts a fundraiser golf tournament in honor of the memory of his son Steven, who was a three-sport athlete at Quincy High School.

Steven's love of golf, he was captain of the QHS golf team, has been remembered each season with an award given annually in his name. A beautiful trophy and plaque recognizing the recipients of the Steven V. Barrett Award is prominently displayed in the Quincy High School Pride Room.

Last season, Mr. Barrett came up with the idea of

outfitting the golf team with new bags. He agreed to help with the cost of the new bags, and with additional help from the Quincy Public School Athletic Department, the monies needed became a reality.

Mr. Bob Keezer of Keezer Sports in Weymouth and head coach Lou Venturelli worked on the design of the bags and the 2006 team tried

out the bags in the final few matches of the season.

The QHS golf team is looking forward to an exciting 2007 season said Venturelli. Next fall's captains will be Kevin Shea, Mike LeBel and Ricky Salvucci. Incoming freshmen to QHS can try-out for the team by attending practice at 8 a.m. on August 27 at Furnace Brook Golf Course.

Morrisette Opens Season With A 2-2-1 Record

Morrisette Legion Post opened their 2007 season with a 19-1 loss to Milton on June 8.

**Morrisette Legion - 8
West Roxbury Legion - 8**

The team came back on June 11 and played West Roxbury to an 8-8 tie. The game was called due to darkness. Starting pitcher Glen Misho went seven innings, allowing 11 hits, and seven runs while striking out 11 batters.

The offense got going in the fifth inning when it scored six runs. John Orlando, Jonathon Pelletier and Steve Sullivan all reached on singles and Matt Rodriguez took a walk to drive in the first run.

His RBI walk was followed by consecutive RBI singles from Joe Lousarian and Joe Vialpando. Orlando knocked in two more runs with a two-run RBI single later in the frame.

In the seventh inning, Ricky Salvucci doubled, John Orlando knocked him with a RBI single and Jon Pelletier followed with a RBI double.

**Morrisette Legion - 2
Cohasset Legion - 1**

Starting pitcher Steve Connolly went seven innings, allowing one run on eight hits while striking out five batters as Morrisette earned their first victory of the year. With the win, Morrisette upped its overall record to 1-1-1.

The team got all the offense they would need in the first inning. Ricky Salvucci doubled and John Orlando walked. Jon Pelletier knocked them in with a RBI single.

Canton Legion - 1

Morrisette Legion - 0

Starting pitcher Jon Pelletier threw six innings of three-hit ball, striking out one while walking three and allowing only one run.

The offense could manage just three hits in the loss. Leadoff man Kenny Carberry reached base three times (single, HBP, and E4) and had a stolen base. With the tough-luck loss, Morrisette fell to 1-2-1.

**Morrisette Legion - 10
Stoughton Legion - 5**

Starting pitcher Joe Garland went four innings, allowing three hits and four runs. He struck out four batters and walked eight. Mike Joyce came on in relief and pitched two innings allowing just one run. The win gives Morrisette a 2-2-1 overall record.

Matt Rodriguez opened the third inning with a single and a stolen base and would come around to score on a wild pitch.

In the fifth inning, Kenny Carberry and Joe Vialpando singled and Steve Sullivan knocked in two runs with a double.

Alex Traggellis and Vialpando both contributed with RBIs.

Quincy Post 95 Starts Season 4-0

Quincy Legion Post 95 opened its 2007 season with an 8-4 victory over Stoughton Post 89.

Legion rookie Scott Worwick was the winning pitcher, striking out five and allowing six hits in six innings. The game was called because of darkness.

Mike LeBel finished the game with a double and a triple and six RBIs. Mike Leone went 1-for-2 with 2 RBIs. John Alexander and Mike Horgan both recorded one hit in the win.

**Quincy Post 95 - 3
Weymouth - 2**

Jared Kenney doubled and had two RBIs and Mike Leone added two hits and scored twice as Quincy defeated Weymouth 3-2 to run its record to 2-0 in District 6 East play. Leone's throw to the plate from right field ended the game and secured the win.

Mike Horgan went the

distance on the mound to earn the win. He struck out two, allowed six hits and two earned runs.

Tommy Power, John Alexander, Bill Kiley and Jay Lewis each had one hit.

**Quincy Post 95 - 3
Braintree - 2**

Jared Kenney pitched a complete game six-hitter with three strikeouts as Quincy Post 95 knocked off Braintree Post 86 3-2 to open their season at 3-0.

Mike LeBel had two doubles and scored a run and Bill Kiley singled and doubled.

Second baseman Jay Lewis played a stellar defensive game for Post 95.

**Quincy Post 95 - 12
Canton - 8**

Kyle Tobin pitched 2 1/3 innings of solid relief, striking out three, while allowing no runs and no hits as Quincy defeated Canton 12-8. With the win, Quincy upped its record to 4-0.

Mike LeBel had three hits, a stolen base and three runs scored, while Bill Kiley had two hits and scored three runs. Kevin Bossart chipped in with two hits and a stolen base.

John Alexander pitched the first 4 2/3 innings allowing six hits and eight runs.

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from Misho and Connolly moved from first to take his place. In the switch, Cattaneo replaced Connolly with Pelletier at first base.

MacDonald then stole second and DiConze shot a

single to left. Weymouth then played a bit of small ball as Norris sacrificed DiConze to second. After striking out Kelly, Connolly got Hogan to hit a soft grounder to shortstop. Orlando charged the ball and threw to first on

the run to wrap up the win. It was a win Cattaneo was pleased to put in the 'W' column.

"Weymouth is always tough," he said. "They're always a good team. They hit the ball. They really hit the

ball and you got to play tough with them. You can't give them any runs. We gave them a few and that kept them in the ballgame."

Morrisette's next game is a matchup against Braintree at Adams Field at 8 p.m. on Friday.

Squantum 5 Road Race June 28

The Seventh Annual Squantum 5 Road Race to benefit the Dana Farber Marathon Challenge will take place on June 28 at 6:45 p.m. beginning at WaterWorks, Marina Bay.

This 5-mile race starts and finishes at WaterWorks, going from Marina Bay, along Dorchester Bay, Quincy Bay, and back to Marina Bay. The course is flat (except for the third mile) and is USATF certified.

There is a \$15 pre-registration fee, check payable to "Squantum 5 Road Race," P.O. Box 7316, Quincy, MA 02169. There is a \$20 post-registration fee for anyone who wants to sign up and run on the day of the race.

The first 300 runners to register will receive race t-shirts and all runners will have their times calculated by Splitter Race Systems.

Prizes will be awarded to the top performers in the various age groups, the top Quincy residents, DFC alumnus and BC High alumnus.

Presidents Golf Course Hosts Father-Son Tournament

On June 17, Presidents Golf Course hosted a Father-Son par-70 golf tournament.

The following are the results of the tournament:

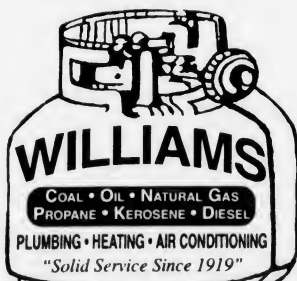
The team of Joe and Mike Mulkerrins finished in 1st Gross with a round of 72.

Rich and Kevin O'Brien took 2nd Gross with a round of 76.

Tom and Paul Murphy

finished in 1st Net with a score of 61. Ed and Mark Welch took 2nd Net with a round of 62 and Joe and Brian MacIsaac scored a round of 63 to finish in 3rd Net.

The Mulkerrins will represent Presidents Golf Course at the MGA Father-Son Tournament at Andover Country Club on August 30.



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King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- Computer acronym
 - Roe provider
 - Admitting air
 - Lawyer's org.
 - Lyricist's subject
 - Humdinger
 - Hat maker
 - Handle
 - Pack of cards
 - Zoo structures
 - Enthusiast, and then some
 - Centrifuge insert
 - Protuberance
 - Easy chair
 - Work with
 - Spot on TV?
 - Commotion
 - "Ich bin ein —"
 - Goblet feature
 - Coop collection
 - Down East
 - Toes' woes
- DOWN**
- Aries
 - Sapporo sash
 - Seasickness
 - Glossy
 - Gridlock noise
 - "Hail, Caesar!"
 - Aachen article
 - Acid neutralizer
 - Freud cohort
 - Shaving-cream additive
 - Picasso contemporary
 - Settled down
 - Youngman joke
 - Stereo set
 - Jack Benny interjection
 - Shock partner
 - Yule refrain
 - Oodles
 - Guided
 - Abrades
 - Bound
 - Ump's announcement
 - Blooper
 - Stratagem
 - Irritates
 - Torte topper
 - Pugilists' arena
 - Countrywide
 - Paradise
 - Applan Way terminus
 - Pen pals?
 - Soup legume
 - Rani's garment
 - Factories
 - Songwriter
 - Sammy
 - Medley
 - Abundant
 - Dissolve
 - Pussycat's partner
 - Ultra-modernist
 - Mate of 1-Down
 - Roulette bet

The Garden Bug

Ponder these ponds

A farm pond is large in size, has an earthen bottom and is stocked with bass, bluegill, catfish, trout, etc. for fishing. A garden pond is small enough for a typical backyard. Lined with plastic, it houses aquatic plants and goldfish.

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MAGIC MAZE — GROVE

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L K I H G L D C M E G N A R O

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions — forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Apple	Eagle	Lemon	Orange
Ash	Eik	Maple	Pleasant
Cedar	Forest	Oak	Walnut
Cherry	Garden	Olive	

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- ANIMAL KINGDOM:** What is the scientific name for an ant nest?
- ASTRONOMY:** Titania and Oberon are the two largest satellites circling which planet in our solar system?
- GAMES:** What is the color of the square for St. James Place in the game "Monopoly"?
- LANGUAGE:** What does the Greek word "platypus" mean?
- MEDICINE:** If you have a high level of low-density lipoprotein, medically speaking what do you have?
- GEOGRAPHY:** The island nation of Madagascar lies off the coast of which continent?
- INVENTIONS:** Who invented the modern ball-point pen?
- MEASUREMENTS:** How many gallons are contained in a firkin, often used to store beer?
- LEGENDS:** Where did the outlaw Robin Hood live?
- MOVIES:** What was the name of the women's baseball team in "A League of Their Own"?

Answers

- Formicary
- Uranus
- Orange
- Flat-footed
- Too much LDL, or bad cholesterol
- Africa
- Laszlo Biro
- 9 gallons
- Sherwood Forest
- Rockford Peaches

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King-Crossword Answers

ACROSS: 1. COMPU, 2. ROE, 3. AIR, 4. LAWYER, 5. LYRICIST, 6. HUMDINGER, 7. HAT, 8. HANDLE, 9. PACK, 10. ZOO, 11. ENTHUSIAST, 12. CENTRIFUGE, 13. PROTUBERANCE, 14. EASY, 15. WORK, 16. SPOT, 17. COMMOTION, 18. ICH, 19. GOBLET, 20. COOP, 21. DOWN, 22. TOES. DOWN: 1. ARIES, 2. SAPPORO, 3. SEASICKNESS, 4. GLOSSY, 5. GRIDLOCK, 6. HAIL, 7. AACHEN, 8. ACID, 9. FREUD, 10. SHAVING-CREAM, 11. PICASSO, 12. SETTLED, 13. YOUNGMAN, 14. STEREO, 15. JACK BENNY, 16. SHOCK, 17. YULE, 18. OODLES, 19. GUIDED, 20. ABRADES, 21. BOUND, 22. UMP, 23. BLOOPER, 24. STRATAGEM, 25. IRRITATES, 26. TORTE, 27. PUGILISTS, 28. COUNTRYWIDE, 29. PARADISE, 30. APPLAN, 31. PEN, 32. SOUP, 33. RANI, 34. FACTORIES, 35. SONGWRITER, 36. SAMMY, 37. MEDLEY, 38. ABUNDANT, 39. DISSOLVE, 40. PUSSYCAT, 41. ULTRA, 42. MODERNIST, 43. MATE, 44. DOWN, 45. ROULETTE.

Solution time: 27 mins.

Magic Maze Answers

1. FORMICARY, 2. URANUS, 3. ORANGE, 4. FLAT-FOOTED, 5. TOO MUCH LDL, OR BAD CHOLESTEROL, 6. AFRICA, 7. LASZLO BIRO, 8. 9 GALLONS, 9. SHERWOOD FOREST, 10. ROCKFORD PEACHES.

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Recently obtained information could open a new opportunity for a career change. But temper that Arian impatience and act on it only when all the facts are made available.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're moving into a more active cycle. So put your ideas back on the table, where they'll be given the attention they deserve. Expect a favorable change in your love life.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A friend might ask for a favor that you feel would compromise your values. Best advice: Confront him or her and explain why you must say no. A true friend will understand.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A relationship continues to develop along positive lines. Meanwhile, a brewing job situation could create complications for one of your pet projects. Look into it right away.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Your interest in a co-worker's project could lead to a profitable experience for you both. But before you agree to anything, be sure to get all your legal I's dotted and T's crossed.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Be careful whose counsel you take about a possible long-distance move. Some advice might not necessarily be in your best interest. Stay focused on your goals.

LIBRA (September 23 to

October 22) Someone might try to complicate efforts in an attempt to work out that confusing job situation. But don't let that keep you from sticking with your decision to push for a resolution.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A disagreement on how to handle a family problem could create more trouble for all concerned. Look for ways to cool things down before they boil over.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) An unexpected change in long-standing workplace procedure and policy could provide a new career target for the Archer to aim at. Start making inquiries.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You're finally able to get back into the swing of things, as those temporary doldrums begin to lift. Expect some surprising disclosures from a new colleague.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Rely on your innate sense of justice to see you through a dilemma involving a family member. Other relatives who've stood back will soon come forward as well.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A new friend seems to be pushing you into taking risks — financial or otherwise. Best advice: Don't do it. She or he might have a hidden agenda that hasn't surfaced yet.

BORN THIS WEEK: You love to see new places and meet new people. Have you considered working for an airline or cruise-ship company?

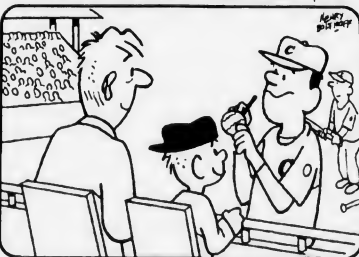
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIKOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Hat is missing. 2. Railing is different. 3. Player's pants are longer. 4. Crowd is larger. 5. Ball stitching is different. 6. Neckline is changed.

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OBITUARIES

David I. Fall, 80
Retired Longshoreman

A funeral Mass for David I. Fall, 80, of Quincy, a retired longshoreman, was celebrated June 14 at St. Agatha Church, Milton.

Mr. Fall died June 10 at Quincy Medical Center.

He worked at Seal and Shipping in South Boston for 29 years. He was a member of the Boston Shipping Association.

Mr. Fall was an Army Air Forces veteran of World War II, serving with the 3705th Army Air Force Base Unit.

Born and raised in Boston, he lived in Quincy for 52 years.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy (Osborne) Fall; a daughter, Nora Reardon of Quincy; a son, Wayne Jansen of Braintree; two sisters,



DAVID I. FALL

Mary Spencer of Wellfleet and Theresa Fall of Monson; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home, Milton.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice.

James 'Lem' Dowell III, 47

Cook, Function Coordinator

A funeral Mass for James "Lem" Dowell III, 47, of Englewood, Fla., formerly of Quincy, Marshfield and Middleboro, was celebrated Monday at Sacred Heart Church in Middleboro.

Mr. Dowell died June 12 at Veterans Administration Hospital in St. Petersburg, Fla., after a long illness.

He owned and operated Alfie's Restaurant in Middleboro for three years. He was born in Quincy and graduated from Marshfield High School in 1978. He lived in Englewood for the past seven years.

Mr. Dowell served in the Navy from 1942 to 1988.

He was also a cook and

bartender. He enjoyed working in his yard, cooking, karaoke and the ocean.

He is survived by his companion, Glenn Whisner of Englewood; two brothers, Daniel Dowell and Bennett M. Dowell of Henderson, Tenn.; three sisters, Tina Ascio of Taunton, Michelle Harrington of Plymouth and Theresa Selmon of Merritt Island, Fla.; and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Burial was in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by Ashley Funeral Home, Middleboro.

Giovanna L. Balducci, 93

Bookkeeper for General Dynamics

A funeral Mass for Giovanna L. "Gianna" (Biagini) Balducci, 93, of Quincy, a retired bookkeeper, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. in Saint John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy.

Mrs. Balducci died June 15 at the Marlborough Hospital in Marlborough after a brief illness.

Born in Massignano, Italy, she came to the United States as a child. Raised and educated in Quincy schools, she was a lifelong Quincy resident.

She was employed as a bookkeeper for over 20 years for General Dynamics at the former Fore River Shipyard in Quincy. She had been retired for many years.

Mrs. Balducci also worked for the City of Quincy Election Office at the voting polls for many years.

Wife of the late Amedeo "Tede" Balducci, she is survived by a daughter, Sandra I. Carter of Marlborough; a



GIOVANNA L. BALDUCCI

sister, Mabel R. Biagini of Quincy; seven grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Janice M. Caruso.

Burial will be in Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701-4688.

Cliff Stading, 87

Clerk, World War II Navy Veteran

A funeral service for Cliff Stading, 87, of Dodge City, Kansas, formerly of Quincy, was held June 15 at Grace Community Church, Dodge City.

Mr. Stading died June 8 at home.

Born in Berlin, N.H., he lived in Quincy for a brief time.

He served in the Navy during World War II, enlisting in January 1942. He was a shipfitter third class and was assigned to the attack transport Guilford APA-112. He participated in the Japan Occupation Force and was honorably discharged in December 1945.

After military service, Mr. Stading attended Suffolk University in Boston.

He worked for Whitney Hardware and Sporting Goods Co. and lived in Denver, and Rapid City, S.D.

He later moved to California where he earned his general contractor's license and worked in the building

industry and home inspection business for several years.

Mr. Stading also worked as a clerk in the paint department at a Wal-Mart in Dodge City.

He attended Grace Community Church and was a member of Howard Gotschall Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1714 in Dodge City.

He is survived by his wife, Caren (Nicholson) Stading; his former wife, Mabelle (Cameron) Stading; five sons, Everett Stading of Aurora, Colo., Lester Stading of Lorton, Va., Gary Stading of Minneapolis, Dennis Stading of Rapid City, and Stan Stading of Nixa, Mo.; five stepchildren; 24 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Kansas Veterans Cemetery, Fort Dodge, Kan.

Funeral arrangements were made by Swaim Funeral Home, Dodge City.

Richard J. McCormick, 58

City Of Boston Employee

A funeral Mass for Richard J. McCormick, 58, of Quincy, was celebrated June 15 at St. Ann's Church, 757 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mr. McCormick died June 12 at Brockton Veterans Administration Hospital.

He worked for the city of Boston for many years.

Born in Boston, he was a lifelong Quincy resident. He was a 1969 graduate of North Quincy High School.

He served in the Army from 1969 to 1971.

Mr. McCormick was a longtime member of the American Legion Nickerson Post 382 and Disabled

American Veterans in North Quincy.

He is survived by a sister, Eileen MacLeod of Pocasset; his companion of many years, Mary Ellen Walsh of Milton; a niece and four nephews.

Burial will be in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Veterans Homeless Shelter, 17 Court St., Boston, MA 02108 or to the St. Jude's Childrens Research, P.O. Box 50, Memphis, TN 38105.

Barbara A. Robinson, 73

Homemaker

Private funeral services were held for Barbara A. (Darragh) Robinson, 73, of Quincy, a homemaker, of Quincy. Mrs. Robinson died June 14 at Radius Specialty Hospital in Quincy after a brief illness.

Born and raised in Roxbury, she graduated from Roxbury High School.

She lived many years in Quincy.

She enjoyed playing bingo.

Wife of the late Robert John M. Robinson, Jr., she is survived by three sons, Christopher A. Robinson and Craig M. Robinson of Quincy and Bruce R. Robinson of Fall River; a daughter, Jodi A. Robinson of Quincy; and a grandson.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

James F. Foley, 71

A funeral Mass for James F. Foley, 71, of Malden, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Tuesday at St. Mary's Church, Melrose.

Mr. Foley died June 15 at Town & Country Nursing Center of Lowell.

He was a Navy veteran and served during the Korean War.

He was a sales representative with Market Forge of Everett for many years.

Mr. Foley enjoyed watch-

ing Red Sox baseball games. Born in Boston, he was raised in Jamaica Plain. He lived 30 years in Quincy before moving to Maplewood Assisting Living in Malden.

He is survived by a niece, Mary Foley of Melrose; a nephew, Joseph Foley of Lawrence; and a grandniece.

Burial was in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Stoneham.

Funeral arrangements were made by Gately Funeral Home, Melrose.

Jeanette Goldstein-Tappan

A graveside service for Jeanette Goldstein-Tappan of Quincy, formerly of Randolph, was held June 13 at Sharon Memorial Park, Sharon.

Mrs. Goldstein-Tappan died June 10 after a brief illness.

Wife of the late Charles Goldstein, she is survived by

four daughters, Laura Nelson, Susan Duquette, Deborah Wilke and Lisa Bishop; three sisters, Sylvia Porter, Francine Brooks and Dorothy Johnson; nine grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were made by Goldman Funeral Home, Malden.

DON MCCARTHY
Managing Director**A THOUGHT
FOR THE WEEK**

An eighteenth-century German philosopher, Johann Schiller, once stated, "He who neglects the present moment throws away all he has." Too often we live today with our minds so tied to our tomorrows... and even yesterdays... that we fail to enjoy the present. We say, "It was easier when the children were little." Or we say, "Everything will be better, once the children are grown, or I get that raise, or pay off the mortgage." But as Daphne de Maurier reminds us in "The Scapgoat," "The future begins today."

This thought reminds me of the story of a woman who was being urged by a friend to obtain her family history so she could become a member of a particular organization. She thanked her friend and said, "It's important to know who your ancestors are, and I'm proud of mine. But I'm too busy now trying to be a good ancestor for my grandchildren. I think I'll wait!"

The only time we have is the present. We need to adjust to this fact and learn to live, making the best of the time, and thanking God. This makes each today worthwhile...

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OBITUARIES

Holly A. Sullivan, 37 Home Health Aide

A funeral Mass for Holly A. Sullivan, 37, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, a self-employed home health aide, will be celebrated Friday at 10 a.m. in the Most Blessed Sacrament Church of the Holy Trinity Parish, Sea St., Quincy.

Miss Sullivan died June 11 at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston after a long illness.

She was born, raised and educated in Quincy.

She is survived by her children, Jared and Jack Sullivan; her mother, Maureen A. (Lewis) Sullivan of Quincy; a brother, John J. Sullivan of Quincy; two sisters, Michele Loud of Quincy and Kristen Dunlea of East Bridgewater; her companion, John Senna of Weymouth; and several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.



HOLLY A. SULLIVAN

She was the daughter of the late John J. Sullivan.

Visiting hours are today (Thursday) from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Deware Funeral Home, 576 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to her children, Jared and Jack at Bank of America, 440 Hancock St., Quincy, MA 02171 c/o The Jared Monteiro Sullivan Fund.

Rita Ann Touma, 85

Bookkeeper

A funeral Mass for Rita Ann (O'Brien) Touma, 85, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, a bookkeeper, will be celebrated Friday at 10 a.m. at Saint Ann's Church, Hancock St., Wollaston.

Mrs. Touma died Tuesday at home.

Born in Boston, she grew up in Dorchester and South Boston.

She worked as a bookkeeper for the Bonds Store Inc. for 15 years.

She married Joseph Touma and raised her family in Quincy.

Mrs. Touma enjoyed shopping, knitting, cooking and reading.

She was an active member of the Legion of St. Mary at St. Ann's Church in Wollaston for many years.

She is survived by her husband, Joseph Touma of Quincy; two sons, Michael Touma of New York and



RITA ANN TOUMA

Stephen T. Touma of Quincy; two daughters, Donna Reilly of Quincy and Susan Touma of Saugus; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Visiting hours are today (Thursday) from 4 to 8 p.m. at Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Burial will be in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne.

Memorial donations may be made to Old Colony Hospice, 1 Credit Union Way, Randolph, MA 02368.

Jacqueline B. Leipprandt, 81

Retired Nurse

Private services were held for Jacqueline (Buerker) Leipprandt, 81, of Quincy, formerly of Vero Beach, Fla., a retired nurse. She died Sunday at the Hancock Park Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Quincy.

Born in Bad Ax, Michigan, she was raised in Pigeon, Michigan. She was a graduate of Pigeon High School and the Harper Hospital School of Nursing in Detroit.

Mrs. Leipprandt lived in Lansing, Michigan, for many years where she worked as a nurse. In her retirement, she and her husband, Leonard W. "Bill" Leipprandt, Jr., moved to Vero Beach, Fla. where they lived until moving to

Quincy several months ago. In Vero Beach, she was active as a hospice volunteer and as a member of the Asbury United Methodist Church.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Patricia Leipprandt of Milton; a grandson and a granddaughter.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Dennis Sweeney Funeral Home, 74 Elm St., Quincy.

COA In Need Of Bath Seats

The Council on Aging is in urgent need for bath seats for senior citizens.

To donate, call the COA at 617-376-1245.

Dog Training Classes At Union Congregational Church



OBEEDIENCE CLASSES for dogs, such as those shown above, have been scheduled for spring and fall at Union Congregational Church, Wollaston. Registration is open now.

Summer dog training classes have been scheduled at Union Congregational Church, 136 Rawson Road, Wollaston.

Both Level 1 and Level 2 classes will be offered and will be held on Wednesday evenings once a week for five weeks at a cost of \$110. Contact 617-789-3647 for additional information.

Level 1 classes, "Good Manners for Beginners" teaches the dog such basic commands as "Sit, Stay, Come, Down, Heel," and "Drop it." This class also teaches owners how to solve basic problems like jumping and chewing as well as offering playtime for the dogs.

Level 2 classes, "Obedience with Distractions," teaches the dog to do such things as staying in place or responding to a

command while there are distractions. In addition during this class, the owner will stand further and further away from the dog while issuing commands and use less and less leash control.

There will also be agility training for the dog in this class.

The spring/summer dates are all on Wednesday evenings: May 30 at 6 p.m., "Obedience with

Distractions," May 30 at 7 p.m., "Beginners," July 11 at 6 p.m., "Beginners" and July 11 at 7 p.m., "Dog Agility plus Obedience Training," and Sept. 5 at 6 p.m., "Beginners."

ENC Students Work To Save Periled Species In Blue Hills

Biology students at Eastern Nazarene College (ENC) are spending their Tuesdays and Fridays this spring searching for "vernal pools" to protect in the Blue Hills Reservation.

A vernal pool is described as a basin-like depression that contains water part of the year and dry the rest and is essential for the breeding of several types of amphibians.

They receive some protection under the Massachusetts

Wetlands Act but encroaching development often destroys the environment surrounding the pools.

The ENC students have partnered with the Reservation to complete the certification process to bring the pools under the State Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP).

"In our area, the amphibians include wood frogs, spotted salamanders, blue spotted salamanders and marbled salamanders," said

Jonathan Twining, associate professor of biology at ENC.

"All of these species are obligate vernal pool species, meaning they must have a vernal pool for all or some portion of their life cycles. Fairy shrimp are also considered to be an obligate vernal pool species."

The project began with an e-mail plea from the Friends of the Blue Hills in early March that the Department of Conservation and Recreation needed assistance in certifying the vernal pools.

To Twining, it looked like just the right hands-on project for the students.

"They have been counting and photographing amphibian egg masses, documenting the presence or absence of fairy shrimp, mea-

suring the depths of the pools and recording the types of vegetation around the pools," he said.

Twining and the students are working closely with Park Rangers David Foley and Maqui Brown.

"Potential vernal pools must be located on maps and their presence verified by ground surveys. The presence of breeding vernal pool species must be documented."

Presence of breedings, says Twining, "might include the churning of tripe, the presence of egg masses, or the presence of tadpoles."

Maps will then be prepared to show the exact location of each pool and the attached certification form will be completed and sent to the NHESP with all supporting documentation.

Russell O'Connell Honored At Marriott Hotel Reception

Friends recently saluted Russell E. O'Connell, Quincy's first Executive Director of the city's Community Action Program (CAP), at a reception held in the Liberty Room of the Marriott Hotel.

When O'Connell was appointed, CAP headquarters operated out of a storefront in West Quincy and served south and West Quincy.

Under O'Connell's leadership, CAP offered training and education programs for single mothers. The group was involved in the building of the Lincoln-Hancock School and instrumental in having a pool located there, according to

Earle P. McLeod who worked for O'Connell at the time.

McLeod also credits O'Connell with initiating some of the first senior programs and with helping the Head Start and Neighborhood Youth Programs when they began in Quincy. After leaving Quincy CAP, McLeod served as the state's Commissioner of Rehabilitation for five years. He now lives in New York.

McLeod's successor was Rosemary Wahlburg, who also expanded CAP's Headstart Program on site by hiring teachers and arranging for transportation. The programs have since expanded to a \$19 million operation.

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Vacation Bible School At Fort Square Church

Fort Square Presbyterian Church, 16 Pleasant St., Quincy, announces it will hold Vacation Bible School for preschool to students who have completed fifth grade June 25-29 from 6 to

8:30 p.m.

Free supper will be offered at 5:15 p.m. Pre-registration will take place Saturday, June 23 at 10 a.m.

Adult Bible Study and English as a Second Language classes are also offered each evening.

For more information, call 617-471-6806.

First Baptist Church Children Activities

First Baptist Church of Wollaston will host two opportunities for young people in the Quincy area this summer.

The Harmony Youth Chorus will be held July 9-13 from 9 a.m. until noon.

Boys and girls of all faiths and cultures who have completed grades 1-7 may register. Cost is \$25 per child or

\$50 per family.

Charles Dillingham from the Brantree Public School's music department will direct the chorus.

A second program, called "Tiny Treasures," will be held Aug. 6-10 from 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. The workshop will be directed by Jan Burton. Boys and girls ages 9-13 may register. Cost per

child is \$20. The group is limited so register early.

Each participant will assemble one end of a castle great hall to create either a storybook room or a wizard's room, making a table, benches, wall hangings and other castle items.

To register or for more information, call the church office at 617-472-0824.

Squantum Christian Fellowship Bible Activities

Squantum Christian Fellowship invites children to its "Avalanche Ranch: A Wild Ride Through God's Word" July 16-20 at the Squantum School from 9 a.m. to noon.

"This year, our church is a stampede of excitement," says Pastor Mike Fehan. "Our Avalanche Ranch program will provide fun and memorable Bible activities

for kids ages 3-11.

"Each day, they will sing catchy songs, act out a Bible story, enjoy some horseplay, down Chuck Wagon chow, and make a variety of cow-poke crafts. Kids will also collect Memory Buddies daily, and make teddy bears for orphans in needy lands."

Pastor Fehan said the activities are exciting way for

kids to learn more about God's love. "Each day at Showtime Roundup, parents can see a slide show of the kids' activities. We hope this adventure will get everyone wild about God!"

For more information, call Helen at 617-328-8771, or visit www.squantumcf.org for a video clip and registration form.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Worship and One Room Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Scholarships will be awarded.

Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "Grace to the Humble."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers. Following the worship

service there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

All are welcome.

The church is handicapped accessible.

Mite Thrift Shop Closes For Summer June 29

The Mite Box Thrift Shop at St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church, 1 Linden St., Quincy, will close for the summer Friday, June 29.

The shop will hold its annual "End of the Season" sale Wednesday, June 27 through Friday, June 29, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. All items are dis-

counted.

The shop is located at 1 Linden St. at the corner of Hancock Street in the Wollaston section of Quincy.

First Church Of Squantum

A men's breakfast will be held Saturday, June 23 at 8 a.m. at the First Church of Squantum, 164 Bellevue Rd., Squantum.

The Fiber Arts group will

continue to meet throughout the summer on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. on the main floor of the church.

The Book Club meets July 3 at 7 p.m. in the church

parlor. The book being discussed is *Pride and Prejudice*.

All who have an interest are invited to attend the groups.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship at 10:30 a.m.

The Adult Bible class be-

ings at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan J. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service. Lector will be Norman Guivens. Ushers are Peg and Wayne McCulley.

Coffee hour hosts are Ann Giger, Florence Hunter and Shirley Poore.

All are welcome. The church is handicapped accessible.

Vets Adviser At COA Office

John D. Miller of Home Care Partners, will be at the

Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St., each Wednesday.

day to advise veterans or their surviving spouses of their in-home care benefits.

To schedule an appointment, call the Council on Aging at 617-376-1506.

COA Seeking Wheelchairs

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Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Catholic	Congregational	Congregational
Sacred Heart Church "A Roman Catholic Community, walking together in Faith, Worship, Education and Service" 386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171 (617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4pm (Sat.) 7:45am, 9am (Family Liturgy) 10:30am (with Choir) and 5pm 12 noon at Star of Sea Church Weekday Masses Mon-Fri 7am and 9am, Sat 9am Handicapped Accessible Confessions Sat 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory	HOUGH'S NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 310 Manet Ave., Quincy www.hncong.org Sunday, June 24 Worship Service 9:30 am 'You Belong' - Galatians 3: 23-29 The Ten Commandments 'Have No Graven Images' Sunday School 9:30 AM Rev. John Casticum 617-479-8778	WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 48 Winthrop Ave. • 617-773-7432 Pastor: Rev. Mary Lou Gifford 10 a.m. Worship Service SUNDAY, JUNE 24 Sermon Title: 'How Do We Pray?' Rev. Mary Louise Gifford, preaching
St. Joseph's Church 550 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 617-472-6321 SUNDAY MASSES: 4 p.m. (On Saturday) 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5 p.m. Weekday Masses 9am CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 3:00-3:30 pm Handicapped accessible & Handicapped parking, side entrance air conditioned	BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Spear & Coddington Streets Quincy Center, 617-479-7300 10 a.m. SUNDAY WORSHIP and One Room Sunday School Scholarships To Be Awarded Rev. William C. Harding Sermon: 'Grace To The Humble' ALL ARE WELCOME Child Care Available Fellowship Time in Allen Parlor Following Worship Service	UNION CHURCH Beach St. & Rawson Rd., Wollaston (617) 479-6661 Sunday Worship Service 10 AM Rev. John Swanson, Pastor
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST 44 School St., Quincy 617-773-1021 Weekend Mass Schedule Saturday (Vigil Mass) 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. (Family Liturgy) Weekday Masses Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Handicapped Accessible	Christian Science First Church of Christ, Scientist 10:30 AM Sunday Service & Sunday School 7:30 PM Wednesday Evening Meeting 20 Greenleaf Street Quincy off Hancock St. 617-472-9055	Covenant COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Corner of Whitwell & Granite St. Sunday Worship 10:00 AM Rev. Karen Palmatier, Pastor Child Care Available - All Are Welcome Vacation Bible School - August 13-17 Children's Pantry Wed., Thur. 9:30 am - 12 noon 617-479-5728
Saint Ann's Church 757 Hancock St., Wollaston • 617-479-5400 Pastor: Rev. John J. Ronaghan Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:30AM Daily Masses: 9:00 AM Handicapped Chairlift Available	Wollaston Church of the Nazarene 37 E. Elm Ave., Wollaston (617) 472-5669 On The Campus Of Eastern Nazarene College Pastor: Rev. Fred. Fullerton Sunday Services 8:30 am - Holy Communion 9:45 am - Adult & Children's Sunday School 11 a.m. - Blended Worship Service Come Worship with Us!	Episcopal St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church Corner of Hancock & Linden Sts., Quincy (617) 472-0737 • www.stchrysostom.com Rev. David Heffling Sunday Eucharist 10 a.m. Wednesday Eucharist 8:30 a.m. Nursery Care during Service Coffee Hour Following ALL WELCOME
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		Methodist QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1422AD

In the Estate of ROBERT G. HESSION Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death May 19, 2005

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that KATIE A. ADELSTEIN of EAST GREENWICH in the State of RHODE ISLAND or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 25, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 14, 2007.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1015EP

In the Estate of ROBERT A. DRISCOLL JR. Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death March 14, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that ROBERT A. DRISCOLL III of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 18, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 5, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1227GI

In the Matter OF RUTH WILLIAMS-REIDY OF NORTH QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN
To RUTH WILLIAMS-REIDY OF NORTH QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK, her spouse, and heirs apparent or presumptive, a petition has been filed in the above captioned matter alleging that said RUTH WILLIAMS-REIDY OF NORTH QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK is a mentally ill person and praying that RUTHANN BOYD of MASHPEE in the County of BARNSTABLE or some other suitable person be appointed guardian, to serve with corporate surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 13, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 30, 2007.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1382EP

In the Estate of WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death February 20, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that MARILYN D'ANGELO of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 25, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 11, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1250AD

In the Estate of ANN F. NAGLE Late of QUINCY In the County of NORFOLK Date of Death April 22, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR
To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that DAVID P. NAGLE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 11, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 30, 2007.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Department Norfolk Division
Docket No. 02P1669EP

Notice of Fiduciary's Account
To the persons interested in the estate of Assunta Florenzalate of Quincy in the County of Norfolk:

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the final account(s) of Angelina DiCesare and Fulvio DiRocco as co-executors (the fiduciary) of said estate has been presented to this Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account(s), you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Canton on or before the 27th day of July, 2007.

The return day of this citation you may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney of the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account(s). If you desire to object to any item of said account(s), you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

WITNESS, DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, FIRST JUSTICE of said Court at Canton this 17th day of May, 2007.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JULY 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169.** On the application of Halit Cademir for a Variance to reconfigure the existing two units and add two additional units for a total of four units in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.16 (use regulations), and Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 625-627 WILLARD STREET, QUINCY.

6/21, 6/28/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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6/21, 6/28/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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6/21, 6/28/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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6/21, 6/28/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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The parcel of land is located at 50 Quincy Avenue and is shown as Lot 29 on Assessors' plan 2092.

6/21, 6/28/07 Martin Aikens, Chairman

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The parcel of land is located at 30 High School Avenue and is shown as Lot 11 on Assessors' plan 2092.

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A Hot Dog Stand In Front Of City Hall?

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO

A hot dog stand in front of City Hall?

That's what the License Board heard at Tuesday's meeting.

Scott Palmer wants to open a mobile concession hopefully in front of City Hall Plaza featuring "New England's Original Franks To Go."

The cart, which Palmer said weighs 600 pounds is painted in red, white and blue with an American flag to "blend in with the City of Presidents." He said the cart is equipped with steam tables, and a sink.

Palmer said he took the mobile cart to the Flag Day Parade and parked it near the parking area at Veteran's

Memorial Stadium and said he was "pleased with the outcome." He said it was sort of an "old fashioned idea" and one he hopes will work.

He told the board that if he couldn't park it at City Hall, then maybe other areas in the city mentioning the Court House parking lot.

Capt. John Duggan, sitting in for Police Chief Robert Crowley said he was afraid other vendors would be "calling city hall" when they find out there is a stand out there.

Health Commissioner Drew Scheele said "It's a nice idea," but he was also afraid he would be "flooded with calls." And said if one license is issued, then others

would want one as well. He said usually vendors take their mobile carts anywhere there is an event, but only stay temporarily.

Chairman Joseph Shea said vendors usually attend football games and other events, and that persons may complain that vendors do not have to pay taxes.

Palmer, who has owned restaurants in the past, said he didn't think he'd be in competition with any area eateries, because he cannot function in the rain or snow as they can.

The board said they will send Palmer's concept to the city solicitor and report back at the July 10 board meeting.

Seek Medical Gear To Loan

The Council on Aging is seeking donations of medical equipment that is no longer needed by the current owner but can be loaned to

someone else.

The present highest priority is given to bath transfer seats. Call the Council at 617-376-1506.

Teachers Vote Today On New Contract

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level," Phillips said of this protective clause. As for the strike, he said, "It was something we felt had to be."

However, the \$150,000 fine leveled against the union by Judge Thomas Connors in Norfolk Superior Court will likely stand.

As for the contract, Phillips said some members will benefit; some will be hurt.

"Some of my members will be taking a pay cut. Some will do pretty well," Phillips said, noting those teachers on an individual plan, rather than family plans, will benefit. The union bargaining committee attempted to adjust to the insurance premium hike "in a way that would not hurt too many of us."

"The newer teachers are more often in an individual health insurance plan," Phillips said. "My biggest worry is when they will have to go on a family plan."

At this time, teachers can choose between the more expensive PPO (Preferred Provider Option) or the HMO (Health Maintenance Option), according to Phillips who said, "Families on the PPO tend to be people who

have health issues."

The city is trying to cut down or eliminate the PPO, according to Phillips who estimated that teachers on family plans will pay an additional \$2000 a year and individuals will pay \$800 more a year plus the insurance company's rate increases.

If approved, the new contract will work "best of all for the people who don't take (insurance)," Phillips said.

The QEA voted to strike June 7 and did not report to their classrooms for the four school days from June 8 through June 13. During that period, teachers picketed City Hall and the city's schools.

During the strike and for months prior to the strike, teachers and Mayor William Phelan engaged in contentious debate through the media.

Several times, Phelan offered statistics indicating that Quincy teachers are the highest paid on the South Shore and noted that Quincy teachers paid the lowest percentage of health insurance costs.

Teachers countered that Quincy teachers with

master's degrees actually ranked 21st of 23 South Shore communities and actually earn over \$11,000 less than similar teachers in Norwell and Duxbury.

In addition, supporters cited figures from the Massachusetts Department of Education indicating that Quincy's teachers' salaries rank 85th of the state's 328 school districts and their actual health insurance premium payment, not the percentage, was higher than teachers pay in Cohasset, Norwell, Milton and Silver Lake Regional District.

Phillips has been union president for 10 years. The last teachers' strike in Quincy was prior to his taking office.

Now, union members will have to unite to pay the \$150,000 fine, according to Phillips who said that the Massachusetts Teachers Association (MTA) represents the QEA in court actions.

"MTA lawyers will ask for relief," Phillips said, but does not expect much of a change. "We've have to engage in fundraising, t-shirts and that.... Dues would probably have to be raised for a while."

Red Cross CPR, First Aid Courses

The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses June 13-28 at its South Area

office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

Infant & Child CPR & First Aid: June 13 and June 20 (two sessions) from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$70. This course teaches rescue breathing, choking and CPR for children under eight years of age. Also, bleeding, shock,

poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: June 16 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

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Major Lighting Improvements Begin Energy Efficiency Program Underway At City Buildings

Energy conservation improvements are underway at municipal buildings in the city, announce Mayor William Phelan and Mike Ryan, Director of Buildings and Construction.

Quincy is the first city in Massachusetts to take advantage of the state's new Energy Savings Law to upgrade its municipal buildings with financing provided by future energy savings.

"Not only will we be improving the conditions inside our schools and municipal buildings, we will be saving our taxpayers money," said Phelan. "This program makes great sense from an economic and environmental perspective."

Currently underway is a major lighting survey of all

schools and municipal buildings. It is estimated that 18,000 fixtures or bulbs will be replaced and upgraded.

"The lighting improvements alone will make a significant difference in our schools," said Ryan. "Students and teachers should notice the upgrade when they return in September."

Honeywell, Inc. has been signed to oversee the energy management and conservation project. The state law that allows for the city to invest future energy savings requires Honeywell, Inc. to guarantee the savings to the city of Quincy.

Similar water conservation efforts are underway at the police station and at fire stations throughout the city. Replacing old plumbing fixtures

with new conservation fixtures will help Quincy capture savings in water consumption.

A new flat roof is also being installed at the Fire Department Headquarters on Quincy Avenue. This summer, new roofs will be installed at the Squantum Elementary School, Bernazzani Elementary School, and the Snug Harbor Elementary School.

"This program allows us to invest in middle income structure and building improvements while simultaneously saving money in the process," said Phelan. "We take great pride in being a leader in this important area of energy conservation, but even more pride in our efforts to conserve taxpayer dollars in the process."



THE THERMOMETER AT the Colonial Federal Savings Bank on Beach Street, Wollaston reached 93 degrees at 2:41 p.m. Tuesday and still climbing as a predicted heat wave set in.
Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

As Temperatures Hit 90's Health Dept. Offers Tips To Survive Heat

By TOM HENSHAW

Remember? Only a few days ago we were wondering where the summer went.

Well, now it's here with a vengeance, so much so that the Health Department felt called upon to issue hot weather survival tips, especially for the very young, the

chronically ill and the very old.

For one thing, drink plenty of water — that's water, not beer or coffee, because alcohol and caffeine increase water loss and can dehydrate the body.

Eat light and choose foods high in water content,

such as fruits, salads and soups, and cool the skin with cool cloths or take cool baths or showers, and, as Satchel Paige might add, think cool thoughts.

If you don't have air conditioning or good ventilation in your living quarters, seek out an air conditioned shop-

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Supporters Helping QEA Pay \$150,000 Fine

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Teachers last week voted 620-43 to ratify a five-year contract with the city, maximizing a bitter 18-month period of bargaining between their union, the Quincy Education Association (QEA), and city officials.

QEA president Paul Phillips said that other bal-

lots were invalid or blank.

The union still faces a \$150,000 fine imposed by Judge Thomas Campos, federal court judge in North Quincy, for failing to pay the city's share of the cost of the strike. The city has not yet received the fine, but the city has not yet received the fine.

The contract impasse between the city and the QEA

ended after a four-day strike by teachers. The strike postponed school closing this year until the 2008-2009 school year. The city has not yet received the fine, but the city has not yet received the fine.

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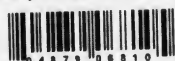
Because of the Fourth of July holiday on Wednesday, there will be an early news and advertising deadline for next week's Quincy Sun.

News, church, social and youth sports releases, retail and classified advertisements and legal notices should be in The Sun office, 1372 Hancock St., by noon

tomorrow (Friday). For more information, call The Sun office at 617-471-3100. Thank you for your cooperation.



LYONSS SISTERS, Megan (left) and Emma, 4, beat the heat in the pool in their backyard in North Quincy. Megan will be 6 in a couple of weeks.
Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea



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Teen-Senior Center Considered

Eight-Lane Track For Pageant Field

Mayor William Phelan this week promised that the city will soon have a state-of-the-art track facility at Pageant Field with an eight-lane track that will be the first in the city's history.

"I want to thank the Park Board and the City Council for their unanimous support," Phelan said referring to the recent votes by both groups. "We need to move forward as a community to complete this project. The finished product will be an absolutely beautiful track facility that can be used by our entire community for exercise and enjoyment."

Among the project's special features are a picnic pavilion located for spectacular views of Quincy Bay and also, designated space for athletic field events, according to Phelan.

In addition, the city will plant 87 new trees in accordance with the wishes of the Adams family. The Adams family decided the

land to the city in 1885 provided the property be used solely for the "public pleasure free to all inhabitants of Quincy..."

"Let's keep moving forward together," said Phelan, after noting that the city has wanted decades for a new track facility.

Phelan predicted that "the new track could be an amenity that will improve the quality of life for all our residents. Imagine how many people will use the beautiful site on a beautiful spring morning to exercise and socialize. It's pretty exciting."

According to the mayor, the conceptual design has met all the criteria set by the Adams family.

Family representatives, the Quincy track community, City Council members and residents.

Another design element for the new field includes the use of green only on the track to blend the facility into the

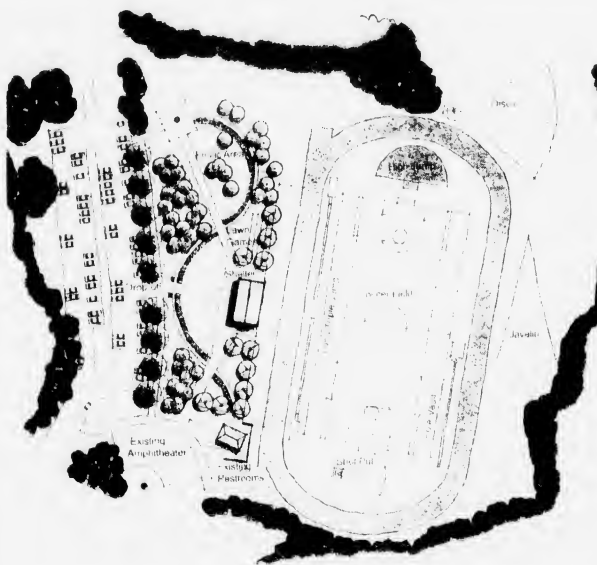
landscape. Also, neither fencing nor any other permanent structures will be constructed.

Under the current plans, the track will be open to the public from dawn to dusk.

The Adams family had also requested that a Senior and Teen Center be located on the property and those plans are currently being considered by the mayor's team. Nothing has been finalized as the project is in its early planning stages.

The current Council on Aging newsletter will include a survey asking seniors for their opinions. City officials are also surveying senior centers in other cities and in towns to determine the best project. Currently, senior programs are held in a variety of locations, such as libraries, schools, and private facilities operated by non-profit organizations.

According to the mayor's spokesman, David Murphy, there is no centralized space



PAGEANT FIELD DESIGN, shown above, includes the eight-lane regulation size track as well as a soccer field, and space for discus, shot put and javelin competitions. On the left is the expanded picnic area and drawings of landscaping and trees.

(Draft design by SMMA)

dedicated specifically for senior activities, such as computer classes or gathering

spots, anywhere in the city.

At this time, the project will include shared space for

a Teen Center and the project will be an intergenerational center.

Quincy Man Dies In Motorcycle Crash

Mark Zielinski, 43, of Quincy was killed Sunday morning when he lost con-

trol of his 1990 Honda motorcycle and crashed into a jersey barrier in the Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neil Tunnel on Route 93 in Boston.

His passenger, Luz Argon, 50, of Boston was seriously injured in the 8:30 a.m. accident and was taken to

Massachusetts General Hospital where her condition was described as fair.

Traffic on the busy highway was tied up all the way back to Milton for two and a half hours as two lanes were closed while crews cleaned up the accident scene.

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Open Space, Landmarks Top Preservation Funds List

By LAURA GRIFFIN

Million of dollars in community preservation funds will allow the city to purchase three major properties for open space under a plan approved recently by the City Council.

Under the plan recommended by the Community Preservation Committee and approved by City Council, the city will begin negotiations to buy the following properties:

- The 271 Sea Street lot, (3.5 acres known as Cobblestone)
- The Avalon at Faxon Park West (approximately 14 acres)
- Turning Mill Estate off Forest Avenue (six lots)

In addition, the city will spend some \$700,000 for projects aimed at preserving historic landmarks, neighborhood housing and recreation projects.

These projects will be funded through the \$2.2 million in Community Preservation Act (CPA) funds available this year and preservation funds anticipated in future years, according to Ward 4 Councillor Jay Davis, chairman of the Community Preservation Committee.

At the meeting, Davis told his colleagues that the city's preservation funds this year total \$2.2 million which includes the state's match. The local funds are raised through a surcharge tax approved for this purpose by taxpayer referendum in November, 2006. For the time being, the state matches the local receipts.

"It passed in all 30 precincts," Council President Doug Gutro said during the council discussion, crediting the Quincy Environmental Network for their advocacy. At Gutro's suggestion, council members and the audi-

ence applauded the Network members and later, members of Davis' committee.

"We now have an opportunity to buy a number of acres of land for open space," Davis said. "This was the first year. Councillors can see where these projects are. It is exciting."

"The mayor's office will handle negotiations," Davis said this week after noting that the developers have submitted their estimates. Developers are asking roughly \$4.7 million for the Avalon West property, \$1.2 million for Cobblestone and \$1.2 for Turning Mills Estates.

At this time, Davis said that the cost of the three purchases has not been determined and it is possible the committee may bond some of the necessary purchase costs but all of the funds will come from CPA sources, rather than any tax appropriation.

"These are gifts to the whole City of Quincy," Ward 1 Councillor Leo Kelly said of the purchases, particularly the Sea Street lot, the garden and waterfront projects, a majority of which are located in his ward.

One grant of \$72,000 will

fund construction of a boardwalk across the salt marsh in Germantown, Kelly's district. The walkway will allow access to a beach that overlooks Fore River and Rock Island Cove.

Gutro said of the proposed purchases, "These are some gems. They are important to protect."

Davis said that all three developers have been very patient and are "bargaining in good faith." If bonding is necessary to fund the purchases, the committee will limit the payback period to five years, at which point voters can reconsider the CPA.

Councillor John Keenan cautioned that the formula for the state preservation funding is likely to change and that fiscal year 2008-2009 may be the last year that the state guarantees a full match of local funds.

Davis said the three properties were chosen from 26 proposals totaling more than \$9.5 million that were submitted to his committee. The committee also recommended the following expenditures. He also noted that CPA may provide the impetus for outside grants.

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THE HISTORIC Souther Tide Mill (shown above), is one of among the dozens of projects chosen for protection by the city's Conservation Protection Committee. Located on Southern Artery, the Souther Tide Mill is some 200 years old. The city recently demolished a modern section that was burned in a fire in early January.

Quincy Sun Photo/Laura Griffin

Woodward Ave. Closed

Bids to Be Opened For New Quincy High

City officials are preparing for the city's new \$126 million high school construction project by permanently closing a section of Woodward Avenue and awarding bids for contracts and for demolition, according to Michael Ryan who heads the School Building Committee.

The section of Woodward Avenue, from Huntley Road to Coddington Street, has been permanently closed to traffic and bids will be awarded Friday for the demolition of the administration building on

Coddington Street.

Two wings of the administration building on Coddington Street will be demolished starting in early August, according to Ryan who said that school construction should begin this fall and be completed by August, 2010.

The Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) has approved \$72 million in reimbursements for the new school on Coddington Street and has also agreed to an additional \$10 million loan at 2 percent interest.

"We're starting with the mechanical room," Ryan, chairman of said, noting that the room will house the school's electrical and mechanical operations.

Ryan also said that bids for mechanical, plumbing, electrical and heating contracts will be opened tomorrow (Friday) and a demolition contract will be awarded next week. It is among five bidders.

"It's a great time to see the school's future," Ryan said.

He also announced that Quincy High School will be located at 1000 Southern Artery, near the intersection of

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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On June 30, 1859, French daredevil Emile Blondin becomes the first person to walk across Niagara Falls on a tightrope. Subsequent walks included walking blindfolded, in a sack, with his manager on his back, sitting down mid-way to cook an omelet, and pushing a wheelbarrow across while dressed as an ape.

• On July 1, 1862, the United States Congress approves the Revenue Act, which was soon signed by President Lincoln. The legislation imposed a 3 percent tax on people with incomes from \$600 to \$10,000, and a 5 percent levy for incomes over \$10,000.

• On June 26, 1906, the first French Grand Prix is staged in Le Mans, with cars hitting top speeds of 105 mph, racing on rutted dirt and gravel roads with poor tires and two-wheel brakes. The race was effectively banned between 1908 and 1912, due to the mounting number of fatalities incurred by both drivers and spectators.

• On June 27, 1939, one of the most famous scenes in movie history is filmed in "Gone with the Wind." An

alternate scene was shot using the line, "Frankly, my dear, I just don't care," in case the film censors objected to the phrase "I don't give a damn." The censors approved the movie, but fined producer David O. Selznick \$5,000 for including the curse.

• On June 25, 1956, the last 1956 Packard is produced, marking the end of production at Packard's Connor Avenue plant in Detroit. Packard would continue to build cars in South Bend, Ind., until 1958, but the 1956 is considered the last true Packard car.

• On June 28, 1975, television writer Rod Serling dies at age 50 after open-heart surgery. Serling was one of early television's most successful writers, best known for the anthology series "The Twilight Zone," which he created, wrote and hosted.

• On June 29, 1985, Jim Pattison purchases a custom-painted psychedelic Rolls-Royce Phantom V limousine that had belonged to John Lennon for \$2,229,000, which was 10 times the initial estimate of Sotheby's auction house.

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Sunbeams

By Henry Bosworth

A Day Of Irony

(This column first appeared in July 1992 and has been updated as we prepare to celebrate the Fourth of July next week.)

July 4th, you could say, is a day of irony in American history.

America was born on July 4th, 1776 and the two men who played major roles in that historic event also died on July 4th-50 years later.

Next Wednesday marks the 231st anniversary of the

Declaration of Independence - America's birth certificate-and the 181st anniversary of the death of its two main architects - Thomas Jefferson and our own John Adams.



ADAMS



JEFFERSON

Adams, like Jefferson, was a super patriot.

Certainly a much better patriot than he was a prognosticator. He predicted July 2nd-not July 4th-would be celebrated through the years as America's birthdate.

Adams made that erroneous prediction in a letter to Abigail Adams dated July 2, 1776. In the letter sent from Philadelphia to Abigail here in Quincy, he declared: "The second day of July, 1776 will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America."

The man, who would become second president after George Washington, thought this because the Declaration of Independence was adopted by 12 states on July 2. But, it wasn't signed by anyone until July 4.

And, only two of the 55 signers actually affixed their signatures on July 4th. One was Quincy-born John Hancock, who as President of the Second Continental Congress, was the first to sign.



HANCOCK

Most of the others signed the precious document Aug. 2. But six signed after that. And Thomas McKean of Delaware didn't get around to it until five years later.

Jefferson and Hancock usually get top billing in history books when it comes to the Declaration of Independence. Jefferson as its author and Hancock as its first signer.

Hancock's signature-bold and with a fancy flourish so "King George III can see it without his spectacles" probably is the most famous autograph in this country's history.

But Adams played a key, if not as glamorous a role, in putting the Declaration together and getting it adopted.

Jefferson himself acknowledged that when he praised Adams as "...the most efficient agent in procuring a public Declaration of Independence."

And then that ironic day-July 4th, 1826-the 50th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence when both Adams and Jefferson died.

Adams was stricken here in Quincy in his favorite wing chair in his second floor study at the Adams mansion, on Adams Street. Known as the Old House, this was the home of four generations of the illustrious Adams family and the summer White House of the second president and his son, John Quincy Adams, the sixth president.

Adams and Jefferson, once close allies, had a falling out but reconciled in later years through the efforts of Abigail as a peacemaker.

Among Adams' last words as he lay dying were "Jefferson survives."



ABIGAIL

He thought Jefferson had outlived him. But actually Jefferson had died earlier that same day at Monticello in Virginia at age 83.

News traveled slowly in those days, long before radio and television. There were no such things as instant news bulletins.

If there were, just imagine the flurry all day as the media-especially cable TV-staked out the Adams Mansion here and Monticello in Virginia.

Adams was just three months and 15 days from his 91st birthday. He survived Abigail, his wife of 54 years, by eight years.

But he had lived to see his son, John Quincy Adams, become president in 1825.

The latter was in Washington when his father died and did not know of his death until several days later.

Abigail, the first woman to be the wife of one U.S. president and the mother of a second never knew that second honor.

Four days before he died, Adams was asked to give a 50th anniversary July 4th toast to his fellow Quincy residents. The old man replied:

"I will give you independence forever."

Asked if he would like to add to that, he declared, "Not a syllable."

"Independence forever" - those are words to remember and cherish.

If you've never been to the Adams Mansion-(Old House)-you've been missing a visitor's treat.

The Mansion has been under the supervision of the U.S. National Park Service since 1979 and is part of the Adams National Historic Park.

The late Willhelmina, as superintendent, gave the Old House her personal loving care. Present Supt. Marianne Peak has carried on that tradition.

They have kept the house in a "lived in appearance."

Strolling the beautiful rooms, you get the feeling that John and Abigail are out for a little walk and will be right back.

'Meals On Wheels' Needs Drivers To Reach Elderly

Meals on Wheels, a service of South Shore Elder Services, has an urgent need for drivers to deliver meals

to homebound elders in Quincy.

Volunteers are needed to help one to five days a week,

Monday through Friday, between 10:30 a.m. and 12 noon, depending on their schedules. Mileage reim-

bursement is available.

Corporate, civic and faith-based groups can deliver as teams. Kitchen helpers also are needed.

Meals on Wheels delivers more than 500 meals daily to elders in Quincy, many of whom see the delivery persons as their only contact with the outside world.

To volunteer, contact Jody, the volunteer coordinator, 159 Bay State Rd., Braintree MA 02184 or call her at 781-848-3910, extension 430.

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ATTENTION QUINCY RESIDENTS
DUE TO THE INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 2007, TRASH COLLECTION WILL BE A DAY LATE NEXT WEEK (FOR THOSE WHO HAVE PICK-UP WEDNESDAY - THROUGH FRIDAY.) THERE WILL BE A SATURDAY COLLECTION FOR TRASH USUALLY COLLECTED ON FRIDAY.

Allied Waste Services

Scenes From Yesterday



THIS IS A 1920 postcard showing summer cottages along Manet Beach in Houghs Neck. They featured open breezy porches with sweeping views across to Hull. This picture was taken looking north from the end of the old pier at Harvey's Landing. The public landing at the end of Bay View Avenue is on the right. The old water tower

on Great Hill can be seen in the distance beyond the trees. These old cottages have changed quite a bit over the years due some to damage from storms and then upgrading into permanent residences. To contact Tom Galvin, e-mail tmgalvin@verizon.net.

From the Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Everyone Loved Charlie

On May 24, 2007 Charlie Ayers was laid to rest.

The staffs of St. Ann's Church, The Keohane Funeral Home, and the City of Quincy Police Force joined with Charlie's countless friends to acknowledge a person who truly deserved our respect.

Charlie's devotion for 50 years to his beloved Beverly can only be described as an unending Valentine.

Charlie and Beverly were always so proud of their sons, Chuck and Bruce, and the delightful women they married, Judy and Maureen. Charlie was his sons' busi-

ness advisor, their pal, and their hero.

Charlie's grandchildren, Lauren, Stephanie, Brian and Peter, who affectionately called their grandfather "Charles," were the joy of his life. They will never have to be reminded how blessed they are to have such a wonderful grandfather, for they know it better than anyone.

To say Charlie was a unique person doesn't do him justice. All of us who knew him agree that we have never known anyone like Charlie Ayers before, and we will never know anyone like him again. When we were

with Charlie he made each of us feel special, as though we were the only person in the world.

People from all types of backgrounds, of varying religious and political beliefs have been drawn to Charlie. Everyone admired him simply for the way he was. With Charlie Ayers, we got what we saw and we wouldn't have had it any other way.

Everyone who attended Charlie's wake and funeral services, along with all those who wished they could have joined his throng of mourners, sincerely believe in their hearts that Charlie Ayers was

their friend. Indeed he was!

Charlie's greatest gift to us was his extraordinary sense of humor. With Charlie we always laughed for he could make a joke out of anything. Charlie could laugh at himself and anything the world had to offer. He had the rarest of ability to take his family's religion, business and friends seriously without ever taking himself seriously.

To know Charlie Ayers was an extraordinary adventure, one we wouldn't have missed for the world.

Good bye, Dear Friend.

Tom Wallace
Nova Scotia

Stop Shifting The Rising Cost Of Health Insurance

(Editor's Note: The following letter was submitted before the teachers' union and the city reached a settlement on a new contract last week.)

The administration of Mayor William Phelan should cease trying to shift the rising cost of health insurance onto Quincy's teachers and other employees.

Anyone engaged in col-

lective bargaining knows better benefits, especially in the public sector, are secured in lieu of richer wage increases. Quincy's teachers have already fallen behind their colleagues in comparable municipalities.

There is a better solution: the creation of a universal system of comprehensive, high-quality, affordable health care. Important pieces

of this initiative can be put into place quickly through passage of a variety of cost-saving bills now in committee at the State House, such as bulk purchasing, uniform billing and a cap on insurance company overhead.

Ultimately, a tax-supported single-payer system for the Commonwealth, and for the country, is the vehicle to a just healthcare system.

one that is sustainable for individuals, families and society as a whole.

I urge the city's leaders to join hands with the teachers, nurses and so many others in lobbying for these important reforms, rather than going down the slippery slope of cost-shifting.

Sandy Eaton
Quarry Street

Sincere Gratitude To Driscoll And Glennon Families

I am writing to express my sincere gratitude to the Driscoll Family and the Glennon Family (SCYC) for their hard work and professionalism producing and directing "The Beauty and the Beast" performance held at Eastern Nazarene College June 2nd and 3rd.

Every aspect of the shows were impressive, to say the least. The performances and the tireless effort put forth by the production crew were that of Broadway caliber!! Each role was well suited for each cast member's indi-

vidual personality and the meticulous attention paid to even the littlest detail demonstrated the producer's and director's amazing talents.

Beauty and the Beast is the third production from the Driscolls and Glennons and with each year, the performances are better and better, though each year you can't imagine they can top the last!!

My daughter, Colleen, and her friends from the community have been fortunate to be part of the cast all three years and we are always so

pleased they are afforded the opportunity to learn and grow from the experiences.

The Driscoll and Glennon families donate so much time and energy in their volunteer work with the Squantum Community Youth Choir and drama productions to give local children the opportunity to display their hidden talents. They work with each child individually and have helped them find talents they didn't know they had and to improve on those talents each week.

I felt it was necessary to publicly recognize what the SCYC has done for the Squantum community and for sharing their talent with all who attends the wonderful performances.

It would be such a disservice to the local cable viewers not to share the show with them, so I am hoping that the Quincy Access Cable will air these wonderful shows for all to enjoy!!

Thank you.

Gayle Bellotti
Quincy

Quincy's Yesterdays

Council Rejects City Employees Pay Survey Plan

By FRANK McCAULEY

The City Council for the second time in a few weeks, turned down Mayor Amelio Della Chiesa's request for \$5,000 to hire an outside consultant to make a salary survey for city employees.

The vote was 6 to 3 with Councillors Edna B. Austin, Thomas S. Burgin and David S. McIntosh concurring with the mayor's position.

"I am sorry for the 200 city employees who asked me for readjustments, mostly on the basis of inequalities," Della Chiesa said.

"The Council's action leaves me with three possibilities. I can forget about these requests, I can try to make adjustments myself or I can ask the Council to help me."

NOTICE IN TRAINS, WARNS

OLD COLONY TO CLOSE JUNE 30

Old Colony commuters saw the handwriting on the wall, warning them that the railroad line has only seven days left.

Notices were posted in all cars announcing that service will be discontinued at midnight June 30.

The signs blamed the legislature, which did not pass "appropriate and acceptable legislation," for the discontinuance of service.

New Haven Railroad President George Alpert has placed the price for a 12-month extension of service at \$190,000, a sum flatly rejected by area communities.

QUINCY-ISMIS

Fifty-nine members of the Quincy High School class of 1919 held their 40th anniversary reunion at the Quincy Yacht Club... **Thomas J. McAuley** of 74 Baxter Ave., Quincy Point, received a gold lapel emblem for his 30 years of service with the Federal Government at the Fore River Shipyard... **Lester Glasser** received a brotherhood citation from the members of Beth Israel Synagogue... **Marguerite Holden**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Holden of 37 White St., West Quincy, received a delayed high school diploma from Mayor Della Chiesa. An attack of appendicitis prevented Miss Holden from attending the Quincy High School graduation ceremonies... **Tedeschi's**, The South Shore's Finest Supermarket was offering Top of the Round Steak for \$9.99 a lb... **Michael Tenore**, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tenore, 55 Pleasant St., is a recent graduate of Thayer Academy... Several Quincy residents have announced their candidacies for city council in the fall elections. They are **Michael Plant** for Ward 4 Councillor, **George Tull** and **Frank D'Allesandro** for Ward 2 Councillor... **Patsy Rosatone** was re-elected Business Agent of Local 133 of the International Hod Carriers and Laborers Union... **Wesley Smith**, a past president, was named "Father of the Year" at the annual banquet of the Rock Island Improvement Association of Houghs Neck... Public Works Dept. employees **Patrick Manning** with 22 years of service and **Edward F. Gorman** with 29 years of service retired with annual pensions of \$2,495 and \$1,912 respectively... **Walter J. Hannan** was the treasurer of the 1949 North Quincy High Reunion Committee... **Mrs. Samuel Tuttle**, outgoing president of the Mothers Club of the Houghs Neck Congregational Church, turned the gavel over to **Mrs. Thomas McDonald**, incoming president... Public Finance, 67 Parkingway, Quincy Center, was offering "Vacation Loans In One Day \$25 to \$1,500"... **Kristie Randall** and **Robert DeNapoli**, students at the Squantum School, received Junior Achievement Awards from the Nickerson Legion Post... **Mayor Della Chiesa** announced his candidacy for a second term as Plan A Mayor. City Council President **James R. McIntyre** was already an announced candidate... **Forrest I. Neal, Jr.** became the fourth member of the Neal family to attain the position of president of the Quincy Rotary Club. His father, **Forrest I. Neal, Sr.**, and his two uncles **Shelly A. Neal** and **James B. Neal** also served as Rotary Club presidents... **Russell H. Searle, Jr.**, 79 Russell St., North Quincy, received a diploma from Valley Forge Military Academy at Wayne, Pa...

KEEPING UP WITH THE RED SOX

The Boston Red Sox, with a 28-35 record, were in last place in the eight team American League.

Red Sox infielder **Pete Runnels'** 17-game hitting streak was ended by White Sox pitcher **Billy Pierce**. He was in fourth place in the league batting with a .338 average.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Lecture Series At Adams National Historical Park

The June Lecture Series, "Local History, Local Authors" is currently underway at Adams National Historical Park with two authors scheduled to speak in the remaining lectures tomorrow morning (Thursday) and Friday at 11 a.m.

The presentations are held in the Carriage House at 135 Adams Street, Quincy at 11 a.m. each day with a coffee scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m. Book-signings follow the lectures.

Concert At Amphitheater

Jules and Glenn the Entertainers and Friends, two local performers, will be playing a concert at the Ruth Gordon Amphitheater at the Richard Koch Park on Thursday, June 28 from 7 to 9:30 p.m.

Author Timothy Kenslea will discuss his book, *The Segewicks in Love*, today (Thursday) and Stephen Pulco will talk about Boston's great molasses flood described in his book, *Dark Tide: The Great Molasses Flood of 1919*.

For more information on the lectures or other special events at Adams National Historical Park, call the Visitor Center at 617-770-1175 or visit www.nps.gov/adam.

Admission is a suggested donation of \$10 and all proceeds will be donated to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute.

For more information call (617) 770-1972.



SENIOR OLYMPIANS GATHER in front of the Medicare promotional bus at the 25th anniversary of Quincy Senior Olympics at Beechwood on the Bay. Federal officials from

Medicare and health agencies attended and praised Quincy's foresight and successes over a quarter of a century.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

Federal Officials Laud Quincy Senior Olympics

Federal officials lauded Quincy's Senior Olympic program during and after attending the recent 25th Senior Olympics program at Beechwood Community Life Center.

"It is clear that you (Quincy Senior Olympians) have known for a quarter of a century the fitness message we are now promoting nationwide," said Dr. Charlotte S. Yeh, FACEP, the Federal Health and Human Services Regional Administrator for Region 1 Centers for

Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Dr. Yeh and Bryan Golden, the Regional Director of the U.S. Health and Human Services Department, joined Mayor William Phelan for the Presentation of Awards ceremony recently at Beechwood.

In a personal note sent after the ceremony, Dr. Yeh wrote, "Thank you! Thank you for allowing us to join your awesome celebration of your seniors in Quincy! What an inspiration you are

to all of us."

"It was fantastic to be able to take part in honoring Quincy's Senior Olympians," wrote both Yeh and Golden in a formal letter of thanks.

In addition, Beechwood's Director Sharron Beals said, "Dr. Yeh was impressed with our Olympians and astounded to learn we had five nonagenarians (90+) competing in our events this year."

Officials honored over 300 senior Olympians at the ceremony.

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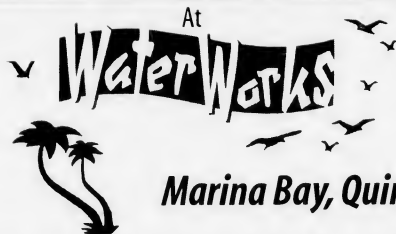
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SOCIAL

Quincy Teachers Award \$17,600 In Scholarships

Quincy's teachers awarded 46 scholarships totaling \$17,600 to the city's 2007 graduates through their union, the Quincy Education Association, Inc. (QEA).

Many of these awards are presented in memory of individual teachers who gave decades of devoted service to Quincy school children. The

QEA is the labor organization that represents the professional educators of the Quincy Public Schools and Quincy College.

The QEA scholarship recipients from Quincy High School were Robyn Bernstein, Suqun Chen, Kristen Cummings, Patrick Day, Kayla Dolan, Kelsey

Flanagan, Megan Hardee, Raymond Lam, Marcia McNulty, Thomas Meng, Jeffrey Ohlson, Stephen Palmatier, Courtney Palmer, Suji Park, Jin Long Tan and Phuong Vo.

Recipients from the Center for Technical Education included Kevin Chan, Ngo Lau, Brendan Mulrooney, Saad Tauhid and Dhimitraq Zheku.

Awards were presented to the following students from

North Quincy High School: Chris Baker, Peter Cai, Alexander Chen, Michael Chu, Michaela Finn, Lisa Ho, Alice Lu, Larissa Lee, Zhuo Mei Li, Bryan Logue, Kenny Lok, Rob McAloon, Mark McAuliffe, Connie Ng, Merideth Palmer, Olivia Parsons, Olya Pullugi, Britta Ramos, Chadwynn Reid, Christopher Spencer, Benson Tang, Megan Therrien, Adam Tragellis, Tara Whoolley and Anna Wong.

Margaret Meek Celebrates 80th Birthday

Family and friends recently celebrated Margaret (Rooney) Meek's 80th birthday.

Mrs. Meek and her husband Edwin F. Meek, Jr. now reside at The Moorings at Squantum Gardens.

A 1945 graduate of North Quincy High School, Margaret has been a lifelong resident of Quincy. The Meek's three children planned the party at Siro's Restaurant, Marina Bay, Quincy. They are Edwin



MARGARET MEEK
Meek, 3rd of Belmont; Susan White of Plymouth; Dorothy Geary of Braintree.

The Meeks also have seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

100-Year Old Tradition Revived In Houghs Neck

It's illumination time once again in Houghs Neck, a throwback to the days 100 years ago when Neckers decorated their homes with bunting and Japanese lanterns and were awarded ribbons for the Best Decorated House in the Neck.

The tradition was revived last year after the discovery of the award ribbon for 1908 with the Kissels of Winthrop Street adjudged the 2006 winner.

To enter the 2007 contest for the Best Dec'd House in the Neck, residents between the Pump and the Willows are urged to decorate the outside their homes and call Margaret LaForest at 617-471-1806 or email mlaforest01@hotmail.com to register.

The winner will be given a banner to hang outside his or her home along with bragging rights for 2007. Judges will select the winning home on Friday, June 29.

Three Residents On Thayer Middle School Honor Roll

Thayer Academy Middle School lists three Quincy residents on its third trimester honor roll.

They are:
Seventh Grade: Alison E. Eleey earned High Honors for Academic Achievement

and High Honors for Effort. Alissa M. Valeri earned High Honors for Academic Achievement.

Samantha E. Whalen earned High Honors for Academic Achievement and Honors for Effort.

Ronald Devera Cornell Grad

Ronald Devera of Quincy recently graduated from

Cornell University with a bachelor of science degree.

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Houghs Neck Garden Club Wild Flower Festival Saturday

The Houghs Neck Garden Club will host a Wild Flower Festival Saturday, June 30, rain or shine, at Nut Island Park which is located at the tip of Nut Island Park.

Naturalist Tom Palmer will lead the guided walking tour of the park's wild flowers. Photos of the nearby salt marshes taken by wild life photographer Joe Poggi will be displayed. Club members will present a narrated slide show of Nut Island wild flowers.

A breakfast buffet will be served at 9:30 a.m. in the Nut Island Community Room. Admission is \$10. Call 617-472-2800 for tickets or more information.

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BY MARIE D'OLIMPIO



Celebrate Independence Day With Patriotic Cheesecake Pie

Each time he comes to dinner at our house, our seven year old grandson Christian always asks me if I baked an apple pie, his favorite. And I usually answer that I did.

However, this week with the abundance of blueberries, I came across a delicious recipe for a cheesecake with berries. Other berries can certainly be used, but I used the blueberries. I mixed an 8 ounce package with an 8 ounce can of blueberry filling and the combination was great. I use a store bought pie, they are a lot easier these days.

Patriotic Cheesecake Pie

1 8-ounce package of cream cheese, softened

- 1 cup confectioners' sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup whipping cream (whipped)
- 1 9-inch baked pastry shell
- 1 8 ounce can blueberry filling
- 1-8 ounce fresh package of blueberries
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice

Add Strawberries or raspberries for decorating

First get the pie crust baked by following directions on the package. If you bake your own, bake until done.

If you use the combination of the two blueberries, the canned and fresh, I usually also add the lemon juice. If you just use the canned, you don't have to do anything.

Beat together the cream cheese, sugar and vanilla until smooth. Fold in the whipped cream. Spoon this into the pastry shell. Spoon the blueberry filling on top. Chill until set.

When serving, add strawberries or raspberries to top.

You can certainly use just the canned filling or just the fresh. If using the fresh, add 3/4 cup sugar and the lemon juice. (the lemon juice brings out the flavor of the blueberries.) I can't wait to see if Christian likes it!



Health Dept. Offers Tips To Survive Heat

(Cont'd From Page 1)

ping mall, senior recreation area, library or movie theater and enjoy it while you can.

Wear loose, light-colored and lightweight clothing. If you have to go out of doors in the hot sun, wear a hat and try to stay out of the direct rays of the sun as much as possible.

And, one bit of advice you'll like, cut back on physical activity. If you feel you have to do pushups or walk to the mailbox, stop and rest at the first sign of fatigue, light headedness or feeling hot.

Learn the difference among heat stress, heat exhaustion and heat stroke.

The early signs of heat

stress are general discomfort, lack of energy and loss of appetite.

Symptoms of heat exhaustion are a severe cramping of muscles due to excess sweating and loss of salt from the body from exhaustion or high temperatures.

Your reaction should be to rest in a cool place and replenish lost fluids and salts unless you're on a sodium-restricted diet. If left untreated, heat exhaustion can lead to heat stroke.

Heatstroke is an extreme, serious and life-threatening condition where the body temperature rises sharply. Symptoms can include delirium, disorientation and a coma.

It is most likely to de-

velop during a heat wave where the humidity is high and the temperatures are at or above 90 degrees for three or more consecutive days.

A person suffering from heat stroke needs to have his or her body temperature lowered by cooling the body surface with water and be transported to the hospital immediately.

If you have any severe reactions to the heat that cannot be alleviated by rest and fluids, seek medical attention immediately.

Elderly persons living alone should pay particular attention to the early warning signs of heat stress and make sure to contact neighbors, friends and family if they need assistance.

Open Space, Landmarks Top Preservation Funds List

(Cont'd From Page 3)

Six proposals totaling \$300,000 were chosen under Historic Preservation as follows:

- \$100,000 for Southern Tide Mill
- \$45,000 for the Quarry Museum Displays
- \$10,000 for Fore River Club house
- \$30,000 for Quincy Homestead
- \$35,000 for the Adams Academy Facade Restoration

• \$80,000 for the United First Parish Bell tower restoration

Three Recreation projects were approved as follows:

- \$10,000 for the Houghs Neck ecological landscaping
- \$10,000 for Germantown Community Gardens
- \$72,000 for Quincy Housing Boardwalk

The Committee also recommended and the council approved a set-aside of \$220,000 for Neighborhood Housing and \$100,000 for

administrative costs, including appraisals, negotiations, support staff and membership in the Community Preservation Coalition.

Committee members include Chairman Davis, Susan Canavan, Historic Commission; Kevin Cotter, Housing Authority; Connie Driscoll, Park and Recreation Board; Patrick J. Foley, Planning Board; Martha King, Conservation Commission; Paul Kodad, Maureen Mazrimas and Steven Perdios.

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The Quincy Sun

Quincy Delegation's Vote On Same-Sex Marriage Amendment

By TOM HENSHAW

The Quincy legislative delegation was split down the middle when came time to vote on a proposed constitutional ban on same-sex marriage.

The amendment was defeated 45 to 151 with 50 votes needed to put it on the ballot so that voters could have a crack at it in the 2008 election.

Sen. Michael Morrissey and Rep. Ron Mariano were among those who chose to pull the plug on the amendment. Reps. Stephen Tobin and Bruce Ayers voted to send it on to the voters.

Mariano had been against the amendment all along.

"In the past, every change in the constitution has been to protect someone's rights," he said. "I did not want to be a member of the first group to take away someone's rights."

Morrissey surprised everyone by switching his vote. The question had to be voted on by two consecutive legis-

latures and he had approved the amendment in the 2005-06 session.

"It was one of the hardest votes I ever made in my 30 years in public office," he said. "I grappled with it for days on end."

"It's not easy to stand up for a minority. How in fairness and equity can you put language in the constitution to take away someone's rights?"

"I could not look at some of these families and treat them differently from someone else. You're passing judgment on someone else's happiness."

"The people who would get hurt the most by it are the children in a same-sex relationship. Older people can take it. Kids can't."

Morrissey said he could very easily have voted the other less risky way.

"When the roll call opened," he said, "I saw they had the votes to defeat the amendment. I could have voted for it but it was not the right thing to do."

Morrissey said he is getting reaction from both sides to his vote, praise from some, disappointment from others.

"Hopefully," he said, "in the end people will look at all my votes when they consider me."

Ayers said the legislative action was a tough issue for him, too, "but I didn't want to deny the people the opportunity to vote."

"I got thousands of e-mails and phone calls on the issue and one thing was overwhelmingly clear — the residents of Quincy wanted an opportunity to vote on the issue."

"That's why I voted the way I did."

Tobin was not available for comment.

The same sex marriage amendment is now dead, at least until the 2012 state election, the next time two consecutive legislative session will have had a chance to pass it on.

Meantime, said Ron Mariano, "the next generation may think nothing of it."

Farmers' Market Opens July 6

Quincy Farmer's Market will open Friday, July 6 in the Hancock Municipal parking lot across from Quincy District Court.

Operating hours will be from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. The market continues every Friday through the summer until the end of October.

A ribbon-cutting ceremony will take place on opening day at 11:30 a.m. Quincy Farmers' Market features only produce grown locally and customers can meet the growers.

Farmers serving Quincy this year are: Almquist Flower Land of Quincy, Freitas and Sons Farm of Middleboro, The Shepherd's Gate Goat Cheese of Holland, ma; Five Loaves Bakery, Spencer; Stillman Farm and Greenhouses of Lunenburg.

The produce is picked ripe, the day of the market, so it is at its peak nutrition, flavor and freshness.

July features are area lettuce, summer squash,



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radishes, tomatoes, tomato plants ready for the garden or patio, bedding plants, perennials, homemade breads, goat cheese, summer squash, scallions, onions, peas, beans, fresh green garlic, herbs and more.

As the season advances, additional produce becomes

available, such as sweet corn, peaches, apples, a variety of squashes, and raspberries.

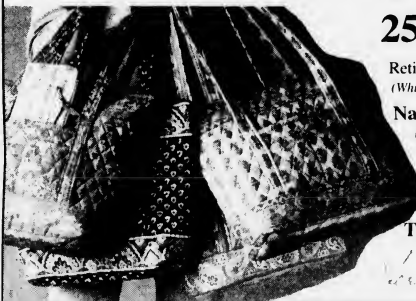
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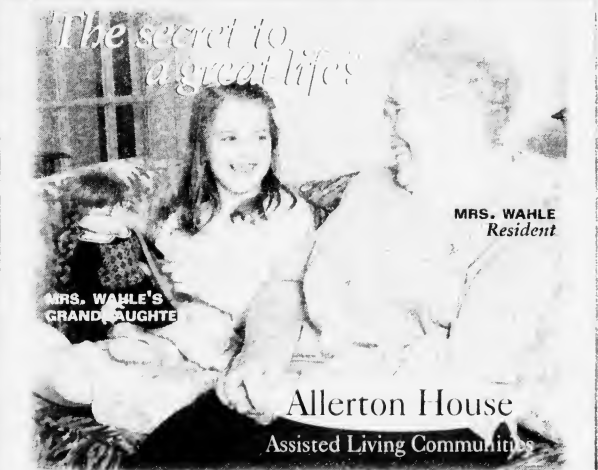
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By Samantha Mazzotta

The Right Way to Clean a Grill

Q. I'm a little confused by two conflicting sets of grilling directions. My brother-in-law tells me that a barbecue grill works best when thoroughly clean, including the cooking surfaces and the interior. My uncle tells me to just fire up the grill for about 10 to 20 minutes and let the heat burn away any old drippings. I'm still learning this "art" of grilling. What do you recommend? — Stacy in Secaucus, N.J.

A. I'd go with your brother-in-law's advice. Relying on high heat to burn away drippings is not the most reliable way to clean a grill. The drippings will char, releasing less-than-healthy byproducts, and if fresh food is cooked on a grill with charred drippings still attached to the underside, those byproducts could affect the food. In addition, the heat may burn away drippings from the cooking and heating surfaces, but it probably won't affect materials that have dropped into the bottom of the grill box.

A dirty, greasy grill interior can cause uneven, ineffi-

cient heating in charcoal and gas grills. Airflow is very important for charcoal grills so that the coals heat evenly and last a long time. Gas grills have various components to safely transport gas from the supply tank to the burner element, and grease, debris and rust can compromise this system.

So, clean the grill interior completely before cooking. Grill cleaners like Goo Gone (available in most stores that sell grilling supplies) will loosen up grease and soot deposits. Brush debris away from surfaces and wash the cooking surface thoroughly in the sink, with soap and water. DO let the grill heat up for at least 10 minutes before cooking, and clean the grill as soon as possible afterward (let it cool down completely first).

A well-maintained outdoor grill will last for years and provide reliable, steady heat — the most important element in becoming an outdoor grilling artist.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homegurur2000@hotmail.com, or write *This Is a Hammer*, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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Hints For Homeowners

Get Into The HVAC Zone

(NAPS) — Just as you can turn on and off the lights depending on what room of the house you're in, you can use zoning systems to adjust the temperature in different areas of the home.

This works to eliminate the hot and cold spots typically found from room to room and helps maintain a more consistent temperature throughout the home. A zoning system provides the same kind of flexibility in controlling heating and cooling that homeowners have with electricity, so

comfort can be increased while saving on energy bills.

With a zoning system, the home can be divided into two, three or four separate areas (or "zones") with similar heating and cooling needs. A system of thermostats and dampers automatically adjusts the level of comfort in each zone.

Many homeowners confuse a zoning system with having multiple independent heating, ventilation and air-conditioning (HVAC) units. Individual units on each floor of the house, however, is not

the same as zoning.

Zoning uses dampers to direct heating and cooling from a single HVAC system to more than one area. For example, a two-zone system will have two dampers with each one controlling the airflow to a zone. In addition, the zoning system will have a controller that adjusts the dampers and HVAC system to heat and cool each zone. A zone controller simply connects multiple thermostats to a single HVAC system.

According to the heating and cooling experts at York, a brand of Johnson Controls, zoning is especially beneficial if you have certain rooms or areas that are always warmer or cooler than the

rest of the home. Zoning lets homeowners direct the system to automatically provide more heating or cooling to a specific area, without wasting energy to heat or cool the entire home.

In many cases, proper zoning can result in operating cost savings of as much as 30 percent. While zoning does not actually increase the efficiency of your furnace, heat pump or air conditioner, it does increase the overall efficiency of the HVAC system by directing heating or cooling only where needed.

To learn more about energy-efficient HVAC products and how to install a zoning system in your home, call (800) 910-YORK.

Joyce Delgado Joins Jack Conway Realtors

Joyce Delgado of Quincy has joined Jack Conway & Co. Realtors as an agent in their Beale Street office in Wollaston.

Delgado has been working in the office part-time for the past year, and said she has found a new career.

"Jack's reputation in the community and the outstanding service given by the company to its customers convinced me to make this my full-time job," she said.

Delgado is active with Meals on Wheels, and is also a past board member of Quincy Youth Baseball. In addition, she is past president of the North Quincy High School Baseball Boosters.

Prior to joining Conway Co., Delgado worked in Human Resources in the state Attorney General's Office.

She and her husband Pe-



JOYCE DELGADO

ter have two adult sons.

To contact Joyce Delgado at Jack Conway & Co. Realtors Quincy office please call 1-617-479-1500, or email jdelgado@jackconway.com

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Choosing Home Colors

(NAPS) — Did you know that there are more than 200 shades of blue and more than 100 shades of white? Choosing a paint color can be overwhelming. Fortunately, finding just the right colors for your home can be easy if you follow four tips from the experts:

1. Find your inspiration. Just because you haven't thought about wall colors before doesn't mean you don't have favorites. Start with something you love—a fabric, a pillow or a piece of artwork that you are truly drawn to can serve as the inspiration for decorating.

If you still have no ideas, try the Color Sense Game, an engaging mix of psychology and color science that can help identify and communicate your tastes. It's available from Pittsburgh Paints at www.voiceofcolor.com.

2. It's never just about one color. What you want is a color harmony family that

includes a range of colors.

Do you prefer colors that remind you of the sea, the forest or do you want bold contrast? Decorating requires the interplay of colors and light to be appealing.

3. Choose a collection. Good paint manufacturers have harmonious collections of colors to choose from.

Pittsburgh Paints offers innovative five-color color swatches that provide color opportunities for not only paint, but all the decorating elements in your space.

Use the 60:30:10 ratio of color. Choose a dominant color that will be used on 60 percent of the room (walls, floors, fabric, furniture). Then choose an intermediate color for ceilings, cabinets and smaller furniture. Finally, incorporate one or two accents of the third color (trim and molding, pillows, rugs and accessories).

To create a room of interest and warmth, your decorating palette should appear intentional. To achieve this, each key color must appear at least twice in a décor.

4. Try it on. You wouldn't buy clothing without trying it on so why go out and buy a whole gallon of paint?

Paint manufacturers offer two-ounce trial-size paint samples. That way, you can see what the paint looks like on the wall. These samples can be purchased at retail paint stores or online at www.voiceofcolor.com.

When applying, make sure the test area is clean and dry and remember that some colors may need two coats.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 15

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:44 a.m., 84 Edgemere Rd. To vehicle. Two bottles smashed on top of the car.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:05 a.m., 334 Elmwood Ave. Fires slashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:08 a.m., 338 Elmwood Ave. Fires slashed.

LARCENY, 11:08 a.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Purse just taken, party fled. BOLO given at 11:51 for suspect motor vehicle involved in incident, allegedly credit card used at CVS on Southern Artery. Complaint for larceny.

LARCENY, 12:34 p.m., 1354 Hancock St. Money.

LARCENY, 7:25 p.m., Stop & Shop Supermarket, 495 Southern Artery. Checks. Complaint for larceny by check. Additional charges of uttering and forgery.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:06 p.m., Citizens Bank, 371 Hancock St. Past. Window broken.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:36 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. Front door forced, pry marks around lock, jewelry known missing.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 10:51 p.m., 16 Bates Ave. Dwelling. One white male ran towards backyard; broke window in back leading into the kitchen. Victim only saw white hand coming in window after it was smashed.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 1:31 a.m., South Side Tavern, 731 Liberty St. Business. Caller states he witnessed two males try to throw a brick at a window of Cottage Tavern. Suspect white male, no shirt; caller chased them away. One arrested, second arrest. Both charged with attempted B&E nighttime and malicious damage.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:40 a.m., 136 Quincy St. to car. Mirrors smashed.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:41 a.m., Quincy St. Car mirrors. Have a car check this street for vandalism to motor vehicles. One report already taken, this caller states numerous cars were damaged.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:47 a.m., 31 Berkeley St. Front lawn. Newly put down lawn all torn up.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:42 a.m., 152 Quincy St. Mirror on vehicle broken.

LARCENY, 11:02 a.m., 7 Seaport Dr. Past. Television taken from the club room.

LARCENY, 11:05 a.m., 200 Coveaway. Of checks.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:28 a.m., 55 Dysart St. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 11:28 a.m., Seven-Eleven Store, 678 Adams St. Money.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:56 p.m., 500 Victory Rd. Car. Three tires slashed, car keyed, front end damage left side door. Car was towed out of the marina last night.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 3:03 p.m., 300 Water St. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:40 p.m., Langley Cir. To vehicle. Someone put gum all over his car.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:35 p.m., 18 Deldorf St. Broken lights.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:32 p.m., Baxter St. and Union St. Malicious damage. White male, no shirt, punching a mailbox. Arrested for malicious damage to U.S. Postal mail box at 35 Main St. after foot pursuit, resisting and disorderly as well.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 2:27 a.m., 109 Billings St. Broken window. Front window smashed, rock through window.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:01 a.m., 303 Atlantic St. Just occurred. 1993 Honda Civic, color black.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 10:20 a.m., 42 Cushing St. Vehicle taken sometime last night. 2000 Honda Civic, color blue.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 4:33 p.m., 50 Victoria Rd. Past; not clear if an attempt.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:13 p.m., 88 Taffrail Rd. Past.

LARCENY, 9:44 p.m., Irish Pub, 51 Billings Rd. \$800 cash.

ARMED ROBBERY, 9:55 p.m., Settles Glass Co., Inc., 196 Washington St. By knife.

MONDAY, JUNE 18

ARMED ROBBERY, 3:06 a.m., Tedeschi's Food Shop, 230 Washington St. One arrest for armed robbery and trespassing.

LARCENY, 6:29 a.m., Dunkin' Donuts, 543 Southern Artery. Past.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 1:33 p.m., 2 City View Ln. In progress. White male, t-shirt, medium build, 6'0 tall.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:40 p.m., 140 Quincy Ave. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:10 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:59 p.m., 169 Everett St. to property.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 1:50 a.m., 18 Earle St. States she played possum while house was robbed; believe the suspect is gone.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 4:11 a.m., 63 Hollis Ave. Dwelling. Thinks purse was tampered with. Break did occur.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:41 a.m., 83 Tyler St. Dwelling. Climbed through window with ladder.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 6:32 a.m., 125 Newbury Ave. Phone and wallet in the motor vehicle. Taken overnight from the street parking. 2000 Acura Integra, color black.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 9:09 a.m., Quirk Nissan, 600 Southern Artery. Past. 2007 Nissan Sentra, color blue.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:44 a.m., Atlantic Appliance, 350 Washington St. Window smashed over the weekend. Also,

someone pulled branches off the trees out front.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PROGRESS, 12:14 p.m., 2 City View Ln. In progress. A white male, brown hair, crew cut, in his 30s, suspect fled area. Plaid shorts, white t-shirt. One under arrest.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:09 p.m., 79 Presidential Dr. Dwelling.

LARCENY, 3:12 p.m., 419 Quincy Shore Dr. Checks.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 3:54 p.m., 45 School St. 2005 Ford 500, color black.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 7:19 p.m., 2 City View Ln. Dwelling. No entry, unit already in another report.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/ATTEMPT, 8:19 p.m., 455 Sea St. Dwelling.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 10:22 p.m., 41 Taffrail Rd. Dwelling.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 7:20 a.m., South Shore Savings Bank, 370 Quincy Ave. Tagging. Building tagged; doors in the back were tagged.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 8:02 a.m., 200 Falls Blvd. 2002 Yamaha YZ4R1 motorcycle, color black.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:32 p.m., Manet Community Health Center, 1193 Sea St. On going.

LARCENY, 1:09 p.m., Marina Bay, 542 East Squantum St. On his boat.

LARCENY, 1:34 p.m., 33 Totman St. Past.

LARCENY, 1:37 p.m., 318 Hancock St. Past. Ipod Nano stolen on June 4.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:35 p.m., 1000 Southern Artery. To motor vehicle. A beige car with yellow spray paint.

LARCENY, 5:56 p.m., Fajitas Ritas, 1237 Hancock St. On bill. Three youths ran out on the bill; one party stopped on scene. Parent called, paid bill.

LARCENY, 6 p.m., Roseliff Apartments, 826 Willard St. Credit card.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 11:47 p.m., Kilroy's, 132 East

Spam Scams

Spam email is like coming home from a long day's work to a bunch of uninvited guests in your living room. It's annoying and if you're not careful, you may get fooled into one of the "Spam Scams." Most of the offers are for items you probably don't need. For example, medications like Viagra or employment opportunities show up on children's emails. Emails for free gift cards, (they want to confirm your email address to send more emails) and insurance companies are part of the continuous bombardment.

I recently received an email from a Canadian online pharmacy, advertising medicines much cheaper than in the U.S.. Was this offer too good to be true? I researched this particular company online by "Googleing" and came up with many angry people and websites stating that this was a spam scam. This is what a Vancouver website has to say about this type of scam:

Overseas internet companies (and possibly some companies from within the USA) have been email marketing their pharmacy products to American citizens... and here's the scam: they are pretending to be Canadian Online Internet Pharmacies, when in fact they are not. The scam works like this: (A) The scam artist sends emails touting his/her online pharmaceuticals. (B) The email is disguised to make it look like it's originating from a Canadian Web Site. (C) The scam artist makes it very difficult for the reader to see that the email is not coming from the purported Canadian Web Site. (D) When the reader clicks on the link to go to the web site... it actually takes them to an overseas web site (so far, most of the one's I've seen point to European web sites). (E) The scam artist not only makes it very difficult for the reader to see actually where the email is truly originating from... but the scam artist also makes it very difficult for the reader to actually see the true location/ownership of the web site. The dangers of purchasing products from these phony pharmacies is obvious; you don't know who your really dealing with, and you don't know what you're really purchasing. If these scam artists were willing to fraudulently pose as a Canadian Internet Pharmacy, they probably wouldn't be too averse to shipping you fraudulent product either.

When purchasing your medication online, be sure to confirm it is a legitimate company. Applying or ingesting medication bogus or wrong medication is dangerous! How do these companies get your personal information? Usually, you give it to them inadvertently. When installing free programs downloaded from the Internet like many of the "Browser Toolbars" or other additions to your web browser, these additional programs install spyware without your knowledge. Spyware applications then watch what websites you go to, can even record and store information you type into forms and then report this back to a third party you never knew about. This third party is then free to sell your information to others or email/mail you directly themselves.

In order to stop receiving these types of emails, I had tried to create a filter but somehow, it still let through junk email. I have since used a Gmail (Google) account, which has sent me two unfiltered spam messages in the year that I have had it. If any spam does come through, it sends it to a "Spam" folder, which you can go through and check out if you want just in case something got filtered out of your inbox that shouldn't have (which was never the case with me). You can also just delete all of the spam at once without even going through the messages at all. If you can't fix the spam from entering your email and want to do something about it, contact your email provider or your Internet service provider for help. If you would like to read what others have to say, check out <http://www.topix.net/forum/news/spam> or you can search the forums at [HYPERLINK "http://www.techguy.com"](http://www.techguy.com) www.techguy.com to see how serious this problem has become.

By NATALIE VALENTE
Quincy Police Intern/UMASS Boston

Howard St. To motor vehicle. Rear window was smashed sometime night.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

LARCENY, 12:26 a.m., Fuji Restaurant, 1546 Hancock St. Of services. Arrangements made to pay restitution.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 2:41 a.m., Adams Service Station, 19 Independence Ave. Recovered. 1997 Chevy Lumina, color gray.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 2:52 a.m., 31 Bin-nacle Ln. Dwelling. Sometime between 10 a.m. June 20 and 1 a.m. today robbed for the fifth time.

LARCENY, 8:15 a.m., North Quincy High School, 318 Hancock St. Of wallet. Happened on Sunday, June 17. Was here for a competition. License, credit cards, etc., \$70 in cash. Caller in Kingston at time of call.

LARCENY, 8:32 a.m., 109 Oxenbridge Rd. Possible.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 10:16 a.m., 305 Washington St. To motor vehicle. Rear mirror kicked off.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 11:15 a.m., 168 West Elm Ave. Dwelling. Happened on Sunday; didn't realize anything was missing until now.

LARCENY, 12:40 p.m., Henry's Root Beer Stand, 68 Newport Ave. Child's ride stolen.

LARCENY, 2:16 p.m., 29 Miller Stile Rd. Money taken from apartment.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:17 p.m., 60 Lancaster St. Car was keyed at above location; right side of vehicle keyed.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 5:16 p.m., 72 South Walnut St. 2002 Dodge Dakota pickup, color green.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 5:40 p.m., 11 Abigail Ave. Past.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:13 p.m., Fenno St. and Hancock St. To motor vehicle. Vehicle was struck by rocks and damaged.

BREAKING AND ENTERING/PAST, 8:10 p.m., 19 Macy St. Dwelling. Video machine and dishes taken.

LARCENY/MOTOR VEHICLE, 11:12 p.m., 18 Main St. 2000 Chevy Tahoe, color black.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:44 a.m., 105 Liberty St. House egged last two nights.

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If you have information on the above crimes, or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764. If you wish to report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. If you wish to make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective Cindy Walsh at 617-745-5751.

If you wish to contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail address is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

A Job Well Done

On Thursday, June 14, 2007, at approximately 9:45 a.m., Officers Michael Duran and Dennis Keenan were dispatched to Edinboro Road on "a report of a possible breaking and entering in progress."

Enroute to the address, the dispatcher informed the officers that an unknown female caller stated the name of a female attempting to break into a side door. The officers recognized the name of the female suspect from past incidents and were aware that she had two outstanding warrants.

As the officers neared the address, the dispatcher learned from the caller that the suspect just left in a brown Corolla. Officer Duran saw the suspect vehicle at the opposite end of the street and quickly caught up to it, then pulled alongside to see that the female suspect was in the car. The suspect vehicle was stopped on Washington Street near River Street and the suspect was asked to step out of the vehicle.

Once she did this, she was immediately handcuffed and informed of the two warrants. The officers told the female suspect that they were there to investigate a possible break-in. The suspect said that the house was her mother's and had permission to be inside. She then provided Officer Duran with her mother's phone number so that the mother could clear up the matter.

As Officer Duran was about to call, Officer Keenan found three Century Bank checks from the mother's checking account hanging out of the front sweatshirt pocket of the suspect! Officer Duran learned from the mother that her daughter sometimes stops by the house to do her laundry, but was not to be in the house for any other reason.

When told about the checks, the mother said that her daughter was not supposed to have the checks in her possession. She did not want her daughter arrested but did want the checks confiscated. After transporting the suspect to the station, the checks were shredded by Officer Keenan.

Officer Duran checked the suspect's pocketbook and found two Adderall pills and one Klonopin pill wrapped in plastic wrap and not in a prescription bottle. The female suspect, a 31-year-old Quincy resident, was charged with the warrants. Possession of Class C (Klonopin) and Possession of Class E (Adderall). Officer Duran conducted a check of the operator's Drivers license, which showed that his license was revoked, so the 43-year-old Quincy resident was also placed under arrest.

Nice Work!



LT. DAN MINTON

Phelan Committee Trades Campaign Signs For Community Service

Mayor William Phelan has asked his campaign volunteers to forgo periodic sign-holdings, in order to perform community service in Quincy.

The campaign will perform major community service projects twice a month during the campaign season in place of scheduled sign-holdings, he said.

"It occurred to me during a recent sign-holding in Norfolk Downs that we have 50 or so talented, community-minded people standing alongside a road for two hours when we could have been doing something more positive for our community," said Phelan. "I broached the idea with our volunteers and they loved it. We will now put our talented team to do great work in our neighborhoods, and with our seniors and non-profit groups."

The campaign will still

conduct weekly visibilities at various sites throughout the city. The community service will replace one of the three regularly scheduled sign-holdings every other week.

"I am fortunate to be surrounded by people who love this city and share my desire to constantly make it better," added Phelan. "The campaign community service is a new idea and a little different, but I believe it will make Quincy a better place to live and that's what my campaign is all about."

The committee is compiling a list of service projects and there is limited space for additional projects. If you are a non-profit, a garden club,

or other organization in need, call the Phelan Campaign Headquarters at (617) 328-3111. Availability is limited.

"We are conscious of the difference between community service and taking work away from honest, hard-working people," said Phelan. "Our projects are being planned with that sensitivity in mind. There's a lot of good that we can accomplish with the great, community-minded folks we have volunteering on the Phelan campaign."

For more information, call the Phelan Campaign Headquarters at (617) 328-3111.



SERGEANT AT ARMS Tom Stansbury of the Quincy Veterans Council (QVC) demonstrates the proper way to dispose of a worn out American flag by burning it in a respectful manner prior to Flag Day ceremonies at the Quincy Elks Lodge. In the background is Ken Menz of the QVC and the color guard from the Morrisette American Legion Post 294.

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SPOTLIGHT ON HEALTH & FITNESS



by Andrea Wyatt
M.S.S., C.S.C.S.

Vacation Fitness

Q. I am planning to take several vacations this summer. Recently I have started seeing good results from my workout routine, and I don't want to lose my momentum. How can I modify my fitness program so I don't slip backward while I am on vacation?

A. Vacations are a time for relaxation and fun, which may make fitting in 30 minutes to complete your abdominal routine quite challenging, not to mention boring. This challenge can be met and conquered through creative thinking and planning. Staying motivated and focused on your workout routine while on vacation can be as easy as developing a plan ahead of time. You have worked hard, and now it is time to play hard. All you have worked toward will not be lost while on vacation.

Let your body show you what it has learned. Each workout that you have completed has taught your heart, bones and muscles to become stronger and more equipped to deal with the activities of everyday life.

You may notice that you are able to handle your luggage with ease, rush through the airport without getting out of breath, or take part in a hike or sightseeing tour that would have previously exhausted you. Those examples test your body on what you have been teaching it.

Although this may not seem like a structured workout, remember that part of becoming fit is allowing what you do in the gym to be demonstrated somewhere in your daily life.

Look for physical activities to participate in while on vacation. Find activities such as a biking tour, swimming, canoeing, tennis or even walking on the beach to keep your body moving. Allow this time for your body to experience different forms of exercise. You may find that you wouldn't mind adding some these activities to your fitness plan when you return home.

Inquire about a fitness facility at your hotel or resort. If you would like to continue with your current program while away, ask what type of fitness amenities are available. Knowing that there will be a treadmill waiting for you upon arrival may make for a smooth transition. If there is no fitness facility on premise, inquire about any nearby that you make be able to pay a guest fee to attend.

Relax, have fun and enjoy that change to your normal schedule. Your body will appreciate it.

Always consult a physician before beginning an exercise program. If you have a fitness or training question, e-mail Andrea at letters.kfws@hearstsc.com or write her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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At Quincy Farmers' Market July 6, Aug. 3

Lions Club Eyemobile To Offer Free Vision, Health Screenings

The Lions Club Eyemobile will provide free vision, hearing and blood pressure screenings to local residents July 6 and August 3 at the Quincy Farmers' Market.

Sponsored by the Quincy Lions Club, the Eyemobile screenings will be offered on both those days during the popular Friday Farmers' Market, which operates from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Hancock Parking Lot in Quincy Center (across from Quincy District Courthouse.)

With more than 1.4 million members around the world, Lions Clubs International is the largest service organization in the world. The Quincy Lions Club has been serving the local community for more than 60 years.



LIONS CLUB EYEMOBILE

Through such fundraising events as the pancake breakfast and its spring Run/Walk for Sight, the Quincy Lions

Club raises thousands of dollars each year for eye research, scholarships to local high school students, dona-

tions to help blind or visually impaired residents and other worthwhile community projects.

The Sun And Skin Cancer: A Year-Round Concern?

(NAPS) - Looks can be deceiving.

If it is not 90 degrees and sunny outside, using sunscreen may be the last thing on your mind. Yet, with skin cancer on the rise at an alarming rate in the United States, with one in three cancers skin cancer, sun protection needs to be top of the mind, year-round.

"As a pathologist, I know that most types of skin cancer can be treated successfully if caught in the early stages," said Margaret H. Neal, M.D., FACP, a board-certified pathologist in Tallahassee, Fla. "However, when skin cancer remains undetected, it can lead to serious and sometimes fatal results."

Pathologists, physicians who examine tissues and fluids to diagnose skin cancer

and other diseases, urge patients to alert their primary care physicians to any warning signs that may indicate a potential problem.

The three most common types of skin cancer are melanoma, basal cell carcinoma and squamous cell carcinoma. Cases of melanoma, the most aggressive form of skin cancer, have increased over the past 10 years more rapidly than any other form of cancer, with more than 50,000 cases reported each year. Basal cell carcinoma is the most common of all cancers, affecting 800,000 Americans each year.

Symptoms And Treatment

While these three types of skin cancer can vary greatly, each of them can be

successfully treated when detected early. Some symptoms seem harmless and are too often ignored. According to the College of American Pathologists, possible symptoms may include changes in a mole or pigmented area, including variations in size, shape, height or color of moles, nonhealing sores, reddish patches similar to psoriasis, a shiny bump, pink growth or scarred area.

Early Detection Important

If cancer is suspected, your primary care doctor or specialist will take a biopsy. A pathologist will then examine those damaged cells and work with your primary doctor or specialist to determine the best possible

treatment options for you. Treatments vary based on diagnosis, from topical medications to surgery or radiation.

Early detection can save your life. "As a physician who diagnoses cancer regularly, I urge you to make regular appointments with your specialist based on your skin type, risk factors and family medical history," says Dr. Neal.

It is important to remember that skin damage happens year-round. The best defense against skin cancer is to stay out of the sun, in any season. But if that is not possible, always use sunscreen.

Visit www.MyBiopsy.org for additional information.

DENTISTRY for the 21st Century

by Steven A. Brustin, D.M.D.

SWEET!

Is it possible to reduce the occurrence of tooth decay and chew gum at the same time? The answer is "yes," as long as you chew sugarless gum with a natural sweetener called xylitol. This artificial sweetener, a natural sugar alcohol, is an extract derived from the bark of trees. It is also found in small quantities in raspberries, strawberries, plums, corn, endive, and mushrooms. Xylitol keeps the bacteria in the mouth that cause plaque (most notably, Streptococcus mutans) from sticking to the surface of the teeth. As a result of reducing the amount of bacteria-laden plaque, xylitol helps prevent new cavities from forming. This makes sugarless gum with xylitol a good choice for chewing, especially after meals.

What kind of, if any, gum do you chew? Our mission is to treat every person coming to us for dental care as if they were

the only person in our practice. We will strive to produce superb, comprehensive dentistry in a time frame that is appropriate for each individual. Our promise to you is that we will accomplish this in a non-threatening, relaxed and trustworthy environment. You'll find our staff to be both friendly and knowledgeable. We invite you to call 617-479-6220 to schedule an appointment. We are dedicated to your oral health and offer a variety of procedures to help achieve a beautiful smile. Our office is located at 44 Greenfield Street. We offer the services of anesthesiology with a fully trained and qualified anesthesiologist. Visit us on the web at www.quincydentist.com.

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The American Red Cross of Massachusetts Bay is offering the following courses July 5-14 at its South Area office, 1495 Hancock St., Quincy.

CPR for the Professional Rescuer Review: July 5 from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$60. Prerequisite: Current certification in CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

Adult CPR/AED: July 6 from 1-5:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Adult, Infant & Child CPR & First Aid: July 7 from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Cost is \$80. This course teaches rescue breathing, choking and CPR for adults and

children of all ages. Also, bleeding, shock, poisoning and other common first aid emergencies.

Adult CPR/AED Review: July 9 from 6-8:30 p.m. Cost is \$50. Prerequisite: Current certification in Adult CPR/AED.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: July 10 and July 17 (two sessions) from 6-9:30 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

Adult CPR/AED: July 12

from 6-10:30 p.m. Cost is \$55. This course teaches bleeding, first aid for choking and CPR for victims over eight years of age.

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid: July 14 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Cost is \$75. Completion of this course awards a CPR certificate valid for one year and a First Aid certificate valid for three years.

Note: Preregistration is required for all courses. Call (617) 770-2600, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. for more information.

SPORTS

Four Numbers Retired In Memory Of Patrick White, Dennis Thomson, Joseph Conte and John O'Connell

Quincy Cruises To 7-2 Win Over Morrisette

By SEAN BRENNAN

On Monday night at Adams Field, the players and coaches of Quincy Post 95 and Morrisette Post, along with the Quincy Park and Recreation Department and friends, family and fans honored the memory of the late Patrick White, Dennis Thomson, Joseph Conte and John O'Connell in a moving ceremony before the game.

All four men were remembered for their love of the game of baseball, the camaraderie they all shared with teammates and coaches and the love they all had for their family and friends.

In a heart-touching conclusion, all four had their uniform numbers retired on the right field fence. Numbers: 7 (White), 8 (Thomson), 22 (Conte) and 33 (O'Connell) will line the fence for all ballplayers, young and old, to forever remember in the years to come.

When the game got underway, Quincy Post 95 (7-1)-struck first. Playing as the visitors, Post 95's Mike Jay and John Alexander had back-to-back singles and both would eventually come around to score on a passed ball and a Tom Conley RBI sacrifice fly to give Post 95 the early 2-0 lead.

Morrisette (4-4-1) came right back in the bottom of the first to cut the deficit in half. Joe Garland led off the inning with a walk, and after Joe Vialpando popped to second, Ricky Salvucci singled sending Garland to third. Shortstop John Orlando's force out scored Garland and the score was 2-1 after one inning.

Morrisette starting pitcher Glen Misho (7 inn, 9 hits, 7 runs, 4 Ks, 4 BBs, L) settled down in the second. After

LEGION BASEBALL

hitting Dan Richards with a pitch to start the frame, Misho set down Tom Power, Jay Lewis and Mike Leone 1-2-3.

In the bottom of the second, Morrisette would have what would turn out to be their best shot at rattling Quincy Post 95 starting pitcher Jared Kenney (7 inn, 9 hits, 2 runs, 4 Ks, 4 BBs, W), but a big double play ended that threat.

Jonathon Pelletier grounded to second for the first out, but Kenney followed that by issuing a free pass to Steve Sullivan. With Sullivan on first, Matt Rodriguez hit a one-bouncer right back to Kenney on the mound. Kenney's throw to second was off the mark, and Morrisette had first and second with just one out.

Number nine hitter John Ainsley hit a bullet to third on Kenney's next pitch, but third baseman John Alexander stepped on third and threw to first, double-play, inning over.

Quincy Post would add one more run in the top of the third. Alexander singled with one out, stole second, and took third on a passed ball and Tom Conley (1-for-2, 2 RBI, BB) knocked in him with a RBI single to right. Mike Horgan lined into a double play to end the inning.

In the bottom of the fourth, with Quincy Post 95 clinging to a 3-1 lead, Morrisette's Steve Connolly singled to right to lead off the inning. After a Jon Pelletier flyout to right, Steve Sullivan walked putting runners on first and second with one out. Matt Rodriguez followed with another long fly ball to left, and with two outs and two on

things got interesting.

Number nine hitter John Ainsley smacked a line drive into right field that looked like it was trapped in the outfield. With the runners off on contact, Morrisette plated two runs and the game was tied at 3-3. But the men in blue saw it differently. After a meeting between the two umpires, they decided that the ball had been caught, and the runs would not count.

With the score 3-1 in the top of the sixth, Quincy Post 95 put the game away by scoring three times with two outs. After Richards and Power failed to reach base, Jay Lewis drew a two-out walk. Leadoff man Mike Leone followed with a single on a close play at first, and Mike Jay scored Lewis with a double.

John Alexander blasted a two-run double off the right field fence scoring Leone and Jay. Alexander hurt himself rounding second (twisted ankle) and had to be removed from the game, but the damage was done.

Morrisette would score one more time in the bottom of the seventh on a Steve Connolly RBI single, but Kenney struck out Pelletier to end the game.

"Jared Kenney pitched a great game," said Quincy Post 95 manager Dan Sweeney. "He was the star of the game. He was helped by the solid defense behind him. Morrisette is a talented team and we will need to be on top of our game when we play them again this Saturday."

Quincy Post 95 and Morrisette will play again this Saturday beginning 8 p.m. at Adams Field.

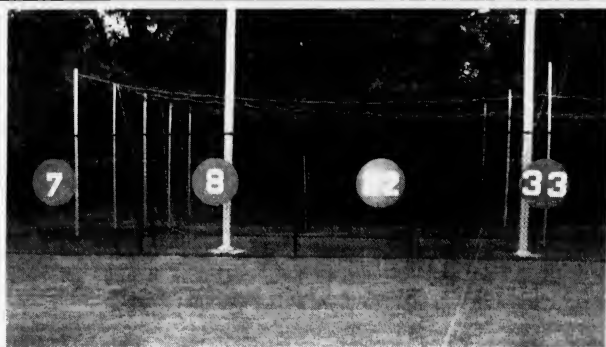
with registration on Friday, July 13 from 7 to 9 p.m.

Pre-registration forms are available at the Squantum Yacht Club, 646 Quincy Shore Drive, Wollaston Beach, or by calling Don McGilvray at (617) 328-5730; or at the SYC Web site, www.squantumyc.org.

Basketball at Quincy High Vo-Tech Gym and soccer at Joy Hanlon Field in Quincy Point will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$95 per

week.

For more information, call Director Rich Hanlon at (617) 827-8697.



THE RETIRED JERSEY NUMBERS of Patrick White (#7), Dennis Thomson (#8), Joseph Conte (#22) and John "Okie" O'Connell (#33) were unveiled on the right field fence at Adams Field during a moving ceremony before Monday night's Quincy Post 95 and Morrisette Post American Legion baseball game.

Quincy Sun photo/Sean Brennan

Morrisette Edges Holbrook, Bows To Braintree

By DOMENIC POLI

Morrisette Legion dropped to 3-3-1 after being on the receiving end of a 6-0 game against Braintree Post 86 Friday night.

A feeling that nothing would go right swept through the Morrisette bench after being struck with an omen in the top of the first inning.

After starting pitcher Steve Connolly allowed Braintree's first batter, Tom Huddleston, to single into left field and then hit the next batter, Dan Gausnar, with a pitch, Morrisette coaches knew something was wrong.

Connolly was forced out of the game with pain in his arm.

Ray Cattaneo, Morrisette's manager, said the area around Connolly's elbow hurt from being hit by a pitch the day before in a game against Canton.

"It's nothing internal. It just hurts where he got hit," Cattaneo said.

Morrisette coach Mark Vialpando removed Connolly and brought in Mike Joyce from off the bench.

Joyce then let the next hitter, Brendan Wheeler, punch a single to right to load the bases.

When a pitch got by catcher Matt Rodriguez to the backstop, Huddleston crossed the plate to give his team a 1-0 lead.

Some solid defense would end the threat, however.

On a high-chopper to the right side, Steve Sullivan timed his leap perfectly, pulling

ing the ball out of the sky and firing it home to get the force out.

Then, Chris Dominguez knocked a fly ball to right. Jonathan Pelletier settled under it for the second out and hurled it to the plate to prevent a tag-up. His pinpoint throw kept the runner at third.

Another fly ball to Pelletier ended the inning on the next at-bat.

But the Morrisette bats were quiet — as they would be for the whole game — in its half of the frame.

After Braintree got another run in the second inning, the scoreboard did not get much of a workout the next two innings.

In the fourth, Huddleston lead things off with a single. Gausnar then reached on an error by the pitcher. A blast to the outfield fence by Wheeler brought Huddleston and Gausnar to score, making it 4-0.

A sacrifice by Kevin Lyons moved Wheeler to third, where he was driven in with a double by Dominguez. Braintree kept the trend going as another double scored Dominguez to increase the score to 6-0.

"[Braintree is] a hell of a hitting team," Vialpando said. "And Joyce isn't a fastball pitcher — he's more of a offspeed pitcher and he's got a curveball and I think he just hung a few up there. And it's just a great hitting team."

When the Morrisette sticks remained silent for the rest of the game, Braintree wrapped up the shutout victory.

tory.

Despite not coming away with a 'W', Vialpando said he still saw some positive things from his team.

"Joe Garland made a nice shoestring catch on a line [drive] in left field and Johnny Orlando was just stellar at shortstop — he's like clockwork out there," he said.

He added that the game was not a total bust — that he saw some positive things from his team and that soon the ball will bounce back in his team's favor.

"We had that one bad inning. If we don't have that inning we're looking at a 2-0 game here. Things can change on a dime in this game," he said. "But, that's baseball."

On Sunday, Morrisette scored a 7-6 victory over Holbrook Post. With the victory, Morrisette ran its record to 4-3-1.

Steve Connolly (2-1-1) was the winning pitcher. He allowed five runs on 12 hits, while striking out five batters.

Morrisette trailed 6-3 entering the top of the seventh, but pinch hitter Mike Joyce drew a walk, Joe Vialpando singled and Ricky Salvucci reached base via a hit batsman to load the bases with no outs.

John Orlando capitalized on a bad pitch, knocking in two runs with a double and Jon Pelletier scored Salvucci and Orlando with a two-run triple.

Steve Sullivan finished the game 2-for-3.

Fifth Annual James P. Kenney III Fishing Derby Friday, Saturday

The 5th Annual James P. Kenney III Fishing Derby will take place Friday evening through Saturday morning (June 29-30) to benefit the scholarship fund in memory of Jim Kenney III.

The scholarship fund benefits Quincy residents at both high schools and at the

college level. Students who are or will be pursuing degrees in maritime or environmental studies are eligible.

All scholarship applications are available at the Quincy Yacht Club (for members) or by contacting the Kenney family at (617) 479-4995 or Dan Kenney at (617) 786-9067.

The derby will begin at the QYC's Maritime Center beginning at 6 p.m. on Friday through the night and will end at 12 noon on Saturday.

After the fishing is completed, there will be a cookout at 1 p.m. and four scholarships will be presented.

Basketball, Soccer Programs For Boys, Girls

Joy's Sports Programs will hold basketball and soccer programs for boys and girls age 7 to 14 beginning Monday, July 9.

OBITUARIES

Mary A. DiScipio, 95 Floral Designer

A funeral Mass for Mary A. (Peluso) DiScipio, 95, of Quincy, a former floral designer, was celebrated Wednesday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mrs. DiScipio died June 23 at Quincy Medical Center.

Born in Lynn, she attended Essex County Agricultural School for floral design.

She worked as a floral designer in nurseries in Lexington and on the North Shore. She was an instructor at the North Shore Shopping Center.

Mrs. DiScipio owned Shadow Box, a craft shop in Peabody. She was also a professional seamstress.

She enjoyed reading and gardening.



MARY A. DISCIPIO

Wife of the late Benjamin DiScipio, she is survived by a daughter, Julie M. DiScipio of Quincy; a sister, Olivia O'Connor of Hardwick; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was the mother of the late Benjamin DiScipio.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, Wollaston.

Mary R. DeVasto, 84 Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Mary R. (McCarthy) DeVasto, 84, of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated June 23 at St. Joseph's Church, Quincy Point.

Mrs. DeVasto died June 18 at Southwood at Norwell Nursing Center.

Born in Boston, she lived in Quincy for 34 years. She enjoyed bowling.

She is survived by her husband of 62 years, Philip DeVasto; two daughters, Genevieve DeVasto of Weymouth and Kathleen DeVasto of Weymouth; a son, Philip DeVasto Jr. of Weymouth; a sister, Anne McConiates of Boston; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



MARY R. DEVASTO

Burial was in St. Paul Cemetery, Hingham.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Arthritis Foundation, MA Chapter, 29 Crafts St., Newton, MA 02458.

Charles A. Sarruda, 88 Retired Tool And Die Maker

A funeral Mass for Charles A. Sarruda, 88, of Yarmouth, formerly of Quincy, a retired tool and die maker, was celebrated June 22 at St. Catherine's Greek Orthodox Church, Braintree.

Mr. Sarruda died June 17 at Brigham & Women's Hospital.

He worked for Metropolitan Machine in Medfield for 40 years. He retired in 1984.

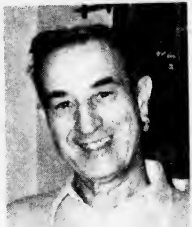
He served in the Navy during World War II.

Born in Boston, he had lived in Braintree for many years. He lived in Yarmouth for more than 25 years.

Mr. Sarruda was a founding member of St. Catherine's Greek Orthodox Church in Quincy. He was a member of American Hellenic Education Progressive Association at St. George's Church in Hyannis.

He enjoyed bowling, camping and golfing.

He is survived by his wife, Marie Sarruda; three sons, Allan Sarruda of Weymouth, Thomas Sarruda of Florida and Michael Sarruda of Hanover; a daughter, Cynthia



CHARLES A. SARRUDA

Delpidio of Boston; a stepson, John Ampolos of California; two stepdaughters, Venita Yeragotelis and Elaine Couture of Braintree; two sisters, Mary Sikalis of Cape Cod and Bess Roby of Yarmouth, Fla.; 14 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Catherine's Greek Orthodox Church, 119 Common St., Braintree, MA 02184.

Linda J. Deery, 50

A memorial Mass for Linda Jane Deery, 50, of Boca Raton, Fla., formerly of Quincy, was celebrated June 22 at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, 1000 Sea St., Quincy.

Mrs. Deery died June 2 in Boca Raton after a long illness.

She worked for Motorola and Siemens.

She was a graduate of Quincy College and Florida Atlantic University. She was a member of the Junior League of Boca Raton.

She is survived by her husband, Terry Jennings; her parents, John and Jane (O'Neil) Deery of Quincy; six brothers, John Deery of Stoughton, Patrick Deery and Neil Deery of Weymouth, Christopher Deery of Cambridge, and Hugh Deery and Joseph Deery of Quincy; three sisters, Mary Mattioli of Marlboro, Julie Berberan of Quincy, and Susan Kelleher of Boca Raton; and 26 nieces and nephews.

Cremation was at All County Funeral Home and Crematory, Lake Worth, Fla.

James M. Sumner IV, 37

A memorial service for James M. Sumner IV, 37, of Quincy, a chef, was held June 23 at Immanuel Baptist Church, Brockton.

Mr. Sumner died June 9 at home.

He worked at several Brockton area restaurants.

Born in South Weymouth, he graduated from Brockton High School.

He is survived by a son, Joshua Sumner of Braintree; a daughter, Ashley Randall of North Dakota; and a sister, Maureen Hashani of Plympton.

Burial was private.

Funeral arrangements were made by Chapman, Cole & Gleason Funeral Home, Milton.

James G. Triglia, 74 Norfolk County Deputy Sheriff, Owner Of Johnson's Motor Parts

A funeral Mass for James Gaetano Triglia, 74, of Quincy and Haverock, a former Norfolk County deputy sheriff, was celebrated June 22 at St. Mary's Church, West Quincy.

Mr. Triglia died June 19 at his summer home in Haverock after a brief illness.

He was with the sheriff's department for the last seven years. He was a Quincy police officer for several years and was disabled in the line of duty. He retired in 1970.

Mr. Triglia was the owner and operator of Johnson's Motor Parts in Quincy in Quincy for more than 30 years.

He also worked at the Fore River shipyard in Quincy for several years. In 1960 he graduated from the shipyard's apprentice program.

He had also worked 15 years as a securities and exchange commissioner to sell mutual funds.

Mr. Triglia was co-founder and co-owner for 10 years of the Suffolk Automotive Warehouse in Randolph.

Born and raised in Quincy, he was a 1952 graduate of Quincy High School. He attended Northeastern University.

He was a lifelong Quincy resident.

Mr. Triglia served from 1953 to 1955 in the Navy during the Korean War.

He was an active member of St. Mary's Parish in West Quincy. He served as a Eucharistic minister, lector and was a member of the parish pastoral council for several years.



JAMES G. TRIGLIA

years. He and his wife were also active in the Cursillo movement.

He enjoyed golf and was on the advisory committee for Granite Links Golf Club. He was a member of Marshfield Country Club for 24 years.

Mr. Triglia was a member of Morrisette American Legion Post in Quincy and Rotary Club. He was past president of South Haverock Civic Association.

Mr. Triglia was also active in Quincy Youth Hockey and Boy Scouts.

He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Elizabeth (Johnson) Triglia; two daughters, Elizabeth Pollara of Marshfield and Anita Kintigos of Weymouth; a son, James Triglia of Quincy; a sister, Norma "Tina" Assad of Quincy; eight grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, West Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Saint Mary's Parish, c/o 95 Crescent St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Doris A. Furrier, 76

A funeral Mass for Doris A. (Ruel) Furrier, 76, of Naples, Fla., formerly of Quincy, a retired registered nurse, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at St. Thomas More Church, 8 Hawthorn Rd., Braintree.

Mrs. Furrier died June 23 in Naples.

She worked as head nurse at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. She was a 1951 graduate of Carney Hospital School of Nursing.

Born in Quincy, she was a 1948 graduate of Sacred

Heart High School in Weymouth.

Mrs. Furrier summered in Hull throughout her life. She had lived in Naples for the past 15 years.

She married her husband, Joseph Furrier, in 1955 at St. Thomas More Church in Braintree.

Mrs. Furrier was an active member of St. Anthony's Church in Northvale, N.J., serving as president of the parish council and coach of St. Anthony's cheerleaders.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by five sons, Paul Furrier of Blacksburg, VA, Joseph Furrier Jr. of Topsfield, William Furrier of Sandy Hook, Conn., Gerald Furrier of Tolland, Conn. and John Furrier of Palo Alto, Calif.; two daughters, Anne Fallon of Nashua, N.H., and Janet Cinar of Weston; a brother, Francis Ruel of Nashua; and 23 grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Paul's Cemetery, Hingham.

Arrangements were made by McMaster Funeral Home, Braintree.



SCOTT DEWART

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"I KNOW NOT WHAT COURSE OTHERS MAY TAKE, BUT AS FOR ME . . . GIVE ME LIBERTY OR GIVE ME DEATH!" . . . Patrick Henry

In 1776 an old man awaited eagerly the word that the Declaration of Independence had been signed. He had been given the duty of ringing a bell to let the citizenry know the news. A small boy sped the message to the old man and the sound of the bell was heard throughout Philadelphia. The last note pealed from the bell in 1835 when a crack appeared. But our Liberty Bell remains a symbol of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Since that time, other cracks have appeared in the society of America. Many have been mended. But on July Fourth each year, Americans should unite to pledge new allegiance and patriotism to the United States of America. . .

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Frank E. Burke, 90

Printer And Composer At Boston Globe

A funeral Mass for Frank E. Burke, 90, of Statesboro, GA, formerly of Florida and Quincy, a retired printer and compositor for The Boston Globe, was celebrated Monday at Holy Trinity Parish in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Quincy.

Mr. Burke died June 20 at E. Georgia Regional Medical Center, Statesboro.

Born in Boston, he was a long-time resident of Quincy.

Mr. Burke served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

He was employed as a printer and compositor for The Boston Globe for more than 20 years. He retired in 1973.

He was a member of the Boston Typographical Union Local #13 and the Franklin Typographical Society.

Mr. Burke was an avid reader, nature lover, and fan of the Boston Red Sox.

Husband of the late Eleanor (MacDonald) Burke, he is survived by a son, Frank E. Burke, Jr. of Holliston; a



FRANK E. BURKE

daughter, Virginia Burke of Monson; five grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

He was the father of the late Gerard J. Burke, Sr.

Burial was in Saint Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Holy Trinity Parish in Blessed Sacrament Church, 1000 Sea St., Quincy, MA 02169.

Walter T. King Jr., 58

Purchasing Manager

A funeral Mass for Walter T. King Jr., 58, of South Boston, formerly of Quincy, a purchasing manager, was celebrated June 23 at Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy. Mr. King died June 19 at home.

He worked at Boston Medical Center for 41 years. He was also a bartender at Town Field Tavern in Dorchester for many years.

Born in Boston, he was raised in Dorchester and was a graduate of English High School in Boston.

He had lived in Quincy before moving to South Boston four years ago.

Mr. King was a former member of the South Boston Knights of Columbus and past president of Affiliated Federated State Municipal Employees Union.

He enjoyed watching and playing golf and taking trips to Maine. He was also a fan of the Boston Red Sox.

He is survived by his former wife, Anne (Conroy)



WALTER T. KING, JR.

King; three sons, Joshua King, Joseph King and Jonathan King of Quincy; two sisters, Margaret Harvey of Orange and Carol King of South Boston.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Kid's Fund of Boston Medical Center, 660 Harrison Ave., Boston, MA 02118.

Frederick G. Nugent, 90

Retired Postal Worker

A funeral Mass for Frederick G. Nugent, 90, of Quincy, a retired postal worker, was celebrated Monday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Mr. Nugent died June 20 at Milton Hospital.

He was an Army Air Forces veteran of World War II. After the war, he worked for the Railway Mail System, which was later incorporated into the U.S. Postal Service. After 33 years, he retired in 1980 from the South Postal Annex in Boston.

Mr. Nugent was born and raised in the Neponset section of Dorchester. He graduated from Dorchester High School and joined the Civilian Conservation Corps.

He enlisted in the Air Forces and was severely burned during a combat mission in New Guinea.

He married his wife of 60 years, Rita (Kernan) Nugent, and they moved to Quincy in 1955.

Mr. Nugent was an avid golfer and enjoyed telling stories. He was a fan of the Boston Red Sox. He was also



FREDERICK G. NUGENT

a skilled bowler and was a member of a bowling league.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Carol Gauthier of Quincy; a son, Robert Nugent of Weymouth; five grandchildren; a great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to 1000 Southern Artery Memorial Fund, 1000 Southern Artery, Quincy, MA 02169.

Elise F. Mitchell, 76

Homemaker

A funeral Mass for Elise F. (Hahn) Mitchell, 76, of Pembroke, formerly of Quincy, a homemaker, was celebrated June 23 at St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Mitchell died June 19 at South Shore Hospital after a brief illness.

Born and educated in Wiesbaden, Germany, she came to the United States in 1954 and lived in Hyde Park. She had lived in Quincy for 18 years before moving to Pembroke 32 years ago.

Mrs. Mitchell enjoyed gardening and flowers and loved animals, especially dogs.

She is survived by her husband of 53 years, William Mitchell; a son, James Mitchell of Plymouth; a daughter, Michelle Mitchell of Quincy; a brother, Herman



ELISE F. MITCHELL

Hahn of Stetson, Maine; a granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Massachusetts Humane Society, 319 Longwood Ave., Boston, MA 02115.

Eleanor R. Pendleton, 90

Retired Dietitian

A funeral Mass for Eleanor R. Pendleton, 90, of North Weymouth, a retired dietitian, was celebrated Monday in Saint Jerome's Church, 632 Bridge St., Weymouth.

Mrs. Pendleton died June 22 at home after a long illness.

Born in Melrose, she was raised and educated in Everett and Medford schools. She was a graduate of Medford High School. She was also a graduate of Iowa State University.

She had lived in North Weymouth for many years.

Mrs. Pendleton was employed as a dietitian. She began her career at Milton Hospital and had worked many years at Quincy Hospital. She retired in 1982.

She was a member of the Quincy Hospital Ladies Auxiliary and the Scituate Women's Club.

Wife of the late George C. Pendleton, she is survived by five sons, Dean R. Pendleton of Woonsocket, R.I.; Randolph K. Pendleton of East Weymouth; Jerome J. Pendleton of Yarmouth; George C. Pendleton of Weymouth and Martin M. Pendleton of Milford, N.H.; a daughter, Mary M. Bates of Weymouth; 16 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in North Weymouth Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave.,



ELEANOR PENDLETON

Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Beacon Hospice, 15 Allerton St., Boston, MA 02119.

Alice Walsh, 85

Retired Account Processor

A funeral Mass for Alice Walsh, 85, of Quincy, a retired account processor at State Street Bank, was celebrated Wednesday at Sacred Heart Church, 386 Hancock St., North Quincy.

Miss Walsh died Sunday at South Shore Hospital.

She worked at State Street Bank for more than 30 years, retiring in 1977.

She enjoyed traveling. She is survived by a sis-

ter, Mary Symonds of Weymouth; four nieces and three nephews.

Burial was in Old Calvary Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.

Memorial donations may be made to Sacred Heart School, 20 Glover Ave., North Quincy, MA 02171.

Doris T. Finegan, 79

Clerk

A funeral Mass for Doris T. (Boland) Finegan, 79, of Quincy, formerly of Quincy, a retired clerk, will be celebrated today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. at Saint John's Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Finegan died Sunday at Weymouth Health Care Center, Weymouth.

Born in Marlborough, she had lived in Braintree before moving to Quincy 19 years ago.

She was employed as a clerk with the Mass. State Lottery in Braintree for 16 years. She retired in 1992.

Mrs. Finegan is survived by three sons, Michael F. Finegan of Worcester, Stephen J. Finegan of Rockland and James F. Finegan of Mansfield; a daughter, Joyce M. Leary of Delaware; and nine grand-



DORIS T. FINEGAN

children.

Burial will be in Brookdale Cemetery, Dedham.

Visiting hours were Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Wollaston.



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Squantum Faith Community Anniversaries

The Friends of Star of the Sea are celebrating a few anniversaries these days.

On July 2, the Friends will celebrate 91 years since the first Catholic Mass was celebrated in Squantum in 1916.

On July 5, the Friends will celebrate the two-year anniversary since their church was reopened and designated as a chapel of Sacred Heart parish in North Quincy.

The Friends have also been celebrated the one-year anniversary since the Vatican suspended Boston Archbishop Sean O'Malley's decree of suppression against the parish.

"It is very hard to believe that Star of the Sea has already been reopened for two years," said Sean Glennon,

co-chairperson of the Friends of Star of the Sea. "We certainly celebrate the reopening of the church, but we still have much work to do. Personally, I'm very disappointed that in two years, the organ still has not been replaced and that a choir has not been reestablished."

"We are looking forward to a time with the sacraments of baptisms, weddings, and funerals are celebrated again," Glennon said. "It is at these times that we truly come together as a faith community."

The Friends would also like to see religious education classes available to the children in their own neighborhood.

"We look forward to having Sacred Heart provide a

renewed pastoral presence in Squantum," said Maureen Mazrimas, co-chairperson of the Friends of Star of the Sea.

In the meantime, Glennon and Mazrimas stay in regular contact with their canonical advocate in Rome, where their appeal of suppression is currently pending before the Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura.

"It's good to see that the process works and we were rightfully reopened pending resolution by the Vatican," Mazrimas added. "It's sad to think that a vibrant, engaged and prayerful community could be shuttered due to the number of worshippers. In reality, we had no fewer congregants per priest than our welcoming parish."

First Baptist Church Children Activities

First Baptist Church of Wollaston will host two opportunities for young people in the Quincy area this summer.

The Harmony Youth Chorus will be held July 9-13 from 9 a.m. until noon.

Boys and girls of all faiths and cultures who have completed grades 1-7 may register. Cost is \$25 per child or

\$50 per family.

Charles Dillingham from the Braintree Public School's music department will direct the chorus.

A second program, called "Tiny Treasures," will be held Aug. 6-10 from 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. The workshop will be directed by Jan Burton. Boys and girls ages 9-13 may register. Cost per

child is \$20. The group is limited to register early.

Each participant will assemble one end of a castle great hall to create either a storybook room or a wizard's room, making a table, benches, wall hangings and other castle items.

To register or for more information, call the church office at 617-472-0824.

Quincy Community United Methodist

Quincy Community United Methodist Church, 40 Beale St., Wollaston, will have Sunday worship at 10:30 a.m.

The Adult Bible class be-

ings at 9 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Susan J. Jarek-Glidden will conduct the service. Lector will be Ann Giger. Ushers are Jeanne Couillard and Dottie Hall.

Coffee hour hosts are Kathy Emerson, Linda Johnson and Karin Paul.

All are welcome. The church is handicap accessible.

First Church Of Squantum

The First Church of Squantum Book Club will meet Tuesday, July 10 at 7 p.m. in the church parlor, corner of Huckins and Bellevue Rds., Squantum.

The book to be discussed

this month is Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. The book selection for August is *How To Make an American Quilt* written by Whitney Otto.

The book club's August

meeting is Aug. 7.

Anyone with an interest in reading and sharing the ideas contained in the books discussed each month is invited to attend.

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy Center, will have a Sunday Worship, Communion and Baptism and One Room Sunday School at 10 a.m.

Mite Thrift Shop Closes For Summer Friday

The Mite Box Thrift Shop at St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church, 1 Linden St.,

Rev. William C. Harding will conduct the service and preach a sermon entitled "Vision of the Rainbow."

Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers.

Wollaston, will close for the summer Friday, June 29.

The shop will hold its annual "End of the Season" sale

Following the worship service there will be fellowship time in the Allen Parlor where light refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, June 27 through Friday, June 29, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. All items are discounted.

Squantum Christian Fellowship Bible Activities

Squantum Christian Fellowship invites children to its "Avalanche Ranch: A Wild Ride Through God's Word!" July 16-20 at the Squantum School from 9 a.m. to noon.

"This year, our church is a stampede of excitement," says Pastor Mike Fehan. "Our Avalanche Ranch program will provide fund and

memorable Bible activities for kids ages 3-11.

"Each day, they will sing catchy songs, act out a Bible story, enjoy some horseplay, down Chuck Wagon chow, and make a variety of cow-poke crafts. Kids will also collect Memory Buddies daily, and make teddy bears for orphans in needy lands,"

Pastor Fehan said the activities are exciting way for kids to learn more about God's love. "Each day at Showtime Roundup, parents can see a slide show of the kids' activities. We hope this adventure will get everyone wild about God!"

For more information, call Helen at 617-328-8771.

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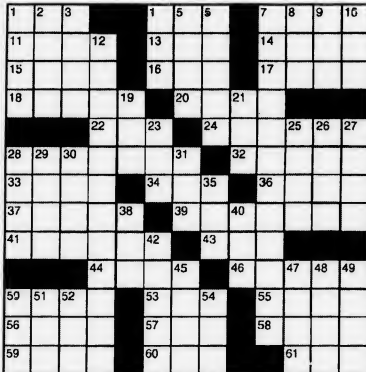
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		Squantum Christian Fellowship 50 Huckins Ave., Squantum 617-773-5878 • Pastor Mike Fehan Sunday Worship 10 a.m. • Gospel of Matthew Children's Class 10 a.m. Bible Discussion Group Wed. 7:45 p.m. Handicap Accessible email: info@squantumcfc.org
		Methodist QUINCY COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 40 Beale St., Wollaston 617-773-3319 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Rev. Dr. Susan Jarek-Glidden, Pastor
		Salvationist THE SALVATION ARMY 6 Baxter St., Quincy • 617-472-2345 9:45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 11AM WORSHIP SERVICE BRASS BAND MUSIC 7PM TUES WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP 7:15PM WED. BIBLE STUDY

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SUN FUN PAGE

King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- Ottoman official
 - "No ifs, ands, or —"
 - Spot on a domino
 - Aware of
 - Cornfield invader
 - out a living
 - Individuals
 - Plant of the cashew family
 - Sentry's call
 - Wrigley product
 - Toucheone feature
 - No purebred
 - Isolated
 - Author James
 - Paving gunk
 - Greek vowel
 - Startle
 - Arrested
 - Liverpool's river
 - Luau side
- DOWN**
- Tiny branch
 - Medication measures
 - Leslie Caron role
 - Sprite
 - Troop group
 - Leif's father
 - Appomattox surrenderer
 - Ganges garment
 - Halloween face
 - Morning moisture
 - Apiece
 - Basic learning
 - Mentor
 - Fermi's bit
 - Mimic
 - Monothist of India
 - Orate
 - Destiny's Child song
 - Hostel
 - Noshed
 - "Mayday!"
 - Boastful
 - officer's wand
 - Scoundrel
 - Meadow
 - Encountered
 - Milne bruin
 - Initial stake
 - Out of play
 - Sir's counterpart
 - Coquettish glance
 - In the neighborhood
 - Once around the track
 - Sartorial woe
 - Kitten's comment
 - Affirmative action?
 - Relinquish
 - Merriment
 - Break suddenly
 - Green land
 - Mix
 - Jewel
 - Savings acronym
 - USO audience
 - A handful



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Learning bird songs

By linking words to the sounds, you can learn any birds call, and track their visits to your garden. Robins "say" Cheer-up, cheerily, cheer-up, cheer-up, a Carolina wren "says" Teakettle, teakettle, teakettle; a cardinal "says" What-cheer, what-cheer, what-cheer, what-cheer. For more bird "words," go to www.bep1.net/cross/songs for a detailed chart.

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F D R V S B T Z Y W E F L A V
T R Q T O U C I F I R R E T N
G N I Z A M A L K I C E C H F
D N C E M O S E W A N P X A Z
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Absolutely	Beautiful	Good	Really
Amazing	Definitely	Incredible	Terrific
Awesome	Easy	Interesting	Very
Bad	Excellent	Perfect	

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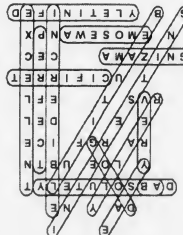
- MOVIES: Where did Luke Skywalker grow up?
- LITERATURE: Who wrote the children's book "The Wind in the Willows"?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the common name for the dog breed Borzoi?
- MYTHOLOGY: What was the name of the sun god in Greek mythology?
- GEOGRAPHY: Where is the island of Curaçao located?
- HISTORY: In what colony (now state) did the Battle of Bunker Hill take place?
- GEOMETRY: How many sides does a quadrilateral have?
- PSYCHOLOGY: What type of fear is represented by phobias?
- TELEVISION: What was the name of Don Johnson's character on "Miami Vice"?
- MILITARY: What is the highest decoration awarded for heroism in the U.S. military?

King-Crossword Answers



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Magic Maze Answers



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LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A more positive aspect opens up, allowing you to make some important changes in a personal situation. Remember to seek balance and avoid extremes as you proceed.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) This is a good week to get out and enjoy the fine times you missed while you were so deep in those workaday projects. Be sure to share it with that special person.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Work and play are in balance this week. However, expect news that could tip things toward the workplace for quite a while. But all to a good end.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You're more productive on the job than you have been in some time. That's good. But be careful not to overlook some situations developing in your private life.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You've been doing a lot for others (as usual). But now it's time to focus on your needs, including finally going on that long-delayed trip you've been hoping to make.

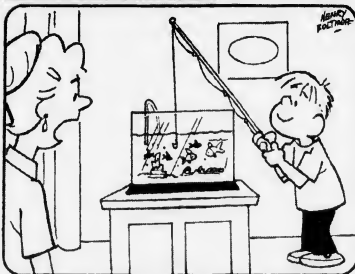
PISCES (February 19 to March 20) It's all smoothly going on 'twixt you and that very special person in your life. But a colleague causes some disruption on the job that you might be called on to help settle.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are sensitive to the needs of others. But you're no pushover. You would make a fine teacher, psychologist or minister.

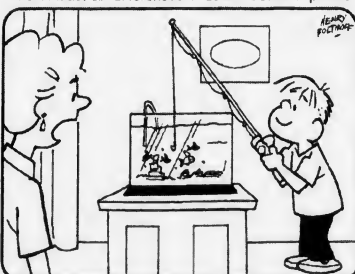
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Table is different 2. Picture has changed. 3. Fish is missing. 4. Water level is higher. 5. Woman's hair has changed. 6. Boy's neckline is different.

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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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QHS And NQHS' Schedule Of Fall Varsity Sports Tryout Dates And Information

The following is a list of contact numbers and e-mail addresses for the coaches, and tryout dates for the upcoming 2007 fall sports season at Quincy High School:

Football: Head Coach Bob Noble, (617) 471-6096, bdnoble@comcast.net, tryouts begin 8/20/07 at 8:30 a.m., Faxon Field.

Boys Golf: Head Coach Lou Venturini, (781) 682-6163, qlscoach@yahoo.com, tryouts begin 8/27/07 at 8 a.m., Furnace Brook Golf Course.

Boys Soccer: Head Coach Jason Karalexis, (781) 964-3478, jkaralexis7@hotmail.com, tryouts begin 8/23/07 at 5 p.m., Varsity Field.

Girls Soccer: Head Coach Don Martin, (617) 328-5655, donmccr@msn.com, tryouts begin 8/23/07 at 4 p.m., Perkins Field.

Girls Volleyball: Head Coach Jacqui Niosi, (617) 835-4225, jniosi@aol.com, tryouts begin 8/23/07 at 1 p.m., CTE Gym.

X-Country: Head Coach Geoff Hennessy, (617) 510-1456, henndog89@verizon.net, tryouts begin 8/23/07 at 8 a.m., Pageant Field.

NORTH QUINCY

The following is a list of contact numbers and e-mail addresses for the coaches, and tryout dates for the upcoming 2007 fall sports season at North Quincy High School:

Football: Head Coach Jim Connor, (617) 838-9720, jimconnor74@yahoo.com, tryouts begin 8/20/07 at 8:30 a.m., NQHS Gym.

Boys Golf: Head Coach Bob Doyle, (617) 328-0884, rpdoyl@aol.com, tryouts begin 8/22/07 at 11 a.m., Presidents Golf Course.

Boys Soccer: Head Coach Rich Hanlon, (617) 770-3851, whanlon@yahoo.com, tryouts begin 8/23/07 at 9

a.m., Atlantic Middle.

Girls Soccer: Head Coach Paul Bregoli, (617) 471-2867, tryouts begin 8/27/07 at 7 a.m., Pageant Field.

Girls Volleyball: Head Coach Kerry Ginty, (617) 293-2705, kginty@hotmail.com, tryouts begin 8/27/07 at 9 a.m., NQHS Gym.

X-Country: Head Coach Geoff Hennessy, (617) 510-1456, henndog89@verizon.net, tryouts begin 8/23/07 at 8 a.m., Pageant Field.

SPORTS PHYSICALS

The following is a list of scheduled dates for the required sports physicals/doctor's schedules for the 2007-2008 high school sports seasons:

QHS: 8/10/07, 8/17/07 and 8/28/07, from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

NQHS: 8/3/07 and 8/24/07, from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Note: All Quincy Public School athletes must have a current physical exam and a white athletic permit card signed by the school nurse.

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1467EP
In the Estate of
MARY HIGGINS AKA/A
MARIE HIGGINS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
June 9, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that JAMES HIGGINS of LINCOLN in the State of VERMONT and MOIRA KAILUKAITIS of GREENVILLE in the State of TEXAS or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON AUGUST 1, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 19, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/28/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1298EP
In the Estate of
NORMAN F. ADAMS AKA
NORMAN FRANCIS
ADAMS
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
February 22, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that SUSAN BUTLER of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 18, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 31, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/28/07

LEGAL NOTICE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Department
NORFOLK Division
Docket No. 07P1415EP
In the Estate of
DOROTHY FRANCES
LLOYD AKA
DOROTHY F. LLOYD
Late of QUINCY
In the County of NORFOLK
Date of Death
May 11, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that GEORGE W. LLOYD of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 25, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 13, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

6/28/07

Girls' Basketball Clinic Begins July 2

The Quincy Recreation Department announces that their summer girls' basketball clinic will begin next week, July 2, 3, 5 and 6. Limited openings are still available.

The girls' basketball clinic will be held at North Quincy

High School from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. The cost of the program is \$70. Brian Buckley, head coach of girls' basketball at Scituate High School, will lead the clinic.

Registrations are being accepted at the Quincy Recreation office, One

Merrymount Parkway, Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Registration can also be done online at QuincyRec.com. For additional information, contact the QRD at (617) 376-1394.

Quincy Recreation's Boating, Sailing Registration Underway

The Quincy Recreation Department's Ryan Boathouse Sailing and Boating Program's registration gets underway June 27 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m., at Pageant Field and will continue throughout the summer at the Ryan Boathouse.

Rowing, sailing and canoeing classes are

available Monday through Thursday for children ages 8-16. Children must pass a swim test at the Lincoln Hancock Pool in order to participate. Lessons begin July 2 and continue through August 14.

The Boathouse will be open for adult kayaking and family boating on June 30 and July 1 from 12 p.m. to 5

p.m. Fees are \$35 for one youth, an additional \$20 for the second child, and an additional \$20 for a third child. Fees for one adult are \$45 and \$20 for any additional adult. The Family Membership fee is \$75.

For further information, contact the QRD at (617) 376-1-FUN.

Recreation Summer Playground Programs Start July 2

The Quincy Recreation Department announces that their summer playground program will begin on July 2 at eighteen locations with supervised activities for boys and girls ages 6-16.

The playgrounds are open from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, weather permitting. The free program offers supervised activities that include active games and sports as well as arts and crafts and weekly sports competitions.

There are special events and weekly field trips to local attractions. In addition to the

high school and college staff who are assigned to each playground, a sports specialist and arts and crafts specialist visit each location in a regular rotation.

Registration is done at the playground and continues throughout the summer to accommodate youngsters who may return from vacation or summer school programs. Participants must be residents of Quincy, and may attend the program of their choice.

The locations of the supervised playgrounds are: Faxon Park, Kincaide,

Adams Park/Bradford Street, O'Rourke, Forbes Hill, Wollaston School grounds, Perkins Field, Heron Road/Boyson, Palmer Park, LaBrique, Fore River Field, Great Hill/Chapel, Squantum, Montclair/Bishop, Fenno Street, Cavanaugh Field, Mass Fields, and Beechwood Knoll School grounds.

The playgrounds will be staffed until Tuesday, August 14. Additional information can be obtained by calling the QRD office, (617) 376-1394

President's Golf Ladies Association

The Presidents Golf Course's Ladies Association held its Norfolk County Women's Classic Two-Ball Tournament on June 8.

The following are the results of that par-71 tourney:

In Division I play, the team of Laura Jean McDonald and Jane Welch finished in 1st Net with a round of 60. Barbara Quinn and Chris Cuniff finished in 1st Gross with a score of 64. Susan Choi and Jennifer Jeng took 2nd Gross with a score of 67 and Karen Pitts and Mary Lou Bohn took 3rd Gross with a score of 69.

The team of Roberta McCann and Jo Damiano finished with a score of 57 to win 1st Net in Division II. Sue Martinelli and Karen Ryan finished in 2nd Net with a round of 60 and Christine

Rivard and Pat Clancy took 3rd Net with a score of 61.

Patty Buck and Kerri McGlynn finished in 1st Gross with a score of 77.

In Division III action, the team of Gail Keefe and Pat Walsh took 1st Net honors with a score of 57. The team of Elaine Mooney and Barbara Robertson took 2nd Net with a score of 60 and Carol Cahill and Sandra Jordan finished in 1st Gross with a score of 86.

On June 10, the Presidents Ladies Association held its Putts Tournament.

The following are the results of that day of golf:

In Division I, Marcie Arnold (29) took first; Linda Jamieson (31) took second and Carol Mather (32) finished third.

In Division II, Carol

Maglio (32) finished first, Barbara Robertson (33) second and Janet McDonough (34) finished third.

On June 23, the Presidents Ladies Association held its Member/Guest tournament.

The following are the results of that day:

Kerri McGlynn and Marije Alsbach finished in 1st Gross with a score of 72.

Marcie Arnold and Maryanne Lyons took 2nd Gross with a round of 73 and the team of Keri Pratt and Flo Bettenhauser took 3rd Gross with a score of 74.

Moya Baldwin and Barbara Videtto took 1st Net with a round of 60, the team of Carol Mather and Jill Reddish took 2nd Net with a round of 60 and Roberta McCann and Julie Rossi finished in 3rd Net with a round of 60.

Carol Cahill and Joan Canavan (60) took 4th Net, while Patty Buck and Kate Reichard (61) finished in 5th Net and Lynn Swindler and Ann Droleit took 6th Net with a round of 62.

Foot Screening For Seniors

Podiatrist Jordana Szpiro will be available to seniors for foot screening on the first Monday of every month at the Council on Aging office, 83 Saratoga St.

She will also treat feet for a fee of \$20 per person pay-

able at the time of the visit. Such payments are not covered by health insurance.

Treatments will include nail trimming and general diabetic foot care.

For an appointment, call 617-376-1506.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-032

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JULY 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Hailt Cademir for a Variance to reconfigure the existing two units and add two additional units for a total of four units in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.16 (use regulations), and Chapter 17.20.040 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 625-627 WILLARD STREET, QUINCY.

6/21, 6/28/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-033

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JULY 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Vincent & Diane Cameron for a Variance & Finding to demolish the existing sunroom and rebuild it as an extension of the living room in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.24.050 (non-conformance), and Chapter 17.24.020.B.2 (extensions) on the premises numbered 13-17 ONEIDA STREET, QUINCY.

6/21, 6/28/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-034

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JULY 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Brian Tartaglione for a Finding to make the existing four-season porch into living space in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.24.020.B.2 (extensions), on the premises numbered 122 MAYFLOWER ROAD, QUINCY.

6/21, 6/28/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-035

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JULY 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169. On the application of Xing Bao Chen (Bob Chen) for a Variance to add a two-story addition to the rear of the existing dwelling to increase the area of each unit in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 17.28.030.E (setbacks), and Chapter 17.28.030.G (driveways/parking facilities) on the premises numbered 99 CLAY STREET, QUINCY.

6/21, 6/28/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE NO. 07-036

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the **QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE** as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, JULY 10, 2007, at 7:15 pm on the Second Floor Council Chambers**, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Anthony S. Falco for an Amended Variance Decision to permit the alteration of an existing commercial building, which was constructed with variances granted in Case No. 02-029. Petitioner proposes to discontinue the mixed-use allowed by special permit in Case No. 02-029 and convert the entire structure into three (3) levels of office, storage and mechanical space. Petitioner further requests an amended Parking Variance to include use of the proposed parking facility at 30 High School Avenue in violation of 17.20.040, 17.28.020 and 17.28.030.

The parcel of land is located at 50 Quincy Avenue and is shown as Lot 29 on Assessors' plan 2092.

6/21, 6/28/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

City of Quincy

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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The parcel of land is located at 30 High School Avenue and is shown as Lot 11 on Assessors' plan 2092.

6/21, 6/28/07

Martin Aikens, Chairman

LEGAL NOTICES**Commonwealth of Massachusetts****The Trial Court****Probate and Family Court Department****NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 07P1401AD

In the Estate of

PAUL R. BONDARICK SR.

Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

July 13, 2005

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR**FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that KERRY A. MUISE of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 25, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, June 12, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT Register of Probate

6/28/07

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**The Trial Court****Probate and Family Court Department****NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 07P1239AA

In the Estate of

SHAYNE K. ESNER

Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

October 1, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE WILL ANNEXED**FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE WILL ANNEXED**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that KRISTEN LASKER of CAMBRIDGE in the County of MIDDLESEX or some other suitable person be appointed as administrator with the will annexed of said estate to serve with personal surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON AUGUST 1, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 30, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT Register of Probate

6/28/07

LEGAL NOTICE**Commonwealth of Massachusetts****The Trial Court****Probate and Family Court Department****NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 07P1221AD

In the Estate of

LILLIAN G. LIOTTI

Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

March 1, 2007

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR**FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that WILLIAM G. LIOTTI of CONCORD in the State of NEW HAMPSHIRE or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of said estate to serve with corporate surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 18, 2007.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 30, 2007.

PATRICK W. McDERMOTT Register of Probate

6/28/07

Commonwealth of Massachusetts**The Trial Court****Probate and Family Court Department****NORFOLK Division**

Docket No. 07P1294EP

In the Estate of

BEATRICE M. BUDREAU

Late of QUINCY

In the County of NORFOLK

Date of Death

September 4, 2006

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL**FOR PROBATE OF WILL**

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, a petition has been presented praying that a document purporting to be the last will of said decedent be proved and allowed, and that EDWARD BUDREAU of QUINCY in the County of NORFOLK and LEANNE BUDREAU-LONDON of HOBOKEN in the State of NEW JERSEY or some other suitable person be appointed executor, named in the will to serve without surety.

IF YOU DESIRE TO OBJECT THERETO, YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY MUST FILE A WRITTEN APPEARANCE IN SAID COURT AT CANTON ON OR BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON (10:00AM) ON JULY 18, 2007.

In addition, you must file a written affidavit of objections to the petition, stating specific facts and grounds upon which the objection is based, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

WITNESS, HON. DAVID H. KOPELMAN, ESQUIRE, First Justice of said Court at CANTON this day, May 31, 2007.

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QUINCY HIGH School Principal Frank Santoro congratulates student Sheng Lan Chen for his championship status in table tennis competition. Other finalists for the day included Terry Szeto. This is the second year Quincy High School has offered this activity after school. The club is possible as a result of volunteers and the hard work of guidance counselor Chik Ching Law. Upwards of 50 students participate daily the sport club. Quincy High School seeks other schools and organizations interested in competitive play.

Supporters Helping QEA Pay \$150,000 Fine

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At this time, neither side is claiming victory.
Under the new contract, Phillips said that some of his members will be taking a pay cut while others will boost their income with a 17% pay hike over the five years. During that period, the teachers' contribution to health insurance will increase from 10% to 20% and their co-pay from \$5 to \$10.

Mayor William Phelan has not publicly commented on the contract since the strike ended. However, through his spokesman David Murphy, Phelan issued the following

statement:

"The mayor is pleased that the QEA understands the need to control the taxpayers' exposure to the unrelenting growth of health care costs," Phelan called the issue "very important to Quincy taxpayers."

Meanwhile, local individual donors and unions from across the state are offering their help, in small amounts but large morale boosts, as the QEA faces the \$150,000 fine.

"We are receiving some totally unsolicited support," Paul Phillips, president of the Quincy Education

Association (QEA), said when contacted this week. "Right now we have checks (unions) from 30 cities."

Phillips said the donations will be put in a separate trust account established by QEA lawyers. The amounts aren't large but the impact is, according to Phillips who declined to name the donors because he said, "We haven't even sent thank you notes."

However, Phillips believes that the Quincy teachers' contract dispute raised issues across the state. "It sort of struck a cord... The idea of making public employees take a pay cut.... (They see

an oncoming train wreck."

In addition, Phillips said that "the nature of the bargaining" between the city and the union upset some observers. "There was a lot of public talking by the mayor. That simply infuriated people."

Phillips said that attorneys from the Massachusetts Teachers Association (MTA) are handling an appeal of the fine in the court. "They haven't finished telling us what we owe."

If the total fine stands, teachers will be raising funds on the local level through t-shirt sales and bake sales and through higher dues, according to Phillips.

Crown Colony Ramp Contract To Be Awarded

MassHighway officials hope to start construction of the \$16.3 million Burgin Parkway ramp project in late fall, according to spokesman John LaMontagne.

LaMontagne said Tuesday that MassHighway has already put the project out to bid and are "very close to awarding a contract. We're hopeful it could start late summer or early fall."

The project is intended to

alleviate traffic congestion at the intersection of Burgin Parkway and Centre Street. In the first phase, MassHighway will construct a bridge to elevate outbound Burgin Parkway traffic over the Centre Street intersection.

The first phase also includes a new outbound ramp from the intersection of Congress Street and Crown Colony Drive to the

existing northbound ramp of Route 3.

The final two phases focus on reconstruction of the intersections of Burgin Parkway/Centre Streets and Crown Colony Drive and Congress Street.

In the final phase, MassHighway will construct an exclusive right turn from Centre Street onto the existing outbound ramp.

Koch Opens Campaign Headquarters

Mayoral candidate Tom Koch formally opened his campaign headquarters in Wollaston Center with an open house for volunteers.

More than 150 people dropped by the headquarters at 680 Hancock St. after a sign holding event Saturday morning that stretched from Merry Mount Parkway to North Quincy, Koch said.

"We have so many good people who are giving their time and energy to this campaign, and it's great we have a place for them to go for the

next five months," Koch said. "We couldn't ask for a better location in the middle of a bustling business district."

Koch said anyone who is interested in volunteering or finding out more information about the campaign can visit the office.

"We've made some great strides the last several months, and we're just getting started," Koch said. "This is truly a grassroots effort with so many people involved in a campaign for

the first time. It's going to be a wonderful experience."

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Welcome to Historic Quincy!

Quincy has played a unique role in the formation of our great country—and we continue to play that role today! The Massachusetts Declaration of Rights, the model for the United States Constitution, was drafted in our historic city by John Adams, the second president of the United States and father to John Quincy Adams, our country's sixth president. Patriots, statesmen and women of science and of letters—Quincy has nurtured many of the seminal figures that brought our nation to greatness.

I encourage you to use this fine publication as a guide to historic Quincy. Visit the Adams National Historical Park and the presidential homesteads. Stop by the "Old House" and experience the colonial lifestyle. Tour United First Parish Church, which serves as the final resting place for John, John Quincy, Abigail, and Louisa Catherine Adams. Live the history of our City and of our nation.

Don't neglect to enjoy what Quincy has to offer today. Quincy is nestled between the Blue Hills Reservation and the Atlantic Ocean. Enjoy our twenty-seven miles of coastland, natural salt marshes and magnificent parklands. Explore our downtown, watch our outdoor concerts, play golf, or enjoy Quincy's booming restaurant scene. There is something for everyone to enjoy.

We are proud of Quincy and hope that you have the opportunity to experience all that our historical and cosmopolitan City has to offer.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM J. PHELAN
MAYOR

Out From History's Shadows

The Rediscovery Of John Adams

"Let me have my farm, family and goose quill, and all the honors and offices this world has to bestow may go to those who deserve them better and desire them more. I court them not."

John Adams

By TOM HENSHAW

For some 200 years, the nation he helped found and nurture took John Adams at his word.

He was the second president of the United States, a rotund little man squeezed in between the more imposing figures of George Washington and Thomas Jefferson. He sired the sixth president, John Quincy Adams, who was overshadowed by his more popular successor, Andrew Jackson.

He had something to do with the Revolution, but only historians were fully aware of the key roles he had in the appointment of Washington as commander-in-chief of the Continental Army and the writing of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution.

In his hometown of Quincy (nee Braintree), his name was memorialized in a statue, a major highway, a baseball field and an academy; his birthplace and "Peace field," his home as an adult, were restored and opened as tourist lures.

Nationally, there wasn't much, except for two postage stamps, issued in 1938 and 1986, but even they were parts of series that included all the deceased presidents up to that date.

Enter a Congressman from Indiana, of all places, and a Democrat, of all things, the very antithesis of Adams' loosely organized party, the Federalists; and an historian and author from Martha's Vineyard, already renowned for his biography of Harry Truman.

"Tim Roemer, the congressman, had a Ph.D. in history from Notre Dame and he became enamored with John Adams," said former Mayor James Sheets, a history teacher by profession, who now works for the Adams Memorial Foundation. "He moved to create a memorial to Adams in Washington."

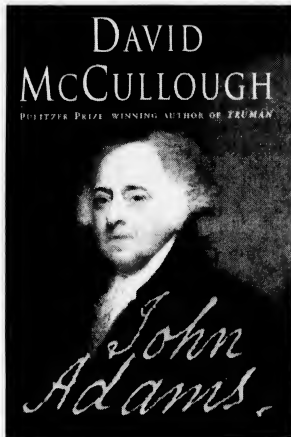
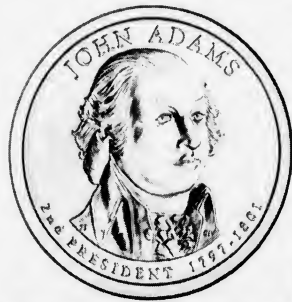
At roughly the same time, the author, David McCullough, already a Pulitzer Prize-winner for the biography, Truman, produced another prize winner with a definitive biography, John Adams, which remained on the best-seller lists for nearly a year, reviving interest in Adams from the common folk.

One result was the issuance in Quincy last May 22 of a \$1 coin honoring Adams, the second in a series of presidential coins that will continue next year when John

John Adams And Sons

Politics, war and sons were on John Adams' mind in a letter written to his wife, Abigail Adams, in 1780.

"I must study politics and war, that my sons may have liberty to study mathematics and philosophy."



Quincy Adams is to be similarly honored.

Attending the ceremony in Constitution Common (City Hall Plaza) were John Adams' descendants from the seventh, eighth and ninth generations, including Peter Boylston Adams, his seventh great grandson; Brooks Ames of the eighth generation, and 4-year-old Gabriella Ames of the ninth.

U.S. Mint Director Edmund C. Moy said Adams was being honored for his "significant accomplishments in a critical part of our nation's history."

Still to come is the John Adams Memorial not far from the Washington Monument and the Jefferson Memorial, which has been approved by Congress but is still seeking a location and design before construction can start. Congress appropriated \$1 million seed money in 2001 but the rest will come from private sources.

"Two sites are under consideration," said Sheets, who is in charge of fundraising in the Boston area. "One is in Freedom Plaza not far from the Washington Monument. The other is on four

"My sons ought to study mathematics and philosophy, geography, natural history and naval architecture, navigation, commerce and agriculture in order to give their sons the right to study painting, poetry, music, architecture, statuary, tapestry and porcelain."



U.S. MINT Director Edmund C. Moy hands out John Adams \$1 coins to youngsters at the issuance ceremony May 22 on Constitution Common (City Hall Plaza). Moy praised Adams for his "significant accomplishments in a critical part of our nation's history."

Quincy Sun photo/Noreen O'Shea

acres in front of the Capitol. We expect a decision in the next six months."

The design will be unique among memorials in the nation's capital.

"It will look like an 18th century library," said Sheets, "with real books and copies of historic documents, something John Adams would be comfortable using himself. It would be in the character of John and Abigail to be memorialized with letters, books and communications."

It was McCullough who suggested the library motif, said Sheets, because no one gave more insight into the presidency than Adams in his letters.

Besides, said Sheets, "John Adams said he didn't want a memorial so McCullough thought a library would follow his wishes and provide a research tool at the same time."

Popularity was never my mistress, nor was I ever, nor shall I ever be a popular man. But one thing I know, a man must be sensible to the errors of the people and upon his guard against them and must run the risk of their displeasure sometimes or he will never do them any good in the long run.

John Adams

The Cover



The Thomas Crane Public Library celebrates its 125th anniversary this year. Shown here is the Romanesque style Richardson Building, the original library, designed by famed architect Henry Hobson Richardson and dedicated May 30, 1882. The building ranked 43rd among 150 structures in a recent nationwide "America's Favorite Architecture" poll. In the background is the tower of Bethany Congregational Church, another architectural beauty.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

First Father And Son Presidents Birthplace Of John And John Quincy Adams

By TOM HENSHAW

It was the North Precinct of Braintree then, a sprawling tract of woods and farm lands on the gently rolling hills some 10 miles south of the Boston Stone along the winding Coast Road to Plymouth.

Something less than 1,500 people lived in the North, Middle and South Precincts of Braintree in the year 1735 and two of them were Deacon John Adams, 44, farmer and cordwainer, and his wife, Susanna, 26.

Their home was a weathered gray farmhouse with a high peaked roof and attached lean to kitchen set on seven acres of farmland at roughly Milepost 11 of the Coast Road, just where it turned up the wooded slopes of Penn's Hill toward the Monaquot River ford.

He was a pillar of his rural community. Mr. Adams was a deacon in the First Parish Church, a lieutenant in the Braintree militia and a town constable with a forceful personality and tact that enabled him to collect taxes from his neighbors.

He was a hard working farmer whose cider was acknowledged best in town, he worked in leather during the winter months, and he had an eye on an adjoining piece of farmland, 9 1/2 acres owned by the Billings brothers, complete with a farmhouse similar to his own.

Susanna Adams was a Boylston of



THE ADAMS BIRTHPLACES, where John Adams and his son, John Quincy Adams, the second and sixth Presidents of the United States, were born, is the only location in the country where two presidential birthplaces stand side-by-side. It is a National Historical Site under the supervision of the U.S. National Park Service.

Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble

Brookline, socially a cut above her husband, and perhaps there were moments in the simple house at the foot of Penn's

Hill when she thought of the home of her uncle, the noted Dr. Zabiel Boylston of Brookline, whose furniture came all the way from London.

Their first child, a son who was named John for his father, was born in the southeast bedroom of the farmhouse on Oct. 19, 1735. (Old Style). He would become the second president of the United States.

Deacon John purchased the house next door for 500 pounds in 1744 and it was ready 20 years later when young John moved in with his brand new bride, the former Abigail Smith, the preacher's sparkling daughter from the next town of Weymouth.

Their second child, a son who was named John Quincy Adams after his great-grandfather, Col. John Quincy, was born there on July 11, 1767. He would

become the sixth president of the United States.

Until George W. Bush was sworn in as the 43rd president in 2001, John Adams and John Quincy Adams were the only father and son combination to achieve that office. George H. W. Bush was the 41st. The Harrisons, William Henry and Benjamin, were grandfather and grandson.

The precise age of the two cottages at 133 and 141 Franklin St. at the foot of Penn's Hill is not known.

When the John Adams Birthplace was restored by the Daughters of the Revolution in 1897, a brick bearing the date 1661 was discovered under the southeast corner, and the house was known to have been occupied by one Joseph Penniman in that year.

And a man named Samuel Belcher was living in the John Quincy Adams Birthplace as early as 1663, when it was little more than a one-room shack with fireplace. It was built to its present size in 1716, as evidenced by a date brick found in the new fireplace.

According to Henry Adams, grandson of President John Quincy Adams, no member of the family lived in the cottages after 1818, although ownership remained in the Adams family until 1940.

Both houses were restored by the Adams Realty Trust, the John Quincy Adams Birthplace in 1896 at a cost of \$1,650 and the John Adams Birthplace a year later at an expense of \$515.49.

They were presented to the city of Quincy in 1940 and supervised by the Quincy Historical Society until they were turned over to the U.S. National Park Service in 1979.

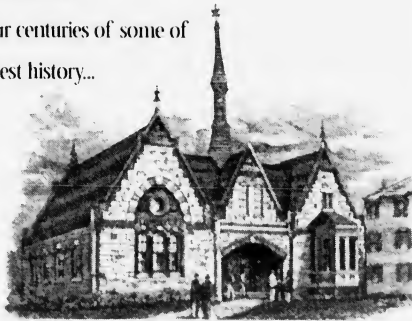
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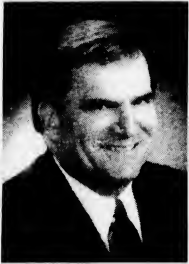
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Each summer, millions of American families pack up the family car, pick up a fresh, hot cup of coffee, and take to the road to discover the people and places that have shaped American life.

Thanks to David McCullough's Pulitzer Prize winning tribute to President John Adams, Quincy is gaining popularity as a destination among families and history buffs of all ages. While it is often the panoply of patriots that draw visitors to our city, Quincy has chiseled its mark on American culture in other distinguishing ways.

In the 1800s, granite from Quincy's hills became the material of our nation's greatest buildings and monuments. Quincy's Fore River Shipyard built many of the 20th century's greatest naval and commercial vessels. And Howard Johnson parlayed his ice cream recipe into an empire of restaurants and hotels that became synonymous with the American family vacation.

Before your family takes to the road this summer, why not grab your morning coffee right here in **Quincy** - where America's first Dunkin' Donuts opened its doors more than 57 years ago. And once you experience our history, culture, cuisine, and coastline, you truly will discover Quincy!

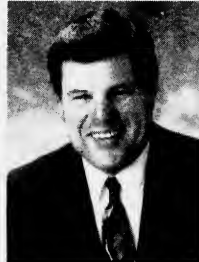
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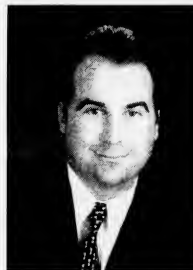
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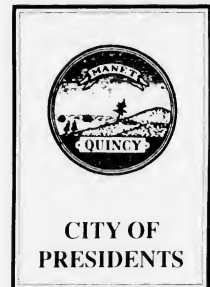
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After Faithful Restoration Birthplaces Have 'As They Were' Look

The birthplace of John Adams, second president of the United States, looks like it did when he and his parents, Deacon John and Susanna lived there.

It took on that "as it was" look after a painstaking six-year reconstruction project in the 1980s.

Visitors to the John Adams Birthplace, which peers over the shoulder of the John Quincy Adams Birthplace on Franklin St., South Quincy, can now see more completely how the house looked.

The house is well furnished and looks like it did when John and Abigail lived in it.

The final renovation touches were to the room where Deacon John Adams made shoes.

The rooms are furnished from the period of Deacon John and his wife, and probably reflected her taste. They are furnished, not elaborately, but sufficient to have a lived-in look.

The birthplace was probably built in the late 17th or early 18th Century for less than \$1,000 in the pounds of the day and the clapboards were hand-hewn from trees that grew in its fields.

The pine clapboards of the John Adams Birthplace are unpainted and the U.S. National Park Service, which restored the house, insists that based on research the house will remain that way, despite the fact that John Adams was known to have preferred it white.

For more than 80 years they were the little red farmhouses at the foot of Penn's Hill. But research turned up the fact that Abigail Adams, the wife of the second president, wanted them "stone" and white in color.

Since what Abigail wanted, Abigail usually got, in the summer of 1980, the John Quincy Adams Birthplace was repainted to Abigail's taste, the "stone" color determined to be a sort of off white, mixed especially for the occasion from a late 18th Century formula.

The John Adams Birthplace was painted white so that both houses would look as they did in 1807, the year the last Adams lived in them, but later research indicated it was unpainted.

The birthplaces, parts of which date back to the 17th Century, were taken over by the National Park Service on May 1, 1979 after years of semi-neglect due to lack of restoration and maintenance funds.

The John Quincy Adams Birthplace reopened in 1982 for the first time in three years after undergoing a \$175,000 rehabilitation faithful to the lives of the prominent family that lived there.

If you close your eyes and give your imagination full rein you can see them now as they were more than 200 years ago.

There is Abigail Adams in the new pink gingham dress. There is the curly-haired infant, Thomas Boylston Adams, bouncing on his father's knee. And there is John



JOHN ADAMS BIRTHPLACE

(Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble)

Adams, home from the Continental Congress in Philadelphia for the first time in a year, sitting at the table and drinking a cup of tea.

The setting, right down to the pewter plates and candlesticks, is reproduced faithfully in the corner room of the John Quincy Adams Birthplace.

The furnishings of the John Quincy Adams Birthplace are precise reproductions of those that were in the house when the second president lived there. The originals are at the Old House, the Adams National Historic Site, from which they cannot be removed under the ownership agreement with the Adams family.

The most interesting room in the John Quincy Adams Birthplace is John Adams' old law office, in which the elder Adams, James Bowdoin and Samuel Adams drafted the Massachusetts State Constitution, on which the U.S. Constitution was modeled.

The law office is furnished pretty much as John Adams had it.

There is the hutch table on which he wrote the State Constitution; the bookcase filled with books that probably were there in John Adams' day, judging by an inventory of his law library; his old writing desk and two chairs that were copied from those in his second law office in Boston.

Pastels of Abigail and John, originally done in Salem, were photographically reproduced by photographer George Dow and now hang in Abigail's sitting room. The originals are in the possession of the Massachusetts Historical Society.

Abigail's old kitchen cabinet was discovered serving as a bookcase in the Old House.

The cabinet was reproduced and installed in the kitchen of the John Quincy Adams Birthplace along with copies of

the blue china that John purchased when he was emissary to Holland.

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Descent from John & Priscilla

John Adams, the second president, can trace his ancestry back to John Alden and Priscilla Mullins of "Why don't you speak for yourself, John?" fame.

His grandfather, Joseph Adams, married Hannah Bass, daughter of John and Ruth (Alden) Bass and granddaughter of the Pilgrim couple John and Priscilla.

Adams's Crucial Nominations

John Adams, the farmer's son from Old Braintree, not only had a hand in writing the U.S. Constitution, but he made two nominations to posts that proved to be critical to the future of the new republic.

As a member of the Continental Congress, he eschewed intercolonial rivalries

and nominated George Washington, a Virginia planter, as commander in chief of the Continental army.

As president, he nominated John Marshall as chief justice of the Supreme Court, where he served 34 years and established the basic principle that the court can invalidate an act of Congress.

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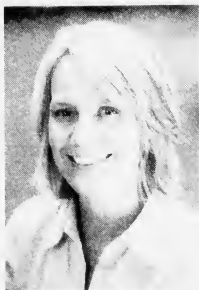
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'The Old House'

Summer White House And Home Of 2 Presidents

Josiah Quincy, the one who built railroads around New England and founded the cooperative bank movement in Massachusetts, was in his boyhood a frequent visitor to the mansion where John Adams, the second president of the United States, lived in retirement.

Later, he wrote with wry amusement about Sunday dinner with the aging patriarch of the Adams clan and his wife, Abigail, a dinner that inevitably began with a thick pudding made from boiled corn meal.

"...it being thought desirable to take the edge off one's hunger before reaching the joint," wrote Quincy.

"Indeed, it was considered wise to stimulate the young to fill themselves with pudding, by the assurance that the boy who managed to eat the most of it should be helped most abundantly to the meat, which was to follow."

"It need not be said that neither the winner nor his competitors found much room for meat at the close of their contest, and so the domestic economy of the arrangement was very apparent."

Quincy, as a young Harvard law student, stopped by several times a week in summer to talk and read to the former President. He found the visits delightful. Indeed, the Adams of the cold and austere public mien was never more relaxed than he was at his country home in Quincy.

The original house, a small part of the present building, was built probably in 1731 by Major Leonard Vassall, a wealthy West Indian sugar planter who lived in Cambridge and apparently used it for a summer place.

His daughter, Mrs. Anna Borland, who was a Loyalist during the Revolution, abandoned the house to leave with the

British forces when they evacuated Boston in 1776. For a while it was used as a haven for rebel refugees fleeing the war zones.

Mrs. Borland returned to reclaim the house after the Revolution and John Adams, then in Europe as the first American ambassador to London, purchased it for 600 pounds through the good offices of the Cotton Tufts of Weymouth, his wife Abigail's cousin.

The Adamses were about to return to the United States after seven years abroad and Abigail was concerned that John's books and papers and the furnishings they had acquired in Europe would not fit into their old farmhouse at the foot of Penn's Hill where they lived before.

The deal was closed on Sept. 26, 1787, and the deed is still on file in the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in which the Adams purchase is specified as a house, barn and other buildings on seven acres of land with some 76 acres more scattered around the North Precinct if Braintree.

There are indications that Abigail was first disappointed with her purchase. It was a lot smaller than she remembered it.

"In height and breadth it feels like a wren's house," she wrote to her daughter, Abigail, the wife of Col. William S. Smith. "Let Col. Smith come without heels to his shoes or he will not be able to walk upright."

Abigail and John Adams moved into the house, which they named "Peacefield," after his retirement from the presidency in 1801 and lived there until they died.

It was from the "Old House," as the family called it, that John Adams carried on his long and increasingly warm correspondence with his old rival, Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, who had succeeded

him in the presidency. In retirement, they became firm friends as they outlasted their contemporaries.

"Thomas Jefferson lives," whispered John Adams as he lay dying in the Old House. He was wrong. Jefferson, in far away Monticello, Va., had preceded him in death by a few hours on the same day.

It was July 4, 1826, the 50th anniversary

of the Declaration of Independence.

The Old House which served as summer White House for two presidents, was home to four generations of the Adams family, the last, Brooks Adams, dying in February, 1927. It was taken over by the U.S. National Park Service in 1946 to become the Adams Mansion National Historic Site.

The Old House at Peace Field, 135 Adams St. is open from April 19 to Nov. 10 daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The last full tour is at 4 p.m. Admission is \$5 for adults and youth 16 and over, and includes admission to the Adams Birthplaces within seven days. Tours must be arranged at the Visitors' Center, 1250 Hancock St. The last full tour of the park leaves the Visitors' Center at 3:15 p.m. Tours are on a first come, first serve basis.

The Adams Family

1. HENRY ADAMS (1583-1646) emigrated from England in 1638 and was granted 40 acres in Mount Wollaston (later Quincy).

2. JOSEPH ADAMS (1626-1694), son of Henry, farmer and maltster of Old Braintree.

3. JOSEPH ADAMS (1654-1737), son of Joseph, who married Hannah Bass, a granddaughter of John Alden and Priscilla Mullins.

4. JOHN ADAMS (1691-1761), son of Joseph, farmer and selectman of Old Braintree, known as Deacon John.

5. JOHN ADAMS (1735-1826), son of Deacon John and second President of the United States.

5a. SAMUEL ADAMS (1722-1803), revolutionary firebrand, great-great-grandson of Henry and cousin of President John.

6. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS (1767-1848), son of John, sixth President of the United States.

7. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS (1807-1886), son of John Quincy, minister to Great Britain during the Civil War.

8. JOHN QUINCY ADAMS II (1833-1894), son of Charles Francis, state legislator and thrice candidate for governor of Massachusetts.

8a. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS II (1835-1915), son of Charles Francis, historian and founder of the Quincy school system.

8b. HENRY ADAMS (1838-1918), son of Charles Francis, author of "The Education of Henry Adams."

8c. BROOKS ADAMS (1848-1927), son of Charles Francis, the last Adams to live in the Old House in Quincy.

9. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS III (1866-1954), son of John Quincy II, mayor of Quincy and Secretary of the Navy under President Hoover.

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First Wife, Mother Of Presidents Advocate Abigail Adams: 'Remember The Ladies'

What do Barbara Bush and Abigail Adams have in common?

Both are noted for being the wife of one president and the mother of another.

Barbara's husband, George H. W., was the 41st president from 1989 to 1993 and her son, George W., is the 43rd president who moved into the White House in 2001 and is still there.

Abigail's husband, John, was the second president from 1797 to 1801 and her son, John Quincy, the sixth president from 1825 to 1829.

And her grandson, Charles Francis Adams, ran unsuccessfully for vice president on the Free Soil ticket in 1848.

Then husbands share another distinction, too. John was born in the section of Braintree now known as Quincy. George H. W. was born in Milton, the next town over.

But this is Abigail's story.

An early advocate of women's rights, the former Abigail Smith wrote to her husband, John, who was in Philadelphia



ABIGAIL ADAMS

helping his fellow Founding Fathers hammer out a Constitution for the new re-

public.

"In the new code of laws which I suppose it will be necessary for you to make, I desire you would remember the ladies and be more generous and favorable to them than your ancestors."

"Do not put such unlimited power into the hands of the husbands. Remember, all men would be tyrants if they could."

Sadly, unlike Barbara Bush, Abigail Adams did not live to see her son become president. She died in her 74th year, Oct. 28, 1818, seven years before he entered the White House.

Although she is traditionally remembered as the wife of one president and the mother of another, Abigail was more than that.

She was a remarkable woman in her own right and one ahead of her time.

Born in neighboring Weymouth Nov. 11, 1744, the daughter of the Rev. William Smith, a Congregational minister, and his wife, Elizabeth Quincy Smith, she had no formal schooling.

But through tutoring by her father and mother and reading, she became a well-known writer of letters that have served to chronicle American history.

She was a brave and resourceful woman, too. She was often left alone for long periods of time to care for her children and run the farm at the foot of Penn's Hill while her husband was away in the service of their fledgling country.

Early in their marriage, he was in France trying to develop strong ties with

that country and she sailed to meet him in Paris. They had not seen one another in five years.

John and Abigail Adams were the first president and first lady to occupy the White House. When Adams took office, succeeding George Washington on March 4, 1797, Philadelphia was the nation's capital. John and Abigail moved into the White House in November, 1800. It was called the President's Palace at the time.

No fancy airs about her. She won a special spot in White House folklore by hanging her laundry in the East Room. She was just being practical. Many of the rooms had not been finished when they moved in and the East Room was one of the warmer ones, better for drying wet clothing.

John Adams and Thomas Jefferson, the man who succeeded him as president, were close friends who worked together to produce the precious Declaration of Independence. But they had a falling out and became political enemies.

When Jefferson defeated Adams in his bid for reelection to a second term, Adams was so bitter that he refused to stay in Washington for Jefferson's inauguration in 1801 and came home to Quincy.

Abigail became a peacemaker through letters to Jefferson and, thanks to her efforts, the two former presidents reconciled in their later years.

Both succumbed July 4, 1826, the 50th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Jefferson a few hours before Adams.

John and Abigail were married 54 years and it was a happy union despite frequent and long separations in the early years.

Abigail was the woman behind two men — a husband and son — who encouraged and helped them in their distinguished service to their country on their way to the Presidency.

She and her husband, son and daughter-in-law, Louisa Catherine, are entombed in the crypt in the United First Parish Church.

A bronze statue depicting Abigail at about age 32 and John Quincy at age 10 with her hand on his shoulder in a motherly touch, was erected in 1997 just a few feet away.

The very spot from which she now looks out onto Quincy Square is where she walked when the area was an open field.

A Mother's Advice

Abigail Adams had this motherly advice for her son, John Quincy Adams, the future sixth president, in a letter written to him when he was 10 years old and in Europe with his father, John Adams, who was on a diplomatic mission:

"Improve your understanding for acquiring usefull (sic) knowledge and virtue, such as will render you an ornament to society, an Honour to your Country, and a Blessing to Your parents."

Your affectionate Mother
AA"



ABIGAIL ADAMS and her son, John Quincy Adams -- the future sixth President of the United States -- look out over Quincy Square from beside historic First Parish Church. The handsome bronze statue depicts her at about age 32 and him as a 10-year-old boy. It was commissioned by the Quincy Partnership and created by noted sculptor Lloyd Lillie. (Quincy Sun Photo Robert Bosworth)



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Larry DiNardo began his relationship with the South Shore YMCA at Camp Burgess in Sandwich at just eight years old. At the age of 12, he was offered his first job as Camp Bugler for \$25 a summer. Every year thereafter until college, he would return. "My love for the Y came from the time and memorable experiences I had at camp," he explains. *photo, left.*

Today, Larry is a partner in the law firm of Serafini, Purdy, DiNardo and Wells in Quincy. For many years, he also served with the Reserve, Jag Corps. Married to wife, Linda, and father of two children, Larry has a busy life, but he still makes time for the organization that he loved as a child. He followed in his father's footsteps, serving as Chairman of the Board from 2003 to 2005, 25 years after Dr. V. James DiNardo's tenure as Chair.

"My Dad started going to the Y in seventh grade, and it turned his life around," Larry explains. "He began working summers at Camp Burgess and eventually became Camp Director. Our family has been involved with the YMCA ever since." Larry's father went on to become Principal of the Snug Harbor School in Quincy, and later the Executive Vice President of Bridgewater State College, but like his son, he always made time to give back to the South Shore YMCA.

Many other Y members have had a strong intergenerational involvement as well. You may recognize the following folks, and there are certainly numerous others. The Clark family spans five generations, all the way back to one of our Y's Founding Fathers. Other father and son representations include the Briggs family, the Ashers, and the Hurleys. Daughters, too, joined in the tradition of serving the Y, as represented by the Papani family - daughters, Phyllis Godwin and Dorothy Palmer, and the Crofts family - daughter, Cynthia Crofts-Wisch.

We call it the heritage of the Y - families passing on cherished memories and experiences to their children. Positive character values, leadership training, developmental assets - this is what we're instilling in the young folks that enter our halls. "If we stay true to our mission," Larry explains, "we will continue to be a force for good will, and have a positive impact on our society. It is our role to be stewards of this life-changing organization."

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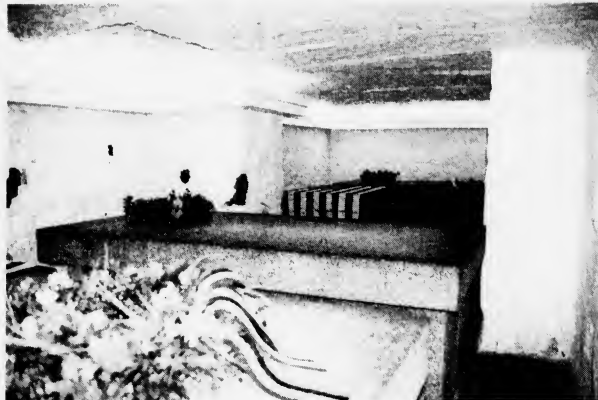
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FIRST PARISH CHURCH looking across Hancock Street from Constitution Common adjacent to City Hall. (Quincy Sun Photo Robert Noble)



TOMBS OF PRESIDENTS John and John Quincy Adams and their wives, Abigail and Louisa in First Parish Church.

(Quincy Sun Photo Noreen O'Shea)

United First Parish

Only Church Where Two Presidents Entombed

In 1949, when the present First Parish Church building, the Old Stone Temple, was 121 years old, it was ruled officially that the church is older than the city itself and the town before it.

It was then that the late historian William Churchill Edwards was called upon to resolve a minor dispute that involved the rounding of the corners of the church lot in downtown Quincy.

Almost the first subject to which the minds of the early settlers of our country were turned after they landed here was

the formation of a church," said Edwards.

The first church in these parts was established as a branch of the Church of Boston in 1636. It became a church in its own right in 1639. The Mount Wollaston section of Boston was incorporated as the town of Braintree on May 23, 1640. Ergo, the church came first!

Quincy's first house of worship, the branch of the Church of Boston, was called the "Chapel of Ease," and if it was neglected by early historians it was because its first pastor, the Rev. John Wheel-

wright, his sister-in-law, Anne Hutchinson, and others were banished from the Massachusetts Bay Colony for heresy.

The new church, the one that lasted, was gathered by covenant on Sept. 26, 1639, and it was holding services in its third meeting house in 1732 when its pastor was the Rev. John Hancock, father of the bold first signer of the Declaration of Independence. Son John also was a member.

The affairs of the church and the town of Quincy were one and the same until 1824 when church and state were separated in Massachusetts and the Congregational Society was established to handle parochial matters.

The old Hancock meeting house was still standing, although a little run down, on the south lawn of the present church lot in 1822 when former President John Adams deeded the interest from certain of his lands and granite from his pastures to build a stone temple.

It was completed in Greek revival style at a cost of \$30,488.56 which was some \$3,000 less than architect Alexander

Parish's estimate and dedicated Nov. 12, 1828, with John Quincy Adams, the sixth President of the United States holding Pew No. 1.

Even before the church was dedicated, the mortal remains of his benefactors, John and Abigail Adams, were transferred to tombs in the crypt of the church and, in 1852, the bodies of John Quincy Adams and his wife, Louisa, joined them.

It is the only church in the United States in which two Presidents are buried. The only other church in which a President is buried is the Episcopal Cathedral in Washington, D.C., where President Woodrow Wilson is entombed.

The church is open to the public for tours daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday, Sunday from 12 noon to 5 p.m., mid-April to mid-November. Admission is \$4 for adults, \$3 for students and senior citizens, and free for children 12 and under. For further information, call 617-773-0062.

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Why We Pronounce It 'Quin-zee'

Why do we pronounce Quincy "Quin-zee" when just about everyone else in the country refers to it as "Quin-see?"

There are 19 other Quincys in the U.S., but they pronounce it "Quin-see." Can they be right and we be wrong?

Not according to Quincy's late city historian, William C. Edwards, who never budged an inch whenever the argument ever came up. And it still comes up.

The reason we pronounce it "Quin-zee" is very simple.

"That's the way the Quincy family pronounced it," he used to explain.

"The original Quincy family which

settled here at Mount Wollaston pronounced it 'Quin-zee,' including Col. John Quincy after whom Quincy, Mass.—the first Quincy—was named in 1792."

Colonel Quincy was the great grandfather of sixth President John Quincy Adams.

Apparently, all 19 other Quincys in the U.S. were named after John Quincy Adams.

And, apparently the early settlers of those communities thought John Quincy pronounced it John "Quin-see."

Anyway, that is how Edwards explained it.

Seems like a sound argument.

Dorothy Quincy Homestead

John Hancock Signed 'Declaration Of Love' Here

An aura of romance surrounds the stately old house that is set back in the trees from the corner of Hancock Street and Butler Road on the banks of Furnace Brook.

There is the wallpaper with the blue cupids and pink flowers that was imported from France for the wedding of Dorothy Quincy, the vivacious daughter of the house, to Quincy-born John Hancock, a patriot on the run with a price on his head.

There are the words "You I Love and You Alone," addressed by Hancock to his beloved Dorothy and scratched on a window pane with his diamond ring just before he fled to Lexington on the eve of the Revolution.

And there are the secret chambers and passageways, used, it was said, to hide fugitive patriots during the Revolution and at an earlier date, even certain Englishmen fleeing a charge of regicide in the death of King Charles I.

It is for those reasons, and its combined Colonial, Georgian and Victorian style, that the old house was elevated in 2005 to the status of a National Historic Landmark possessing "national significance in commemorating the history of the United States."

Parts of the house were built in 1685 by Col. Edmund Quincy, the second of the name, on land that was granted to an earlier Edmund in 1638. The major part was built in 1706 by Edmund the third.

(There were six Edmunds in all, four in a direct line, two nephews).

The house was the social center of old Braintree during the regime of the fourth Edmund, largely because he sired five beautiful daughters around whom swirled a whole future generation of judges, generals and merchant kings.

The undisputed belle of the household was Dorothy, the coquettish youngest of the eight Quincy children, whose troth was soon plighted to John Hancock, the wealthy young businessman from Boston who was already becoming known as a leader of the rebels.

Tradition has it that they were to have been married in the north parlor of the Quincy homestead with its French cupid wallpaper when Revolution intervened and John had to flee with the British regulars on his heels.

Eventually, they were wed Aug. 28, 1775, at the home of Thaddeus Burr, uncle of Aaron Burr (later vice president of the United States and slayer of Alexander Hamilton in a duel) in Fairfield, Conn.

After the Revolution and the death of Edmund the fourth in 1788 the old house passed from the Quincy family. The Hancocks wanted nothing to do with it. Their only son, John George Washington Hancock, was killed in a skating accident at age 9 while on a visit in 1787.

The house was acquired in 1904 by the



DOROTHY QUINCY HOMESTEAD

Quincy Sun Photo: Noreen O'Sullivan

Massachusetts Society of Colonial Dames, who restored it with vintage furniture, utensils and clothing, and gave it to the state with the proviso that the Dames continue to run it.

Now that it is a National Historic Land-

mark, the next step for the Dorothy Quincy Homestead will be acceptance by the National Park Service as part of the Adams National Historical Park alongside the Adams Birthplaces and the Adams Mansion.

The Dorothy Quincy Homestead at the corner of Hancock St. and Butler Rd. is open to the public on Saturdays, July 14, Aug. 18 and Sept. 15 from 1 to 4 p.m. Tours start every hour and half hour until 3:30 p.m. Special arrangements can be made at other times. Call the Colonial Dames at 617-742-3190 or visit www.nscda.org/ma/quincy_homestead. Admission is free but voluntary contributions may be made.

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Charles Flagg photo



DOMED CEILING with its classic Greek lines identifies the 178-year-old United First Parish Church, where John Quincy Adams, the sixth president of the United States, once held Pew No. 1, and he and his father, John, the second president of the United States, and their wives are entombed in the crypt.

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It was a Bible, inscribed with a letter from the Africans of the slave ship *Amistad*, members of the Mendi tribe, whose case for freedom Adams won before the US Supreme Court at the age of 73.

They call it "the Mendi Bible" and it is now a treasured possession of the Adams National Historical Park, released from its display case under supervision of a park ranger only on special occasions.

One such occasion came in January, 2007, when Deval Patrick was inaugurated as the first African-American governor of Massachusetts and only the second in all the United States.

"This Bible comes from an extraordinary moment in the history of the commonwealth, the nation and the world," said Beverly Morgan-Welch, co-chair of the Inaugural Committee.

"The *Amistad* case was a giant step forward for the abolitionist movement and recognized the basic humanity of enslaved people in America.

"It is fitting and proper that we honor it now as part of this historic inaugural."

The *Amistad* case, which was made

into a movie starring Anthony Hopkins as John Quincy Adams, began in 1839 when a group of kidnapped Africans from Mendeland revolted aboard a Spanish slaver and took over the ship.

They thought their captive navigator was sailing them back to Africa as instructed but in reality they were taken to New York and imprisoned while Spanish authorities demanded their return.

Thus began a protracted legal battle with overtones of political intrigue as lower courts' orders to free the 35 men and women were offset by pro-slavery politicians, up to and including the president of the United States.

Eventually, it reached the Supreme Court where the aging Adams, the former president, now a congressman, reluctantly at first but passionately at last, argued their case before the justices and secured their freedom.

The Mendi Bible was his reward.

"The Mendi Bible is one of the most significant and moving pieces of history in the Adams family," said Benjamin Adams, president of the Adams Memorial Foundation.

"It reflects the great determination and courage of a people who, after long suffering, were fortunate to find themselves befriended by an old man, a former president with a passionate belief in justice."



MENDI BIBLE is displayed by Peter Boylston Adams, a sixth generation direct descendant of John Quincy Adams, and Marianne Peak, superintendent of the Adams National Historic Park.

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John Quincy Adams: The Old Flame Still Burned

The old man's bitterness glowed from every word as he penned them in his diary on June 17, 1843, the day the Bunker Hill Monument was dedicated.

"What a name in the annals of mankind is Bunker Hill! What a day was the 17... of June, 1775! And what a burlesque upon them both is an oration upon them by Daniel Webster!"

The old man despised Webster as a turncoat to his own heritage, one whose compromises had sold out to slavery.

"The ideal associations thundering cannon, which I heard, and the smoke of burning Charlestown, which I saw, on that awful day... How could I have witnessed all this at once, without an unbecoming burst of indignation.

"Daniel Webster is a heartless traitor to the cause of freedom: John Tyler [the



JOHN QUINCY ADAMS

President] is a slave-monger. What have these to do with the Quincy granite pyramid on the brow of Bunker Hill?

"I stayed home..."

The old flame still burned in John Quincy Adams at 75.

Quincy Historical Facts

1792: The North Precinct separated from Old Braintree and named Quincy in honor of Colonel John Quincy. Population about 900.

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1797: John Adams elected second President of the United States.

1824: John Quincy Adams elected sixth President of the United States.

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1826: First Commercial Railroad opened to transport granite for Bunker Hill Monument, from West Quincy to the Neponset River.

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John Adams' July 4th Toast: 'I Will Give You Independence Forever'

The centerpiece of the display in the second floor study at the Old House is John Adams' favorite armchair in which he was stricken with his final illness and offered his last testament as a Founding Father.

On June 30, 1826, four days before the nation was to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, the Rev. George Whitney and his Quincy Committee of Arrangements called on Adams.

The 90-year-old former president, who played such a vital role in the composition and passage of the Declaration, was asked to join the committee at dinner. Regretfully, the ailing old patriot declined.

Then he was asked to propose a toast



JOHN ADAMS

for the dinner.

"I will give you: 'Independence Forever!'" he said.

Would he like to add to that?

"Not a syllable," said the old man.

Four days later, at 6:20 in the afternoon, as cannon roared and bells rang out to celebrate a half century of independence, John Adams was dead.

On the morning of July 4, a letter went off to John

Quincy Adams in Washington that his father was at death's door but, due to the slow communications of the day, he did not get the message for several days.

The sixth president of the United States was en route home to Quincy July 9 when he got word of his father's death.



FAVORITE ARMCHAIR of John Adams, second president of the United States, in which he was stricken with his final illness, is the centerpiece of the display in the second floor study at the Old House in the Adams National Historic Park.

Quincy Sun photo Robert Noble

Quincy 'Capital' Of The United States

For eight months during the presidency of John Adams, Quincy could have been called the capital of the United States.

Adams spent that time running the

country from his desk in the Old House, the Adams Mansion, while a yellow fever epidemic raged in Philadelphia, then the official capital.

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A free trolley service is available from the Visitors Center, 1250 Hancock St., Quincy Sq., to the Presidents John and John Quincy Adams Birthplaces, 133 and

141 Franklin St. and the "Old House" Adams National Historic Site, 135 Adams St., from 9:15 to 3:15 p.m. when the last tour is conducted.

John Hancock Richest Man?

At the start of the Revolution, Quincy-born John Hancock may have been the richest man in the Massachu-

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Some Wanted Quincy To Be Hancock

By HENRY BOSWORTH

If some of the early settlers had their way, it would be the city of Hancock today instead of Quincy.

Quincy, like George Washington, was born on Feb. 22.

On Feb. 22, 1792, the General Court of Massachusetts passed an act incorporating the North Precinct of Old Braintree as the separate town of Quincy.

But, just before that, quite a few of the residents wanted the new town named after native-son John Hancock instead of Boston-born Colonel John Quincy.

Colonel Quincy, who had represented Old Braintree in the General Court, was the great-grandfather of President John Quincy Adams.

Many people today think Quincy was named after the sixth President but the honor actually goes to his great-grandfather.

John Hancock, who was born in the North Precinct, was governor of Massachusetts when the General Court passed the act incorporating the new town as Quincy. He signed the act the following day.

But at the first town meeting of the new town in May, a petition was presented to change the name from Quincy to Hancock in honor of the patriot and first signer of the Declaration of Indepen-



JOHN HANCOCK

dence. The move was finally defeated after a stormy verbal battle.

Opponents argued that Hancock was still alive and that the honor should go to a distinguished-but-deceased-person.

Colonel Quincy met those requirements. He was both distinguished and deceased.

He had represented Old Braintree in the General Court from 1717 to 1741, 12 of those years as Speaker of the House. He died in 1767 at age 77, two days after John Quincy Adams was born.

Quincy became a city June 11, 1888. But a lot of people will go right on thinking Quincy was named after John Quincy Adams.

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John Adams 'Father'

U.S., State Constitution Both Born Here

By TOM HENSHAW

Quincy, birthplace of John Adams. John Quincy Adams and John Hancock, also has claim to the birth of the U.S. Constitution.

The seed for this precious document was planted here.

The U.S. Constitution was modeled after the Massachusetts Constitution which was written by John Adams, Samuel Adams and James Bowdoin in Adams' law office of the John Quincy Adams birthplace in Quincy.

There is every reason to believe that John Adams did not want to go the Massachusetts Constitution Convention in Cambridge in 1779.

He missed his wife, Abigail, terribly, and she him.

The American colonies, newly reborn as the United States of America, were going through the most dismal period of the War for Independence. Inflation was rampant: butcher's meat, a dollar to eight shillings a pound; flour, fifty dollars a hundredweight. The news from the fighting front was of death, privation and horror.

Like many Braintree wives whose husbands were away at war, Abigail Adams was forced into the unaccustomed role of head of the household, a function she filled with determination.

John Adams attended the opening session of the Constitutional Convention in Cambridge on Wednesday, June 1, 1779. On Saturday, he was named to a committee of 30 to prepare the declaration of rights and the constitution. On Monday, the committee delegated the task to a subcommittee of three, John and Samuel Adams; and James Bowdoin.

Thus it was that John Adams wound up in the law office of his home at the foot of Penn's Hill, paired with his firebrand cousin, Sam, and his ailing friend, James Bowdoin, to write a Constitution for Massachusetts.

The patient, hard-working John Adams, of course, did most of the work.

"I was by the Convention put upon the Committee—by the Committee upon the subcommittee—and by the subcommittee appointed a sub subcommittee—so that I had the honor to be principal Engineer," he wrote to his friend, Edmund Jennings. Payroll records indicate that he was paid 90 pounds for his work.

The so-called "Adams draft" of the Massachusetts Constitution was accepted by the Convention with a few alterations but by that time John Adams was long gone back to Europe, this time to help negotiate a treaty of peace with Britain and serve as America's first minister to London. He did not see the farm at the



PAINTING BY Albert Herter shows John Adams, Samuel Adams and James Bowdoin at work on the Massachusetts Constitution in the law office of John Quincy Adams Birthplace, Franklin St., Quincy.

(Photo Courtesy of The Quincy Historical Society)

foot of Penn's Hill again for another eight years.

But he was immensely heartened by these words from the pen of his ever-loving Abigail, written on Oct. 15, 1780:

"Our Massachusetts Constitution is read with admission in New York and pronounced by the Royal Governor as the best republican form he ever saw."

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THE ADAMS BIRTHPLACES, where John Adams and his son, John Quincy Adams, the second and sixth Presidents of the United States, were born, is the only location in the country where two presidential birthplaces stand side-by-side. It is a National Historical Site under the supervision of the U.S. National Park Service.

Quincy Sun Photos Robert Noble



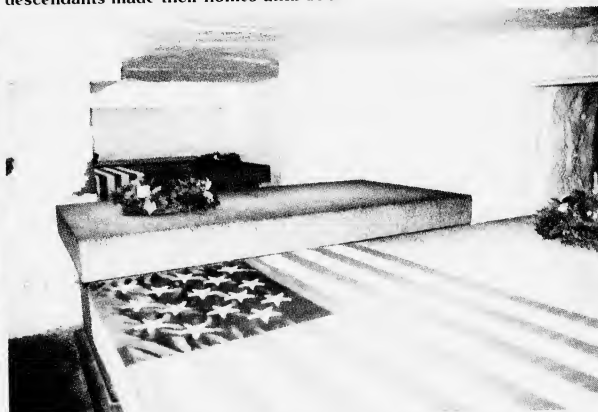
FLOWERS AND GREENERY welcome visitors to the "Old House," centerpiece of the Adams National Historical Park where John and John Quincy Adams, two presidents of the United States, lived out their days and their descendants made their homes until 1927.



'THE GAZING BALL,' a shining sphere of Quincy granite on display in Constitution Common outside City Hall, is a constant reminder that Quincy stone was once one of the most cherished building materials. The 9 1/2-ton ball spent the last 69 years half-hidden in the shrubbery at the Fore River Rotary before returning to its intended home this year.

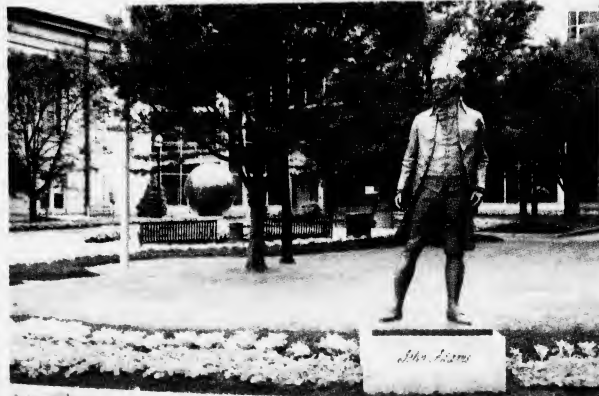


YORKIST ROSE TREE, brought back from Europe and set out by Abigail Adams in 1789, still blooms in the garden of the Old House in the Adams National Historical Park.

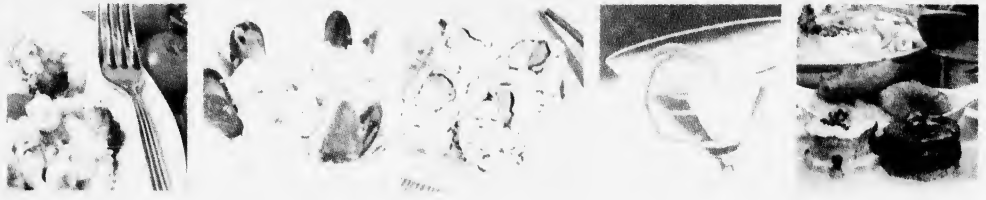
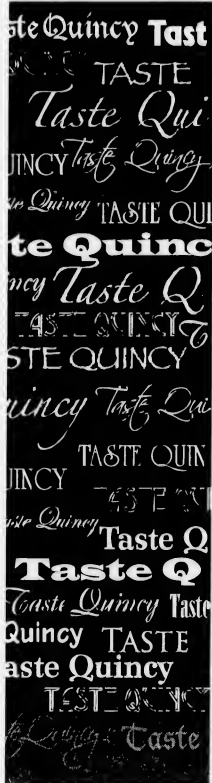


FLAGS AND WREATHS adorn the last resting place of Presidents John and John Quincy Adams and their wives, Abigail and Louisa, in the crypt of United First Parish Church. It's the only church in the United States where two presidents are buried side by side with their wives.

Quincy Sun photo Noreen O'Shea



THE LIFE-SIZED bronze statue of second president John Adams rests on the edge of Constitution Common outside City Hall so that it appears he is looking across Hancock St. to United First Parish Church and the statue of his wife, Abigail and son, John Quincy Adams who became the sixth president. Both statues were commissioned by the Quincy Partnership and are the work of noted sculptor Lloyd Lillie.



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Hancock Cemetery

Where Patriots, Early Settlers, Intrigue Rest

Henry, the first Adams in Quincy, is buried there. So is the Rev. John Hancock, father of the first signer of the Declaration of Independence. And Colonel John Quincy, for whom the city is named.

But of all the 800 graves in the Hancock Cemetery, the Old Burying Ground of Colonial Quincy, most intriguing is one marked by a tombstone bearing this cryptic epitaph:

"Erected to the memory of John R. Grieve. Died Nov. 12, 1850, age 22 years, and Hannah Banks, his wife, died Nov. 12, 1850, age 15 years. Both of Zanesville, Ohio. Deceased by the writings of A. J. Davis."

The mystery of John and Hannah has never been fully solved.

They came to Quincy in 1850, not as man and wife, but as male cousins, John Green and George Sands. They obtained work in a shoe factory but rarely left their lodgings on Elm St., spending long hours reading books on spiritualism.

Co Workers thought that George Sands looked frail, almost effeminate. It was widely suspected that "he" was a girl. A scheme was devised to test the theory.

One day at lunch one of the shoe workers tossed George an apple. A man would catch it by closing his legs, a woman by spreading her skirt. Guess what "George" did!



HANCOCK CEMETERY

Humiliated, John and Hannah never went back to the factory. Nor did they ever return to the house on Elm St. Their frozen bodies were found next spring by rabbit hunters on Penn's Hill, locked in a

loving embrace.

Several months later, the father of John Grieve arrived from Ohio to bury the young couple. It was he who directed the words to be chiselled on the headstone. He explained no further.

A. J. Davis was never identified for sure. But Andrew Jackson Davis, a spiritualist, hypnotist and faith healer, was then practicing in Boston.

Among the belongings found in the Elm St. lodgings were these words, written by 15-year-old Hannah Banks:

"To the oppressed and downtrodden, to the suffering and afflicted, I would cry out...Death is only an event, only a circumstance in the eternal life experience of the human soul. Death is simply a birth into a new and perfect state of existence."

Not far from the grave of John and Hannah is a tomb bearing words that cry out of an earlier injustice:

"Three precious friends under this tombstone lie

"Patterns to aged, youth and infancy.

"A great mother, her learned son, with child.

"The first and least went free. He was exiled.

"In love to Christ, this country, and dear friends.

"He left his own, cross'd seas and for amends

"Was here extoll'd, and envy'd all in a breath.

"His noble consort leaves, is drawn to death.

"Stranger changes may befall us ere we die.

"Blest they who will arrive eternity.

"God grant some names, O thou New England's friend.

"Don't sooner fade than thine, if times don't mend."

The tomb with its hidden message contains the family of the Rev. Leonard Hoar, third president of Harvard College, a man too liberal for his times.

He was forced by the General Court of the Massachusetts Bay Colony to resign at the instigation of religious opponents and jealous colleagues for permitting Harvard to "languish and decay." Eight months later, in November 1675, he was dead at 45.

In 1975, the same General Court, now of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, righted the 300-year-old wrong done to the Rev. Mr. Hoar by "proclaiming and confirming his innocence of any misdeeds while president of Harvard College."

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He came to Quincy as a boy of 7, grew to young manhood on a farm in Quincy Point, learned the granite-cutters trade, and left at the age of 26 to win fame and fortune in stone in New York City.

That was the last Quincy heard of Thomas Crane for half a century until one February day in 1880, five years after his death, when his son, Albert, appeared with \$20,000 with which to build a memorial — preferably a library — to his father.

"My father always retained a strong feeling for the town of Quincy," was his only explanation.

Albert Crane himself chose the man to design the building, Henry Hobson Richardson, grandson of the English scientist Dr. Joseph Priestley and the foremost architect of the day.

His reputation was so formidable that he was able to tell Crane, "I cannot guarantee that the building, when completed, shall conform to (your) ideas of beauty and taste," and still get the job.

Richardson's Romanesque building, which now houses the reference section of the library, was dedicated on May 30, 1882, with the principal oration delivered by Charles Francis Adams, Jr., chairman of the Board of Trustees.

It was Adams who gave the library its name. Albert Crane wanted it to be "The Quincy Free Public Library." Adams insisted on "The Thomas Crane Public Library."

"Who's giving the building?" asked Albert Crane.

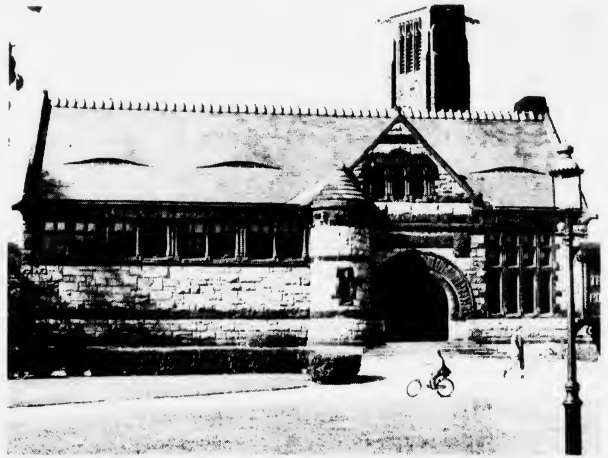
"You are, but you wouldn't have it if hadn't been for me," said Adams, who was used to having his way around Quincy, and that was that.

President John Adams' modest collection of books was housed in the library until 1893, when it was discovered that in 11 years only two persons, one of them Charles Francis Adams, Jr., had asked to see them. They were then transferred to the Boston Public Library.

At the start, Richardson's magnificent building was all but hidden behind a grain store, a hotel, an office building and four homes that lined Washington St.

Albert Crane, however, was a persistent man and, by the time he died in 1917, he had purchased and torn down all the buildings, leaving a broad expanse of open space to enhance the library.

But before the lawn could be seeded, World War I intervened and, in a burst of patriotism — "Food will win the war," they said — the area was planted with potatoes, tended by an expert brought in from Maine.



THOMAS CRANE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The experiment failed.

"There wasn't a potato in the lot that was anywhere near as large as a golf ball," said Mayor Joseph L. Whiton. The harvest was donated to the poor farm.

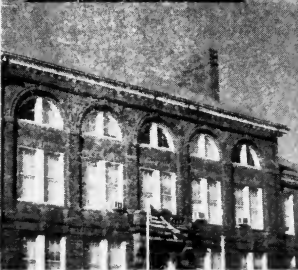
Albert Crane also put up \$64,000 to build the Spear St. wing of the library in 1907-08 and the Crane family gave yet another \$164,000 for the free standing

addition, built in 1938.

A new \$18 million addition that almost doubled the size of the existing library was completed in the spring of 2001 with money from the Crane endowment used to purchase the property and the rest paid for with a city bond issue.

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The academy was a gift of John Adams, the second President of the United States, who always had his checkbook ready to fill the spiritual and educational needs of the citizens of his beloved Quincy.

The trust fund, nourished by "rents, profits and emoluments" from certain Adams-owned properties, was set up in the Adams will of 1822, but it was not until 1869 that the fund was deemed large enough to start construction.

The location was specified by Adams himself as the corner of Adams and Hancock Streets—site of the birthplace of his childhood friend, John Hancock, the first signer of the Declaration of Independence.

The doors opened to the first students, 24 of them, on Sept. 4, 1872. Five years later, the academy reached a peak enrollment of 154 with an international student body—25 from Quincy, four from Washington, D.C., 125 from 14 states, two from England and one from Chile.

It had one of the earliest prep school football teams, too, recording a tie with the Resolutes of Boston on Oct. 21, 1876, a scant seven years after Princeton and Rutgers played the first college game. It whipped Andover three times from 1877-79.

The admissions catalogue specified that applicants be "well prepared in the usual studies of good grammar school" and warned that "no pupils are desired to give them a collegiate education."

The best known headmaster was Dr. William Everett, once acclaimed as one of the seven smartest men in the world. He ran the academy with a firm hand from 1878 to 1893 and again from 1897 to



ADAMS ACADEMY is at John Hancock Square, and now home of the Quincy Historical Society.
Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble

1907. From 1893 to 1897, he was a U.S. congressman from Lynn.

Dr. Everett, an amiable if sometimes waspish eccentric, was widely known as the man who hated Abraham Lincoln. He had reason. His father was Edward Everett, whose masterful oration at Gettysburg was over-shadowed by Lincoln's notes scribbled on the back of an envelope.

It was Dr. Everett, who signaled the passing of Adams Academy—and many other 19th Century classical prep schools—at graduation exercises in 1907 when he said that "unless someone comes forward and planks down \$50,000, the academy will be closed."

Nobody did. On June 22, 1907, the Adams Academy officially closed its doors.

The building today is occupied by the Quincy Historical Society, which maintains a museum and research library in the old classrooms as well as an expanded gift shop.

The museum and gift shop are open all year, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and April through November, Saturday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The library is open Monday and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to noon. Other times by appointment. Call 617-773-1144 for more information.



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Moswetuset Hummock

'Birthplace Of Massachusetts'

The Indians saw it as a hill (wetuset) shaped like an arrow head (mos) so they called it "Moswetuset" and when English tongues got through mangling the word it came out "Massachusetts," which became the name of the bay and then the state.

The little wooded hillock near the junction of East Squantum Street and Quincy Shore Drive was once the seat of the sachem Chickatabot, who comes down through the pages of Quincy history as a rather pathetic figure.

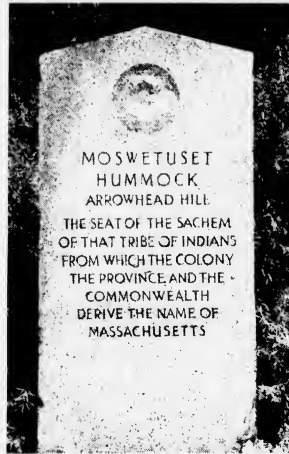
He was the chief of the Moswetuset Indians, a once great tribe that occupied the coast north of Plymouth.

A few years before, under the great sachem Nanepashemet, the Moswetuset had been able to field some 3,000 warriors for a war with a neighboring tribe. Nanepashemet was killed.

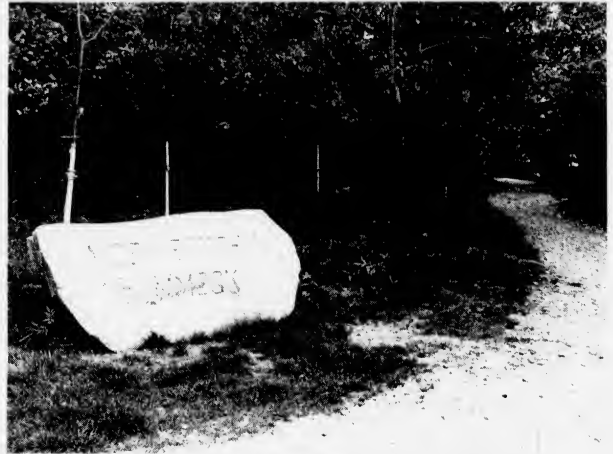
Then came the plague.

In two years the mighty Moswetuset were all but wiped out. No more than 60 of them were left to till their fields on the banks of the Neponset River. Sachem Chickatabot fled his home on the hill in Wollaston and took refuge on Moswetuset Hummock.

That was the situation in 1621 when Capt. Myles Standish landed from a



(Robert Bosworth Photo)



MOSWETUSET HUMMOCK (Jack Tolson Photo)

shallop with an exploring party of Plymouth Pilgrims that included the Indian guide Squanto (or Tsquantum), whose name was given to the peninsula that stuck out in the bay. They called it Squantum.

The tragic Chickatabot died not long after the Pilgrims' visit and he was succeeded as sachem by his son, Josiah

Wampatuck, a boy who knew a good deal when he saw one.

Wampatuck sold what was left of his virtually deserted tribal lands to a group of whites for 12 pounds, 10 shillings. The lands included most of what is today the city of Quincy and the towns of Braintree, Randolph and Holbrook.

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WWII Famed Figure 'Kilroy Was Here' At Quincy Shipyard

"Kilroy was here!"

It seemed like the words were everywhere 62 years ago.

They greeted the first American GIs to arrive at the Imperial Palace in war torn Tokyo in the late summer of 1945 and they mystified Stalin in the men's room at Yalta.

"Kilroy was here!"

He really wasn't but in a way he was.

It all began in 1942 in Bethlehem Steel's Fore River Shipyard in Quincy where James J. Kilroy was employed as a checker whose job it was to count the number of holes filled by a riveter.

Kilroy's job was important to the riveters since they were paid by the number of rivets they drove. Kilroy would go around and count them and check each with a chalk mark.

Some riveters would wait until the checker had gone and then erase the last

chalk mark. Another checker would count the rivet a second time and the riveter would get paid twice for the same work.

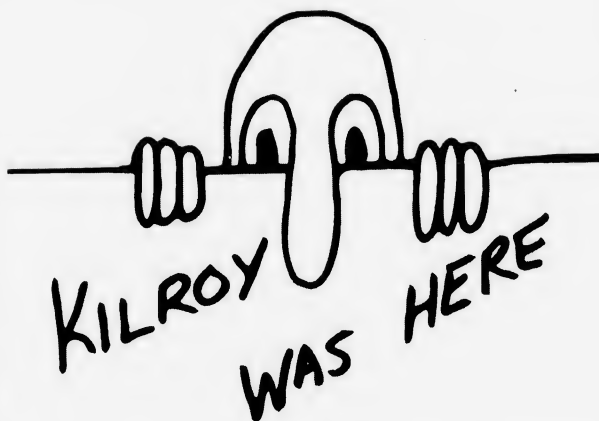
One day, Kilroy overheard his boss ask a riveter if Kilroy had checked a certain rivet. No, said the riveter. That made Kilroy mad because he knew he had checked that particular rivet.

He grabbed a piece of chalk, went over to where the two men were standing and scribbled "Kilroy was here!" in large, bold letters right next to the check mark. It soon became his standard practice.

Ordinarily, the chalk mark would be covered up by paint. But this was wartime and some ships left the Yard too fast to be fully painted.

The enigmatic "Kilroy was here!" began appearing all over the world, joined by a drawing of a long-nosed character peering over a wall.

The mysterious message fascinated



GIs. Soon they began writing it themselves on walls in the most unlikely places, like the Imperial Palace in Tokyo and the men's room at Yalta.

"Who is Kilroy?" asked Stalin as he came out wiping his hands.

Eventually, as "Remember Pearl Harbor" stood for America's fighting men in World War II and the men and women who built the war machines for them, so did "Kilroy was here!" come to stand for them too.

Thomas Watson Wins New Shipyard Bridge

The narrow wooden bridge that spanned the Fore River at its mouth proved to be an early impediment to building large ships at Thomas A. Watson's Quincy yard.

So Watson not only lobbied for a new bridge but won the contract to build it in 1902 in time for the cruiser Des Moines to get out for her sea trials.

USS Lexington Led Search For Amelia

When Amelia Earhart, once the part owner of Dennison Airport in North Quincy, vanished over the Pacific on an around-the-world flight in 1937, it was

the Quincy-built aircraft carrier Lexington (the first) and its 90 planes that led the three week search for her.

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The Granite Railway First Commerical Railroad In U.S.

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Each of the three wagons had four wheels, six and one half feet in diameter, surmounted by a smaller gear wheel which was used to raise and lower the cargo platform that was slung low between the wheels.

It rode on foot-high wooden rails, topped by iron plate, which rested on stone sleepers or cross ties, placed eight feet apart and firmly supported on crushed granite to a depth beyond the frost line.

On Saturday, Oct. 7, 1826, the wagons were laden with 16 tons of the finest Quincy granite and the opening day guests were properly amazed when a single horse moved the whole thing with ease more than three miles to a special wharf on the Neponset River.

The granite blocks, a particularly hard and weather-resistant stone capable of taking a brilliant polish, were en route to Charlestown, where they were building a monument to the Battle of Bunker Hill.

The Granite Railway, the first such commercial venture in the United States, was built specifically to transport stone for the Bunker Hill Monument.

That it became successful, and a model for others around the country, is a tribute to three vastly dissimilar men, the engineer Gridley Bryant, the architect Solomon Willard and the financier, Colonel Thomas Handasyd Perkins.

Bryant was 27 at the time but already an engineer of note. He invented the eight wheeled railroad car and, when a fellow named Ross Winans of Baltimore sued to establish a patent on it, Bryant was able to prove his claim to the satisfaction of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Willard, then 43, was a great bear of a man, gentle, obliging, industrious. Frivolity, it was said, was alien to him and he was never known to run. He could be crotchety, too. He was a carpenter turned wood-carver, turned stone-carver and, finally architect.

Perkins was the autocratic, 52-year-old merchant king of Boston who was said to have been offered the post of Secretary of the Navy by President Washington and turned it down with the observation that he owned more ships than the Navy.

It was Perkins who lobbied the Railway's charter through a puzzled and obstinate State Legislature, which had never been called upon to incorporate a commercial



THE GRANITE RAILWAY

(Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble)

railroad before. It was Perkins who financed it, too, largely with his own money.

Even in its early days, the Granite Railway was a tourist attraction of some magnitude.

Daniel Webster, who used to stop off for a pick-me-up in Quincy en route from Boston and Washington to his home in Marshfield, viewed it and decided that it would never succeed because of the frost that would form on the rails in the winter.

The President of the United States, a local boy named John Quincy Adams, visited in August, 1827, got caught in a thunderstorm and took shelter in a shed where Willard's stone-cutters were hacking away at monument granite.

A group of visitors were riding up the Railway's incline in an empty car on July 25, 1832, when the chain broke and catapulted them over a 40-foot cliff. One was killed in what may have been the first

railroad fatality in the United States.

The Granite Railway Co. survived until 1870, some 27 years after the Bunker Hill Monument was finished, when most of its track was taken over by the Old Colony Railroad, which in turn became a division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford.

Today much of the roadbed, over which freight moved commercially on rails for the first time in America, is buried under the macadam of the Southeast Expressway.

The incline of the old Railway has been restored and is located at the dead end of Mullin Ave. in West Quincy. It is open to the public year around, 24 hours a day. There is no admission charge.

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Josiah Quincy House

Lookout For Spying On British Ships

Abigail Adams stood with her great-uncle, Col. Josiah Quincy, in a window of his mansion overlooking Wollaston Beach and watched the tall masts of 170 ships stand slowly out to sea. It was March 17, 1776. The British were evacuating Boston.

But even in triumph there was tragedy. Aboard the departing ships were more than 1,000 Loyalists, Americans who had chosen King above country, and one of them was Abigail's cousin, Samuel Quincy, the Colonel's son and remaining son, an avowed Tory.

"Take along farewell," his sister, Hannah, wrote to him for one last time. "Let it not be published that a brother of such brothers fled from his country. Can you expect to walk uprightly now? Can you take fire in your bosom and not be burned?"

Two of Col. Josiah Quincy's sons had died young. Now he had no more.

But there was no time for regrets. The work of revolution had begun. The second floor of the house at what is now 20 Muirhead St., Wollaston, was a lookout from which the 66-year-old Colonel spied on British ship movements for his friend, Gen. George Washington.

A few months before, Col. Quincy watched the Royal Governor, Gen. Thomas Gage depart and he scratched on a pane of window glass the reminder: "Oct. 10, 1775.

General Gage sailed for England with a fair wind."

This time he remained in the window for three days as the British tall ships moved restlessly about the Harbor as if reluctant to leave. Finally, on March 20, the last of them passed through the roadstead and out to sea.

The mansion in Wollaston reached full social flower under the aegis of the Colonel's grandson, the third Josiah, the "Great Mayor" of Boston, president of Harvard and Congressman who called it "Tranquillia" and used it as his summer home.

It was there that the Marquis de Lafayette visited one Sunday afternoon after dinner with his friend, ex-President John Adams at the Adams Mansion. He carried flowers from the Adams garden for Mrs. Eliza Susan Quincy and her five attractive daughters.

The house was built in 1770 by the old Colonel himself, the first in a line of six Josiahs. It was said that, while most families passed their line from sire to son, the Quincys went from 'Siah to 'Siah.

But, while there were six Josiahs and innumerable Edmunds, the city was named for yet another member of the prolific family — Col. John Quincy, the great-grandfather of John Quincy Adams, sixth president of the United States.

The house, which was painted yellow for many years, recently underwent a conver-



JOSIAH QUINCY HOUSE in Wollaston recently underwent a paint change from yellow to beige to reflect more accurately how the house, a National Historic Landmark, looked in the 1880s when historian Eliza Susan Quincy began to organize historical information on the house.

(Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble)

sion to beige to more accurately reflect how it looked in the 1880s when another Eliza Susan Quincy, a historian, began to chronicle information pertaining to the house and family.

Eliza Susan kept journals, inventoried the contents of the house and persuaded rela-

tives to return heirlooms so that the house could become a museum of Quincy family history. Her work initiated the process that led to the preservation of the house by the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities (SPNEA).

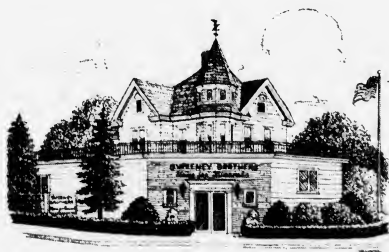
The Josiah Quincy House, 20 Muirhead St., Wollaston, is open to the public Saturday, Aug. 18. A special program and tour will be conducted Saturday, Aug. 4. Tours are \$4. Private Heritage tours are available by calling 617-227-3956 or visiting www.historicnewengland.org.

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QUINCY - YESTERDAY

1614: Explored by Captain John Smith
 1621: Visited by Captain Myles Standish
 1625: Settled by Captain Wollaston
 1640: Mt. Wollaston incorporated as the Town of Braintree
 1735: Birth of John Adams
 1737: Birth of John Hancock
 1767: Birth of John Quincy Adams
 1779: John Adams drafts the Constitution of Massachusetts in Quincy
 1792: The North Precinct of Old Braintree and part of Dorchester become the Town of Quincy
 1888: Chartered as the City of Quincy

QUINCY - TODAY

Population: City Census 91,606
 Land Area: 16.77 square miles
 Shoreline: 27 miles

Ancestry Traced To Magna Carta

The first member of the Quincy family, for whom the city is named, came to Boston from England in 1633, claiming descent from Baron de Quincy, one of

the noblemen who forced King John to sign the Magna Carta at Runnymede in 1215.

City Hall

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For 163 Years

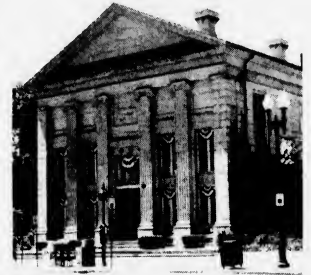
Daniel and Hannah French deeded the land to the town of Quincy for \$1,000 with the stipulation that it "shall not be used for any other purpose than as a place for a Town House and for the said Inhabitants."

And, with a few minor transgressions of that vow, the solid structure of Quincy granite on Quincy Square has been just that for the past 163 years, the nerve center of government for the town and then the city.

It was the great hall on the second floor that the popular John Quincy Adams II, grandson of a President of the United States, held forth as town moderator for many years and, with his brother, Charles Francis Adams Jr., gave informal direction to town affairs.

One of the earliest ordinances passed by the first City Council on March 8, 1889 was the adoption of the City Seal emblazoned with the four most significant dates in Quincy's history:

1625, for the first settlement on Mount Wollaston; **1640**, for its separation from Boston as the town of Braintree; **1792**, for its separation from Braintree as the town of Quincy; and **1888**, for its incorporation as a city.



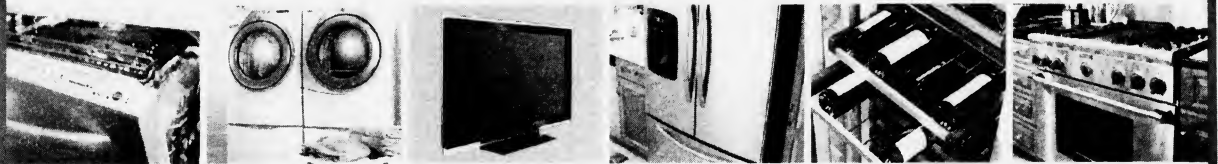
CITY HALL

Designed by the architect Solomon Willard — who received \$280 for drawing up the plans and superintending construction for five months — the City Hall was completed and occupied for the first time on Nov. 1, 1844.

It cost exactly \$19,115.93 to build, including 88 cents to John Briesler for lead to seal the chimney.

In 1979, when a three and a half story reflective glass addition was built behind the old City Hall, the cost was \$1.9 million.

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Abigail Adams Cairn

The Smoke Could Be Seen Over Bunker Hill

Abigail Adams was awakened at dawn in the farmhouse at the foot of Penn's Hill by the sound of far-off guns. All through the sweltering morning of June 17, 1775, as she hustled about with the chores, the dull boom of cannon intruded on her consciousness.

Riders on the Coast Road to Plymouth, stopping at the farmhouse for a drink of water, told her of a great battle underway on Breed's Hill in Charlestown.

One of them brought word that Dr. Joseph Warren had been killed in the fighting and little Abby, age 10, burst into tears, and John Quincy, nearly 8, felt bewildered and sad, for Dr. Warren was the Adams family doctor in Boston.

In the afternoon, Abigail could stand it no longer. Taking Abby and John Quincy by the hand, she walked up the Coast Road to the top of Penn's Hill and climbed up on the rocks for a better view.

The panorama of the Bay, a shimmering blue in the sunshine, spread out before them, the tiny houses on the three hills of Boston and, beyond, the black smoke rising in billows.

"Good God," exclaimed Abigail, "they are burning Charlestown!"

The scene etched itself forever in John

Quincy's memory.

The early days of the Revolution were times of turmoil in Old Braintree and its North Precinct, which was later called Quincy.

Abigail's husband, John, was away most of the time at the Continental Congress in Philadelphia, leaving 31-year-old Abigail to manage the farm and look to the needs of four small children: Abigail, John Quincy, Charles, 5, and Thomas Boylston, 3.

There were days of alarm as the British, penned up in Boston by the brand new Continental Army, foraged up and down the coast for supplies. Refugees from occupied Boston and the inner towns of Dorchester and Roxbury sometimes slept in the kitchen and in the fields.

As the wife of a member of Congress, Abigail was a center of attention. The house on the Coast Road was a favorite stopping place for travelers to Plymouth. Politicians up from Philadelphia made it a point to stop by for a visit with John Adams' wife.

Abigail was invited to visit Gen. George Washington's headquarters at Winter Hill. The aristocratic Washington was suspect among New Englanders. He was a Vir-



ABIGAIL ADAMS CAIRN

(Quincy Sun Photo/Noreen O'Shea)

ginian; he was an Anglican; and, it was said, he held slaves. But John Adams liked him and Abigail was soon charmed.

One day, young John Quincy came home to find his Uncle Elihu melting down Abigail's pewter spoons in the kitchen to make bullet molds. He looked at his

mother and she looked back at him and something indefinable passed between them.

"Do you wonder," wrote the sixth President of the United States some 68 years later, "that a boy of 7 who witnessed this scene should be a patriot."

In 1896, where the old Coast Road (now Franklin Street) meets Viden Road atop Penn's Hill, a stone cairn was built to mark the spot where Abigail and young John Quincy watched the Battle of Bunker Hill. It is open to the public and free of charge.

Used For Bunker Hill Monument, King's Chapel, Other Landmarks Quincy's Granite Was Famed The World Over

They're just holes in the ground now, attractive and perilous nuisances that, over the years, have filled with water and lured swimmers to their dooms, unaware of the dangers that lie in the cool green depths.

But there was a time, more than 100 years ago, when the Quincy granite quarries swarmed with workmen hacking out stone that was sought as prime building material around the world.

Like Topsy, the granite industry in Quincy "just grewed."

The earliest settlers used the surface boulders found on the North and South Commons to build the foundations of their homes and the fences that separated them from their neighbors.

At the industry's height in the late 1800s, there were more than 30 operating quarries and in one of them, Jonathan Swingle's quarry, men dug for granite at a The first known use of Quincy granite as a building material was the town's second meeting house in 1666, a scant 41 years after the first settlement at Mount Wollaston.

The stone building served a dual purposes. Sometimes it was a church where the community worshipped; other times it served as a fort in case



GRANITE WORKERS, many of them immigrants who learned their craft in Italy and the Scandinavian countries, are memorialized with a statue of Quincy granite in the Granite Workers Park on Copeland St., West Quincy. There were as many as 4,000 working in the Quincy quarries during the "Stone Age" of American architecture.

Quincy Sun photo/Robert Noble

of an Indian attack.

Quarrying in general was in its infancy, an inexact science in those days.

The process of cutting a rock to size was simple — build a fire around it, then drop an iron ball or cold water on the rock, which would break at approximately the desired spot.

Later, the quarrymen used wooden wedges which expanded when wet to split the stone, then sledges and hammers introduced by German immigrants, finally iron wedges.

These were the methods used to obtain granite to build King's Chapel in Boston (1753), the State Prison in Charlestown (1815), the Dedham jail (1817) and St. Paul's Church in Boston (1820).

That was the situation when Solomon Willard decided to commemorate the Battle of Bunker Hill (actually Breed's Hill) by building a monument out of Quincy granite.

The problem was that no one had ever built with such large pieces of stone before and no one knew how to quarry it or work it or transport it to the building location.

Willard, who quit his job as an ar-

chitect and moved to Quincy to direct quarrying operations for the Bunker Hill Monument, had to devise new methods for obtaining and working the stone.

The new method of transportation, devised by Gridley Bryant, involved the construction of the first commercial railroad in the United States to carry stone from the quarry to the Neponset River.

Willard's inventions and new methods inaugurated what is known as "the Stone Age" of American architecture and the Quincy granite industry flourished along with it.

Quincy granite, known for its durability and its ability to take a high polish, was shipped all over the world under the trade names "Quincy Light," "Quincy Dark," and "Quincy Extra Dark."

The demise of the granite industry started after World War I when lighter and more malleable building materials were developed with which to construct stronger and less costly buildings.

The last operating quarry, Swingle's, went out of business in 1963.

First Competitive Aeromeet Here In 1910

Amelia Earhart, Harriet Quimby Pioneers

By SHARRON BEALS

Quincy plunged into the new and challenging world of aviation less than seven years after the Wright brothers proved, on a windy Carolina beach, that heavier-than-air craft could fly.

The site was a 500-acre tract of former farmland called "New Squantum," leased by the Harvard-Boston Aero Association and opened Aug. 8, 1910, as the Harvard Aviation Field.

Most of the great ones of the early days of flying showed up at Squantum at one time or another, including the Wright brothers themselves, Claude Graham-White, Richard E. Byrd and the First Ladies of the Air, Harriet Quimby and Amelia Earhart.

Quimby was the first American woman to qualify for a pilot's license in 1911 and the second in the world (Helene Dutrieu of France was the first) and the first woman to fly across the English Channel.

Earhart, who once had a financial interest in a private airport at Squantum, was the first woman to solo across the Atlantic and was trying to be the first around the world when she vanished over the Pacific in 1937.

The first competitive air show in the United States was organized by the Harvard Aero Society Sept. 3-10, 1910, and it drew 22 flyers and 17 aircraft as

competitors and President William Howard Taft as one of 150,000 spectators.

Star of the meet was the Brit, Graham-White, who brought two airplanes, a Bleriot monoplane and a Farman biplane, and won \$10,000 offered by the Boston Globe for a hazardous double round trip to Boston Light. He also sweetened the pot by taking passengers on short flights for \$500 each.

The 1913 Harvard Meet was to have featured a competition between Quimby and Blanche Scott, the first American woman to fly a plane, for the honor of flying the first air mail flight to New York. Instead, it ended tragically.

Quimby, showing off her new two-seat Bleriot monoplane, took Meet Director William A.F. Willard for a flight around Boston Light. Returning, the plane suddenly nosed over and Quimby and Willard fell out, dropping to their deaths in Dorchester Bay 1,000 feet below.

Only then was it revealed that Quimby had already been chosen to fly the mail to New York for the first time.

The Navy took over the field in Squantum in 1917 and established the US Naval Training School, with Lt. (jg) Earl Spencer in command, to train young men in the fast developing art of flying airplanes.

Spencer and his wife, the former Wallis



HARRIET QUIMBY

Warfield, the Belle of Baltimore, lived on Davis Street in Wollaston, where neighbors thought she was a bit stuck up and snobbish and nicknamed her "the Duchess."

Twenty years later, twice divorced, she gained a real title, the Duchess of Windsor, when she married the former King Edward VIII of England, who gave up his



AMELIA EARHART

throne "for the woman I love."

Squantum's first reign as a training field didn't last long once the Navy discovered that the best use of the land was as a shipyard for the building of destroyers to break the German U-Boat blockade of the Atlantic during World War I.

It wasn't until 1923 that the Squantum

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Morton's Merry Time At Merrymount

By TOM HENSHAW

It was a strange tableau that took place that May day in 1627 on the hill overlooking Boston Bay in a land where the righteous Pilgrims ruled.

There were the English adventurers (don't ever call them colonists) from across the sea, and the local Indians, or what was left of them after a visit from the plague, curious to witness this strange white man's way.

Together they stripped an 80 foot pine tree of its bark, hauled it to the top of the hill, attached a rack of buckhorns to its peak and raised it on the hill called Ma re Mount (hill by the sea) or more commonly Merrymount.

Then they broke out the beer and cider and, Englishman and Indian together, they danced around their Maypole in a hedonistic ritual that was guaranteed to leave the Pilgrims, 40 miles away in Plymouth, aghast.

"Drinke and be merry, merry, merry boys," wrote their leader.

"Let all your delight be in hymen's joys, uncover thy head, and feare no harme, for here's good liquor to keep it warm."

"Lasses in beaver coats come away, Ye shall be welcome to us night and day."

The leader was Morton of Merrymount, a man whose name, rightly or wrongly, has lived on in infamy.

Thomas Morton of Clifford's Inn, Gent., as he signed himself, first arrived



THE REVELS OF MERRY MOUNT.

in the area that became known as Old Braintree and later Quincy in 1622 as secretary to Andrew Weston, founder of the Wessagusset colony in nearby Weymouth.

The Wessagusset colony did not survive but Morton, a lawyer and sportsman as well as a merrymaker, could not forget

the clear streams that teemed with fish and the forests that abounded with game in the new land.

He was back again in 1625 as a minor partner in a trading venture led by a Captain Wollaston, a man so obscure that his first name has been lost in nearly 400 years of history, although modern research by historian Hobart Holly has indicated it was probably Richard.

Captain Wollaston was so disappointed by the lack of business opportunity in New England that he packed up his partners and most of their indentured servants and left for greener fields in Virginia, leaving a Lieutenant Fitcher in charge.

Morton stayed behind, too, and it wasn't long before Fitcher was ousted and Morton, who was described by the Pilgrim's Governor William Bradford as a man with "more craft than honesty," became The Man, and immediately proclaimed himself "Lord of Misrule."

In the words of Governor Bradford, he maintained "a school of atheism," his people spent their time "quaffing and drinking — in great excess" and they were "inviting Indian women for their consorts, dancing and frisking together — and worse practices."

And, worst of all, Morton and his men were trading guns and rum to the Indians in exchange for pelts and were training said Indians in the use of firearms so they could hunt for more pelts, a move that frightened the wits out of the Pilgrims.

Could it be that, far from the "Lord of Misrule" as he claimed, Morton was just a sharp businessman, the Sam Walton of his day, who cut into Plymouth's profits by treating the Indians more or less like equals and joining in their fun and games. Either way, it was plain that Morton had to go.

Thus it was that in the spring of 1628, Captain Myles Standish — an angry little man of unimposing stature whom Morton

denied as "Captain Shrimpe" — and an army of eight men were dispatched to Merrymount to solve the problem once and for all. It turned out to be an easy task.

Morton knew they were coming and prepared to resist. But the night-long preparations soon turned into a party and, when Standish and his soldiers arrived at dawn, the defenders of Merrymount were too drunk to resist and surrendered without firing a shot.

That was the Pilgrims' version. In his memoirs, Morton insisted he was ready to fight but his men turned out to be a cowardly lot and he had to give up the struggle in order to avoid bloodshed and was beaten up for his pains by the victorious Pilgrim army of eight.

Whatever, Morton was arrested and taken to Plymouth where Standish wanted him hanged. But gentler heads prevailed and he was put aboard a ship for England, an action that so enraged the captain that he had to be restrained.

Back in London, Morton was charged with disturbing the safety of the Plymouth colony but the charges were dropped when he presented himself to the Crown as a good Anglican who was persecuted by those dissenters from Plymouth.

The trading post at Merrymount was allowed to remain but, in 1629, a sterner opponent arrived on the scene in John Endicott and the Puritans, who established the Massachusetts Bay Colony in Boston, a scant 10 miles from the hill beside the bay.

Endicott ordered Morton's Maypole cut down, which it was, and the name of his trading post changed from Merrymount to Mount Dagon after the Biblical sea god of the Philistines, which it wasn't.

Morton's brief episode of saturnalia is recalled today in a section of Quincy and a park called Merrymount.

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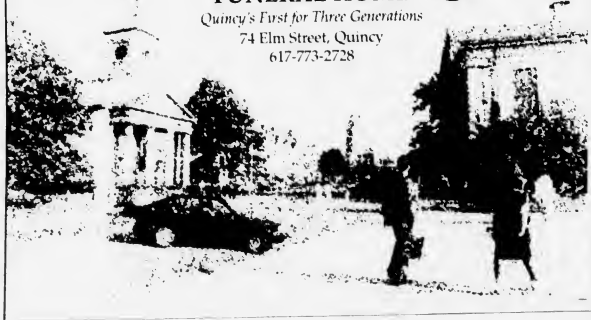
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Quincy Ships Played A Major Role In WWII

USS Quincy Took FDR To Yalta

By TOM HENSHAW

The President and the Prime Minister met on the ship's deck and went on from there to the conference that would decide the future of a world at war.

The President was Franklin D. Roosevelt and the Prime Minister was Winston Churchill and the ship was the Quincy-built heavy cruiser USS Quincy, the second of that name to perform heroically in World War II.

The time was 62 years ago, Feb. 2, 1945, and the place was the island of Malta in the Mediterranean, where the President met the Prime Minister and together they flew on to the Yalta Conference in the Russian Crimea.

After that brief respite for diplomacy at Yalta, it was back to war for Quincy, supporting carrier strikes on Okinawa and the Japanese home islands, finally entering Tokyo Bay on Sept. 1 in time to be present when the Japanese surrendered aboard the battleship Missouri, ending World War II 60 years ago.

The second Quincy, launched June 23, 1943, with great fanfare, was one of scores of warships built by Bethlehem's Fore River Shipyard, which employed 32,000 men and women in its Quincy and Hingham locations at their peak Jan. 15, 1943.

The first Quincy, launched June 19, 1935, was on peace-time convoy duty between Capetown, South Africa, and the Caribbean island of Trinidad, when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor and virtually destroyed America's Pacific fleet.

She was dispatched to the South Pacific in the summer of 1942 to shell Japanese installations on the Solomon Island of Guadalcanal and offer protection to the Marines who landed there in the first American offensive of World War II in August.

She was on patrol in the channel off Guadalcanal in the early morning hours of Aug. 9 when she was attacked by a large enemy naval force and sunk after taking many direct hits in what became known as the Battle of Savo Island.

The final message from the stricken ship was one of defiance:

"We're going down between them — give 'em hell!"

News of the sinking struck hard at the men and women of the Fore River Shipyard, who had just begun work on a heavy cruiser to be called St. Paul. They petitioned Washington to change



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the name to Quincy and it was done.

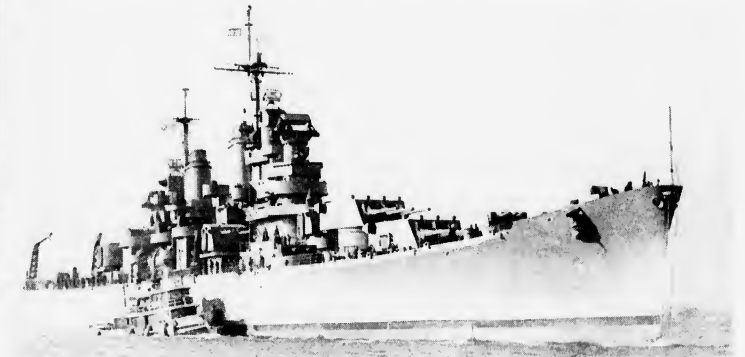
The historic shipyard in Quincy Point was founded two miles upriver in Braintree in 1884 as the Fore River Engine Company by Thomas A. Watson, the same man who heard Alexander Graham Bell's first words on the first telephone — "Watson, come here; I want you."

The company was formed to make marine engines but the demand for private yachts was so strong that Watson was forced to move downriver in 1900 to Quincy where the river was wider, the channel deeper and more suited to launch ships.

As early as 1898, the yard began building ships for the U. S. Navy, with keels laid for the destroyers Lawrence and MacDonough, a contract in hand for the cruiser Des Moines and two more pending for the battleships Rhode Island and New Jersey.

Another one of those early ships was Nevada, delivered in 1916, which fought its way through two world wars, survived Pearl Harbor and the A-Bomb test at Bikini Atoll, and finally had to be sunk by a friendly torpedo.

An adjunct facility called the Victory Plant had to be built to handle the US Navy's overflow during World War I and together the yards turned out 35 destroyers in 27 months, more than all



THE USS QUINCY, built in 1943, the second heavy cruiser to bear the name, had a prominent role in World War II, including shelling the Normandy coast during D-Day in 1944 and bombarding the Japanese homeland. In between, she took President Franklin D. Roosevelt to the Yalta Conference in 1945. The first USS Quincy was sunk in the Battle of Savo Island in 1942.

(Photo Courtesy Quincy Historical Society)

the other shipyards in the country combined, including USS Reid, built in a record 41 1/2 days from keel-laying to delivery.

A Naval officer named Chester Nimitz was briefly a resident of Quincy in 1913 while waiting for his submarine to be fitted at the yard. He remained long enough to marry a Wollaston girl, Catherine Vance Freeman, daughter of a former city councillor.

When, shortly after Pearl Harbor, Nimitz was named commander of all American naval forces in the Pacific, Catherine congratulated him on taking over the fleet.

"But, my dear," he replied. "The fleet's at the bottom of the sea."

That was the Quincy shipyard's cue once again to roll up its collective sleeves and get busy. Starting on Dec. 7, 1941, for the next three years, its workers turned out 88 ships, ranging from LSTs (landing ships tanks) to CVs (aircraft carriers), an average of one every 12 1/2 days.

It was in a shipyard annex in Hingham, five miles away down the coast, that workers set world's records by building the destroyer HMS Reynolds in 24 1/2 working days and delivering five ships to the Navy in 50 hours.

The battleship USS Massachusetts, "Big Mamie," delivered May 12, 1942, took part in some 35 engagements during the war, including the sinking of the mighty Vichy-French battleship Jean Bart at Casablanca before she could be turned over to the Germans.

The aircraft carrier Wasp, launched from the Fore River ways April 4, 1939, was escorting transports of Marine reinforcements to Guadalcanal on Sept. 16, 1942, when two torpedoes from the Japanese submarine I-19 struck her in the vicinity of her gas tanks and magazines.

Another carrier, already abuilding at the Quincy yard and designated USS Oriskany, was renamed Wasp and sent off to war Nov. 24, 1943, taking part in the Battle of Leyte Gulf and the assaults on the Marianas, Iwo Jima, Okinawa and the Japanese home islands.

The carrier Lexington, laid down as a battle cruiser but completed as the US Navy's second aircraft carrier in 1925, was at sea when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor but, less than six months later, she fell to an enemy torpedo in the Battle of the Coral Sea.

As with Wasp, a carrier already on the ways in Quincy and ready to be dubbed USS Cabot, was renamed Lexington and commissioned Feb. 17, 1943, in time to fight through the central Pacific and launch its planes into the action that became known as "the Great Marianas Turkey Shoot."

From the heights in World War II, the once busy Fore River Shipyard fell on post-war hard times, building mostly tankers and freighters with an occasional Navy contract for a submarine, destroyer or frigate. But every now and then it was called on to construct something new and interesting.

Like the world's heaviest ship, the 106,500-ton tanker Manhattan, launched in 1962, the fastest and most powerful super-tanker, which was later converted into the world's largest ice-breaker for a trip through the Canadian Arctic with one barrel of oil to prove that oil from Alaska's North Slope could be transported by sea.

Or the fleet oilers Redstone, Vanguard and Mercury, converted into instrumentation ships in 1966 to track missiles on the firing range, but also used to follow the progress of the Apollo spacecraft as they circled the earth in orbit and raced to the moon.

Or the world's first nuclear-powered surface combat ship, the cruiser Long Beach, launched in 1961, and the world's second, the frigate Bainbridge, in 1962. They were among the last ships built by Bethlehem at the shipyard before it was sold to General Dynamics.

The most notable ship construction contracts under taken during the 13 years General Dynamics operated the shipyard were the ten 436-foot liquefied natural gas (LNG) tankers with their great bulbous tanks that were built elsewhere and hoisted aboard the ship by the Goliath Crane that became a landmark at the yard.

For the record, the last ship built by General Dynamics at the 86-year-old Quincy shipyard was the maritime prepositioning ship Sgt. William R. Button. That was in 1986. Then General Dynamics shut the door.

Dunkin' Donuts Got Quincy Start

Ruth Gordon, Howard Johnson, Lee Remick, Billy DeWolfe Born Here

Teachers dubbed the Class of 1914 the "worst class" ever at Quincy High School because no one made the honor roll. Too bad they couldn't have looked ahead to the future of Ruth G. Jones.

A year later, armed with a new name, **Ruth Gordon**, she was on a train bound for New York with a year's tuition to the American Academy of Dramatic Arts and \$50 in spending money pinned to her corset.

Ruth Gordon went on to fame and fortune as an actress on the Broadway stage and the Hollywood movie studios and as a writer of short stories and plays with her husband, Garson Kamm.

She won an Academy Award as best supporting actress in 1969 for her role as a Satanist in "Rosemary's Baby," and an Emmy in 1979 for her one time role in the sitcom "Taxi."

Ruth Gordon never forgot her roots in Quincy, returning frequently to attend class reunions. Her last visit was in 1984 for the dedication of the Ruth Gordon Amphitheater in Menymount Park.

She died in 1985 at the age of 88.

His name too was Jones, William Andrew Jones, and, as a teen-aged usher in the old Quincy Theater, where vaudeville persisted

into the 1920s, he used to dream of performing himself.

But Billy Jones was such a common name, he thought, so he borrowed the name of the Quincy Theater manager and as **Billy DeWolfe** he became a dancer and comic in movies on TV.

He visited his old home town almost yearly and when he died in 1974 at the age of 67, he was buried in the Jones family plot in Mount Wollaston Cemetery.

The year was 1925 when 27-year-old **Howard Johnson**, a failure as a cigar salesman, took over a rundown drug store with a newspaper franchise and a marble soda fountain on Beale Street in Wollaston.

Soon he began making his own ice cream — 28 flavors eventually — and then he had a seaside snack shack on Wollaston Beach Boulevard and a restaurant in the tallest building in downtown Quincy.

Just then, by coincidence, Eugene O'Neill's latest play, "Strange Interlude," was banned in Boston so the producers moved it to the Quincy Theater, just up Hancock Street from the Howard Johnson restaurant in the then Granite Trust Bank.

It was a long play, so the sellout audiences were given an hour and a half dinner break at intermission so the place to go was

Johnson's restaurant where the special chicken pies, were \$1 apiece.

Eventually, Howard Johnson-franchised restaurants and motels, with their familiar orange roofs, spanned the continent, truly, in their own words, "a landmark for hungry Americans."

Bill Rosenberg was just shy of his 30th birthday when he bought a used delivery truck, invested \$5,000 in a modest kitchen in an old butcher shop and opened the Industrial Luncheon Service.

He stocked the truck with coffee, sandwiches and doughnuts and made his first stop at the Boston Gear Works in North Quincy, where he sold his first cup of coffee for a nickel.

He had 144 canteen trucks by 1950 when he decided a retail store would be more profitable so he started a shop called the "Open Kettle" on Southern Artery in Quincy.

That name didn't catch on so Rosenberg called a brainstorming session. "What do you do with a doughnut?" asked the architect, Bernard Healy, rhetorically. "You dunk it."

And the name "Dunkin' Donuts" was born.

For years, her father, Frank, ran an upscale men's clothing store in downtown



RUTH GORDON



BILLY DEWOLFE



HOWARD JOHNSON



LEE REMICK

Quincy but it remained for his daughter, **Lee Remick**, to spread the family name far and wide.

She burst into Hollywood as the nubile drum majorette with Andy Griffith in "A Face in the Crowd," and followed it up as the alcoholic wife with Jack Lemmon in "Days of Wine and Roses."

She died in 1991 at the age of 55.

His real name was William Szathmary but he changed it to an easier-to-remember **Bill Dana** when he appeared on the scene as a writer and sometime performer on the old Steve Allen Show.

The 1942 graduate of Quincy High School later gained a measure of fame in the entertainment world as the comic with the thick Spanish accent, "Jose Jimenez."

Amelia Earhart, Harriet Quimby Pioneers

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Naval Reserve Station was established, commanded by Lt. Richard E. Byrd, with one old weather beaten hangar and one ancient seaplane, held together, they said "by wire, curses and prayers."

Thus, Naval Reserve Aviation was born.

Later, as Admiral Byrd, the young lieutenant became renowned for his flights over the North and South Poles and the establishment of the Little America research station on the Antarctic continent.

Of the many officers who served at Squantum, none stand out more than Commander John J. Shea, executive officer from 1931 to 1940, when he went to war as air operations officer aboard the aircraft carrier Wasp.

Wasp was sunk Sept. 15, 1942, and Jack Shea was last seen "fighting the fire on the flight deck displaying great courage

and devotion to duty, and disregarding the danger of exploding ammunition and debris filling the air and rapidly spreading the fire."

His last letter to his 5-year-old son, Jack Jr., written just before he was lost, became a classic in wartime literature, read in part:

"When you are a little bigger you will know why your daddy is not home so much anymore. You know we have a big country and we have ideals as to how people should live and enjoy the riches of it and how each is born with equal rights to life, freedom and the pursuit of happiness."

"Unfortunately, there are some countries in this world where they do not have these ideals, where a boy cannot grow up to be what he wants to be with no limit on his opportunities to be a great man such as a great priest, statesman, doctor, soldier, business man, etc."

"Because there are people in countries who want to change our nation, its ideals,

its form of government and way of life we must leave our homes and families to fight. Fighting for the defense of our country, ideals, homes and honor is an honor and a duty which your daddy has to do before he can come home and settle down with you and mother."

"When it is done he is coming home to be with you always and forever. So wait just a little while longer. I'm afraid it will be more than the two weeks you told me on the phone."

"... Last of all don't ever forget your daddy. Pray for him to come back and if it is God's will that he does not, be the kind of a boy and man your daddy wants you to be."

Shea received the Navy Cross for his action aboard the dying Wasp. The field at Squantum NAS was named Shea Field. And his name was memorialized in the Quincy street called Commander Shea Boulevard.

Even while the Navy was training its reserve flyers, it leased a portion of its property to Quincy architect Harold T. Dennison to open a commercial airport in 1927 with Amelia Earhart as one of his five backers.

Earhart was one of the passengers on the first official flight out of Dennison Airport and, as a resident of Medford and a social worker in Boston, she visited the field in Squantum frequently to hone her own flying skills for aviation feats yet to come.

Instructors at Dennison taught flying during the week and took passengers joy riding on Sundays. It wasn't unusual for 1,000 persons to show up for a short hop

at 50 cents and a longer one at \$2.50 to \$5 on a good weekend. But even that wasn't enough.

Dennison, as president of the Dennison Airport Kennel Club Inc., tried to open a dog track on the site in 1935 but it was turned down. Said City Councillor John R. Shaughnessy: "There is nothing longer than a dog track. Three of the six operated in Illinois were controlled by Al Capone."

The coming of World War II meant a revival of training at the Squantum Naval Air Station and the demise of commercial aviation at Dennison Airport as the Navy cancelled its lease and added a concrete surface to the runways and extended them until they were a half a mile long.

After the war, on July 1, 1946, the Squantum Naval Air Station became a Naval Reserve Training Base where for the next seven years thousands of officers and enlisted men and women — the Weekend Warriors — came each weekend for training.

Squantum's glorious aviation history came to an end in 1953 due to the rapid expansion of Logan Airport which placed Quincy in the path of jetliners approaching the East Boston field for a landing. Clearly, one of them had to go and, just as clearly, it was Squantum.

Today, Squantum's pioneer flying days of Harriet Quimby, Amelia Earhart, Commander John J. Shea and Captain Harry Sartoris live on in the Aviation History Information Center at the Beechwood Community Life Center where the old Dennison Airport once held sway.



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USS SALEM

(Quincy Sun Photo/Robert Noble)

Centerpiece Of U.S. Naval Shipbuilding Museum

USS Salem Flagship Of The Sixth Fleet

Although she never fired a shot in anger, the heavy cruiser USS Salem at the United States Naval Shipbuilding Museum stands for all the ships that were built at Bethlehem Steel's Fore River Shipyard, a mighty armada that helped beat Hitler and Tojo.

Salem was ordered during World War II but launched in 1947 after hostilities had ceased and commissioned in 1949 to become the flagship of the U. S. Navy's Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean during the Cold War years in the 1950s.

At 716 feet, six inches in length and 17,000 tons displacement with a crew of 109 officers and 1,690 enlisted men and eight-inch/55 caliber guns in three triple turrets, she was the bulwark of democracy in the Mediterranean and Caribbean Seas.

Salem and her crew earned the praise of the king and queen of Greece for their work in providing relief supplies and humanitarian aid for four days as the first ship on the scene after an earthquake ravaged the Greek islands in 1953.

She was at sea bound for a new billet

in Villafrance on the French Riviera in 1956 when fighting broke out between Israel and Egypt and she was diverted to the islands of Rhodes to assure safe passage of American and other ships through the Suez Canal.

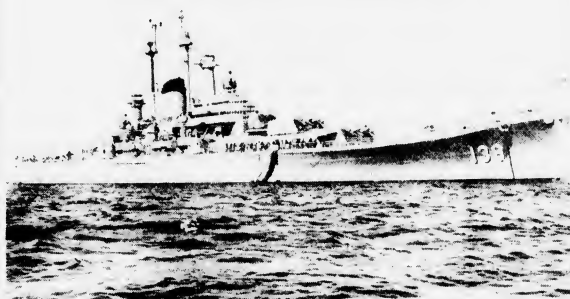
Salem was on active duty for 10 years, decommissioned in 1959 and berthed in the Atlantic Reserve Fleet in Philadelphia, then brought back to its birthplace in Quincy and recommissioned in 1995 as a member of the Historic Naval Ships Association.

She features tours of the main deck, the number three turret, the admiral's and captain's bridges, the quarters on the second deck where the crew lived and worked, an extensive model ship collection and the region's only Navy SEAL display.

The ship is also home to the Cruiser Sailor Museum as well as museums dedicated to the USS St. Paul and USS Newport News, sister ships of Salem. The museum's archives are open for research and viewing an extensive collection of armaments, uniforms and memorabilia.

The USS Salem at the United States Naval Shipbuilding Museum is located at 739 Washington St., at the Fore River Shipyard in Quincy Point. Hours of escorted and self-guided tours include: Summer - Daily June through September, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Winter - Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Kilroy's mini-golf, June through September, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Admission: \$5 per person. Active military adults with ID cards are admitted free of charge. Flat-heeled shoes or sneakers are recommended.

Visit the **USS SALEM** at the **United States Naval Shipbuilding Museum** **Quincy, Massachusetts**



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CALENDAR of SPECIAL EVENTS

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JULY

Tuesday, July 3

Art-to-Go – Adams Shore Branch, Children's Room, 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Activity: RAIN STICKS

Fourth of July Celebration

Merrymount Association, Annual Road Race 5 p.m. Kids Bicycle Parade 6:15 p.m.

Miss Merrymount Pageant (Merrymount School)

Wednesday, July 4

Fourth of July Parade – Merrymount School to Wollaston Beach, 1 p.m.

Fourth of July Parade – Squantum, 10 a.m.

Continental Congress – 12 noon & 3 p.m. Adams Carriage House, 135 Adams Street.

Assume the role of delegate and debate various issues leading up to the vote for Independence.

Jefferson and Adams, A Stage Play – National Park Service Beale Estate, 181 Adams Street, 7:00 p.m.

A moving and powerful dramatization of the remarkable friendship between two presidents of the United States.

Thursday, July 5

Princesses, Pirates and Pooh Movie Marathon – Main Library, Community Meeting Room, 10AM- 5PM

Art-to-Go – North Quincy Branch, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: RAIN STICKS

Friday, July 6

Readers' Raffle Drawing – Children's Room at any branch. Enter yourself in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards.

Monday, July 9

Art-to-Go – Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL BOOKMARKS

Cooking with Kids – Adams Shore Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Learn how to cook wonderful food. Ages 8 and up.

Tuesday, July 10

Art-to-Go – Adams Shore Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL BOOKMARKS

Pajama Storytime – Main Branch, Thomas Crane Library, children's room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult.

Summer Storytellers – Thomas Crane Library, large meeting room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 5 and older. Come and see a show full of stories, magic tricks and audience participation as Debbie O'Carroll presents Magical Medley.

Wednesday, July 11

Art-to-Go – Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL BOOKMARKS

John Quincy Adams Birthday Celebration – United First Parish Church, 12 noon. Join representatives from the City of Quincy, First Parish Church, and National Park Service as a wreath from President George W. Bush is placed at the crypt of our sixth president.

The Adventures of a Nobody – National Park Service Carriage House, 135 Adams Street, 1:30 p.m. This one-woman play is about the life of one of America's most accomplished First Ladies and the wife of John Quincy Adams, our 6th President. Louisa Catherine Adams, the only first lady born on foreign soil, was a brilliant scholar, musician, artist, poet and linguist and is one of America's best-kept secrets.

Puppet Show – Wollaston Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2:30- 3:30 p.m.

Follow Cinderella, a lost woodland fairy, on her adventures through the magic forest as Deborah Costine presents "Cinderella, A Woodland Fairy Princess." Ages 4 and up. Registration required.

Talent Night – Main Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 7-9 p.m. Come to the Catch the Beat Talent Night and show off your talent. Quincy residents only. Registration is required.

SummerFest – Ruth Gordon Amphitheater, 7:00 p.m. performance by Freewheelin'.

Thursday, July 12

Art-to-Go – North Quincy branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL BOOKMARKS

Arts in the Parks – Avalon Beach, 6:30 p.m., featuring Java Jive, "the smallest little big band". Face-painting for children and free ice cream and cold drinks.

Divination Class – Main Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 7-8 p.m. Join Professor Trelawney to test your powers of divination by predicting what will happen in Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows. Ages 10 and up.

Saturday and Sunday, July 14 & 15

Lipton Cup Regatta – Squantum Yacht Club

Sunday, July 15

Concerts on the Lawn – Main Branch, Thomas Crane Library Lawn, 3-4 p.m.

"Jumpin' Juba" Repertoire ranging from New Orleans blues to boogie-woogie to 50's rock and beyond

Monday, July 16

Art-to-Go – Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL WREATHS.

Magic Show – North Quincy Branch, 10-11 a.m., Join local magician Christopher Bolter as he amazes the audience with his magic tricks. All Ages.

Tuesday, July 17

Art-to-Go – Adams Shore branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL WREATHS.

Arts in the Parks – Safford Park, 6:30 p.m., featuring Java Jive, "the smallest little big band". Face-painting for children and free ice cream and cold drinks.

Pajama Storytime – Thomas Crane Library, children's room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult.

Summer Storytellers Series – Thomas Crane Library, large meeting room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 5 and older. Storyteller Mark Binder presents Stories that Rock.

Wednesday, July 18

Art-to-Go – Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL WREATHS

SummerFest – Ruth Gordon Amphitheater, 7:00 p.m., performance by Moby Dick & the Walters

Family Folk Dance – Join Parent's Choice Award Winning musician Susan Reed for a rollicking good time singing and dancing along to folk tunes. Ages 4 and up.

Thursday, July 19

Art-to-Go – North Quincy branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MUSICAL WREATHS

Catch the Beat Movie Night – Main Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 7-9 p.m. Three 20- minute silent cartoons and comedy films will be presented. Ages 6 and up.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday,

July 19, 20, 21

Quincy Business Association Summer Sidewalk Festival – Quincy Center, great bargains, music, live entertainment, food and a lot of fun for the whole family. Thursday & Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Friday, July 20

Harry Potter Party – Main Branch, Community Room, 10-12 a.m. Celebrate the release of Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows crafts and snacks included. Ages 5 and up.

Readers Raffle Drawing – Children's Room at any branch. Fill out a raffle slip to be entered in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards. Ages 0-13.

New England percussion Ensemble – Main Branch, Atrium, 3-4 p.m. Join us in a journey through the musical ages with The Language of the Ancients, a blend of musical performances and hands- on audience participation.

Monday, July 23

Art-to-Go – Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: KAZOOS

Tuesday, July 24

Art-to-Go – Adams Shore branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: KAZOOS

Arts in the Parks – O'Rourke Park, 6:30 p.m., featuring Java Jive, "the smallest little big band". Face-painting for children and free ice cream and cold drinks.

Pajama Storytime – Thomas Crane Library, children's room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult.

Summer Storytellers Series – Thomas Crane Library, large meeting room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 5 and older. Join us and The Central Mass Repertory Theatre for their performance of the Fantastic Fable Maker, a fun-filled collection of Aesop's fables.

Wednesday, July 25

Art-to-Go – Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: KAZOOS.

SummerFest – Ruth Gordon Amphitheater, 7:00 p.m., featuring Roberto Kanan Trio.

Rhythm and Rhyme – Main Branch, Community Room, 10-11 a.m. Sing and Dance along with old favorites and new songs in this highly interactive program. Ages 0-4.

Thursday, July 26

Art-to-Go – North Quincy branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: KAZOOS.

Arts in the Parks – Beechwood Knoll, 6:30 p.m., featuring Java Jive, "the smallest little big band". Face-painting for children and free ice cream and cold drinks.

Harry Potter Book Discussion – Main Branch, Children's Room, 7-8 p.m. Join us to discuss the beginning, ending and everything in between. WARNING: THERE WILL BE SPOILERS. Ages 10 and up.

Friday, July 27

Readers' Raffle Drawing – Children's Room at any branch. Fill out a raffle slip to be entered in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards. Ages 0-13.

Thursday-Sunday, July 26-29

Quincy Bay Race Week – Children, Quincy Yacht Club, July 26 & 27

Adults, Wessagusset Yacht Club, July 28; Squantum Yacht Club, July 29

Sunday, July 29

Concerts on the Lawn – Thomas Crane Library Lawn, 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

The Remnants combine compelling vocal harmonies with solid instrumentals in a performance of folk, country, bluegrass and gospel music.

Monday, July 30

Art-to-Go – Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MEGAPHONES.

Registration for Talent Night – Registration for the second Catch the Beat Talent Night begins at the Children's Room of any branch.

Tuesday, July 31

Art-to-Go – Adams Shore Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MEGAPHONES.

Arts in the Parks – Squantum Park, 6:30 p.m., featuring Java Jive, "the smallest little big band". Face-painting for children and free ice cream and cold drinks.

Pajama Storytime – Thomas Crane Library, children's room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult.

Summer Storytellers Series – Thomas Crane Library, large meeting room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 5 and older, storyteller Antonio Rocha will present Crossroads, featuring tales from around the world of adventure, wit and wisdom.

AUGUST

Wednesday, August 1

Art-to-Go – Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MEGAPHONES.

SummerFest – Ruth Gordon Amphitheater, 7:00 p.m., featuring TBA.

Thursday, August 2

Art-to-Go – North Quincy Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: MEGAPHONE.

Arts in the Parks – LaBrecque Field, 6:30 p.m., featuring Java Jive, "the smallest little big band." Face-painting for children and free ice cream and cold drinks.

Boston Landmarks Orchestra – National Park Service Beale Estate, 181 Adams Street, 7:00 p.m. Celebrate summer with a

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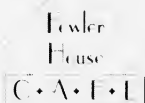
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Neighbors Had A Nickname Duchess Of Windsor A Former Resident

By HENRY BOSWORTH

No, the Duchess of Windsor was not a Quincy girl but she lived here for a time long before King Edward VIII gave up the British throne for the woman he loved.

She lived in Wollaston in 1917 while she was married to her first husband, a young lieutenant stationed at a Naval air school in Squantum, which later became the Squantum Naval Air Station.

The Massachusetts Naval Militia maintained a training field in what is now the Marina Bay area which was taken over by the First Naval District as a school to train young aviators to fly the new Langley airplanes.

Assigned as head of the school was Lt. Earle W. Spencer.

He was married to the former Wallis Warfield, the Baltimore belle who later, as a twice divorced woman, became the Duchess of Windsor when she wed the king who abdicated his throne for her love.

The match touched off a crisis in English royalty. Some thought the king should be allowed to marry her and keep his title as long as she did not become queen. But stronger opposition prevailed



DUCHESS OF WINDSOR
and he stepped down.

They were married on June 3, 1937.

While living in Quincy, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer resided in a second floor apartment on Davis Street in Wollaston.

Legend has it that her neighbors in 1917 thought she was somewhat stuck up and snobbish.

In fact, they nicknamed her "the Duchess."



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John Adams, who died only a few hours after Thomas Jefferson on July 4, 1825, outlived all but one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

The last survivor of the signers was Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Maryland, who died in 1832 at the age of 95. Adams died at 90.

CALENDAR of SPECIAL EVENTS

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free classical concert in the "Concerts for Children" series featuring David and "Old Ironsides."

Friday, August 3

Readers' Raffle Drawing - Children's Room at any branch. Fill out a raffle slip to be entered in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards. Ages 0-13.

Saturday & Sunday, August 4 & 5

Arts Affair - Visit Marina Bay at the Quincy Art Association, along with twelve local art associations, showcase more than 300 art works. Open to the public & free admission.

Monday, August 6

Art-to-Go - Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: TAMBOURINES

Registration begins for August Children's Programs - Contact the Children's Room of the North Quincy Branch at 617-376-1320 for details. Ages 8 and up.

Children Paint - National Park Service Carriage House, 135 Adams Street, 9:30-4:30 a.m. Learn the methods and materials of folk art with Christopher Gushin as he teaches simple techniques that can be easily performed by everyone. Ages 10 and up. The price to enjoy this fun filled event is \$135.

Tuesday, August 7

Art-to-Go - Adams Shore branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: TAMBOURINES.

Pajama Storytime - Thomas Crane Library, children's room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult.

Summer Storytellers Series - Thomas Crane Library, large meeting room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 5 and older. The Activated Storytellers present, Quizical Quests, a theatrical production full of fun. For children ages 5 and up. Children ages 6-14 will have a chance to perform in the show with the luck of the draw, as 10 lucky winners of a hat drawing will be able to perform. Show up by 6:30 if you would like the chance.

Wednesday, August 8

Art-to-Go - Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: TAMBOURINES.

Concert - Adams Shore Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-3 p.m. A lively, interactive concert for children of all ages with both new and old songs by Liz Buchanan.

Summerfest - Ruth Gordon Amphitheater, 7 p.m. featuring Riverside TheatreWorks.

Thursday, August 9

Art-to-Go - North Quincy branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: TAMBOURINES.

Friday, August 10

Readers' Raffle Drawing - Children's Room at any branch. Fill out a raffle slip to be entered in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards. Ages 0-13.

Saturday, August 11

Freestyle Frisbee - Two time Frisbee Freestyle World Champion Todd Brodeur will talk about the science and history of the Frisbee, show off his Frisbee collection and

perform some Frisbee tricks. For all ages.

Monday, August 13

Art-to-Go - Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: SUPERSTAR SUNGLASSES

Tuesday, August 14

Art-to-Go - Adams Shore branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: SUPERSTAR SUNGLASSES.

Pajama Storytime - Thomas Crane Library, children's room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult.

Summer Storytellers Series - Thomas Crane Library, large meeting room, 7 to 7:45 p.m., ages 5 and older. Davis Bates and Roger Tineknell present Rhythms of the World. Ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, August 15

Art-to-Go - Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: SUPERSTAR SUNGLASSES.

Thursday, August 16

Art-to-Go - North Quincy branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: SUPERSTAR SUNGLASSES.

Princess and Pirates II Movie Marathon - Watch the movies Ella Enchanted (PG) at 3 p.m., and Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest (PG-13) at 6 p.m. Ages 10 and up.

Friday, August 17

Harry Potter Book Discussion - North Quincy Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-3 p.m. Join us to discuss the beginning, ending and everything in between. WARNING: THERE WILL BE SPOILERS. Ages 10 and up.

Readers' Raffle Drawing - Children's Room at any branch. Fill out a raffle slip to be entered in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards. Ages 0-13.

Sunday, August 19

August Moon Festival - Presidents Plaza, 219 Quincy Avenue, 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Monday, August 20

Art-to-Go - Main branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: WINDSOCKS

Tuesday, August 21

Art-to-Go - Adams Shore branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: WINDSOCKS

Scrapbooking for Children - North Quincy Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 7-8 p.m. Bring some pictures from your summer adventures and use them to create a scrapbook memory page. Ages 8 and up. Registration is required (beginning Monday Aug. 6).

Wednesday, August 22

Art-to-Go - Wollaston branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: WINDSOCKS

Thursday, August 23

Art-to-Go - North Quincy Branch, Thomas Crane Library, 2-4 p.m.

Activity: WINDSOCKS.

Friday, August 24

Readers' Raffle Drawing - Children's Room at any branch. Fill out a raffle slip to be entered in weekly drawings for bookstore gift cards. Ages 0-13.

SEPTEMBER

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July, August and September curbside collection of yardwaste will be every other week. Don't forget holiday weeks are on a one-day delayed schedule. Cut branches into 3-ft. lengths, bundle and tie. Leaves, grass and tiny twigs can go in brown paper yardwaste bags, open boxes or open barrels (no lids). Larger brush and tree limbs may be dropped off at the City's Public Works Recycling Center at 55 Sea Street, Monday- Friday 7am-3pm and Saturdays 9am-noon.

DROP OFF AT DPW OPEN Monday-Friday (7AM-3PM) & Saturday (9AM-Noon)

Please remember that no yardwaste in plastic bags will be collected

SUMMER & FALL YARDWASTE SCHEDULE

July 9-13 • July 23-27

August 6-10 • August 20-24

September 4-8 • September 17-21

October 1-5

Weekly collection resumes on October 15 and continues through November 30. After December 1, residents may drop off yardwaste at the DPW Yard 55 SEA St. through mid-December. BFI will not pick up yardwaste curbside after November 30.

TRASH PICKUP INFORMATION

TRASH PICKUP- For curbside collection of appliances, air conditioners, TVs and computer monitors please call BFI at 617-471-7900 or fax them at 617-471-8313.

MISSED PICKUPS- Call BFI at 617-471-7900.

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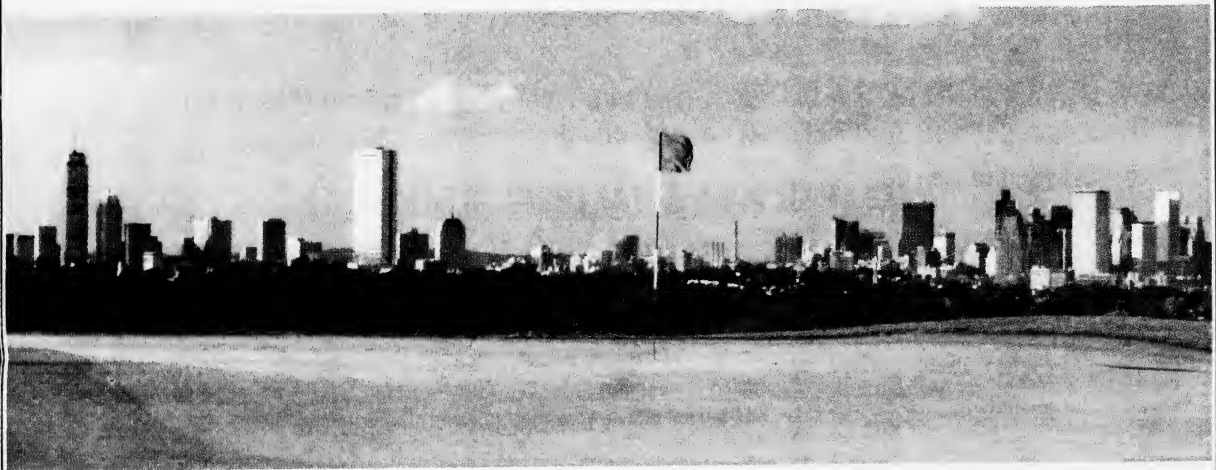
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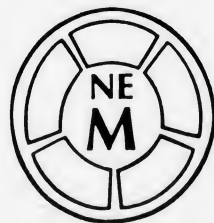
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